

Family Law & Divorce Mediators  
at  
Peace Talks Mediation Services



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# DIANA MERCER

MEDIATOR, FOUNDER

Diana Mercer is a pioneer in the field of divorce mediation and founder of Peace Talks Mediation Services; Peace Talks teams lawyers with psychology professionals in a cooperative, co-mediator setting to mediate all family conflicts: divorce, custody, premarital agreements, and estate planning.



## **CERTIFICATION:**

- UCLA Anderson School of Management, Los Angeles, California (Certificate Awarded February 2007)
- Mosten Mediation Training, 40-hour certificate in Family Law Mediation, February 2000. Co-Trainer 2001-2007.

## **PROFESSIONAL Associations:**

- Co Chair of Dispute Resolution Section Practice Management Committee (2007-present)
- National Association of Women Business Owners and NAWBO-LA (2005-present)
- Los Angeles County Psychological Association, Associate Member (2005-present)
- California Society of Certified Public Accountants Family Law Section (2005 to present)
- Los Angeles Collaborative Law Association, LACFLA Panelist (2003-present)
- California Bar Association: Family Law Section and ADR South Committee (1999-present)
- Los Angeles County Bar Association and LACBA Family Law Section (1999-present)
- American Bar Association, ABA Family Law Section (1988-present)

Diana is the founder of Peace Talks and the co-author of *Making Divorce Work: 8 Essential Keys to Resolving Conflict and Rebuilding Your Life* (Penguin 2010) and *Your Divorce Advisor: A Lawyer and A Psychologist Guide You Through the Legal and Emotional Landscape of Divorce* (Simon & Schuster, 2001).

# STEPHANIE MALONEY

## CFP, CDFA

Stephanie Maloney, Certified Financial Planner and Divorce Financial Analyst in Los Angeles, California; she helps determine the short-term and long-term financial impact of proposed divorce settlements.



Ms. Maloney earned her Certified Financial Planning (CFP®) credential from the College for Financial Planning in Denver, Colorado in 1991. She completed the training by the Institute for Divorce Financial Analysts as a Certified Divorce Financial Analyst in 1999. She has also taken Collaborative Divorce™ training and completed 30 hours of mediation training in 2005 and 40 hours of divorce mediation training in 2007. Stephanie has over 25 years of professional experience in the financial services industry providing a broad range of financial and advisory services for her clients.

Stephanie is a member of the Institute for Certified Divorce Planners, the California Divorce Planners Network, the International Academy of Collaborative Professionals, Alternate Dispute Resolution Standing Committee of the State Bar-Family Law Section (Southern California), and Associate Member of the Los Angeles County Bar.

# LISA DAVIS

## LCSW (PH.D. CANDIDATE)

Lisa Davis [Therapist Mediator Los Angeles](#) and member of Peace-Talks Mediator Team; She is helping clients identify their own deeply held values and negotiate steps toward restructuring their future based on these values is the basis of mediating agreements that are mutually beneficial.



### Mediation Training:

- **25 hour Divorce Mediation Training, Institute for Conflict Management with Peace Talks Mediation services, Inc.**
- **20 hour Conflict Resolution Training, Family Services of Santa Monica**

# AMY REICHENBACH, PSY. D.

Dr. Amy Reichenbach is a licensed clinical psychologist. She has special training in divorce mediation, custody evaluations, co-parenting as well as substance abuse and surviving trauma. She teaches co-parenting classes and maintains a private psychotherapy practice at Peace-Talks.



## Mediation Style:

- Focus on what is best for everyone concerned
- Address biggest fears and make sure they do not come to pass
- Identify common interests and concerns
- Emphasize letting go and moving on

# JANAE M. MONROE

## DISPUTE RESOLUTION ASSOCIATE AND PARALEGAL

Janae Monroe joined Peace Talks in 2012 as a Dispute Resolution Associate and Paralegal; she is a trained mediator who provides client support, convenes mediation sessions, and assists in the preparation of legal documents.



Janae Monroe encyclopedic knowledge of the California and Los Angeles Family Law rules and procedures makes her a real asset to Peace Talks.

# JB RIZZO

## CPA/ABV/CFF

JB Rizzo, CPA/ABV/CFF is a financial mediator assisting clients in resolving financial matters in marital dissolutions; JB appreciates and commends clients for choosing the Peace Talks mediation process as opposed to the litigation process.

### Professional Memberships:

- Member, International Academy of Collaborative Professionals;
- Member, Nevada Society of CPAs' Business Valuation and Litigation Services Section;
- Member, California Society of CPAs' Family Law Section;
- Member, California Society of CPAs' Business Valuation Section;
- Member, California Society of CPAs' Economic Damages Section;
- Member, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants;
- Member, National Association of Certified Valuation Analysts.



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