Navigating business disputes, legal or family issues can be time consuming and taxing on all parties involved. Even simple matters can sometimes take years to bring to a resolution in court, and many times it leaves the underlying issues that causes the initial dispute intact, creating a potential for problems between the same parties in the future.

**We have a better solution.**

Using a mediator is an effective way to resolve conflict without having to initiate litigation. As a third party who is neutral and independent, a mediator can develop a platform for all parties to have an opportunity to discuss their issues, clear up misunderstandings, and find areas of agreement in a way that would never be possible in a lawsuit.

At Ascent Mediation, we have years of experience in helping to resolve conflict. Contact us for a free consultation at 917.538.2710 or andre@ascentmediation.com.
Reasons to Choose Mediation

Mediation is a viable, affordable, and efficient way to eliminate conflicts and help disagreeing parties come to a resolution. When used early on, a mediator can help to diffuse a situation before it becomes a far more complex problem.

At Ascent Mediation, we specialize in providing mediation services that are:

- **Cost effective and efficient**: Mediation saves money and takes considerably less time than filing litigation. Many disputes are resolved in one meeting with your mediator.

- **Fair and impartial**: As a non-biased, third party, your mediator has no vested interest in your dispute, and is available to help ensure that both sides have an equal say.

- **Avoidant of litigation**: Court cases are not only time consuming, but judicial outcomes can be uncertain. Mediation eliminates this problem by coming to an agreement devised by the involved parties, with terms they decide.

- **Fostering of cooperation and communication**: Mediation provides a neutral, confidential setting for parties to discuss their views on a dispute. Enhanced communication and cooperation provides more mutually satisfying resolutions.

- **Personalized and effective**: We work with you to not only resolve the conflict, but to identify the underlying issues that caused it.

About Your Mediator

André Politzer is an adept Conflict Resolution and Business Consultant, Professional Leadership Development Certified Coach (PCC) by the ICF (International Coach Federation) and an experienced Mentor & Mediator resolving partnership disputes and other family & business/commercial issues.

André has coached, mediated and trained hundreds of individuals in over 2,000 cases where he was able to resolve conflict, get matters back on track successfully, and come to a resolution in a timely fashion - sometimes within the same day. With more complex cases, André has managed to help parties come to a solution in a matter of a couple of months, which is a much shorter period than the average timeline of 2-3 years for litigation to cycle through court systems.

André grew up in Paris, France and has resided in New York for over two decades with his wife, children & grandchildren.

André is fluent in both English and French. He is a member in good standing of the ABA (American Bar Association) and ACR (American Conflict Resolution Association).

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