



**2010 NATIONAL MEDIATION MONTH  
MEDIATION – A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY**

**ABA Section of Dispute Resolution Reception in Celebration of  
National Mediation Month  
Thursday, October 21, 5:00 – 6:30 pm  
UC Hastings College of the Law**

Please join the ABA Section of Dispute Resolution and the UC Hastings Center for Negotiation and Dispute Resolution at a reception in celebration of the strides that have been made in institutionalizing mediation as a dispute resolution process. Mediation is now commonly used to resolve legal, community, school, public policy and many other types of disputes throughout the country and world.

The reception will be held on **Thursday, October 21, 2010 at the UC Hastings Skyroom, 100 McAllister Street, 24<sup>th</sup> floor, from 5:00-6:30 P.M.**

The objective of National Mediation Month is to promote the use of mediation and raise awareness about the benefits of the mediation process. During the month of October, the Mediation Committee of the ABA Section of Dispute Resolution in conjunction with other bar associations, organizations and individuals across the country and abroad will conduct special programs designed to promote mediation and to educate students, attorneys and the public about the mediation process.

**RSVP** to Melissa Nelken, CNDR Acting Director ([nelkenm@uchastings.edu](mailto:nelkenm@uchastings.edu)) by **October 15.**