“Maternal Mortality and Xákmok Kásek Indigenous Community v. Paraguay (Inter-American Court of Human Rights)”

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The O’Neill Institute for National and Global Health Law and the Human Rights Institute at Georgetown University will jointly host a panel discussion on the Inter-American Court of Human Rights’ case Xákmok Kásek Indigenous Community v. Paraguay. The panel will focus on the Court’s decision and its implications for maternal mortality in indigenous communities, including a discussion on a recent Inter-American Commission report on maternal mortality.