



NAME OF EVENT: ACS National Supreme Court Preview 2026-2027

DATE | TIME | LOCATION: October 20, 2026 | 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. ET | Virtual

BRIEF DESCRIPTION: In recent years, the Roberts Court has fundamentally reshaped constitutional law. This Term, the Court will take up cases that could have profound implications for civil rights, public safety, and the health of our democracy. How far will the Court go to further transform voting rights, access to the courts to pursue accountability for law enforcement abuses, protections for gender and sexual minorities, gun violence prevention efforts, and other civil and constitutional rights?

SPEAKERS' NAMES AND BIOS:

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Agenda of Panel: 1:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. (1.5 hours of CLE)

- Introductions / Opening Remarks (5 min)
- Moderated Discussion (70 min)
- Q&A (15 min)

Materials for Panel:

Viramontes v. Cook County

[Brief of Petitioners](#), *Viramontes v. Cook County*, No. 25-238 (Aug. 28, 2026).

[Brief for the United States as Amicus Curiae in Support of Petitioners](#), *Viramontes v. Cook County*, No. 25-238 (Sept. 4, 2026).

[Respondents' Brief in Opposition](#), *Viramontes v. Cook County*, No. 25-238 (Oct. 29, 2025).

Nielsen v. Watanabe

[Brief of Petitioner](#), *Nielsen v. Watanabe*, No. 25-417 (Aug. 14, 2026).

[Brief of Respondent](#), *Nielsen v. Watanabe*, No. 25-417 (Sept. 23, 2026).



Brief of Amicus Curiae of Professor Stephen I. Vladeck, *Nielsen v. Watanabe*, No. 25-417 (Sept. 30, 2026).

International Partners for Ethical Care, Inc. v. Ferguson

Brief for the Petitioners, *International Partners for Ethical Care, Inc. v. Ferguson*, No. 25-840 (Sept. 8, 2026).

Respondents' Brief in Opposition, *International Partners for Ethical Care, Inc. v. Ferguson*, No. 25-840 (May 14, 2026).

Crowther v. Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia

Brief of Petitioners, *Crowther v. Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia*, No. 25-183 (July 10, 2026).

Brief of Respondents, *Crowther v. Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia*, No. 25-183 (Aug. 17, 2026).

Brief amici curiae of National Women's Law Center, *Crowther v. Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia*, No. 25-183 (July 17, 2026).

Brief amicus curiae of Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund, Inc., *Crowther v. Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia*, No. 25-183 (July 17, 2026).

Republican National Committee v. Mi Familia Vota

Brief of Petitioner, *Republican National Committee v. Mi Familia Vota*, No. 25-1017 (Aug. 28, 2026).

Brief of Respondents Arizona, et al. in Partial Support of Petitioner, *Republican National Committee v. Mi Familia Vota*, No. 25-1017 (Aug. 28, 2026).

Brief of Respondents Mi Familia Vota, et al., *Republican National Committee v. Mi Familia Vota*, No. 25-1017 (Oct. 13, 2026).

Additional Materials

District of Columbia v. Heller, 554 U.S. 570 (2008)

Bivens v. Six Unknown Named Agents of Fed. Bureau of Narcotics, 403 U.S. 388 (1971)

United States v. Skrmetti, 605 U.S. ____ (2025)

Arizona v. Inter Tribal Council of Ariz., Inc., 570 U.S. 1 (2013)

Louisiana v. Callais, 608 U.S. ____ (2026)