



France Mediator Gathering - June 4-6, 2025

AGENDA

| Wednesday June 4th, 2025 | |
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| 1 pm - 2 pm | Welcome - Introduction of the participants at the hotel |
| 2 pm - 5 pm Hotel | <p>Discussion 1: Evolving Mediation Practices and Approaches</p> <p>Exploration of grassroots mediation processes to address unique community needs and enhance outcomes.</p> |
| 7 pm | Dinner at the hotel |
| Thursday June 5th, 2025 | |
| 7:30 am - 8:30 am | Breakfast at the hotel |
| 9 am - 12 pm | <p>Funshops: Paddle boarding, Kayak, Yoga - walk along side the sea, and Intentional exploration of our senses - What we experienced through our senses while doing a physical activity and how it can help overcome mediation challenges, sharpening our self-awareness and full presence.</p> |
| 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm | <p>Lunch at the winery with a debriefing on morning activities and sensations</p> <p>Discussion 2: Overcoming Challenges in Mediation Contexts</p> <p>Adapting universal mediation practices to culturally and contextually specific environments.</p> <p>Strategies for handling resistance, misunderstandings, or systemic barriers within mediation processes.</p> |
| 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm Hotel | <p>Discussion 3: Culturally Responsive Mediation</p> <p>Tailoring mediation practices to honour and reflect cultural traditions and dynamics.</p> |

Friday June 6th, 2025

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| 7:30 am - 8:30 am | Breakfast at the hotel |
| 9 am - 12 pm Hotel | Discussion 4: Facilitating Transformative Dialogue Creating environments that foster deep listening and meaningful conversations. Building trust and understanding through innovative facilitation techniques. |
| 12 pm | Take away lunch & closing of the event |

Possible optional group activities in the afternoon - evening

