

July
2015



Summer Chautauqua July 17th

Join us in Grinnell on July 17th for our annual Summer Chautauqua. This is a great chance to connect with your colleagues and learn about the changes in mediation across Iowa.

“MEDIATION STEWARDSHIP: Providing leadership in our field”

July 17th, 2015

GRINNELL COLLEGE, Grinnell, Iowa

Friday, July 17, 2015 8:00 – 9:00 am IAM Board Meeting

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9:00 – 10:30 am Elder Mediation Training: Intake and Screening Tools. Rebecca Vogel, Kristen Hall

10:30 -10:45 am Break

10:45 -12:30 am Elder Abuse: Developing Awareness and Action Plans. Rebecca Vogel, Kristen Hall

12:30 pm - 1:30 pm Lunch

1:30 - 3:00 pm IAM and ADR Practices in Iowa - Changing landscapes in Iowa: a general forum discussion of the Family Law Task Force. Dan Bechtol

3:00 – 3:15 pm Break

3:15 – 5:00 pm IAM small group planning and discussion to create feedback to the IASC ADR Work group. Dan Bechtol

REGISTRATION FEES*

IAM Members \$75

Non-members \$99

Students \$20

*Included in registration fee-

Lunch, snacks, and beverages on Friday

go to <http://www.iamediators.org/pg1074.cfm> to register

JOIN IAM ONLINE

We want to hear from you! One of the benefits of belonging to IAM is the opportunity to connect with other professionals across the state. In order to facilitate this connection beyond our 3 annual conferences IAM is going online! You can join us by searching [Iowa Association of Mediators](#) on

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Or follow us on Twitter [@ia_mediators](#)

NEW IAM CALENDAR

Thank you to everyone who participated in our survey! Below is the new IAM calendar with conference dates and topics based on your input. If you would like to serve on the conference committee for one of our events, or if you have another topic you would like to see, please send your suggestions to vicepresident@iamediators.org.

IAM MASTER CALENDAR

<i>Date</i>	Event
<i>July 17, 2015</i>	Summer Chautauqua
<i>September 2015</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>October 1, 2015 (tentative)</i>	Fall Board Meeting
<i>October 1-2, 2015 (tentative)</i>	Fall Conference <i>Community Mediation (church/faith based, school mediation); Civil Rights Mediation</i>
<i>December 2015</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>January 8, 2016</i>	Winter Board Meeting
<i>March 2016</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>May 5, 2016</i>	Spring Board Meeting
<i>May 5-6, 2016</i>	Spring Conference & General Membership Mtg Elections <i>Psychology of Mediation; Advanced Skills & Techniques</i>
<i>June 2016</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>July 8, 2016</i>	Summer Board Meeting
<i>July 8, 2016</i>	Summer Chautauqua <i>Ethical Challenges in Mediation</i>
<i>September 2016</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>October 6, 2016</i>	Fall Board Meeting
<i>October 6-7, 2016</i>	Fall Conference <i>Employment Mediation; The Business of Mediation</i>
<i>December 2016</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>January 6, 2017</i>	Winter Board Meeting
<i>March 2017</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>May 4, 2017</i>	Spring Board Meeting
<i>May 4-5, 2017</i>	Spring Conference & General Membership Mtg Elections <i>Family Mediation; Elder Mediation</i>
<i>June 2017</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>July 14, 2017</i>	Summer Board Meeting
<i>July 14, 2017</i>	Summer Chautauqua
<i>September 2017</i>	Quarterly Newsletter
<i>October 5, 2017</i>	Fall Board Meeting
<i>October 5-6 2017</i>	Fall Conference <i>Student Debt & Foreclosure Mediation; Tort & Civil Litigation Mediation</i>

IAM Spring Conference Recap

We had a great turn out in May for our spring conference and learned some very valuable tools for handling emotional vampires, also know as High Conflict Personalities.

Thank you to our presenter John Edwards from the High Conflict Institute. If you weren't able to attend, the Institute offers several books on the topic written by Bill Eddy.

Thank you to our conference committee for all your work putting this event together!

FUTURE NEWSLETTERS

We want to hear from you. The purpose of this newsletter is to help members stay connected and informed about mediation in Iowa. Please share

- ◆ what is happening with mediation in your area, including regional educational events.
- ◆ your articles.
- ◆ pictures from IAM events.

Send all submissions to vicepresident@iamediators.org