

**ADR Court-Certified Neutrals Seminar
October 20, 2022**

U.S. District Court, Jury Assembly Room, St. Louis, MO
Approved for 4.7 MCLE / 1.7 Ethics / 1.7 Elimination of Bias

- 1:00** ***Welcome***
United States District Judge Ronnie L. White, Chair, ADR Advisory Committee
- 1:05** ***Rules Update***
Gregory J. Linhares, Clerk of Court
- 1:15** ***Recognition of Bias in the Mediation Process***
C.J. Larkin, USA&M
Moderated by: Robert D. Litz, USA&M
- 2:40** ***Break***
- 2:50** ***How Personality Impacts the Mediation Process***
Heidi K. Brown, Professor, Brooklyn Law School
- 3:50** ***Break and Session Regroup***
- 4:00** ***Junto Session (select one)***
Fundamentals of Civil Rights Cases
Frank Neuner, ADR Committee Member, Neuner Mediation & Dispute Resolution
Peter Dunne, Pitzer Snodgrass, P.C.
Melvin Kennedy, USA&M
- Personality Impacts Follow-up Session
Heidi K. Brown, Professor, Brooklyn Law School
Karen Tokarz, ADR Committee Member; Professor, Washington University School of Law
- Working with Difficult Attorneys
Retired Magistrate Judge Stephen C. Williams; Kuehn, Beasley & Young, P.C.;
Lexitas ADR
Retired Magistrate Judge Donald G. Wilkerson, JAMS
- What's Good Faith Got to Do with It?
W. Dudley McCarter, Behr, McCarter, Potter, Neely & Hyde, PC
Lisa VanAmburg, Professor, Saint University School of Law
- Fundamentals of Mediating an Employment Case
James W. Reeves, ADR Committee Member; USA&M; Lecturer in Law, Washington University in St. Louis
Jessica Liss, ADR Committee Members, Jackson Lewis, PC
- 4:30** ***Return to Jury Assembly Room - All Groups***

4:40 *Approach the Bench – Judicial Input on Impacts of Mediation and Early Dispute Resolution*

District Judge Ronnie L. White

District Judge Stephen R. Clark

Magistrate Judge David D. Noce

Magistrate Judge Stephen R. Welby

Moderated by: Gregory J. Linhares, Clerk of Court

5:30 *Closing Remarks and Evaluations*

