

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Far too many colleagues deserve our warm thanks than we can list here. First and foremost, of course, are our 43 contributing writers (to date.) Also key to this effort, and a great comfort at certain moments of doubt, have been our steering committee members: it would be impossible to imagine a more perceptive or more incisive team of advisers than Jay Folberg, Roy Lewicki, Carrie Menkel-Meadow, Frank Sander, Andrea Schneider, Richard Shell and Michael Wheeler. We thank Michael Wheeler (again) and Nancy Waters at the Program on Negotiation at Harvard Law School for giving us the special *Negotiation Journal* issue, and Nancy in particular for her superb editing. Special thanks also to Adam Kamp, a Bakken Fellow and law student at Hamline University School of Law, who has been along for the ride from the very beginning, providing consummate production assistance. Also essential at Hamline has been Debra Berghoff, whose mastery of software has made our lives much easier.

Separately, this book would have been impossible without the support of the JAMS Foundation. The Foundation's early commitment to this project was instrumental to its launch. And the project grant permits us not only to disseminate the book widely, but also to secure translation of excerpts into several languages (Arabic, Turkish, and Chinese translations are in the works).

Finally, for brilliant teachers who are accustomed to having full control of a course, it is not a small thing to construct and teach only a small part of a course designed by a committee, and to do that gracefully and in front of 50 experienced peers poised to pick apart everything you say and do. Extra thanks are owed by all of those participating in this effort to the Rome teaching team – Chris Guthrie, Michelle LeBaron, Andrea Schneider (again), Catherine Tinsley, John Wade, and Michael Wheeler (who with this third role earns the title of Principal Recidivist.)

To follow future developments of the project initiative, please visit: <http://www.hamline.edu/law/adr/negotiation2.0>. There you will find the latest project updates, lists of participating scholars and writings generated to date, and information concerning the special *Negotiation Journal* issue that complements this book.