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FLORIDA STATE LAW EXPERTS: U.S. SUPREME COURT 2008 TERM

TALLAHASSEE — Florida State College of Law experts, some of the best legal minds in the nation, are available to discuss cases that will be heard by the United States Supreme Court during its upcoming term.

OCTOBER 6: *Altria Group v. Good* (07-562) — Preemption, “light” cigarettes

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OCTOBER 6: *Vaden v. Discover Bank* (07-773) — Federal jurisdiction, arbitration

- **Robin Kundis Craig**, Attorneys’ Title Insurance Fund Professor, can be reached at 850.644.0726 or rcraig@law.fsu.edu. She is an expert on all things water.

OCTOBER 7: *Herring v. United States* (07-513) — Fourth Amendment, police error

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OCTOBER 7: *Arizona v. Gant* (07-542) — Fourth Amendment, car searches

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OCTOBER 8: *Winter, et al. v. Natural Resources Defense Council, Inc., et al.* (07-1239) — Navy sonar, separation of powers

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OCTOBER 8: *Crawford v. Metropolitan Government of Nashville* (06-1595) — Title VII, retaliation

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OCTOBER 8: *Summers, et al. v. Earth Island Institute, et al.* (07-463) — Environmental, justiciability

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OCTOBER 14: *Bartlett v. Strickland* (07-689) — Voting Rights Act, minority districts

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OCTOBER 14: *Pearson v. Callahan* (07-751) — 4th Amendment, qualified immunity

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OCTOBER 14: *Oregon v. Ice* (07-901) — Sixth Amendment, consecutive sentences

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NOVEMBER 3: *Wyeth v. Levine* (06-1249) — Preemption, drug labels

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NOVEMBER 3: *Ysursa v. Pocatello Education Association* (07-869) — First Amendment, payroll deductions

- **Nat Stern**, John W. & Ashley E. Frost Professor, is a constitutional law expert. He can be reached at 850.644.1801 or nstern@law.fsu.edu.

NOVEMBER 3: *Carciari v. Kempthorne* (07-526) — Indian Law, federal-state power

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NOVEMBER 4: *FCC v. Fox Television Stations* (07-582) — Administrative law, “fleeting expletives”

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NOVEMBER 5: *Van de Kamp v. Goldstein* (07-854) — Prosecutorial immunity, wrongful convictions

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NOVEMBER 10: *Melendez-Diaz v. Massachusetts* (07-591) — Confrontation Clause, forensic analysts

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NOVEMBER 12: *Pleasant Grove City, UT v. Sumnum* (07-665) — First Amendment, public monuments

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DECEMBER 1: *Kansas v. Colorado* (105, Orig.) — Arkansas River

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DECEMBER 2: *Entergy Corp. v. EPA* (07-588) and consolidated cases — Clean Water Act, cooling structures

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DECEMBER 2: *Fitzgerald, et vir v. Barnstable School Committee, et al.* (07-1125) — Sex discrimination, Title IX

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DECEMBER 3: *Philip Morris USA, Inc. v. Williams* (07-1216) — Punitive damages, state bars

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DECEMBER 3: *Haywood v. Drown* (07-10374) — State court jurisdiction, federal constitutional claims

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DECEMBER 8: *Pacific Bell Telephone Co., dba AT&T California v. linkLine Communications* (07-512) — Antitrust, "price squeeze" claims

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DECEMBER 9: *Arizona v. Johnson* (07-1122) — 4th Amendment, passenger searches

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UNSCHEDULED: *Coeur Alaska, Inc. v. Southeast Alaska Conservation Council, et al. and Alaska v. Southeast Alaska Conservation Council, et al. (07-984/07-990)* — Clean Water Act, fill permits

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