

FAMILY LAW MEDIATION INTERNSHIP

Clackamas County Resolution Services is offering once again the opportunity for up to 3 interns to participate in our structured, 8 month internship, beginning late September 2025

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REQUIREMENTS:

- 40 Hour Basic Mediaiton Training
- 40 Hour Custody and Parenting Time Mediation Training (preferred, not required)
- Availability for 12 to 16 hours per week for 8 months, beginning late September 2025

COST:

- Students: no cost
- Professionals: \$2,000
- A scholarship is available

APPLICATION:

- Available online: https:// www.clackamas.us/ccrs/ intern.html
- Due: May 16, 2025

BACKGROUND

Clackamas County Resolution Services was the first family law mediation program in Oregon—then called Clackamas County Family Court Services, established nearly 50 years ago. From its start, the program offered innovative services, including financial mediation for divorcing and separating couples, and youth interviews to guide parents in the process we now call "Child-Informed Mediation." The internship has been a core component of the mediation program from its early days, and has trained many of the seasoned practitioners in the Portland Metro area, including several of its current and former staff.

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT FROM US

- Flexible schedule and work environment
- · Mentorship through observation, co-mediation and solo mediation
- Guidance from our team, with backgrounds in dispute resolution, law and counseling
- Experience that meets court-connected requirements
- · Custody, parenting time and financial mediation experience
- Financial training (February/March 2025), the first training in the region for over five years
- Equity inclusive training
- · Document preparation instruction

FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

We interview and select prospective interns based on the court-connected qualifications under UTCR Chapter 12. This is a high-level, demanding internship with structure and support for personal and professional growth.

CCRS and its staff are committed to the principles of equity, inclusion, and belonging in providing services to clients, and in selection and support of staff and interns toward creating and maintaining a culture of belonging.

