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Kacie Wallace is a dispute resolution specialist with over nineteen years of experience as a crisis intervention counselor, arbitrator, negotiator and mediator. She is the Principal of Interplay Resolutions, which specializes in mediation of a broad range of disputes including personal injury, workers' compensation, contracts, harassment, employment, business, commercial, criminal and sports. Kacie is licensed by the North Carolina State Bar and a certified mediator with the North Carolina Dispute Resolution Commission and the Industrial Commission. She mediates for the Superior Court Mediated Settlement Conference Program in North Carolina, the Industrial Commission, the United States Olympic Committee, as well as higher education institutions across the country.



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Biography

Kacie is a professor of law and supervising attorney for the Dispute Resolution Institute at North Carolina Central University School of Law. She also teaches conflict resolution courses at Duke University, the Duke-UNC Rotary Center for International Studies in Peace and Conflict Resolution, the North Carolina Medical Society Leadership College, and for private organizations and groups. Her teaching specialties include mediation, representation in mediation, communication and negotiation in personal, professional and legal contexts.

For many years Kacie served as a violence intervention counselor and police officer in Durham, N.C., associate dean for judicial affairs at Duke University, and arbitrator within the Duke University employee grievance process. She has served as a consultant to Massachusetts Institute of Technol-

ogy (MIT) and Pepperdine University on issues such as crisis management, conflict resolution, harassment, suicide, integrity, and ethics. At Duke University, MIT, Pepperdine University and within the United States Olympic Committee, Kacie has assessed, analyzed, and redesigned grievance processes and procedures to promote prevention and early resolution of conflict. She has published nationally on the topic of dispute reso-

lution processes within amateur sports and has presented on topics such as crisis intervention, conflict resolution, conflict management and ethics. In 2009, she was invited to speak before the Library of Congress about creating exemptions to the Digital Millennium Copyright Act for the purposes of using copyrighted audiovisual materials to teach law students about conflict resolution.

Kacie earned a B.A. in Art-design from Duke University, a law degree from North Carolina Central University School of Law, a master of laws in dispute resolution from Pepperdine University School of Law, and a certificate in documentary studies from Duke University. She is a William C. Friday Fellow for Human Relations within the Wildacres Leadership Initiative, whose mission is to create a network of leaders who connect across differences to develop solutions to the complex community and state challenges. She was granted an Innovation Award in 2008 from the MacArthur Foundation for the development of virtual learning and training environments to teach practitioners in the field of Conflict Resolution. Kacie also is a competitive swimmer and has ranked top ten at the state, national and international level in 5K and 10K open water swims.