

JAMS Fact Sheet



JAMS is the largest private alternative dispute resolution (ADR) provider in the world. With its prestigious panel of neutrals, JAMS specializes in mediating and arbitrating complex, multi-party business/commercial cases—those in which the choice of neutral is crucial.

Founded 1979

The Experts Nearly 350 full-time neutrals, including retired judges and attorneys with proven track records. 195 employee associates.

ADR Options Facilitative and evaluative mediation, binding arbitration, neutral analysis, settlement conference, mini trial, summary jury trial, neutral expert fact finding, special master, discovery referee, class action settlement adjudication, project neutral and dispute review board services.

Cases Handled JAMS panelists resolve multi-party, complex cases in virtually all areas of the law. JAMS handles an average of 13,000 cases per year in hearing locations throughout the world.

Resolution Rate Based on past results, JAMS takes pride that almost all of the cases mediated—even the most complex ones—are successfully resolved.

Case Types Antitrust, Bankruptcy, Business, Class Action, Commercial, Construction, Construction Defect, E-Discovery, Education, Employment, Engineering and Construction, Entertainment and Sports, Environment, Family, Federal, Financial Markets, Franchise, Government, Health Care, Insurance/Reinsurance, Intellectual Property, Landlord/Tenant, Lender Liability, Professional Malpractice, Marital Dissolution, Mass Tort, Partnership, Personal Injury, Probate, Product Liability, Public Policy, Real Estate, Securities, Toxic Tort, Trusts and Estates.

Educational Programs and MCLEs JAMS offers select seminars, workshops and external educational programs that aid organizations and individuals in resolving their own disputes. JAMS also offers a range of training programs for our panelists.

JAMS conducts hundreds of complimentary ADR workshops and MCLE programs each year. Each program is tailored to meet the needs and experience level of the specific audience, and MCLE credit is provided where applicable.

JAMS International **JAMS International** is headquartered in London, with additional locations in the EU plus a network of affiliates, including JAMS Ireland, JAMS (United States), ADR Center (Italy), Result ADR Group (the Netherlands),

ADR Partners (Serbia), Arab Mediation Centre (Egypt), IIPAC (South Korea), Neutrales ADR (Spain) and Shanghai Commercial Mediation Center (China). JAMS International helps to meet a need for efficient and cost-effective dispute resolution with high quality panelists and resources.

Community Service

In 2002, JAMS established the **JAMS Foundation** and the **JAMS Society** as a way of giving back to local, national and international communities.

The JAMS Foundation, funded entirely by generous contributions from JAMS neutrals and associates, has provided more than \$6 million in grant funding for conflict resolution initiatives with national and international impact since its inception. The Foundation established the **Weinstein JAMS International Fellowship Program** in 2008 to provide opportunities for individuals from other countries to visit the United States, learn more about dispute resolution processes and practices and to pursue a project of their own design that serves to advance the resolution of disputes in their home countries. The Foundation also established the annual **Warren Knight Award**, which provides a \$25,000 grant to an organization that promotes dispute prevention and conflict resolution.

JAMS neutrals and associates are proud to make a difference by giving back to their communities. JAMS neutrals throughout the country provide hundreds of hours of pro bono ADR services to local community organizations, legal associations and nonprofits in need of dispute resolution services. The JAMS Society was created in 2001 to recognize and support volunteer opportunities and community involvement for JAMS Associates at a local, “hands-on” level. All associates are encouraged to become members of their local Society to collaborate on outreach programs or to work individually on a project of their choice.

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