

THE BAR ASSOCIATION OF SAN FRANCISCO

The ADR Department of The Bar Association of San Francisco presents



Mediate to Settle A 40-Hour Professional Mediator Certificate Training

Co-Sponsored by the Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Mateo, Solano, and Sonoma County Bar Associations

Transform your approach to conflict. Join BASF's intensive, five-day, 40-hour Mediator Certificate Training led by internationally recognized mediator and trainer Dr. Sukhsimranjit Singh.

This highly experiential program focuses on practical tools and real-world application. Participants will learn Dr. Singh's five-step framework for effective mediation, along with strategies for navigating power, trust, complexity, and cultural dynamics. The training will emphasize the human element of mediation, cross-cultural fluency, advanced negotiation mastery and impasse breaking techniques. You will engage in practical, real-world scenarios designed to build muscle memory for high-stakes mediations.

This session offers the unique opportunity to learn under the mentorship of Weinstein-JAMS Fellows—distinguished judges and top-tier dispute resolution professionals from around the globe. This creates a world-class environment for networking and cross-cultural learning that is unavailable in standard training

Topics

- Designing the mediation table, managing neutrality, and core mediator skill-building
- Advanced strategies to navigate power imbalances, build trust, and overcome deadlock
- Mastering negotiation methodologies and crafting sound "Mediator Proposals"
- Integrating technology and navigating cross-cultural challenges in a globalized world
- Post-mediation follow-up and the business of building a sustainable mediation practice

Exclusive Training Completion Perks

- Enjoy one full year of access to exclusive online materials through Dr. Singh's global Academy to continue your learning journey.

Trainer



Dr. Sukhsimranjit Singh is a mediator, facilitator, trainer, and author with more than 25 years of experience in dispute resolution, negotiation, and leadership. A former Managing Director of the Straus Institute for Dispute Resolution at Pepperdine University Caruso School of Law, Dr. Singh is an international mediator who serves on the JAMS panel and the Weinstein International Foundation. He has delivered over 500 talks in more than 50 countries and is a two-time TEDx speaker, Peacemaker Award recipient, and founder of Singh Academy.

August 31, 2026

September 1–4, 2026

MCLE Registration: 8:30 - 9:00 a.m.

In-Person Program: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

September 8, 2026 (Online)

MCLE Registration: 5:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Online Program: 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

MCLE: 40 Hours, which includes

2 Hours Legal Ethics

2 Hours Elimination of Bias

1 Hour Technology

To receive MCLE credit, you must sign in during the designated MCLE registration period. This activity is approved for Minimum Continuing Legal Education credit by the State Bar of California. BASF is a certified provider. Provider #103

Pre-registration is required.

Location

In Person - August 31 and September 1-4
BASF Offices
50 Fremont Street, Suite 1700
San Francisco, CA

Virtual - September 8

Zoom link will be provided prior to the program.

Cost

\$2,295 BASF Member

\$2,295 Co-Sponsoring Organization Member

\$2,495 All Others

*Cost increases by \$100 on August 1, 2026

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Special Requests:

People with disabilities should contact BASF regarding reasonable accommodations at adr@sfbar.org.

All are welcome, varying rates apply based on membership status.

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Register online: www.sfbar.org/calendar