



ELDER MEDIATION TRAINING

3 Day Course, March 8th – 10th 2017

Venue: COTA Tasmania, "Westella" 181 Elizabeth St, Hobart TAS 7000

Come to Hobart when the rest of Australia is too hot to bear!

This 3 day intensive training will be provided by Associate Professor Dale Bagshaw, Dip.Soc.Stud, BA, M.Soc.Stud, PhD., Cert. EM. It is a fantastic opportunity to learn from one of Australia's most experienced elder mediators and trainers. Participants must have prior mediation training and attend for the three days. Enquiries to: eldermediationtas@gmail.com

The goals of this program are to:

- build participants' knowledge of ageing and related issues
- strengthen participants' knowledge of the nuances of mediation involving elders
- explore opportunities and challenges for elder mediators
- explore the special knowledge, ethics and skills elder mediators may need
- sensitise participants to aspects of elder law, human rights and ageing, culture, ageism, sexism, elder abuse and neglect
- provide skill-building opportunities for mediators

In 2013, Dale Bagshaw co-convened the 6th World Summit on Mediation with Age-Related Issues in Adelaide and received the Sherren Award from the Elder Mediation International Network (EMIN) for global leadership in this field. She has since conducted many elder mediation training programs in Australia and New Zealand and in 2016 became one the first mediators from the Australasian region to complete EMIN's Elder Mediation Certification Program. In 2014 she was awarded the Michael Klug LEADR Award "for her many, very varied and enduringly significant innovations in the Australasian DR landscape over many years". She has led many national research teams, including those focused on family violence, elder abuse and elder mediation. In 2013, Dale established and Chairs the Elder Mediation Australasian Network (www.elder-mediation.com.au). She is a member of EMIN's Board and Certification Committee and is an adjunct Associate Professor with the School of Psychology, Social Work and Social Policy, University of South Australia.