

**INTERNATIONAL LEGAL AFFAIRS AND
DISPUTE RESOLUTION WORKSHOP
ASCE CONSTRUCTION INSTITUTE**

Honolulu, HI, October 24-27, 2023

Call for Papers

The *Journal of Legal Affairs and Dispute Resolution (LADR)*, an ASCE journal indexed in Scopus and included in the web of science, is pleased to announce the **2023 International LADR Workshop** in **Honolulu, Hawaii**, co-sponsored by ASCE's Construction Institute (CI).

The International LADR Workshop will consist of oral presentations and full-length articles. Fully approved articles shall be published in the *Journal of Legal Affairs and Dispute Resolution in Engineering and Construction*. Further, all approved articles that are presented at the workshop shall be published in an online special collection.

Unless the situation changes, the workshop is planned to be delivered in hybrid format. On-site attendance is encouraged as the first priority.

ALL accepted manuscripts are expected to be presented at the workshop. To optimize on effort, please submit an abstract/manuscript only if you plan to attend the LADR workshop. Articles not presented shall be excluded from the special collection.

Interested authors and presenters are invited to submit **200-word abstracts** for peer review and approval. **Only approved abstracts shall be allowed to proceed to full article submission.** In general, all scholarly, feature, and case study articles for the *Journal* have upper- and lower- word limits of **10,000 and 4,500 words**, respectively. The manuscripts are reviewed by at least two reviewers + an editor.

All topics within the scope and areas of interest of the *Journal* are acceptable that pertain to areas of engineering and construction. These include, but are not limited to -

Contract law and interpretation; construction administration; claims analysis, defense, and litigation; design and construction disputes, negotiation, mediation, arbitration, and alternative dispute resolution systems; ADR applications; professional liability and negligence; public bidding law and regulation; tort and insurance law; workers' compensation; environmental law and compliance; sustainability and climate change; acts and statutes governing design and construction of public or private projects; state and federal hazardous waste law; maritime, coastal, and ocean law; real estate development and construction law; product liability; labor and employment law; administrative law; government contracts; corporate and bankruptcy law and regulation; intellectual property law; land-use law; OSHA compliance law and regulations; ethical violations giving rise to liability; and the teaching of law to engineers and construction managers.

Articles must be related to legal affairs and dispute resolution. The abstract submission deadline is **ONGOING**, and is critical to the schedule. Abstracts must be submitted with all pertinent contact information at:

https://www.conferencereviewmanager.com/International_LADR_Workshop_2023/

All [manuscripts](#) must be submitted electronically in the standard ASCE format at ASCE's Editorial Manager, <https://ascelibrary.org/journal/jladah>, by **15 Apr 2023**, but preferably earlier, *after authors receive notification of abstract approval*. Please indicate clearly in the submission's opening pages that your article is for the "2023 Intl LADR Hawaii Workshop." Also indicate in a cover letter in 2-3 sentences how you came upon to undertake to write this article and what motivated you to write it.

For this journal, the Chicago style of references must be used, divided between list of cases, list of acts and statutes, works cited, and endnotes. We encourage the use of ENDNOTES to embellish the article.

KEY DATES (PLANNED)

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| Abstract Submission: | ONGOING |
| Abstract Decision Notification: | ONGOING |
| Original Manuscript Submission: | 15-Apr-23 |
| First Review Manuscript Decision | 15-Jun-23 |
| Revised Manuscript Submission | 30-Jun-23 |
| Final Decision on Manuscript | 15-Aug-23 |
| Workshop Participation Registration | 01-Oct-23 |

VENUE

The Campus Center at the University of Hawaii at Manoa, Honolulu.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

24 Oct 2023: Welcome Reception
25-26 Oct 2023: Workshop and Sessions
27 Oct 2023: Cultural tour

REGISTRATION AND MEALS

There is no registration fee. Hence, this is a good opportunity for interested participants.

Participants shall –

- carry all expenses incurred by them
- make their own travelling and accommodation arrangements
- arrange their own ground transport to the venue at the University of HAWAII at Manoa
- pay for any meals and beverages arranged by the host.

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