



## ***The Mediation Advocate: Ethical Duties and Pitfalls***

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Veteran mediator presents an interactive program which explores the ethical duties of the attorney advocate in mediation and critical mistakes to avoid poisoning the settlement well. Does an attorney have a duty to select the right mediator? Does an attorney have a duty to prepare the client for the mediation process? Are the goals of the attorney and client compatible? Does an attorney have a duty to adequately prepare the case for mediation. This is an advanced mediation program to provide tools for effective, ethical advocacy, including a strategic mediation checklist.

Qualifies for 1.0 hour of ethics MCLE credit. The program lasts an hour, including Q & A and can be arranged at a lunch gathering or other time convenient for you.

To schedule an MCLE, please contact my MCLE coordinator, Haward Cho, at (213) 683-1600 or [haward@adrservices.com](mailto:haward@adrservices.com).