

Arbitration Training Course

- WHEN:** Thursday & Friday, September 11th & 12th, 2008
- WHERE:** State Bar of New Mexico*
5121 Masthead NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- COST:** \$400 for CDRS ADR Professionals - \$450 for all others

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12.0 General	1.0 Ethics	2.0 Professionalism

COURSE CONTENT: The history of arbitration, all of the procedures involved in the arbitration process including, but not limited to: claims and counterclaims, pleadings and opening statements, discovery, witnesses and depositions, examinations and cross examinations, motions, closing statements, post-hearing briefs, arbitration award, appeals and award enforcement, arbitration administration, pre-hearing conferences, ex parte communications, the New Mexico Arbitration Act and the Federal Arbitration Act, confidentiality and neutrality, challenges to the arbitration, arbitration disclosure and disqualification, arbitration ethics, legal and professional standards that apply to arbitrations, how to decide matters based on impartiality and on the evidence provided, mediation-arbitration-litigation will be discussed as to their proper application to the dispute resolution process, power imbalance, the role of attorneys, fairness to the parties, the Construction Dispute Resolution Services, LLC "Arbitration Rules and Procedures" will be thoroughly reviewed along with other procedural and legal issues related to the arbitration process, and much, much more....

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Course size is limited. Participants must be approved by CDRS. It will be on a "first come" basis for any open spots.
2. CDRS will host a welcome reception on Wednesday evening Sept. 10th at 7:30pm at the Courtyard by Marriott.
3. Each participant will receive "The Arbitrator's Handbook," by John Cooley and a CDRS Arbitration Training Manual.
4. The course will be conducted from 8:30am to 5:00pm each day with a working lunch provided by CDRS.
5. CDRS Dispute Resolution professionals and their guests are invited to the "CDRS Marketing Program" dinner on Thursday evening, Sept. 11th as a guest of CDRS. Others may attend at \$35 per person.
6. Each participant will receive a course completion certificate.
7. A block of hotel rooms have been reserved at the Courtyard by Marriott 5151 Journal Central Blvd NE Albuquerque, NM 87109 at a cost of \$99.99 + tax per night. The toll-free reservation number is 1-800-321-2211. Please reference "CDRS." Room rates guaranteed until Aug. 22nd.
8. The cost of a taxi from the airport to the hotel is approximately \$25 one way. CDRS has made arrangements with Sunport Shuttle for \$35 round trip. If you wish to use this service, please indicate so on the registration form. Flight information must be submitted to Construction Dispute Resolution Services, LLC by Sept. 1st.
9. Payment is due in full with registration form and is non-refundable.
10. Further details will be sent to all participants after they registered for the course.