DATE: Monday, September 23, 2012
TIME: 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast
6:00 a.m. Program
PLACE: Gewirz Building, 12th Floor

MODERATOR: Irv Gornstein, Executive Director, Georgetown Law Supreme Court Institute

PANELISTS: Professors Pamela Harris and Marty Lederman, Georgetown Law
Paul D. Clement, Bancroft PLLC
Kannon Shanmugam, Williams & Connolly LLP

TOPICS and CASES:

Topic: Equal Protection – Affirmative Action
Case: Schuette v. Coalition to Defend Affirmative Action
(State ban on racial preferences in university admissions)

Topic: First Amendment – Religion – Establishment Clause
Case: Town of Greece v. Galloway
(Establishment Clause challenge to legislative prayer)

Topic: First Amendment – Speech – Campaign Finance
Case: McCutcheon v. Federal Election Commission
(aggregate limits on campaign contributions under federal election law)

Topic: First Amendment – Speech – Abortion Protest
Case: McCullen v. Coakley
(abortion clinic buffer zone)

Topic: Recess Appointments
Case: National Labor Relations Board v. Noel Canning
(Presidential appointments to executive vacancies during Senate recess)

Topic: Treaty and Commerce Powers
Case: Bond v. United States
(federal prosecution of local crime under Chemical Weapons Ban)

Topic: Abortion
Case: Cline v. Oklahoma Coalition for Reproductive Justice
(State-imposed limitations on medically induced abortion)
**Topic:** Fair Housing Act

**Case:** *Mount Holly v. Mt. Holly Gardens Citizens in Action*  
(viability of disparate impact claim of race discrimination under FHA)

**Topic:** First Amendment – Religion – Free Exercise

**Cases:** *Conestoga Wood Specialties Corp. v. HHS* (3d Cir., July 26, 2013)  
*Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc. v. Sebelius* (10th Cir., June 23, 2013) (en banc)  
(federal mandate to cover contraception in employee health benefits)