

## Introduction to mediation

At Osaka University, Japan

January 2023 from Friday, 20st till Sunday, 22nd

Date & Time: 20/01/2023 – 22/01/2023 (3 days)

 $9.00 \text{ am} - 6 \text{ pm} (20^{\text{st}} \text{ and } 21^{\text{st}})$ 

9.00 am -3 pm (22<sup>nd</sup>)

\* Lunch will be provided each day.

Place: Osaka University, Toyonaka Campus

https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/access/top

Fee: 34.000 Yen for all three days

\* The fee must be paid before December 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Registration: Osaka University MIFA Project

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## **Content**

Mediation is a modern, flexible, and effective process for solving disputes and making joint decisions in important matters. Through mediation, family members, colleagues, business partners – basically everybody who has an interest in respectful cooperative relationships - can potentially have meaningful discussions, gain a better understanding of each other's perspectives, and regain mutual trust. The goal of each mediation should be to find enduring solutions that are in the best interest of everybody involved.

This seminar will introduce the basic principles, methods, and techniques of mediation. Through discussions and interactive exercises students will also acquire practical communication skills that can be applied to any social encounter.

## Instructor

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