



DIPLOMA CENTRE

Certificate in Mediator Training.

The course is at least 30 hours' duration comprising of;

- 25 hours of online learning
- 5 hours live online interactive sessions.
- Additional time for independent reading, study and assessment will also be required,

Students will work through online modules delivered by the Mediator Academy, which include integrated assessment.

MEDIATOR ACADEMY ONLINE MODULES

Conflict and Dispute Resolution: Understanding and analysing conflict, conflict behaviours and interventions, models and principles of dispute resolution.

Release date: *Wed 25 January 2023*

Mediation Principles and Processes: Fundamental theories and principles of mediation, process models and options, mediation in different contexts, mediation documentation.

Release Date: *08 February 2023*

Civil and Commercial Mediation Practice and Skills: Core mediation skills, process choices, ethics and practice, lawyers and other participants in mediation.

Release Date: *01 March 2023*

Mediation Law in Ireland: Case law, court rules and legislation, the Mediation Act, 2017, solicitors' obligations in mediation, practice guides and recommendations.

Release Date: *08 March 2023*

SESSION 1	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 25 January 2023	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Live Online

Topics:

- General Welcome and Introduction
- Course Overview & Structure
- Online Learning
- Assessment

Faculty: *Sabine Walsh, Past-President Mediators' Institute of Ireland, Head of Curriculum, Mediator Academy & Megan Murphy Byrne, Solicitor, and Course Leader*

After the live session –

Release of *Conflict and Dispute Resolution*: Understanding and analysing conflict, conflict behaviours and interventions, models and principles of dispute resolution.

7 hrs. Gen. CPD

SESSION 2	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 01 February 2023	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Live Online

Workshop 1

Topics:

- Conflict Competence
- Practical Conflict Analysis

Sabine Walsh, Past-President Mediators' Institute of Ireland, Head of Curriculum, Mediator Academy

1 hr M&PD CPD



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SESSION 3	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 08 February 2023	2:00pm release	Online Release

Mediation Principles and Processes: Fundamental theories and principles of mediation, process models and options, mediation in different contexts, mediation documentation.

6 hrs. Gen. CPD

SESSION 4	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 22 February 2023	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Live Online
Workshop 2		

Topic: Mediation – Overdue or Overrated?

Sabine Walsh, Past-President Mediators' Institute of Ireland, Head of Curriculum, Mediator Academy,
Aled Davies, Mediator, Founder and CEO, Mediator Academy

1 hr M&PD CPD

School mid-term W/B 13 February

SESSION 5	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 01 March 2023	2:00pm release	Online Release

Civil and Commercial Mediation Practice and Skills: Core mediation skills, process choices, ethics and practice, lawyers and other participants in mediation.

5 hrs. Gen. CPD & 1 hr Reg CPD

SESSION 6	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 08 March 2023	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Live Online
Workshop 3		

Topic: Mediation Skills – Online

Sabine Walsh, Past-President Mediators' Institute of Ireland, Head of Curriculum, Mediator Academy.
Guest

1 h M&PD CPD

SESSION 7	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 08 March 2023	2:00pm release	Online Release

Mediation Law in Ireland: Case law, court rules and legislation, the Mediation Act, 2017, solicitors' obligations in mediation, practice guides and recommendations.

5 hrs. Gen. CPD & 1 hr Reg CPD

SESSION 8	TIME	DELIVERY
Wednesday 15 March 2023	6:00pm – 7:00pm	Live Online
Workshop 4		

Topic: Mediation Practice in Ireland in 2023.

Sabine Walsh, Past-President Mediators' Institute of Ireland, Head of Curriculum, Mediator Academy.
Guest

1 hr M&PD CPD



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WRITTEN ASSIGNMENT SUBMISSION DATE: TBC

Please note that topics & dates may be subject to change. Draft timetable as of January 2023.

* Gen = General, M&PD = Management and Professional Development, Reg = Regulatory and eLearning = eLearning CPD credits. **CPD Note:** The number of hours of CPD that you may claim in relation to your diploma/certificate course will depend on the way in which you access each of the individual sessions. For further information please visit the course homepage on our website: www.lawsociety.ie/diplomacentre