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Registration Now Open for the 2026 SDRCC Mediator and Arbitrator Conference

Brossard (Quebec) - The Sport Dispute Resolution Centre of Canada (SDRCC) is pleased to announce that registration is now open for the public portion of its 2026 Mediator and Arbitrator Conference, taking place on November 14, 2026, at the Conference Centre at the University of Toronto in Toronto, Ontario.

Held under the theme **Integrity, Fairness, Resolution: The Future of Sport Dispute Resolution in Canada**, the conference will bring together legal professionals, alternative dispute resolution (ADR) practitioners, academics, law students, sport administrators and leaders from across the Canadian sport system to examine emerging issues and developments in sport dispute resolution.

The program will feature presentations and panel discussions led by SDRCC mediators and arbitrators, legal practitioners, academics and subject matter experts. Participants will explore timely topics relating to integrity in sport, anti-doping, mediation, arbitration and the evolving legal and regulatory landscape affecting Canadian sport.

The public conference forms part of the SDRCC's annual two-day conference. The first day, the SDRCC Mediator and Arbitrator Conference, is reserved for SDRCC Board and Roster members. The second day is open to members of the public and offers a unique opportunity to engage with leading voices from the sport, legal and ADR communities.

The SDRCC is seeking accreditation from provincial law societies, bar associations and professional organizations to support participants' continuing professional development requirements. Accreditation updates will be posted on the conference webpage as they become available.

Space is limited and early registration is encouraged.

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For additional information, including registration details, program updates and speaker information, please [visit the conference webpage](#).

Quick Facts

- More than 20 speakers and panelists will participate in the 2026 SDRCC Public Conference.
- Participants may be eligible for CPD/CLE credits through participating law societies and professional organizations.
- Registration is now open for the public portion of the 2026 SDRCC Mediator and Arbitrator Conference. Space is limited and Early Bird rates are available until October 13, 2026.

About the SDRCC

The SDRCC is a not-for-profit corporation created by federal legislation and funded by Sport Canada. Its mission is to provide the sport community with a national alternative dispute resolution service and to



strengthen the culture of fairness in Canadian sport by resolving disputes quickly and efficiently, and by providing expertise and assistance in this area.

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