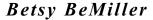
# Betsy BeMiller, LLC / Workplace Resolutions, LLC

Conflict/Dispute Resolution Services & Systems at Work



consultant / facilitator / trainer / coach / mediator



Empowering into productivity: managers leading, supervisors enhancing performance, and employees working together

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Leadership, Management & Supervision Personnel Interventions Ombuds Services Communication
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CLIENTS

My background includes more than two decades of work with hundreds of organizations. I have marketed, trained, facilitated, mediated and consulted in quality improvement, leadership, communication, conflict resolution and organizational development and processes.

Governmental Agencies: federal, state, regional, city, county, special districts

Educational Institutions: K-12, Community Colleges, Universities

Non-profit Agencies; Community groups

Small Businesses

Fortune 500 Corporations Insurance Companies

Judicial Courts; Attorneys-at-Law Unions & Employer/Employee Associations

Utilities Hospitals & Health Care

Manufacturers, Mills

Printing & Publication

Distributors, Wholesalers, Retailers

Food Processors, Agriculture

For the State of Washington in particular, I am a competitively selected contractor for:

Trainings: Crucial Conversations® Crucial Accountability®

*Influencer*®

Sexual Harassment: Awareness & Prevention

Workplace Discrimination & Harassment: Awareness & Prevention

Diversity, Inclusion & Cultural Awareness

Interpersonal Conflict Communication & Resolution
Violence in the Workplace Ethics in Public Service

Consultings: Leadership / Coaching Team Building

Performance Measures
Organizational Development
Change Management
Core Values Development

Personnel Management
Change Management
Strategic Planning
Communications

Resolving Conflict Conflict Resolution Skill Building

Facilitation Retreats

**SYSTEMS DESIGNER:** 

COLLABORATIVE CULTURE,

ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT,

CHANGE MANAGEMENT

PROCESS IMPROVEMENT

I assist organizations in developing and maintaining a workplace that is positive, safe, respectful, collaborative and productive. I assist in Systems Thinking, Visioning, Process Improvement and Change Management. I assist in developing policy, procedure and practices that promote organizational goals and values.

Creating Collaborative Cultures
Re-structuring, Re-engineering
Establishing/Reformulating/Updating:

Creating safe, respectful, productive workplaces
Organizational Assessment & Development
Mission/goals/objectives/values

Strategic Planning Systems Thinking

Visioning & Future Focus Change Management & Transitioning Process Improvement Quality Processes

Core/Key Values Development & Implementation

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# PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT PERSONNEL PRACTICES

I assist leaders, managers and supervisors improve performance through individual performance plans, overseeing, coaching, etc. I assist with performance appraisal/measurement/feedback. I build skills in delivering and receiving performance feedback, and in confronting performance deficiencies and inappropriate behaviors.

Individual Development Plans Aligning individual with organizational goals Performance Appraisal/Measurement/Feedback Delivering/Receiving FeedbackMotivational Interviewing Conflict Coaching Recognition & Reinforcement Disability in the workplace (ADA/ADAA)

Ensuring employee success: Overseeing, Coaching, Training, Facilitating

Competency Identification

Personnel Intervention

Personnel Policy, Procedure & Practice

Job Description & Analysis

Confronting Inappropriate Behavior

Human Resource Management

LEADERSHIP,
MANAGERIAL &
SUPERVISORY
DEVELOPMENT

I assist executives, managers, supervisors and leads set visions, clarify values and establish goals. By refining DIRECTIVE and SUPPORTIVE behaviors, I assist leaders build the skills to develop their teams and staffs into self-reliant achievers. I assist leaders integrate Behavioral and Performance Expectations and to build alignment with personal, team, department and organizational goals. I have been a Resource Trainer for the premiere organization in Leadership Training, The Ken Blanchard Companies, Escondido CA.

Executive Leadership Strategic Leadership Decisioning/Decision-making Leadership Development Mentoring Coaching (one-on-one, group) Motivational Interviewing **Conflict Coaching Ethics** Integrity Situational Self Leadership® Situational Leadership<sup>®</sup>II Raving Fans® (customer/client satisfaction) Gung Ho!® (employee commitment) DISCovering Self and Others® (understanding work styles) **High Performing Teams** 

NON-DISCRIMINATION & NON-HARASSMENT IN EMPLOYMENT & IN THE WORKPLACE

Resolving EEOC Referrals of Grievances & Complaints
Resolving cases in Discrimination (Title VII, Title IX)
Facilitating issues around diversity, equity & inclusion
Mediating parties in formal harassment/discrimination filings
Assisting organizations formulate policy, procedure and practice
Handling personnel complaints; consulting on investigative procedures
Facilitating resolution of informal harassment/discrimination complaints
Training staff on workplace law, behavior, communication, perceptions
Coaching individuals for alignment with organizational expectations

Fierce Conversations (Susan Scott)

#### FACILITATOR:

COLLABORATION
PRODUCTIVITY,
EFFECTIVE
COMMUNICATION &
UNDERSTANDING

I have had great success in increasing workplace, organizational, group and community effectiveness through assisting groups and individuals develop more productive, cohesive and professional relationships. My training and mediating background bring a strong presence to facilitation. I design creative processes that maximize participation with effective utilization of time.

Productivity: energizing and empowering employees

Teams: Charter, Development, Communication, Functioning, Leadership, Conflict
Facilitating Groups

Enhancing communication skills

Appreciating, valuing diversity

Non-Harassment & Non-Discrimination

Internal-and-External Customer Service
Organizational Change Management & Processes

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

### MEDIATOR,

NEGOTIATOR: CONFLICT MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS LABOR

RELATIONS

I assist organizations in designing conflict management systems that support the early resolution of problems within organizations as well as problems with clients, customers and partners.

My strong sense of neutrality and my command of processes empower disputants to create workable, acceptable solutions in my mediations and negotiations. I strive to ensure parties' satisfaction with the process as well as the outcome. I effectively clarify issues and needs, identify common ground, and lead parties to increased understanding of each other's issues. My patience, perseverance and optimism have contributed to my high-resolution rate in a wide variety of cases.

Risk Management Workplace Liability Mediation Services within organizations Cost Savings from Early Resolution Alternative Conflict/Dispute Resolution (ADR) non-Harassment & non-Discrimination Collective Bargaining Interest-based Negotiation Labor Relations Employment Law & Case Law **EEOC Referrals** Discrimination (Title VII, Title IX) Resolving Grievances & Complaints Investigations Employment Disputes & Dispute Prevention Dealing with Difficult People Facilitating Dialogue Group Dialogue Crucial Conversations® **Conducting Difficult Conversations** 

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Difficult Conversations (Harvard Negotiation Project)

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## TRAINER, EDUCATOR

Key objectives in the trainings and courses I deliver are to effect long-term learning and to provide a positive learning experience for the participants. My delivery is highly facilitative and holistic, creating an interactive, dynamic, positively charged learning environment. In trainings and courses, I build skills through the delivery of curriculum, case studies, explorations of individual and group interests, assessments of current beliefs, demonstrations and coaching. I am a certified for VitalSmarts'<sup>TM</sup> Crucial Conversations®, Crucial Accountability®, and Influencer®.

I have designed, developed and now deliver these training as live, virtual, online trainings (upon the robust **Adobe Connect** platform).

Discrimination, (Sexual) Harassment for both staff and leaders

Diversity, Inclusion & Equity

Facilitation & Mediation Skills: Basic, Advanced, Workplace Applications

Leadership, Management, Supervision Development

Emotional Intelligence Ethics & Integrity

Developing Commitment

\*\*Influencer®\* Performance Coaching & Development Giving Feedback; Receiving Feedback

Crucial Conversations® Crucial Accountability®

Fierce Conversations<sup>©</sup>

Difficult Conversations<sup>©</sup>

Coaching, Mentoring & Shadowing Establishing Expectations

Performance Management Performance Development Process

Conflict Resolution Skills for Staff & Leaders

Conflict Management

Assertive and Effective Communication Diversity, Inclusion & Cultural Awareness

Disabilities & the ADA/ADAA

TRAINING,
BACKGROUND,
CONTINUING
EDUCATION

Crucial Influence: Leadership Skills to Create Lasting Behavior Change

(2023, Webinar, Crucial Learning)

Employment Law 2023: Legal Developments, Cutting-Edge Issues, and Workplace Trends

(2023, Webinar, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission)

Meet the New Crucial Conversations (2021, Webinar, VitalSmarts)

Goodbye Flash, Hello HTML (2021, Webinar, Adobe Connect)

A Path to Peace in 2021: Six Skills to Restore Civility (2020, Webinar, VitalSmarts)

Racism Pandemic Facing our Nation (2020, Town Hall/Webinar, American Psychological Association)

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BACKGROUND,

**CONTINUING** Bystander Intervention Training (2020, Hollaback!, www.ihollaback.org/)

**EDUCATION** 

Breaking Down Blended Learning: Tips for Training in a Virtual World (2020, VitalSmarts™, Salt Lake City UT)

Shifting to Blended Online Learning (2020, Live Webcast, LinkedIn Learning)

Certification as Live, Virtual Trainer (2020, VitalSmarts™, Salt Lake City UT)

Beyond Inclusion, Beyond Empowerment: A Training for Mediators/Facilitators (2019, City of Seattle Alternative Dispute Resolution Program, Seattle WA)

Influencer® (Train-the-Trainer Reinforcement, 2018, WA State Department of Enterprise Services, Olympia WA)

A Conversation with WA State Attorney General (2018, Greater Federal Way Chamber of Commerce, Federal Way WA)

*Influencer*® (Training and Train-the-Trainer, 2017, VitalSmarts™, Salt Lake City UT)

Crucial Accountability® (Training and Train-the-Trainer, 2016, VitalSmarts™, Portland OR)

Diversity Training Forum (2015, WA State Department of Enterprise Services, Olympia WA)

Anti Racism for Mediators (2015, Alternative Dispute Resolution Program (ADR), City of Seattle WA)

Race: The Power of an Illusion (2015, Alternative Dispute Resolution Program (ADR), City of Seattle WA)

The Art of Collaborative Negotiation (2015 Negotiation Nuts & Bolts Conference, King County Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution)

The Essentials of Human Resources and the Law (2014, Fred Pryor Seminars: Career Track, Tacoma WA)

Restorative Justice (Victim-Offender) Mediation In-service (2014, InterLocal Conflict Resolution Group, King County WA)

Transforming Difficult Conversations (2014, Dispute Resolution Center of King County, Seattle WA)

ADR Consortium(2014, 13th Annual Training Conference, Seattle Federal Executive Board, Seattle WA)

Negotiation Nuts & Bolts (2014, 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, King County Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution)

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<b>EDUCATION</b>

Best Practices in Conflict Resolution (2014 InterLocal Conflict Resolution Group, King County WA)

Advanced Mediation Training: *When Stories Clash: Practicing Narrative Mediation* (2013 Antioch University Continuing Education)

CUPA-HR Conference (2012 Annual; Invited Plenary Presenter and Participant; College & University Professional Association for Human Resources, Washington State Chapter; Seattle WA)

Washington Association of Cities Conference (2012 Annual; Invited Presenter and Participant; Vancouver WA)

ADR Conference (2007 Annual Northwest; Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

Dispute Resolution Conference (2012 Annual Northwest; Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

Crucial Conversations®: Advanced Trainer Conference (2011, VitalSmarts™, Park City UT)

*Influencer*<sup>®</sup>: *Trainer Seminar* (2011, VitalSmarts<sup>™</sup>, Park City UT)

Breaking Impasse: Straightforward Strategies for Mediators and Advocates (2010, Dispute Resolution Center of King County, Seattle WA)

ADR Consortium (2010, 9th Annual Training Conference, Seattle Federal Executive Board, Seattle WA)

Differences between Washington and Federal Law (2007 Employment Law & Legislative Conference, Seattle WA)

Transformational Conflict Coaching (2010, Antioch University, Seattle WA)

Interest Identification (2009, InterLocal Conflict Resolution Group, King County WA)

Gold Medal Leadership (2008 Leadership Excellence Conference, Tacoma WA)

Mirrors of Privilege: Making Whiteness Visible & the SEED Project: Seeking Educational Equity & Diversity (2008, The Bush School: The Diversity Series, Seattle WA)

You're Fired: The Apprentice Meets Retaliation (2007 Employment Law & Legislative Conference, Bellevue WA)

The Crossroads of Conflict: A Journey into the Heart of Dispute Resolution (2007, Antioch University, Seattle WA)

National Association of Presidential Assistants in Higher Education (2006, 19th Annual Meeting; invited plenary presenter/participant, Los Angeles CA)

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CONTINUING EDUCATION	ADR Conference (2006 Annual Northwest; presenter/participant, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)  ADR Consortium (2006, 5th Annual Training Conference; invited presenter/participant, Seattle  Federal Executive Board, Seattle WA)
	Mastering Emotional Intelligence: Gain the Edge in Work and Life (2005, Harvard Business School Club of Puget Sound, Seattle WA)
	ADR Conference (2005, Annual Northwest; presenter/participant, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)
	ADR Conference (2004 Annual Northwest; presenter/participant, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)
	Crucial Conversations® Training (2003, VitalSmarts™, Chicago, IL)
	Crucial Conversations® Train-the-Trainer (2003, VitalSmarts™, Chicago, IL)
	Performance Coaching Seminar: Achieving Accountability AND Maintaining Relationships (2003, VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> , Chicago, IL)
	ADR Conference (2003, Annual Northwest; presenter/participant, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)
	Workplace Conflict Resolution Training (2003, Dispute Resolution Center of King County, Seattle

Mediation HeartWork Retreat (2002, North American Institute for Conflict Resolution, Banff, AL)

Settlement Conference Mediation Training (2003, presenter/participant, Pierce County Center for

Mediation-Arbitration Training (2002, Inter-Local Conflict Resolution Group, Seattle WA)

American Bar Association 2002 ADR Conference (presenter/participant, Seattle WA)

Partnering Symposium (2001, 6th Annual International, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

Gung Ho!® Trainer Training (2001, The Ken Blanchard Companies (international))

Managing Human Resources Training (2001, Northern California Courts)

Dispute Resolution WA)

DISCovering Self & Others® Trainer Training (2001, The Ken Blanchard Companies)

ADR Conference (2001, Annual Northwest; presenter/participant, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

Geriatric Care Managers Conference (2001, Western Region; presenter, Seattle WA)

Resource Training 2000, The Ken Blanchard Companies, Seattle WA)

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ADR Conference (2000, Annual Northwest; presenter/participant, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

International Association of Public Participation (1999, 9th Annual Conference, Banff CAN)

Partnering Symposium (1999, 4th Annual International, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

Labor Relations Institute (1999, Local Government Personnel Institute, Yakima WA)

ADR Conference (1999, Annual Northwest, Univ. of Washington, Seattle WA)

Organizational Conflict Management Conference (1999, SPIDR, Miami, FL)

Victim-Offender Mediator Training (1998, Mediation Center of the North Valley, Chico CA)

Situational Leadership®II Trainer Training (1998, Blanchard Training/Development, Escondido CA)

Situational Self Leadership® Trainer Training (1998, Blanchard Training/Development, Escondido)

Raving Fans® Trainer Training (1997, Blanchard Training/Development, Escondido CA)

Chamber of Commerce (1997-98; Board, Task Force, Trainer, Conducted Annual Planning Conf.)

Advanced Mediator Skills Training (1996, Institute of Conflict Management, Portland, OR)

Personal Injury Mediation Training (1996, Mediation Center of the North Valley, Chico CA)

Family Law for Mediators Seminar (1996, San Francisco CA)

Advanced Training in Commercial Mediation (1995, Mediation Center of the North Valley)

Advanced Mediation and Trainers Training (1994, Mediation Center of the North Valley)

Certification in Collaborative Negotiation & Mediation (1994, C R/N Institute, Tacoma)

Collaborative Negotiation/Mediation (1993, Conflict Resolution/Negotiation Institute, Tacoma)

Mediation Training (1992, Mediation Center of the North Valley)

Conflict Resolution Training (1992, Sacramento Mediation Center)

Business Negotiation Seminar (1991, Scott Paper Company)

International Negotiation Seminar (1987, International Negotiating Institute)

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Virtual/	Advanced Quality Circle Facilitator Training (1986, Quality Circle Institute)		
BLENDED /	Statistical Process Control Training (1985, Quality Circle Institute)		
TRAININGS FOR THE	Quality Improvement Training (1984, Quality Circle Institute) Crucial Conversations <sup>®</sup> : How Talk When Stakes are High, VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> , Provo UT		
WORKPLACE  DELIVERED  LIVE, ONLINE	Crucial Accountability <sup>®</sup> : Tools for Resolving Violated Expectations, Broken  Commitments, and Bad Behavior, VitalSmarts™, Provo UT  Both a 2-day full course,  and a 1-day successor for Crucial Conversations® graduates		
	Influencer <sup>®</sup> , VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> , Provo UT		
	Diverity, Equity & Inclusion Sexual Harassment in the Workplace: Awareness & Prevention		
	Managing Leaders' Responsibilities: Prevention of Workplace Discrimination & Harassment		
	Violence in the Workplace: Awareness & Prevention		

STANDARD TRAINING DELIVERIES TAILORED TO CLIENTS	Crucial Conversations <sup>®</sup> : How to Talk When Stakes are High, VitalSmarts <sup>™</sup> , Provo UT  Crucial Accountability <sup>®</sup> : Tools for Resolving Violated Expectations, Broken  Commitments, and Bad Behavior, VitalSmarts <sup>™</sup> , Provo UT  Both a 2-day full course,  and a 1-day successor for Crucial Conversations <sup>®</sup> graduates
	Influencer®, VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> , Provo UT
	Sexual Harassment in the Workplace: Awareness & Prevention
	Managing Leaders' Responsibilities: Prevention of Workplace Discrimination & Harassment
	Violence in the Workplace: Awareness & Prevention
	Situational Leadership®II, The Ken Blanchard Companies, Escondido CA
	Interpersonal Conflict Management
	Resolving Interpersonal and Organizational Conflict
	Interpersonal Communication Skills
	Understanding Discrimination, Harassment, Violence & Intimidation in the Workplace
	Mediation: Basic, Advanced, Workplace Applications
	Facilitation Skills: Beginning & Advanced
	Negotiation Skills
	Ethics in Public Service & Use of Public Resources

WORKSHOPS &	Advancing Core Competencies in Quality Improvement, 2019, UW Harborview Medical	
Extended	Center, Seattle WA	
TRAININGS	Conflict Management for Human Resource Professionals, 2017, Dispute Resolution	
DEVELOPED &	Center of King County, Seattle WA	
DELIVERED	Leadership Skills for Holding Challenging Conversations, 2017 Professional Development &	
	Enrichment Conference, University of Puget Sound, Tacoma WA	
	Overview of Crucial Conversations®, 2017 Professional Development & Enrichment	
	Conference, University of Puget Sound, Tacoma WA	
	Group Effectiveness, 2017, King Conservation District, Renton WA	
	Developing Our Team, 2017, Association of Washington Cities, Olympia WA	
	Furthering Trust in Ourselves & Others, Workshop on Trust in the Workplace, 2016	
	Association of Washington Cities, Olympia WA	
	Investigation Recovery: Workshop for Administrative Professionals, 2016, WA State	
	Department of Ecology, Lacey Holding a Successful Crucial Conversation® -	
	with Your Boss!, 2016 Office Professional Workshop, WA State Department of	
	Ecology, Lacey WA	
	Crucial Conversations® Reinforcement & Coaching, 2016 Office Professional Workshop,	
	WA State Department of Ecology, Lacey WA	
	Building Collaborative Environments, Working Relationships & Open Communications	
	2016 Leadership Summit, County of Cowlitz WA	
	Supervising Tams Away from the Office (on Work-Related Activity), 2016, WA State of	
	Financial Institutions, Olympia WA	
	Developing Organizational Culture, 2015, Association of Washington Cities, Olympia WA	
	Delivering & Receiving Constructive Feedback (applying Douglas Stone & Sheila Heen's	
	(2014) Thanks for the Feedback: The Science and Art of Receiving	
	Feedback Well, New York: Viking), 2014, WA State Joint Legislative Audit	
	and Review Committee, Olympia WA	
	Using Caucus: Mediation In-service, 2014 – current, Dispute Resolution Center of King	
	County, Seattle WA	

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Helping Others Explore Their Reality (applying Susan Scott's (2004) Fierce

Conversations: Achieving Success at Work & in Life, One Conversation at a Time, New York: Berkley Books), 2014, Seattle Federal Executive Board,

Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Training Day, Seattle WA

Conflict Behavior Coaching, 2013, Seattle Federal Executive Board, Alternative Dispute Resolution Program Training Day, Seattle WA

Motivational Interviewing, 2013, Joint Legislative Audit Review Committee, Olympia WA

Living Our Core Values, 2012, Association of Washington Cities, Olympia WA Enhancing Communication Under Stress, Workshop on Trust in the Workplace, 2011, Association of Washington Cities, Olympia WA

Creating Respect, Support & Safety in Our Workplace: Skills & Strategies for Communicating & Collaborating, 2010, Evers Veterinary Clinic, Chico CA

Collaboratively Developing a Process for Making Changes in Work-flow Procedures, 2009, Supervisors Development Retreat, District Courts, County of Pierce WA

Fairness, Objectivity, Support & Professionalism through Performance Accountability, 2009, State Liquor Control Board Finance Department, Olympia WA

Supervisor's Journal to Successful Leadership: Workshop on Implementing or Refining the Use of a Supervisor's Journal, 2008 Leadership Excellence Conference, Tacoma WA

Diagnosing Performance-based Behavior: How leadership-focus can increase the number of high performers who are aligned with organizational values and behavioral standards, 2008, Leadership Excellence Conference, Tacoma WA

Crucial Conversations<sup>®</sup>: How to Talk When Stakes are High—A Refresher, 2008, Tacoma Power's Energy Services, Tacoma WA

Building a Strong Future through Strengthening Trust, 2008, Management Development Retreat, District Court, County of Pierce WA

Team Development, 2008, Arts & Community Development, Department of Community Services, County of Pierce WA

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WORKSHOPS &
EXTENDED
<b>TRAININGS</b>
<b>DEVELOPED</b> &
<b>D</b> ELIVERED

Introduction to Crucial Conversations<sup>®</sup>: Tools for Talking When the Stakes Are High,

National Association of Presidential Assistants in Higher Education Annual

(2006) Meeting

Workplace Group Conflict Intervention, Seattle Federal Executive Board ADR Consortium Annual (2006) Training Conference

Navigating through Highly Charged Conversations: Overview of Crucial Conversations®—How to Talk When Stakes are High, Shared Neutrals Annual (2004) Fall Training

Group Conflict Intervention, Shared Neutrals Annual (2004) Fall Training - 2-day workshop

Collaboratively Handling Difficult People & Challenging Situations: Strategies, Tools & Skills, 2004, WA CTED Housing Improvements & Preservation

You & Your Professional Development, 2004, WA CTED Community Services

Constructive Criticism: Providing Feedback that is Effective...and Received, 2004 Supervisors' Conference Leadership Triathlon

Group Facilitation, 2003, Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution - with Pete Donor

How to Create Learning Moments, 2003, WA State Community, Trade & Economic Development

Team Approach: Focusing & Building Skills, HUD - Anchorage Field Office (2003)

Mediating Workplace Disputes: Developing Skill through Practice, 2003, Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution

Mediating in the Workplace: Practical Applications, 2003, Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution

Applying Conflict Resolution within Organizations, 2003 & 2000, Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution

Sharpening your Listening, Collaboration & Negotiation Skills, 2003 Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution - with Bob Gorsuch

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INVITED &/OR COMPETITIVELY JUDGED PAPERS PRESENTED Supporting Individual Transformation through Conflict Coaching, 2016 Dispute Resolution Conference (22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Northwest)

Helping Others Explore Their Realities through Conflict Coaching, 8<sup>th</sup> Annual (2015) Negotiation Nuts & Bolts Conference, King County Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution

When Communicating with Others Becomes Difficult, 2015 Washington Affordable Housing Management Convention

*Helping Others Explore Their Reality*, Seattle Federal Executive Board's 13<sup>th</sup> Annual (2014) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

*Transforming Difficult Conversations* (with Patti Kieval), 7<sup>th</sup> Annual (2014) Negotiation Nuts & Bolts Conference, King County Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution

*Conflict Behavior Coaching,* Seattle Federal Executive Board's 12<sup>th</sup> Annual (2013) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

Healthy Strategies for Working with High Conflict People, 2012 CUPA-HR Conference, Washington State Chapter, College & University Professional Association for Human Resources

Strengthening Interpersonal & Conflict Resolution Skills for Elected Officials, 2012 Annual Conference, Washington Association of Cities

Coaching Toward Self-Determination, 2011 Dispute Resolution Conference (18<sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest)

Crucial Conversations® Overview: How to Talk When Stakes are High, 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual (2010) Negotiation Nuts & Bolts Conference, King County Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution

Name That Resolution Deadlock: Specific Deadlock Identifiers & Intervention Strategies, 17 th Annual (2010) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference; and Seattle Federal Executive Board's 9 th Annual (2010) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

"Victim" Meets "Villain" in Mediation: Power Balancing through Inner Exploration, 16<sup>th</sup> Annual (2009) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

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Invited &/Or
COMPETITIVELY
JUDGED
PAPERS
PRESENTED

Maintaining Impartiality through Introspection, 13th Annual (2006) Northwest

Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

Workplace Group Conflict Intervention: Case Study, Land Mines & Clean-up, 12th

Annual (2005) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

Designing Group Intervention Utilizing the 8-Stage Mediation Model, 11<sup>th</sup> Annual

(2004) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

Gaining Insights into Performance Issues and Interests from Workplace and Employment Mediations, 10<sup>th</sup> Annual (2003) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

Mandatory Mediation/Arbitration in Employment Agreements—Implementation and Perspectives from Practitioners and the EEOC, American Bar Association 4<sup>th</sup> Annual (2002) Conference, Section of Alternative Dispute Resolution

*Needs-based creative Resolution for EEO Complaints*, 10<sup>th</sup> Annual (2001) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

Workplace Discrimination: Providing Multiple Entry Points for Resolutions, 9<sup>th</sup> Annual (2002) Northwest Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference

COMPETITIVELY
SELECTED POOLS,
INVITED PANELS
& Professional
MEMBERSHIPS

State of Washington Trainer

State of Washington Organizational Consulting

Coach, Consultant, Facilitator, Mediator, State of Washington

State of Washington Performance Management

Coach, Consultant, Facilitator, Mediator, State of Washington

University of Washington Consulting Alliance (Organizational Development)

Coach, Consultant, Facilitator; Mediator, Seattle WA

King County Organizational Development

Coach, Consultant, Facilitator; Mediator, Seattle WA

Dispute Resolution Center of King County

Mediator, Trainer, Consultant, Facilitator; Seattle WA

Inter-Local Conflict Resolution Group ILCRG, King County ADR Program

Mediator; Seattle WA

**Equal Employment Opportunity Commission** 

Mediator; Seattle WA

The World Bank

Mediator, Washington, DC

Association of Conflict Resolution

(formerly Society for Professionals in Dispute Resolution, SPIDR) conferences, institutes, newsletters

Empowerment: managers leading, supervisors enhancing performance, employees working together

CERTIFICATES &	Collaborative Negotiation & Mediation Certification		
AWARDS		Conflict Resolution, Research & Resource Institute	
T WINDS	Active, Certified Mediator	Dispute Resolution Center of King County	
	Active, Certified Mediator	Inter-Local Conflict Resolution Group (ILCRG)	
	The "Coach & Trainer" Award	Pierce County Center for Dispute Resolution	
	Certificate of Merit	Mediation Center of the North Valley	
	Certificate of Recognition	Butte County Leadership for Learning	
	Award of Merit	Quality Circles Leader Training	
	Peacemaker of the Year 1998	Butte County Community Award	
	Professional Associate Awards	'89, '93, '94 - UniSource Corporation	
	Salesperson of the Year Award	'90 - UniSource Corporation	
	Masters Awards	'91, '92 - UniSource Corporation	

LICENSES &	Government Vendors (http://www.government-vendor.us/)
REGISTRATIONS	Central Contractor Registration (U.S. Department of Defense)
	Dun & Bradstreet (D-U-N-S #13-389-9158)
	Women's Business Enterprise (State of Washington; #W2F2317314)
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	City of Tacoma, Washington (#T97889)
	State of Washington (UBI #602 431 043)
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## Education

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Colleges/Universitiesyearsstudy/degreesNortheastern Illinois University (as Elizabeth Faris)'68-'69musicMarshalltown Community College (as Elizabeth Wischler)'79-'81AAUniversity of Northern Iowa (as Elizabeth Wischler)'81business

University of Iowa (as Elizabeth Wischler)

during which I accomplished the Core Curriculum for the Master's Degree in Labor Relations

Calif. State Univ., Chico (as Elizabeth Caughron)

'82, '95

Journalism, Diversity

Master's Degree Equivalents/Supercedents (see below)

## ACADEMIA Highline Community College

Instructor in "Conflict Resolution & Mediation," "Building Trust," "Facilitating Groups & Meetings," "Leadership," "Teams," "Communication" and "Assertive Communication" for its Leadership Certificate Program

Butte Community College

Instructor in "Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA)" for Law Enforcement Peace Officers Standards and Training

# Master's Degree Equivalents/Supercedents

Because the University of Iowa had no undergraduate courses (at that time) in my emphasis of Labor Relations and Human Resources Management, I took graduate-level courses to complete my degree. Below is listed some of my subsequent education:

<u>Trainings/Courses</u>	<u>hours</u>	Semester equiv.	
Total post-baccalaureate equivalent semester units	944.0	62.92	
Crucial Influence: Leadership Skills to Create Lasting Behavior Change 2023, Webinar, Crucial Learning	1	0.05	
Employment Law 2023: Legal Developments, Cutting-Edge Issues, and Workplace Trends  2023 Webinar, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission	6	0.40	
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<u>Trainings/Courses</u>	hours	Semester equiv.
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Goodbye Flash, Hello HTML 2021, Webinar, Adobe Connect	1	0.05
Meet the New Conversations 2020, Webinar, VitalSmarts	1	0.05
A Path to Peace in 2021: Six Skills to Restore Civility 2020, Webinar, VitalSmarts	1	0.05
Racism Pandemic Facing our Nation 2020, Town Hall/Webinar, American Psychological Association	2	0.1
Bystander Intervention Training 2020, Hollaback!, www.ihollaback.org/)	2	0.1
Shifting to Blended Online Learning 2020, Live Webcast, LinkedIn Learning	1	0.1
Certification as Live, Virtual Trainer 2020, VitalSmarts™, Salt Lake City UT	20	1.3
WA Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Summit 2020 2020, Washington State Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Council, Tacoma WA	16	1.0
Beyond Inclusion, Beyond Empowerment: A Training for Mediators/Facilitators®	16	1.0
2019, City of Seattle Alternative Dispute Resolution Program, Seattle WA  Influencer®  2018, Train-the-Trainer Reinforcement, WA State Department of	16	1.0
Enterprise Services, Olympia WA)  Influencer®  2017, VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> 's Training and Train-the-Trainer, Salt Lake City UT	16	1.0
Diversity Training Forum (2016, WA State Department of Enterprise Services, Olympia WA)	3	0.2

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The Art of Collaborative Negotiation

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of Alternative Dispute Resolution, Seattle WA)

The Essentials of Human Resources and the Law

(2014 Fred Pryor Seminars: Career Track, Tacoma WA)

Restorative Justice (Victim-Offender) Mediation In-service

Building a Healthy Organization - One Negotiation at a Time

(2014 InterLocal Conflict Resolution Group, King County WA)

(2015 8th Annual Negotiation Nuts & Bolts Conference, King County Office

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(2014 7th Annual Negotiation Nuts & Bolts Conference, King County Office of Alternative Dispute Resolution, Seattle WA) Transforming Difficult Conversations 3 0.2 (2014, Dispute Resolution Center of King County, Seattle WA) 0.4 13th Annual ADR Consortium Training (2014 Seattle Federal Executive 7 Board, Seattle WA) 7 Best Practices in Conflict Resolution 0.4 (2014 InterLocal Conflict Resolution Group, King County WA) 0.4 Advanced Mediation Training: When Stories Clash: 7 Practicing Narrative Mediation (2013 Antioch Univ. Continuing Education) 0.2 3 CUPA-HR Conference (2012; presenter and participant; Washington State Chapter, College & University Professional Association for Human Resources

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Trainings/Courses	<u>hours</u>	Semester equiv.
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AWC Annual Conference (2012; presenter and participant; Association of Washington Cities; Vancouver WA)	4.5	0.3
Crucial Conversations®: Advanced Trainer Conference (2011, VitalSmarts™, Park City UT)	8	0.5
Influencer®: Trainer Seminar (2011, VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> , Park City UT)	6	0.4
Breaking Impasse: Straightforward Strategies for Mediators and Advocates (2010, Dispute Resolution Center of King County, Seattle WA)	8	0.5
9 <sup>th</sup> Annual ADR Consortium Training (2010 Seattle Federal Exec. Board, Seattle WA)	8	0.5
Interest Identification (2009 workshop, InterLocal Conflict Resolution Group, King County WA)	3	0.2
Mirrors of Privilege: Making Whiteness Visible & the SEED Project: Seeking Educational Equity & Diversity (2007 workshop in The Diversity Series, The Bush School: Experience Education)	4	0.25
A Place at the Table, 2007 Seattle Federal Executive Board	15	1.0
Transformational Conflict Coaching, Mediation Training Programs	6	0.4
You're Fired: The Apprentice Meets Retaliation,	O	0.4
Employment Law & Legislative Conference	4	0.25
Differences between Washington & Federal Law		
Employment Law & Legislative Conference	4	0.2
The Crossroads of Conflict, Antioch University Continuing Ed	8	0.5
Mediation-Arbitration Training II	8	0.5
Crucial Conversations®	16	1.1
Crucial Conversations® Train-the-Trainer	8	0.5
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<u>Trainings/Courses</u>	<u>hours</u>	Semester equiv
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Performance Coaching Seminar: Achieving Accountability AND Maintaining Relationships	6	0.4
Mediation HeartWork	20	1.3
Mediation-Arbitration Training	8	0.5
Resource Partner Training	23	1.5
Victim-Offender Mediation Training	20	1.3
Gung Ho!® Training and Training-for-Trainers	20	1.3
Advanced Mediator Skills	16	1.1
Situational Leadership®II Training and Training-for-Trainers	68	4.5
Situational Self Leadership Training and Training-for-Trainers	44	2.9
Raving Fans Training and Training-for-Trainers	40	2.7
Personal Injury Mediation Training	16	1.1
Family Law for Mediators Seminar	4	0.3
Advanced Training in Commercial Mediation	8	0.5
Advanced Mediation and Trainers Training	24	1.6
Collaborative Negotiation and Mediation	40	2.7
Mediation Training	36	2.4
Conflict Resolution Training	36	2.4
Gender Issues	45	3.0
Professional Writing	45	3.0
Business Negotiation Seminar	8	0.5
International Negotiation Seminar	16	1.1
Advanced Quality Circle Facilitator Training	32	2.1
Statistical Process Control Training	24	1.6
Quality Improvement Training	40	2.7

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1984–	Consultant, Facilitator, Mediator, Trainer, Coach, Problem-solver in: Dispute Resolution, Dispute Resolution Systems, Employment, Labor Relations, Leadership, Communication, Collaboration, Workplace Culture, Productivity, Personnel		
1994–	Principal in my own business: <i>Workplace Resolutions, LLC</i> (formerly <i>Workplace Resolutions &amp; Dispute Resolution Systems</i> , and before that, <i>Communication &amp; Conflict Consulting</i> )		
2003-	Associate for VitalSmarts <sup>TM</sup> , Crucial Conversations (Provo, UT)		
2002-	Business Partner (Trainer, State of Washington)		
2001-	Organizational Development Services (Trainer, Facilitator, Consultant, State of Washington)		
2000-2006	Resource Trainer for The Ken Blanchard Companies (Escondido CA)		
1995–97	Associate, Bertain & Associates, Consulting (Employment Discrimination; Chico CA)		
1987–94	Workplace Practices, Solutions & Sales, UniSource Corporation (West Sacramento CA): Professional Associate Awards ('89, '93, '94), Masters Awards ('91, '92))		
1984–87	Quality Circle Institute International, (Asst. Vice President, Facilitator, Trainer; Red Bluff CA)		