

WEBINAR ALERT

Thursday, October 6, 2022



October will be a double feature month for AFCC webinars! First up is our next free webinar and discussion in the DE&I series: [Engaging Cultural Differences and Communities in IPV Cases](#). Then stay tuned later this month for [Representing Children in International Cases](#).

Upcoming DE&I Webinars

AFCC's DE&I series returns with another free webinar and discussion! The DE&I Webinar Series addresses the intersection of family law and diversity, equity, and inclusion. These webinars comprise of an hour presentation followed by a facilitated group discussion. Each DE&I webinar is eligible for up to two hour of continuing education credit for Psychologists.

Engaging Cultural Differences and Communities in IPV Cases

Sujata Warriar, PhD

Tuesday, October 11, 2022

4:00pm-6:00pm Eastern Time US/Canada

This webinar will explore opportunities, challenges, and strategies for engaging cultural issues to create more culturally affirming spaces in IPV cases. The presenter will provide a critical redefinition of the term using more current knowledge and debates, while also focusing on skills necessary to engage survivors, children, families, and communities to change cultural norms around IPV.

Although this webinar is free, you must register in advance to attend. Registration closes October 10, 2022, at 9am Eastern Time US/Canada.

Sujata Warriar, PhD, is the Chief Strategy Officer for the Battered Women's Justice Project. She trains and provides technical assistance to professionals in various criminal justice systems. She has also trained extensively at the local, state, national and international levels on the issue of cultural competency for various professionals and has delivered numerous keynotes on the issue of culture, competency, relativism, and violence against women.



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[More Upcoming DE&I Webinars!](#)

[Child Abuse and Culture](#)

Nolanda Robert, MS; Kelly Browe Olson, JD, LLM
January 5, 2023

[Gender and Sex in Family Law: How to Work with a Gender Diverse Population](#)

Rebecca Stahl, JD LLM
April 12, 2023

[Upcoming Monthly Webinars](#)

Register now for the next webinar in AFCC's monthly webinar series sponsored by [OurFamilyWizard.com](#). Each monthly webinar is eligible for up to one hour of continuing education credit.

[Representing Children in International Cases](#)

Melissa Kucinski, JD; James Netto

Tuesday, October 18, 2022

1:00pm – 2:00pm Eastern Time US/Canada



Registration will close on October 17, 2022 at 9:00am Eastern Time US/Canada.

This session will feature lawyers from the US and UK discussing how children are heard in international parental child abduction cases, the emerging issues of children having independent counsel in Hague Abduction cases, and policy considerations and best practices for working with children in these complex matters.

Melissa Kucinski, JD, works with lawyers across the globe handling the international aspects of family law cases. In addition to her law degree, Melissa obtained a Master's Degree from the American University School of International Service, focusing her studies on high conflict cross-cultural mediation and crisis negotiation. She consulted for the Hague Conference on Private International Law on a range of issues related to the Hague Child Abduction and Child Protection Conventions.



James Netto, LLB, is a partner at The International Family Law Group LLP, London, United Kingdom. He specialises in all areas of children law, with expertise in international children matters. James is highly experienced in cases concerning the international movement of children and is regularly instructed by parents and children within the UK and abroad. He is the Chair of the UK's Child Abduction Lawyers Association, which recently provided an amicus brief to the US Supreme Court in the matter of *Golan v Saada*.



Registration

Members: \$15

Non-Members: \$50

Certificate of Attendance

Members: \$15

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More Upcoming Webinars

Understanding Adults who Sexually Abuse Children

Dr. Graham Hill

November 16, 2022

Family Dispute Resolution Research

Marsha Kline Pruett, PhD, ABPP

December 13, 2022

Access to Justice/Family Dispute Resolution Services

Jeannie Sato, JD, Loren P. Hildebrandt, JD

January 11, 2023

Screening for Intimate Partner Violence

Beth McCormack, JD

February 8, 2023

[Coping Abilities Children Need \(And How to Ensure They Get Them\)](#)

Lyn Greenberg, PhD, ABPP

March 7, 2023

Visit the [AFCC Webinars page](#) on our website to view the upcoming monthly webinar schedule through June 2023! See you online soon!

Attendees may purchase a certificate of attendance along with their registration. **No refunds or credits will be issued for webinar cancellations/no-shows.**

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