Register at least 21 working days prior to class start date for $475; after that the fee is $495 (includes refreshments). No refunds within one week of class start date. Substitutions allowed until one day prior. Enrollment is limited to 40 participants, register online at usfsp.edu/fsc with credit or debit card only. A confirmation letter will be sent upon receipt of your registration and payment if space is available. No registration is confirmed until full payment is received. The NCPC and USFSP FSC reserve the right to cancel this activity due to unforeseen circumstances, in which the fullregistration fee will be refunded. The NCPC and USFSP FSC are not responsible for travel expenses incurred by the participants in the unlikely event that the course is canceled. No refunds will be issued unless extinguishing circumstances arise, as determined by The NCPC and USFSP.

REGISTER ONLINE AT: USFSP.edu/fsc

LOCATION:
University of South Florida St. Petersburg
Harbor Hall
Community Room
1000 3rd St. S.
St. Petersburg, FL 33701
For directions, visit usfsp.edu/fsc

COURSE SCHEDULE:
DATES:
September 13-15, 2018
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
–OR–
January 31 - February 2, 2019
9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COURSE FEES:
Register at least 21 working days prior to class start date for $475; after that the fee is $495 (includes refreshments).

Hotel Accommodations:
Closest hotel is the Hilton St. Petersburg Bayfront, to book a room please contact:

• Hilton St. Petersburg Bayfront
  333 1st Street SE
  St. Petersburg, FL 33701
  Phone: (727) 894-5000

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• Ponce de Leon
  95 Central Avenue North
  St. Petersburg, FL 33701
  Phone: (727) 550-9300

• Days Inn
  St. Petersburg Central
  650 34th Street N.
  St. Petersburg, FL 33713
  Phone: (727) 300-5425

• Hotel Indigo
  234 3rd Avenue N.
  St. Petersburg, FL 33701
  Phone: (727) 822-4814

• The Cordova Inn
  253 2nd Avenue N
  St. Petersburg, FL 33701
  Phone: (727) 822-7500

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PARENTING COORDINATION TRAINING

Parenting Coordination is a newly emerging area of practice for mental health and legal professionals. A parenting coordinator typically helps high conflict divorced and divorcing parents to implement their parenting plan by facilitating the resolution of disputes between parents and/or legal guardians, providing education, making recommendations to the parties, and, with the prior approval of the parties and the court, making decisions within the scope of the court order of appointment. In some cases, parenting coordinators may also be asked by divorcing parents to help them develop a parenting plan.

OBJECTIVES

As a result of participating in this activity, learners should be able to:

• Demonstrate knowledge of integrated parenting coordination practice
• Utilize conflict resolution techniques with high conflict parents
• Identify judicial system procedures in domestic relation cases
• Demonstrate knowledge of national guidelines and ethical standards for parenting coordinators

TARGET AUDIENCE

Registration is reserved for mental health professionals, attorneys, family mediators, individuals who possess at least a master’s degree in a mental health field and persons who may be eligible to qualify as a parenting coordinator in jurisdiction of practice. Others may enroll with permission of the instructor.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS

Attorneys: This course is approved by the Florida Bar (1709285N) for 28 general CLER credits, including 3 hours of ethics. Psychologists: The NCPC is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. The NCPC maintains responsibility for this program and its content. This activity is approved for 23.5 CE credits. Full attendance to the course is required. Partial credit will not be awarded. Mediators: Portions of this course are eligible for CME credit. Mediators are required to self-report hours applicable to their areas of certification at the time of their renewal.

FACULTY

Debra Carter, Ph.D.

She is Co-Founder of the National Cooperative Parenting Center and has participated in the development of the Child Custody Evaluation Program and the Parenting Coordinator Program for the 12th Judicial Circuit. Dr. Carter serves as primary training coordinator for both programs. She has served on the Florida Supreme Court Parenting Coordination Work group and is a frequent Parenting Coordination trainer for various state, national and international organizations. Dr. Carter is chair of the AFCC Parenting Coordination Guideline Revision Task Force and past President of the Florida Chapter of the Association of Family and Conciliation Courts and has received numerous state and national awards for her valuable contribution to the field of psychology and parenting coordination.

James McHale, Ph.D.

Dr. McHale directs the internationally recognized Family Study Center at USF St. Petersburg and serves as Executive Director for the USFSP Infant-Family Mental Health Center at Johns Hopkins All Children’s Hospital. Dr. McHale previously served as Director of Clinical Training at Clark University in Worcester, MA, and as Founding Chair of the USF St. Petersburg Department of Psychology. Currently, he serves as a member on the Steering Committee of the National Fatherhood Research and Practice Network. He has published over 70 articles on coparenting in diverse family systems, including reports concerned with present and new research directions for the Parenting Coordination field. Dr. McHale is a Past President of the Florida Association for Infant Mental Health and served as the 2004 Decade of Behavior lecturer for the World Association for Infant Mental Health. His research program examines the role of coparenting and family group dynamics in families of infant, toddler, and preschool-aged children. He also maintains active interest in preventive intervention and in family systems-guided approaches to strengthening coparenting in families of young children.

Susan Maulucci

Susan Maulucci is a Circuit Judge in the Twelfth Judicial Circuit; she just started her fourth year on the bench. Judge Maulucci presides in Manatee County and was first assigned to a Criminal Division; since January 2018 she has been assigned to a division in Family Court. Prior to her election Judge Maulucci was a Family Court Magistrate for ten years. Until 2015, she was a Certified Family Court and Dependency Court Mediator, a member of the Florida Bar Legal Needs of Children Committee and the General Magistrate Committee, and a member of the Family Court Professional Collaborative. She has been a member of the Sarasota and/or Manatee County Chapter of FAWL for more than thirty years. Judge Maulucci currently serves on the Board of Directors of FAWL Manatee.

In 2007, Judge Maulucci founded the Next Step program, which provides community support to teens “aging out” of foster care. In 2008, she co-authored an article that was published in the Florida Bar Family Law Commentator titled, The History of General and Special Masters in Florida Courts and since that time has presented several lectures on ethics and professionalism and the effective management of pro se litigants.

Prior to serving as a magistrate, Maulucci was in private practice in Sarasota for 13 years, representing clients in family, juvenile and guardianship cases. She became a certified family mediator in 1998 and a certified dependency mediator in 2000. She began her legal career as a prosecutor in the Twelfth Circuit in 1984 and was actively involved with the local Criminal Bar until 1999.

Susan Maulucci received her Bachelors of Arts degree from the University of Florida in 1979 and her Juris Doctor degree from the University of Florida, College of Law in 1982.