

November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

## THE NATIONAL ROUNDTABLE OF MEDIATORS

### Programme

Lecture Room I, Annexe, India International Centre, New Delhi  
09.00 AM to 07.00 PM

08:45AM-09:30AM	Breakfast and Registration
09:30AM-10.00AM	Assembly and Introductions
10:00AM	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b> Mr. A.S.Chandhiok, President, Maadhyam
10:15AM-11:15AM	<b>Session I</b> <b>Building consensus on a mechanism for self-regulation pending an independent enactment on Mediation to ensure availability of credible, competent and certified Mediators with special reference to the new enactments.</b>  Represented by Chandigarh, Chennai, Delhi, and Kerala Teams
11:15AM -12:15PM	<b>Session II</b> <b>Building consensus on establishing a non-partisan and not-for-profit National Accreditation Institution for accreditation of mediators across the country, promotion of mediation and mediators, interacting with the Government with reference to policies and prescribing a code of conduct for mediators.</b>  Represented by FCDR, Maharashtra, Punjab and Haryana and Rajasthan Teams.
12:15AM-12:30PM	Bio Break
12:30PM-01.30PM	<b>Session III</b> <b>Building consensus and sharing views on the draft Bills already circulated at Mahabalipuram.</b>  Represented by Chennai, Delhi, Gurugram and Madhya Pradesh Teams
01:30 PM -02:15 PM	Lunch
02:15PM-03:15PM	<b>Session IV</b> <b>Discussing the role of various Registered Associations in the country to promote and protect the interests of mediators and mediation in</b>

	<p><b>different parts of the country</b>  <b>And</b></p> <p><b>Discussing annual meetings and an annual National Mediation Calendar for sharing of events being organized at Regional/ State/National levels to enhance participation by Mediators across the country.</b>  <b>And</b></p> <p><b>Creating a national website for information and interaction between mediators, for exchange of views, ideas and developments in mediation.</b></p> <p>Represented by Andhra Pradesh, BIMACC, Gurgaon and Madhya Pradesh Teams</p>
03:15PM-04:15PM	<p><b>Session V</b>  <b>Discussing promotion of reforms in mediation domestically and internationally for effective operationalization the Singapore Convention. Formulating the next steps in this regard.</b></p> <p>Represented by BIMACC, FCDR, Maadhyam and Telangana Teams</p>
04:15PM -04:30PM	Tea Break
04:30PM-05:30PM	<p><b>Session VI</b>  <b>Discussing the effect of regulation of mediation and mediators provided for in the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 (as amended by 2019 Amendment) and the New Delhi International Arbitration Centre Act, 2019 though the Acts are otherwise silent on providing the necessary structure for the conduct of mediation and enforceability of mediated settlement agreements.</b></p> <p>Represented by AMP, Chhatisgarh, Delhi and Kerala Teams.</p>
05:30PM-06:30PM	<b>Open House</b>
06:30 PM	<b>Closing Remarks</b>
06:45PM	<b>Vote of Thanks</b>
07:00 PM onwards	Dinner at Lounge Terrace, Third Floor, Annexe, IIC.

**Note: Every session will have 4 speakers from different regions.  
Time allocation: 40 mins for speakers and 20 mins for interaction.  
Breakfast shall be available between 8:45 am to 9:30 am.**