

The **COMMERCIAL SECTION** and **INTERNATIONAL SECTION**
of the **Association for Conflict Resolution**
jointly present a complimentary Educational Teleseminar

Featured Speaker:

Nina Meierding, MS, JD

**Communicating Across Cultures:
Cross-Cultural Considerations in Mediation and Negotiation**

*December 1, 2009
12 Noon to 1:00 PM (Eastern)*

Bridgeline: 1-712-432-7302 pin 36419 #

Bridgeline Information:

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Moderator

Kurt Dettman, Constructive Dispute Resolutions

Speaker and Topic

Nina Meierding is a national leader in the field of conflict resolution and has trained thousands of individuals in businesses, courts, school districts, governmental agencies, medical centers, corporations and universities throughout the United States and abroad.

Nina will speak about communicating across cultures. Topics will include:

- Differences across cultures in negotiation styles
- When is a deal a deal – how “finality” differs across cultures

With more and more organizations operating globally -- US companies doing business abroad and international businesses having US operations -- an understanding of cross-cultural communication is becoming increasingly important.

This program is for:

- international mediators and negotiators
- commercial mediators and negotiators working in multi-cultural environments
- mediators and negotiators who want to have an understanding of cross-cultural considerations

The teleseminar will be in English. There will be an opportunity during the teleseminar for questions and answers.

Nina is a member of ACR, served on ACR's Board of Directors, and is a frequent presenter at ACR's annual conferences. She is an adjunct professor at Pepperdine University, Southern Methodist University and Lipscomb University.

*This teleseminar is a collaborative project of the Commercial Section and International Section,
and is being presented in connection with Conflict Resolution Day.*

Space is limited to 60 callers.