

*[The contents and speakers listed are subject to change]***Mediate First: Unlocking Potential****A “Mediate First” Pledge Event 2019****24 May 2019 (Friday)****Mediation Forum**

<b>Date:</b>	24 May 2019
<b>Time:</b>	09:00 to 17:25
<b>Venue:</b>	Meeting Room N101, New Wing, Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre

<b>Morning Session</b> Language: English (Simultaneous English/Cantonese interpretation available) - <i>The morning session focuses on the latest developments and trends in mediation. The programme involves international speakers and is conducted in English.</i>	
<b>08:30 – 09:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>09:00 – 09:10</b>	<b>Opening Speech</b>  <i>The Honourable Teresa Cheng, GBS, SC, JP</i>
<b>09:10 – 09:30</b>	<b>Keynote Speech</b>  <i>The Honourable Mr. Justice Lim Chong Fong</i> - High Court Judge of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia  <i>The Honourable Madam Justice Lisa Wong</i> - Judge of the Court of First Instance of the High Court, HKSAR
<b>09:30 - 10:45</b>	<b>Mediation: Getting to Win-Win in Sports Disputes</b> - <i>Mediation in sports disputes has gained popularity in recent years. This panel discussion explores the</i>

	<p><i>benefits offered by mediation in light of the unique nature of sports disputes and considers how mediators can achieve a win-win situation for those involved in such disputes.</i></p> <p><b>[Special Address: Speaker from Sports Federation and Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China][to be confirmed]</b></p> <p><b><u>Panel discussion:</u></b></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Norris Yang</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Chairman, Communications and Publicity Committee, Hong Kong Mediation Accreditation Association Limited</li> </ul> <p><b>Mr. Daniele Boccucci</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Head of Mediation Services, Court of Arbitration for Sport (“CAS”)</li> </ul> <p><b>Dr. Mingchao Fan</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Director, ICC Arbitration &amp; ADR, North Asia, International Chamber of Commerce; CAS Arbitrator</li> </ul> <p><b>Prof. Yoshihisa Hayakawa</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Professor of Law, Rikkyo University; Partner of Uryu &amp; Itoga, Tokyo; Member of the World Rugby Anti-Doping Judicial Panel; Chair of Japan Anti-Doping Disciplinary Panel</li> </ul> <p><b>Mr. Anthony Rogers, GBS, QC, JP</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Former Vice President of Court of Appeal, HKSAR; CAS Arbitrator; Company Secretary of the Hong Kong China Rowing Association; Chairman of the Hong Kong Anti-Doping Disciplinary Panel</li> </ul>
<b>10:45 – 11:00</b>	Break
<b>11:00 – 12:05</b>	<p><b>Can Mediators be Deal Makers?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Mediation is often perceived as a means of dispute resolution only. However, mediators are in fact capable of achieving beyond dispute resolution – they can help parties negotiate more effectively and strike better deals in the process. This panel discussion explores the development of deal mediation and the</i></li> </ul>

	<p><i>role of mediators as deal makers.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Ronald Sum</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Chairman, Arbitration and ADR Sub-committee, International Chamber of Commerce - Hong Kong</li></ul> <p><b>Mr. Mark Appel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Honorary Director, International Mediation Institute</li></ul> <p><b>Prof. Joan Stearns Johnsen</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Senior Legal Skills Professor, Levin College of Law, University of Florida</li></ul> <p><b>Mr. Danny McFadden</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- CEDR Director and Managing Director of CEDR Asia Pacific</li></ul> <p><b>Ms. Donna Ross</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Trainer, Australian Disputes Centre</li></ul>
<b>12:05 – 12:15</b>	<b>Q &amp; A Session</b>
<b>12:15 – 12:40</b>	<p><b>Latest developments of investment mediation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <i>This session intends to give participants an update on the latest investment mediation arrangements under CEPA and the related developments.</i></li></ul> <p><b>Mr. Eric Ng</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Barrister, Gilt Chambers</li></ul> <p><b>Ms. Ada Chen</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Senior Assistant Law Officer (Civil Law)(Mediation), Department of Justice, HKSAR</li></ul>
<b>12:40 – 14:00</b>	<p>Lunch break <b>(Luncheon – by invitation only)</b> <i>[Speech(es) by Guest(s) of Honour – to be confirmed]</i></p>
<p><b>Afternoon Session</b> Language: Cantonese (Simultaneous English/Cantonese interpretation available)</p>	

<p>- <i>The afternoon session, which is more user-oriented, aims at facilitating a better understanding of the mediation process and promoting the use of mediation in certain local industries. The programme, which involves sharing by local professionals, is conducted in Cantonese.</i></p>	
<b>13: 45 – 14: 00</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>14:00 – 14:45</b>	<b>Short Drama</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <i>A dispute has arisen between the owner of a local tea house (cha chaan teng) and a “key opinion leader” (KOL) / model. The drama will bring out the mediation process and clarify some misconceptions about mediation.</i></li></ul> <p><i>*Mediation process demonstrated by Prof. TK Iu, MH</i></p>
<b>14:45 – 15:15</b>	<b>Mediation for the Community</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <i>This session explores the use of mediation in the community from the perspectives of the Consumer Council, Ombudsman and Joint Mediation Helpline Office (which operates the West Kowloon Mediation Centre).</i></li></ul> <p><i>Moderator: Mr. Vod Chan</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Immediate Past Chairperson, Hong Kong Mediation Council</li></ul> <p><i>Ms. Belinda Kwan</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Assistant Ombudsman, Office of the Ombudsman</li></ul> <p><i>Mr. Antony Man</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Chairman, Joint Mediation Helpline Office</li></ul> <p><i>Ms. Gilly Wong</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Chief Executive, Consumer Council</li></ul>
<b>15:15 – 15:25</b>	<b>Q &amp; A Session</b>
<b>15:25 – 15: 55</b>	<b>Industry Sharing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- <i>A variety of mediation schemes are currently in use in Hong Kong to facilitate the adoption of mediation to resolve disputes. Representatives from various industries will talk about their experience gained from</i></li></ul>

	<p><i>operating their respective mediation schemes.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Prof. Raymond Leung</b> - CEO, C&amp;L Holdings Ltd</p> <p><b>Mr. Mac Chan</b> - Chairperson of the Mediation Practice Committee, Hong Kong Mediation Alliance</p> <p><b>Mr. Frederick Kan</b> - Director and Chairman of Appointment Committee, Financial Dispute Resolution Centre</p> <p><b>Mr. Vincent Kwok</b> - Chairman of the Customer Complaint Settlement Scheme Governing Committee, Communications Association of Hong Kong</p> <p><b>Dr. Joyce Tsang</b> - Chairlady, Hong Kong Beauty Industry Union</p>
<b>15:55 – 16: 05</b>	<b>Q &amp; A Session</b>
<b>16:05 – 16: 20</b>	Break
<b>16:20 – 16:50</b>	<p><b>Creative Solution for the Creative Industry</b></p> <p>- <i>This session explores the use of mediation to resolve disputes involving artists, film producers, and other parties involved in film production and the music industry. Representatives from the entertainment, media and communications sector will be invited to share their views.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Ms. Elaine Liu, JP</b> - Immediate Past Chairman, Committee on Mediation, Hong Kong Bar Association</p> <p><b>Mr. Edmond Cheung</b> - Secretary, Fund Vetting Committee, Hong Kong Film Development Council</p> <p><b>Ms. Tracy Chu</b> - Artist; law student</p>

	<p><i>Ms. Yvonne Chuang</i> - Founder &amp; CEO, Plus One Motion Pictures Ltd</p> <p><i>Ms. Winnie Tam, SC, JP</i> - Chairman, Committee on Intellectual Property, Hong Kong Bar Association</p>
<b>16: 50 – 17:00</b>	<b>Q &amp; A Session</b>
<b>17:00 – 17: 15</b>	<p><b>A Special Sharing</b></p> <p><i>[Ms. Helen Kung</i> - Senior Government Counsel (Mediation), Department of Justice, HKSAR]<i>[to be confirmed]</i></p> <p><i>Ms. Scarlett Chan</i> - Social worker; student of mediator training course</p> <p><i>Mr. Victor Yuen</i> - Barrister; student of mediator training course</p> <p><i>[Additional participants from the winning team of the Hong Kong Secondary School Peer Mediation Competition 2019 to be confirmed]</i></p>
<b>17:15 – 17:25</b>	<p><b>Closing Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Dr. James Ding</i> - Commissioner, Inclusive Dispute Avoidance and Resolution Office, Department of Justice, HKSAR</p>

**“Mediate First” Pledge Reception 2019**

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<b>17:30 – 18:00</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>18:00 – 18:10</b>	<b>Welcoming Remarks</b> The Honourable Teresa Cheng, GBS, SC, JP
<b>18:10 – 18: 20</b>	<b>Keynote Speech by the Officiating Guest</b> The Honourable Mr. Justice Johnson Lam, V-P
<b>18:20 – 18:35</b>	<b>Official launch of social media platforms</b> The Honourable Teresa Cheng, GBS, SC, JP; The Honourable Mr. Justice Johnson Lam, V-P; and other guest(s) to host the ceremony
<b>18: 35 – 18: 55</b>	<b>Star Logo Award Presentation Ceremony and Photo Taking</b> The Honourable Teresa Cheng, GBS, SC, JP and the Honourable Mr Justice Johnson Lam, V-P to award the Star Logos
<b>18:55 – 19: 15</b>	<b>Ceremonial Signing of “Mediate First” Pledge and Photo Taking</b> The Honourable Teresa Cheng, GBS, SC, JP and the Honourable Mr Justice Johnson Lam, V-P to host the ceremony
<b>19: 15 – 19: 25</b>	<b>Toast and Photo Taking</b> The Honourable Teresa Cheng, GBS, SC, JP and the Honourable Mr Justice Johnson Lam, V-P to host the toast

	<i>Together with</i> Representatives of Supporting Organizations
<b>19: 25 – 20:00</b>	<b>Networking and Photo Taking</b>

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