



# Collaborative Lawyers of Saskatchewan

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You're invited to participate in an upcoming Tele-seminar on  
**Thursday, May 27, 2010 from 12:00 Noon - 1:00 p.m.**

The Collaborative Lawyers of Saskatchewan Inc. will present  
*"Thoughts, Experiences and Practices on Dealing with  
Domestic Abuse in Collaborative Law"*  
with **Kathryn Ford** of Kathryn J. Ford Law Office, Saskatoon, SK.

## AGENDA

### 1. Context

- The Worst Case Scenario - Statistical information regarding Homicides and Homicide/Suicides arising in Domestic Violence situations. (Report of the Coroner's Office - Ontario 2008)
- Key indicators/factors frequently present in Homicides and Homicide/Suicides

### 2. Screening Questionnaire - Model Protocol - Supreme Court of Michigan 2006.

### 3. Characteristics of spouses who, while in an abusive situation, might benefit from the collaborative Process (or mediation) - material written by Daniel Hamoline Q.C. (1993).

### 4. Thoughts, Tips, Experience dealing with abuse in the Collaborative Process.

If you would like to **register** or request a copy of the materials and audio CD **simply reply to this email**. An email confirmation and invoice will be sent to you.

We hope that you will attend; we also appreciate your support. Thank you.

Yours very truly,  
Shirley Costron Executive Director  
Collaborative Lawyers of Saskatchewan Inc.



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## TELE-SEMINAR

### "Thoughts, Experiences and Practices on Dealing with Domestic Abuse in Collaborative Law"

Presenter: **Kathryn Ford**

**THURSDAY, MAY 27, 2010**  
**12:00 ~ 1:00 PM CST**

#### **Profile of our speaker ...**

Kathryn Ford is well known for her experience and expertise in Alternate Dispute Resolution, including mediation, arbitration, and collaborative law. Although a formidable opponent in litigation, she has made the decision to give up her litigation practice entirely in order to focus on Conflict Resolution.

Kathryn is and has been actively involved in the Collaborative Lawyers Saskatchewan Inc. since its inception, including having served as a Board Member. She has taught Alternate Dispute Resolution at the College of Law, University of Saskatchewan for three terms. In addition she coached the University of Saskatchewan College of Law Canadian National Mediation Advocacy team that competed in Toronto in 2009-2010. The team went on to the international competition in Paris, France.

Kathryn presently practices at Kathryn Ford Law Office, Fifth Avenue Counselling, Mediation and Arbitration.

Kathryn obtained her LL.B. at Queen's University in 1974. She completed her mediation training in 1990, and has completed several courses including: Advanced Mediation Training in Domestic Abuse and in Comprehensive Family Mediation, Collaborative Law, Conflict Resolution Certificate Program at the British Columbia, Institute of Justice, Group Facilitation Skills Development Program (Department of Extension University of Saskatchewan), and Organizational Diagnosis at U of S with Sam Kaner, Ph. D. as trainer.

Kathryn is and has been active in her community of Saskatoon, serving the Saskatoon Health Services

Authority (Board Member); Board of Governors, Saskatoon, City Hospital (Trustee and Chairperson); the YWCA of Saskatoon; The Saskatoon Community Foundation; Collaborative Lawyers of Saskatchewan, and as a Board Member and Finance and Audit Committee Member for LutherCare Communities.

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***Please join us for this informative tele-seminar which will give you some insight into dealing with domestic abuse in Collaborative Law.***