

GLOBAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION & CLAIM SETTLEMENT THROUGH ADR (ALTERNATE DISPUTE RESOLUTION) IN SHIPBUILDING, MARINE CONSTRUCTION AND MARINE RMO

COURSE OBJECTIVES

To equip professionals & Engineers in shipbuilding, marine construction, offshore operations, and port infrastructure with a practical, legally robust, and internationally benchmarked framework for resolving disputes and claims through Alternate Dispute Resolution (ADR) mechanisms including Arbitration, Mediation, Conciliation, and Negotiated Settlements enabling quick and economical dispute resolution and claim settlement and avoid business disruption.

ABOUT THE COURSE

This executive training program focuses on real-world dispute scenarios arising in shipbuilding contracts, marine construction projects, offshore operations, charter hire, and marine repair & maintenance operations (RMO). Participants gain practical insight into dispute avoidance, claims management, and strategic use of ADR under international maritime practice. This ADR Program provides alternatives to litigation and formal judicial procedures to the maximum extent practical. This course will help to address Risk Mitigation at the time of Contracts formation, Statutory compliance requirements, understanding of the task, cost, and risk Reduction, understand the alternate methods of dispute resolution, streamline processes of claim settlement, increases likelihood of accelerated resolution, Improve working relationships, Mends uncomfortable working environments and save time and money for all parties.

The course blends **global best practices, case-based learning, and practitioner perspectives** drawn from international, marine construction, shipping, ports, Oil & gas and offshore construction projects.

PARTICIPANTS

- ☐ Marine & Offshore Infrastructure and Oil & gas Construction Project Managers
- ☐ Port, Harbour & Coastal Infrastructure Engineers & Surveyors
- ☐ Marine Contract, Commercial & Claims Managers
- ☐ Ship Owners, Ship Builders, Charterers & Operators
- ☐ Lawyers, Arbitrators & ADR Practitioners dealing with maritime disputes
- ☐ Senior Executives involved in marine EPC, O&M, and RMO contracts

DURATION

Two days

KEY TOPICS

- ☐ Business Environment, Investment Trends & Overview of the Maritime Industry
- ☐ Prevalent Laws, International Treaties, Codes & Guidelines in Marine Construction
- ☐ Role of Regulatory Bodies in Shipbuilding & Marine Construction
- ☐ Legal Aspects of Maritime Contracts
- ☐ Integration of Key Risk Areas and Dispute Avoidance Clauses
- ☐ Techniques of Dispute Resolution with Focus on Alternate Dispute Resolution (ADR)
- ☐ ADR Procedures & Methods: Negotiation, Reconciliation, Mediation & Arbitration
- ☐ Identifying the Correct Application of Each Dispute Resolution Method
- ☐ International Dispute Resolution through Arbitration
- ☐ Guidance on Preparation & Strategy for Different ADR Processes
- ☐ Case Studies from Shipbuilding, Marine Construction & Offshore Projects



Trainer & Course Director
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Advocate Surendra Mishra is an Eminent Jurist & practicing lawyer at the Bombay High Court and a Mediator with the MP State Consumer Dispute Redressal Commission, brings 37years + international professional and corporate leadership experience. His career has unfolded at the highest levels of public and corporate governance, with sustained engagements alongside sovereign and quasi-sovereign Government institutions, including Oil and Natural Gas Corporation, India as Chief Manager (offshore Logistics) Abu Dhabi National Oil Company UAE (as Sr Advisor-Contracts) , Kuwait Oil Company Kuwait (Advisor – Marine Export) , Qatar Energy Qatar (Advisor -contracts) , multinational enterprises including Sun Petro (E&P) (CCO/Head- Commercial &SCM) well perform Denmark (Principal consultant -Contracts &legal), and the Asian Development Bank (ADB) (Deputy Director -S&P).

Educated across the disciplines of Mechanical Engineering, Materials Management, Business Administration, and Law (B.E., PGDMM, MBA, LLB, LLM), he embodies a rare intellectual synthesis of technical reasoning, commercial judgment, and legal doctrine. His scholarly and professional expertise covers policy & strategy, contract architecture and governance, competitive international bidding, negotiation, FIDIC & BIMCO contracts, Incoterms, SAP. AI, e-procurement. digital transformation, transference etc. for marine infrastructure & ship building, charter hire of Rigs & vessels, public procurement, Supply Chain & Logistics, regulatory compliance, corporate governance, Incoterms and the resolution of complex disputes through litigation, arbitration, and mediation.

Advocate Mishra is also engaged as Director at Asian Institute ,Chief Consultant at ERPMC , Subject Matter Expert at SunPetro (E&P), International Business Advisor, Visiting Faculty to RCVP NAAM, Govt of MP , Insurance Institute of India and Senior Marine-Training &Education faculty at IR Class Academy , where he contributes to capacity building and advanced applied business & engineering instruction across the Oil & Gas, marine, ports, Industry, Government and infrastructure domains.