



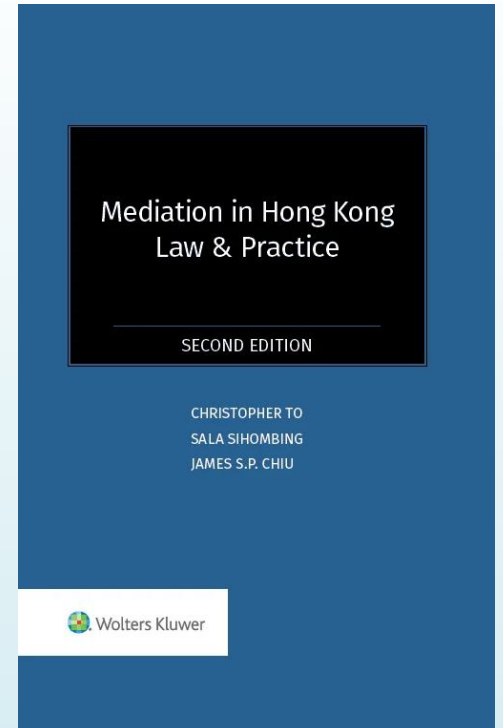
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Book Seminar on “MEDIATION IN HONG KONG”: Focus on Medical and Dental Disputes

20 October 2022, Thursday
8:00 pm–9:20 pm (Hong Kong Time)
Online: Live Zoom Session
In person (*HKU Staff and HKU Students Only):
11/F, Cheng Yu Tung Tower, Centennial Campus, HKU



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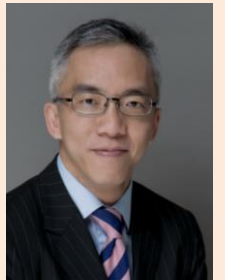
This Second Edition is a comprehensive textbook on mediation for learners and qualified mediators from different backgrounds. Twenty-four chapters are grouped systematically to cover ADR spectrum and principles of mediation, development and the law governing mediation in Hong Kong; practice, processes and techniques of mediation; confidentiality in mediation; cross-cultural mediation; family mediation and mediation in different kinds of disputes which mediators may encounter. For the lawyers, there is a chapter specifically on advocacy in mediation and, for the healthcare practitioners, there is one on mediation in medical and dental disputes. A chapter on apologies in mediation is added to this new edition with the enactment of the Hong Kong Apology Ordinance in 2017. The speaker and commentators will provide an overview of the book, with a focus on medical and dental disputes. They will also discuss how healthcare providers who are not legally trained and non-healthcare professionals (lawyers in particular) could use this book.

Link: <<https://www.wolterskluwer.com.hk/e-store/mediation-in-hong-kong-law-practice-2nd-edition>>



COMMENTATOR:

David Kan
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Prior registration is required.

All are welcome to attend the seminar online.
Only HKU staff and HKU students may attend the seminar in person. In-person attendees must register in advance and comply with the HKU Vaccine Pass requirements. They are requested to arrive 15 minutes early.

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Dr. James Chiu is a general mediator and collaborative practitioner. He is the founder of JC Professional Dispute Resolution Centre and has been conducting mediation since 2006. James was appointed the first Adjunct Assistant Professor in mediation courses of the Chinese University of Hong Kong in 2010.

Dr. Chiu was a Vice-Chairman of the Regulatory Framework Subcommittee under the Steering Committee on Mediation of the Department of Justice, and a Member of the Working Group on Apology Legislation. He was also an ExCom member of the HK Mediation Council and an Assessor in general mediation of the HK Academy of Law, HK International Arbitration Centre and HK Mediation Centre. James is a member of the Working Party on Review of the HK Mediation Code, and a member of the Evaluative Mediation Working Group of the HK Mediation Council. He is an Assessor, recognised Lead Trainer and coach of mediation courses accredited by the HK Mediation Accreditation Association Limited (HKMAAL).

Dr. Chiu co-authored the “Hong Kong Apology Ordinance (Cap. 631) Commentary & Annotations” in 2018. He has also published many articles and book chapters and has chaired or spoken in over 100 meetings on mediation, negotiation, apologies and medico-legal issues, in English and Chinese, both in Hong Kong and abroad. James was listed in Who'sWho in the World under the Healthcare profession from 2009 to 2012, and under the Law profession in 2013. He became the first person in Hong Kong invited to join the prestigious International Network for Law and Apology Researchers (INLAR) in 2015.

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Sala works full-time as a mediator focusing on families in Hong Kong. She is an accredited mediator and family mediation supervisor (Hong Kong HKMAAL/HKIAC).

She qualified as a solicitor in the UK (1995) and in Hong Kong (1996). In 1997, she left private practice to work in-house at Peregrine, Credit Agricole and Morgan Stanley.

In 2011 she attended the Straus Institute (Pepperdine University, USA) (LLM Dispute Resolution). Her LLB is from the University of Bristol, UK.

Publications:

- *The International Survey of Family Law 2018*, (Intersentia), Hong Kong contributor Chapter 11
- *Modern Mediation – Equity’s Heir? Ohio St J Disp Resolution Vol. 37, No. 3, 269 (2022)*
- *UNCITRAL Convention – Mediation’s Big Bang*, (2019) 30 ADRJ 51

COMMENTATOR

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David is a dual qualified medical doctor/solicitor and is a Founding Member of the Faculty of Forensic and Legal Medicine of the Royal College of Physicians (UK). He "changed horses" to law almost 30 years ago and has specialized in healthcare law since.

Nowadays David and Chris Howse lead a team of healthcare lawyers, which is the largest team of its kind in HK, with extensive experience in defending clinical negligence claims.

As an experienced litigator, David has gained accreditation as a Solicitor Advocate with Higher Rights of Audience in Hong Kong's Court of First Instance, Court of Appeal and CFA. David has substantial advocacy experience before the Civil Courts, Coroner's Court, Medical and Dental Council and other professional tribunals. He appreciates the importance of getting involved in a case and managing the evidence and strategies from day 1.

David has a Master's Degree in Medical Law and Ethics which puts him on good stead in providing regulatory advice to healthcare institutions including hospitals, biotechnology companies, medical device manufacturers and specialist group practices. He has a special interest in advising on mental health law, medical criminal proceedings, clinical trials, and due diligence in corporate transactions.

In 2008, David was appointed as an Honorary Associate Professor by the Department of Pathology, Faculty of Medicine, The University of Hong Kong. He regularly lectures at the University as well as to the Specialist Colleges. He provides clients with training in clinical risk management.

David keeps up to date with clinical medicine. He has served on various governing boards including those of a government hospital and a major international school. He is a qualified coach with the Squash Rackets Association (UK) and he trains almost daily.

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