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## **FDR Training Agenda and Highly-Anticipated Sessions Announced**

*The 2020 event will provide attendees with unparalleled training opportunities and the chance to get expert answers from industry leaders.*

**PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. – April 22, 2020 – FDR Training**, the nation’s leading dispute resolution training event attracting influential decision-makers from nearly every federal agency, announced program details for the 2020 event. The program will feature workshops and sessions covering a variety of topics including EEO, HR, LR, ER, Alternative Dispute Resolution, Legal Issues, and much more. FDR Training will be held August 9 – 13, 2020 as an in-person or virtual event as COVID-19 related circumstances dictate.

At FDR Training, attendees will expand their knowledge while meeting 2020 training requirements through timely and relevant workshops and sessions. The FDR-exclusive *Town Hall Conversations* and *Ask the Experts* sessions will give attendees specific time for open dialogues with renowned federal leaders from agencies including the OPM, FLRA, FMCS, MSPB, and OSC.

“We are very excited about this year’s FDR Training program,” said Leslie Lake, Vice President, Federal Editorial, LRP Media Group. “By presenting the most relevant content and learning opportunities available, we will provide federal practitioners with the professional training they need.”

Professionals who register for a Premium or Workshops Only Pass will have the opportunity to attend the three workshops including **Putting Your Best Foot Forward: EEO Counselor and Investigator Refresher Training**. This interactive workshop for EEO Counselors and Investigators will deliver the 8 hours of annual training as required by the EEOC. The use of scenarios, role-playing, quizzing, and gamification will maximize audience participation and help attendees brush up on skills and techniques as a counselor or investigator to respond effectively to challenging discrimination issues.

Attendees will also have opportunities to learn from federal experts and leaders during the two training plenaries:

- **Opening Plenary – Igniting FDR! Breaking Through Barriers:** Tinisha Agramonte, Justin Hale and Ryan Sallans will use their diverse experiences to present about the significant barriers they have faced and share their individual strategies for breaking through to success in a dynamic series of 20-minute stand-up talks.
- **Wednesday Plenary – Hurdling Adversity and Creating a New Normal:** Paralympics Silver Medalist John Register will share techniques to overcome life’s barriers and create a fulfilling “new normal”.

Sessions and Workshops will follow 8 distinct tracks including *Alternative Dispute Resolution, Ask the Experts, Attorney/Legal, cyberFEDS® Users Group, Equal Employment Opportunity, Human Resources, Labor Relations & Employee Relations, and Town Hall Conversations.*

Registration is open for FDR Training 2020. For more information and to register visit [www.FDRtraining.com](http://www.FDRtraining.com).

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### **About FDR Training**

**FDR Training** provides a variety and breadth of topics such as EEO, HR, LR, ER, Alternative Dispute Resolution, Legal Issues, and more to provide federal practitioners with authoritative guidance and best practices to avoid costly claims and to keep agencies compliant and running efficiently. Annually, FDR's Advisory Board, composed of experienced practitioners, carefully selects timely and relevant session topics to ensure that top federal challenges are covered. FDR Training also creates a rare opportunity to hear from and speak directly with leaders of the EEOC, FLRA, FMCS, MSPB, OPM and OSC in Town Hall Conversations while providing an opportunity to connect with peers from other agencies from across the nation. Additionally, attendees experience training to most effectively use *cyberFEDS®*, the most comprehensive online resource for federal civil service law, to meet daily workplace challenges. For more details, visit [www.FDRtraining.com](http://www.FDRtraining.com) or call 1-800-727-1227.

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