

NAME OF PANEL: ACS Chicago: Supreme Court Term in Review & Look Ahead

DATE | TIME | LOCATION: Monday, October 3, 2022 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. CT, Chicago-Kent College of Law, Morris Hall, 565 W. Adams Street, Chicago, IL 60661

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: Please join the ACS Chicago Lawyer Chapter, ACS Chicago-Kent Student Chapter, ACLU of Illinois, and Mayer Brown for our annual Supreme Court hybrid event. The most recent U.S. Supreme Court term was the most conservative in a century and the catastrophic decisions handed down included cases on abortion, religious liberty, rights of residents of Puerto Rico, criminal defendants' rights, voting rights, Indigenous rights, and free speech.

The program includes a discussion with legal experts of trends in the Supreme Court and the federal judiciary, the importance of the fight ahead in state courts, and the ongoing repercussions of last term. Panelists will also answer audience questions. Note: There will be COVID-19 protections at the event; read the [COVID-19 guidelines](#).

PANELISTS' NAMES AND BIOS:

- **Colleen Connell**, Executive Director, ACLU of Illinois and Member, ACS Chicago Lawyer Chapter Board of Advisors
- **Ami Gandhi**, Senior Counsel, Chicago Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights
- **Juan F. Perea**, Curt and Linda Rodin Professor of Law and Social Justice, Loyola University Chicago School of Law and Member, ACS Chicago Lawyer Chapter Board of Advisors
- **Michael A. Scodro**, Partner, Mayer Brown
- **Steven D. Schwinn**, Professor of Law, University of Illinois Chicago Law School and Member, ACS Chicago Lawyer Chapter Board of Advisors

Moderated by:

- **Steve Sanders**, Professor of Law, Indiana University Maurer School of Law

AGENDA FOR PANEL:

- 12:00 p.m. Program begins, Introductions and Acknowledgments
- 12:05 – 1:00 p.m. Individual presentations by five panelists, 10-11 minutes each, each focusing on one to two cases drawn from the U.S. Supreme Court's October 2021 or October 2022 terms
- 1:00 – 1:15 p.m. Moderated group discussion among the panelists
- 1:15-1:30 p.m. Audience Q&A with panelists

MATERIALS FOR PANEL:

- [Brief of Petitioner](#), 303 Creative LLC v. Elenis, No. 21-476 (May 26, 2022).

- [Brief on the Merits for Respondents](#), 303 Creative LLC v. Elenis, No. 21-476 (Aug. 12, 2022).
- Amy Howe, [Justices will hear free-speech claim from website designer who opposes same-sex marriage](#), SCOTUSBLOG (Feb. 22, 2022)
- [Brief for Appellants](#), Merrill v. Milligan, No.21-1086 & No.21-1087 (Apr. 25, 2022).
- [Brief for Caster Respondents](#), Merrill v. Milligan, No.21-1086 & No.21-1087 (Jul. 11, 2022).
- [Brief for Milligan Appellees](#), Merrill v. Milligan, No.21-1086 (Jul. 11, 2022).
- Amy Howe, [In 5-4 vote, justices reinstate Alabama voting map despite lower court's ruling that it dilutes Black votes](#), SCOTUSBLOG (Feb. 7, 2022)
- [Brief for Petitioners](#), Moore v. Harper, No. 21-1271(Aug. 29, 2022).
- [Brief in Opposition of Respondents North Carolina League of Conservation Voters, Inc. et al.](#), Moore v. Harper, No. 21-1271 (May 20, 2022).
- [Brief in Opposition by State Respondents](#), Moore v. Harper, No. 21-1271 (May 20, 2022).
- [Brief in Opposition of Respondent Common Cause](#), Moore v. Harper, No. 21-1271 (May 20, 2022).
- [Brief for Harper Respondents in Opposition](#), Moore v. Harper, No. 21-1271 (May 20, 2022).
- Amy Howe, [Justices will hear case that tests power of state legislatures to set rules for federal elections](#), SCOTUSBLOG (June 30, 2022)
- [Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization](#), No. 19–1392. (Sup. Ct. 2021)
- Amy Howe, [Supreme Court overturns constitutional right to abortion](#), SCOTUSBLOG (June, 24 2022)
- [Brief for Petitioner](#), U.S. v. Texas, No. 22-58, (Sept. 12, 2022)
- Amy Howe, [Divided court declines to reinstate Biden's immigration guidelines, sets case for argument this fall](#), SCOTUSBLOG (July 21, 2022)
- [Brief by University Respondents](#), Students for Fair Admissions, Inc. v. University of North Carolina, No. 21-707 (July 25, 2022)
- [Brief for Respondent-Students](#), Students for Fair Admissions, Inc. v. University of North Carolina, N No. 21-707 (July 25, 2022)
- [Brief for Petitioner](#), Students for Fair Admissions Inc. v. President & Fellows of Harvard College, No. 20-1199 (May 2, 2022)
- [Brief for Respondent](#), Students for Fair Admissions Inc. v. President & Fellows of Harvard College, No. 20-1199 (May 2, 2022)
- Amy Howe, [Court will hear challenges to affirmative action at Harvard and University of North Carolina](#), SCOTUSBLOG (Jan. 24, 2022)
- [Brief for Federal Respondents in Opposition](#), Brackeen v. Haaland, No. 21-380 (Dec. 8, 2021)
- [Reply Brief for Petitioners](#), Brackeen v. Haaland, No. 21-380 (Dec. 22, 2021)

- Amy Howe, [Justices agree to review constitutionality of Indian Child Welfare Act](#), SCOTUSBLOG (Feb. 28, 2022)