

**THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION
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Effective Advocacy in Mediation – Succeeding for your Client and your Practice

1.5 CLE Credit Hours for each part – Total 3.0 CLE Credit Hours

Part 1: Thursday, October 20, 2022, 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m., the St. Louis County Circuit Court (Jury Assembly Room), 105 S. Central Avenue, Clayton, MO 63105.

Part 2: Thursday, November 17, 2022, 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m., the St. Louis County Circuit Court (Jury Assembly Room), 105 S. Central Avenue, Clayton, MO 63105.

Part 1, October 20, 2022

-What is mediation and how is it different from court settlement conferences and other alternate dispute resolution processes?

-What can you and your client expect at mediation?

-What are the rules for the mediation process and why are they important?

Presenters: Simone A. Haberstock, Law Offices of Simone A. Haberstock, LLC, and Alan E. Freed, Paule, Camazine & Blumenthal, P.C.

Followed by a Happy Hour at Café Napoli.

Part 2, November 17, 2022

-Differences in preparing your case for mediation and settlement and preparing for trial

-Effective mediation briefs

-Preparing your client for the mediation process

-Supporting your client in mediation outside the process vs. attorney participation in the mediation process

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Cost for each session: \$25.00 for members, Judges and Benefactors: Complimentary; \$35.00 for non-members

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About the Speakers:

Simone Haberstock

Simone Haberstock, is a CPA, mediator, attorney and parenting coordinator in St. Louis, Missouri. She completed her law degree at St. Louis University in 1991 and her Masters of Law in Dispute Resolution at University of Missouri in 2013. She teaches mediation as an Adjunct Professor at Saint Louis University School of Law and has provided civil, community, and family law mediation training for professionals for almost ten years. Simone has contributed to the development and design of court-connected dispute resolution programs and frequently speaks on mediation, negotiation, financial decision-making, parenting coordination, procedural justice, and client-centered practice. She is a past-president of the Missouri Chapter of AFCC and continues to serve on the chapter's board; the current president of Missouri Association of Family Law Advocates, and she has served on the Missouri Bar Family Law Conference Planning Committee and the BAMSL Board of Governors.

Alan Freed

In nearly 40 years of practice, Alan Freed has established himself as one of Missouri's pre-eminent practitioners of mediation and collaborative divorce, and as a leading appellate attorney.

Mr. Freed has been listed in Best Lawyers for Alternative Dispute Resolution, Collaborative Law: Family Law, and Family Law Mediation since 2007. He has been selected six times by Best Lawyers as the St. Louis Lawyer of the Year in his areas of concentration. In 2016, Mr. Freed received the Roger P. Krumm Family Law Award from the Missouri Bar. He is included on the list of top 100 Missouri & Kansas Super Lawyers.

Mr. Freed is co-author (with Alisse Camazine) of the book *Divorce in Missouri* and is one of a handful of leading collaborative practitioners asked to contribute to *Understanding Collaborative Family Law*, published in 2011 and is also the co-author (with Daniel P. Card, II) of *Appellate Practice*, Volume 24 in the West Publishing Missouri Practice series. Since the late 1980s he has been the author of the chapter on alternative dispute resolution in the *MoBar Family Law Desk Book*.

Mr. Freed has practiced with the Clayton firm Paule, Camazine & Blumenthal, P.C., since that firm's founding in 1994.