

5 CPD POINTS

CONFERENCE INVITATION



2025 ANNUAL MEDIATION CONFERENCE

“The Future of Mediation”

Date

Thursday, 6 November 2025

Venue

Shepstone & Wylie, Umhlanga
(in-person only)

Time

08:30 to 15:00

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admin@kznmediation.com

Members – R600

Non-members – R750

Includes lunch and refreshments



PROGRAMME	
08:00-08:30	Registration and refreshments
08:30-08:45	Welcome and introduction to the KZN Society of Mediators Introduction of keynote speaker
08:45-09:15	Keynote Speaker <i>(To be confirmed)</i>
SESSION 1: AI AND AGE-OLD MEDIATION	
09:15-09:50	Juanita Eastorpe <i>Legal and Ethical Dimensions of AI in Mediation</i>
09:50-10:30	Dr Douglas Dziva (KZN Christian Council) <i>Understanding traditional community mediation</i>
10:30-11:00	TEA
SESSION 2: THE FUTURE OF MEDIATION IN KZN	
11:00-11:45	Prof Debbie Colliers & Dr Dellene Clark <i>The making of mediation laws: Project 100A: Status of Report Project 94 Mediation Discussion Paper 168 & draft Bill on ADR</i>
11:45-12:15	Shane Morrow (ADR-TG) <i>Preparing KZN for court-directed mediation: Explaining the Gauteng Mediation Directive and assessing its first 6 months – is it working?</i>
12:15-13:00	Adv Warren Shapiro & Adv Perlene Bramdhew <i>Building relationships between advocates, attorneys and mediators in light of the changing legal landscape Advocacy training</i>
13H00-13H45	LUNCH
SESSION 3 YOUR FUTURE MEDIATION PRACTICE	
13:45-14:45	Willie Coetzee Claire Penfold <i>Lessons and case studies from expert mediation practitioners to inform your mediation practice</i>
14:45	Lucky draws (sponsored by ADR Technology Group) Thanks and close