



Seminar on Developments in International Mediation: USA, UK, Asia, India and the European Union

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➤ **Contents**

Since its early beginnings in the USA the modern commercial mediation model has put down roots all over the world. Mediation is now a fixture of most legal jurisdictions and is beginning to make inroads into new countries like China and India. This seminar will cover some of the more recent developments in international mediation in the UK, USA and Europe. Also although Asian countries like China, Hong Kong, Singapore and Taiwan have different legal systems and practices, each jurisdiction is currently in the process of building modern mediation processes which suit their particular civil justice requirements. Hong Kong and Singapore are very much at the forefront of exciting new mediation developments and their ground breaking initiatives are being closely followed by all dispute resolution bodies in the Asian region.

➤ **CPD Points Granted:**

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➤ **Guest Speaker**

Mr. Danny MCFADDEN

**Managing Director, CEDR Asia Pacific Hong Kong
Arbitrator, Lawyer, Mediator and Trainer**

The speaker Danny McFadden has been working internationally including Asia in business, negotiation and the dispute resolution field for over thirty years. Learning Mandarin at a university in Taiwan in the early 1980's, lead to his spending many years working in Chinese companies and later as a lawyer handling the legal aspects of dealing with disputes in the Asian region. In the last decade working with CEDR, he has worked full time on conflict management and dispute resolution, especially in the Asian context. He has conducted mediation training in many countries including China, Hong Kong, Singapore, Mongolia, the UK and Taiwan and is currently sitting on the Hong Kong government's Steering Committee on mediation. In 2013 his book "Mediation in Greater China" was published and in 2015 he coedited a new book "Mediation in Singapore" which was officially launched by the Chief Justice of Singapore.

➤ **Host**

Mr. Alfred Chan

Council Member of Hong Kong Mediation Centre
Co Chairperson of CPD and Member Services Committee
Co Chairperson of Disciplinary Committee

Date and Time:	9th October 2015 (Friday), 7:15 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.
Registration Time:	6:45 p.m.
Venue:	Preston Training Centre Rm 408 - 409, 4/F, Fortress Tower, 250 King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong (Fortress Hill MTR Station – Exit B) 普敦培訓中心 香港北角英皇道 250 號 北角城中心 408-9 室 (炮台山港鐵站 B 出口) Please find the attached map for your reference.
Target Audience:	Panel Members / Associate Members / Non-members
Language:	English
Fee:	Panel Members: HK\$100 Associate Members: HK\$150 Non-members: HK\$200
Payment Method:	1) Crossed-cheque: Payable to “Hong Kong Mediation Centre Limited” and send it to “21/F., Success Commercial Building, 245-251 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong”. Please write down your Full Name and Membership Number at the back of the cheque; OR 2) Bank transfer: Please provide Bank-in Slip and state your Full Name and Membership Number. Bank Name: The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd (HSBC) Bank Account Name: Hong Kong Mediation Centre Limited Bank Account Number: 162-242226-001
Registration Period:	on or before 3rd October 2015
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