

**Date :** 9/13/2021 10:30:01 AM

**From :** "Freels,Jessica Bennett" jessica.freels@louisville.edu

**To :** "Gregg II.,Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu, "[REDACTED]"

**Subject :** RE: Loose ends?

Sorry for the confusion on the hotel. Dr. Gregg, I just spoke with [REDACTED] and we have everything figured out.

Thanks,

Jessica Freels  
McConnell Center  
University of Louisville  
502/852-1473

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**From:** Gregg II.,Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 10:21 AM

**To:** Freels,Jessica Bennett <jessica.freels@louisville.edu>; [REDACTED]

<[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: Loose ends?

I do believe we are paying for the hotel, Jessica. And whatever other expenses they submit. Unless [REDACTED] tells me that is wrong.

-- Gary L. Gregg, II, PhD

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**From:** Freels,Jessica Bennett <jessica.freels@louisville.edu>

**Date:** Monday, September 13, 2021 at 10:17 AM

**To:** Gregg II.,Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>, [REDACTED]

<[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** RE: Loose ends?

Good Morning,

[REDACTED] would you be able to give me a call at the number below? It would be easier if we had the hotel give you bill for her room, etc. and you pay the hotel directly. I can let the hotel know to separate the charges accordingly.

Thanks so much!

Jessica Freels  
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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 10:15 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Freels, Jessica Bennett  
<[jessica.freels@louisville.edu](mailto:jessica.freels@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Re: Loose ends?

Thanks [REDACTED]

I am copying Jessica Freels who can work with you on expenses and will send her bat.

Let me know if there are any issues.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, September 13, 2021 at 10:08 AM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Loose ends?

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Good morning Gary,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] I think all I need to know is how to submit reimbursable expenses; that's all I can think of for now.

Regarding the bat, it can be sent to her at Supreme Court of the United States, [REDACTED]

Thanks very much for your efforts on this event.

All my best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 9:54 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Loose ends?

[REDACTED]

The Justice was delightful and brilliant yesterday. I hope she enjoyed herself. I know it must be difficult spending even more time away from home for her, so I hope she ended up enjoying the event and finding it worthwhile. It was a wonderful speech and really fantastic civic education for our audience and our kids.

Thanks for helping put this together.

Are there any loose ends on your end I need to deal with? Do you want copies of the photographs that we won't otherwise be posting? Yes, we understand any photos are for personal use.

Is there a good address you would like to give me to send her Louisville Slugger?

We also still have Justice Kavanaugh's bat from his visit in 2020 so I better get that out as well!

Thanks again for the great work. It was a very successful event.

Gary

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Date : 8/6/2021 1:48:46 PM  
From : "Gregg II, Gary L." glgreg01@louisville.edu  
To : "[REDACTED]" "Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider" glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu  
Cc : "[REDACTED]" "[REDACTED]"  
Subject : Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Pardon my delay. Please see below.

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From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
Date: Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
To: Gary Gregg <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
Cc: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]>  
Subject: RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Dear Dr. Gregg,

We understand Justice Barrett will travel to Louisville for the McConnell Center's lecture series on September 13. Although the schedule and plans have not yet been finalized, we wanted to reach out to remind you that our office will assist Chambers with reviewing draft materials and communications plans related to Justice Barrett's visit. We look forward to working with you again.

There's still quite a bit of time before September but, at the appropriate time, please provide for our review and approval any draft materials that mention the Justice (invitations, website and social media posts, programs, press releases, etc.) before publication or release. Closer to September, we would appreciate a heads up before you plan to announce the event and the opportunity to review any proposed announcements. As in the past, we will also assist in reviewing any proposed communications or media plans for all elements of the Justice's visit.

I am copying GlyptusAnn Grider Jones on this message. She is in charge of messaging/ promotion on our end and will share with you materials before we launch.

We do need to know if there is a hold on announcements until a specific date.



As you know, due to judicial ethics rules the Justice may not be a speaker, a guest of honor, or featured on the program of a fundraising event. In general, we consider an event to be a fundraiser if revenues from the event are expected to exceed its costs or if guests are asked for donations at the event. Would you please confirm that none of the events Justice Barrett will participate in during her visit are fundraisers?

This event will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations but we will NOT ask for donations and will not be charging attendance. So, it will be a fund-loser for us, rather than a fund raiser.

We would be happy to provide the Justice's official photo and bio, if that would be helpful as you prepare any draft materials associated with the Justice's visit. Please let us know if you need anything further at this time or if you have any questions. We look forward to working with you on this event.

Please, yes, send official photo and bio . . . it would be helpful to have an official SHORT bio of 3 or 4 sentences and a more complete bio

Thank you.

GLG

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Deputy Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM  
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

[REDACTED]

Thanks for reaching out so quickly. We are, well, no one knows but me, but I AM very excited about Justice Barrett's visit!

As for dates, we are wide open on my side of things. I assume you would want this in September before the Fall Term. We would have open dates from August 30 to September 17 and possibly some the following week. On or around September 17<sup>th</sup> would be a pretty amazing Constitution Day Address! We can expand from that some before August 30 and after the 17<sup>th</sup> but those would be limited by the start of school and then us taking our soldiers in our program on a road trip the final part of September.

Of course, I can't speak for Senator McConnell's schedule and we would have to get his to line up with ours. Generally, if the Senate is in session, Monday mornings and Friday afternoon/ evenings generally work best for him.

If you have any dates that work for the Justice now, I can then go back and check with the Senator. OR, if you prefer, we can check with him schedule—though he is not in control of the schedule up there anymore, so he might be limited as well.

Looking forward to the next steps and all steps from here to there.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Good afternoon Dr. Gregg,

I wanted to introduce myself as Justice Barrett's [REDACTED] and contact person for her visit later this year to speak at the Center as part of its Distinguished Speaker Series. We will wait to hear from you regarding possible dates and other considerations as the time draws nearer.

With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date :** 4/8/2021 10:48:02 AM  
**From :** "Gregg II, Gary L." glgreg01@louisville.edu  
**To :** "[REDACTED]"  
**Cc :** "'Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov'"  
Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov  
**Subject :** Re: McConnell Center Talk

Thank you, [REDACTED] Stef, any of those can work on my end. If I were in full control, I would probably pick the September 13 date as its during Constitution Week and that would be a great reason to have her here! But, I would be happy with any of those that we can work out.

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 7, 2021 at 4:24 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:**  
"'Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov'" <Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov>  
**Subject:** McConnell Center Talk

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Hello Dr. Gregg,

Justice Barrett's schedule has firmed up a little for September, so she wanted me to give the possibilities of Friday, Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> or Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup> for the event, or Monday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, and see if any of those worked with Sen. McConnell's schedule.

With thanks,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]



**Date :** 4/12/2021 11:00:38 AM  
**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L." glgreg01@louisville.edu  
**To :** [REDACTED]  
**Subject :** Re: McConnell Center Talk

Great. I look forward to working on it with you and figuring this out.

GLG

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Monday, April 12, 2021 at 10:54 AM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>, "'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)'" <Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov>  
**Cc:** "Steinberg, Sarah (McConnell)" <Sarah\_Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Talk

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 10:52 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]; 'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)' <Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov>  
**Cc:** Steinberg, Sarah (McConnell) <Sarah\_Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Talk

This is fantastic news!

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Looking forward to working out the details.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Monday, April 12, 2021 at 10:10 AM  
**To:** "'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)'" <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>, Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Talk

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I will put that date on the Justice's calendar and we'll proceed from there. If my memory serves me correctly, the earlier part of the day is better for Sen. McConnell on Mondays, but we will work out the details in the coming days.

Thank you all!

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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**From:** Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell) <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 9:56 AM  
**To:** 'Gregg II, Gary L.' <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>; [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Steinberg, Sarah (McConnell) <[Sarah\\_Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Sarah_Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Talk

The 13<sup>th</sup> is good for the Leader! Happy to lock in if that works for everyone.

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**From:** Gregg II, Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 8, 2021 10:48 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell) <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Talk

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 7, 2021 at 4:24 PM  
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**Cc:**  
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With thanks,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]



**Date :** 6/10/2021 2:31:47 PM  
**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L." glgreg01@louisville.edu  
**To :** "[REDACTED]"  
**Subject :** Re: Question about September Event

We can have our travel agency do it.

[REDACTED]

I assume she does not have anything else "on" her schedule for her time in Louisville at this time that I need to plan around?

Sorry for the delay. September seems far away--but I know it isn't! Denial!

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 2:19 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Subject:** Question about September Event

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Hello Gary,

I hope things are going well in Louisville.

Justice and I looked at some flights for September so my question to you is this: should I book her flight and send someone at the Center her receipts for reimbursement after the event, or is this something that you have an on-campus travel agency do for your speakers?

Many thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]



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Date : 6/29/2021 1:50:44 PM

From : "Gregg II, Gary L." glgreg01@louisville.edu

To : "[REDACTED]"

Cc : "[REDACTED]" "[REDACTED]"

Subject : Re: Question about September Event

This all sounds fine and doable for us.

Thank you.

The big remaining question will be WHEN we can start telling people this plan and inviting people. We are flexible, but as we hope to make this part of an alumni weekend-kind of program, we hope we can do that with as much time for people to plan as possible.

Thank you. We will develop a plan based on all this.

Gary

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From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Date: Monday, June 28, 2021 at 8:42 AM

To: Gary Gregg <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Cc: "[REDACTED]" <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]>

Subject: RE: Question about September Event

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Good morning Gary,

I had a chance to speak with Justice Barrett about your questions and can provide the following answers for you:

Justice Barrett will prepare short remarks (no more than 15-20 minutes) followed by Q&A. She would like the questions submitted in advance and asked by a central questioner, or students/alums/audience could be chosen in advance to ask the questions. She does not want to field inappropriate questions in the moment.

She does not want livestreaming or filming.

The public talk is open to the press.

She would like a podium when she gives her remarks, so whatever would work best for both the talk and the Q&A, but she feels a lav mic would be better for the Q&A.

She is fine with including soldiers in the private session.

I am copying [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] from our Public Information Office in case they see anything out of place here.

My thanks to all for your help.

Best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Sent: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 7:31 PM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Re: Question about September Event

[REDACTED]

Please pardon my delay. I am on the road and not finding much time to get to such matters.

No wrench at all on our end. We had not moved anything on it.

Will she be seeking reimbursement for travel? We have not done that for a member of the Court, that I recall, so I am not sure what the ins and outs of such would be on either end, though I am sure it is possible on my end if it is possible and sought on your end.

On the speech, I have several thoughts/ observations:

1. I generally don't tell anyone what to speak about, and certainly not a member of our highest court!
2. Chief Justice Roberts and Justices Gorsuch and Thomas handled it very differently. The Chief gave remarks which I think were on the

short side and then took questions from a panel--one professor, one lawyer/alumni, and one student, as I recall. Gorsuch gave a more formal speech and then did not take any q/a, again, if I recall correctly. Thomas gave a formal speech and then took questions from cards submitted to a central questioner.

3. Most of our non-Justice major speakers give 30 minute remarks--usually fairly formal--and then take q/a in one way or another. We can do q/a in any number of ways from open mic to screened cards, to particularly chosen questioners. We are totally flexible.
4. She can really speak about anything on her mind.
5. This will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary programming here at the Center, so a reflection on that in her remarks will be welcome.
6. The audience for her to consider will be: McConnell Scholars and our alumni, 30 U. S. Army soldiers, and then members of the community and friends of the McConnell Center including some judges and such. So, think of engaged, interested, smart, bi-partisan audience.
7. I assume the public talk will also be open to the press? That is our preference for sure.
8. She will need to decide if we can have this filmed/ broadcast outside the room. Most all our speakers do, but Gorsuch did not permit filming of his. Ideally, we would love for this to be livestreamed to those who can't get into the room or taped so we can make it available later.
9. If she takes questions, she should tell us if she would rather be seated for it or standing at the podium.
10. Would she prefer a lav microphone or one on a stand?
11. Keep in mind our program is bi-partisan. Among the students, there will be as many leaning left as leaning right. So her remarks should keep that in mind.
12. I am currently imagining an event flow that would look something like this, though I have not yet run this by the Senator:
  - a. 2:00 Guest Reception (she would not need to attend, but could)
  - b. 3:00 Public remarks
  - c. 4:15 Private session with our Students (and possibly with 30 of our soldiers, if she would agree and the room is big enough.) This session would be considered Off the Record and be done privately. Only students would ask questions, not the soldiers or the few adults in the room.
  - d. 6:00 Private dinner with Senator McConnell, President Bendapudi, and guests/ friends of Senator McConnell. Maybe 10-12 or so.
13. Now, if she wanted to be at the reception and mingle a bit, which, of course, would be amazing, we could reverse this and do the public lecture first then the reception.
14. We would like to give her a personalized Louisville Slugger bat while she is there and ask her to sign a twin bat to hers for us to keep in our collection.

I think that is all I have for now. Does that all help?

I look forward to hearing from you.

Regards,

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 2:16 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Question about September Event

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Good afternoon Gary,

[REDACTED]

Also, she'd really like to start thinking about the public lecture and wants to know how long the talk needs to be, along with a proposed topic.

Thank you for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 17, 2021 5:48 PM  
**To:** 'Gregg II., Gary L.' <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Question about September Event

Good afternoon Greg,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

She is wondering what the topic of the public lecture will be so that she can begin to think about what she will say. We'd appreciate your input on that.

With thanks,

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 15, 2021 7:54 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

No rush. I will wait to hear from you.

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On Jun 14, 2021, at 10:31 AM, [REDACTED]  
wrote:

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Good morning Gary,

I will talk with the Justice about this and get back to you later this week. I won't have a chance to discuss with her until Wednesday.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States



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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Sent: Friday, June 11, 2021 4:24 PM  
To: Sharon [REDACTED]  
Subject: Re: Question about September Event

[REDACTED]

I just got off the phone with the Leader's Team who discussed this situation after I came up with some alternatives. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

This also may help us do really fun event on Sunday as part of our 30th Anniversary.

So, we would propose something like this:

Sunday afternoon private session with McConnell Scholars.

Followed by public lecture/ ceremonies for the wider group.

Small dinner hosted by the Leader or a friend for 15 or so judges and friends.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

How would something like that look on your end?

Gary

On Jun 10, 2021, at 3:22 PM, [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]> wrote:

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[REDACTED]

Thank you, Greg!



All the best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Thursday, June 10, 2021 2:32 PM

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Question about September Event

We can have our travel agency do it.

[REDACTED]

I assume she does not have anything else “on” her schedule for her time in Louisville at this time that I need to plan around?

Sorry for the delay. September seems far away--but I know it isn't! Denial!

Gary

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From: [REDACTED]

Date: Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 2:19 PM

To: Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Subject: Question about September Event

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Hello Gary,

I hope things are going well in Louisville.

Justice and I looked at some flights for September so my question to you is this: should I book her flight and send someone at the Center her receipts for reimbursement after the event, or is this something that you have an on-campus travel agency do for your speakers?

Many thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

**Date :** 9/8/2021 7:08:58 PM  
**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L."  
**To :** "[REDACTED]" "Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider" [glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)  
**Cc :** "[REDACTED]" "[REDACTED]"  
**Subject :** Draft Run of Show  
**Attachment :** Justice Amy Coney Barrett (2021-09-12).pdf;

Draft Run of Show attached for reactions/ revisions.

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Dear Gary,

Please note that we have revised the guidelines for the Justice's public event to include limited still photography. Please let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss. If you would like to open the public event to media coverage, the Justice would like to follow these guidelines: Still camera and print press coverage only. Recording devices are permitted for note taking purposes only, not for broadcast. Any still photographers should be limited to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the program. Reporters should be seated in a separate section and should not participate in any Q&A with the audience. The Justice will not be available for any interviews or press availabilities during her visit. Photos taken at the public lecture by the McConnell Center may be used in association with news coverage of the event on the Center's website and social media platforms. The McConnell Center photographer should also limit photos to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the Justice's public event. Please have a member of the McConnell Center staff ensure that the still photography limitations are adhered to by all still photographers.

Photos taken by the McConnell Center at any other locations during the Justice's visit, including her meeting with the McConnell Scholars and any private reception/dinner, may be used for personal mementos only (not for publication, posting, or release). We

understand the Justice's meeting with the McConnell Scholars is considered private, not open to press coverage. The Justice does not object to the proposed five group photos and to photos with VIPs if requested. All of these photos are for personal memento use only (not for publication, posting, or release).

We would also appreciate receiving a timeline of the Justice's schedule and events. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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U.S. Supreme Court

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 9:35 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
<glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Photographs.

Our plan will be for 5 group photographs--all for personal use, I understand. We will group our students by class--4-- and the fifth would be a group photo with our 25 soldiers. We have done this before and can do it effectively after the private meeting.

If other VIPs--President Bendapudi, Senator McConnell, Secretary Chao, any federal judges ask for photos, how are we to respond?

Subject to your approval.

GLG

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, August 9, 2021 at 12:00 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>, Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider



<[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>

Cc: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Sent:** Friday, August 6, 2021 1:49 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
<[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>

Cc: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Pardon my delay. Please see below.

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:**  
>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Dear Dr. Gregg,

We understand Justice Barrett will travel to Louisville for the McConnell Center's lecture series on September 13. Although the schedule and plans have not yet been finalized, we wanted to reach out to remind you that our office will assist Chambers with reviewing draft materials and communications plans related to Justice Barrett's visit. We look forward to working with you again.

There's still quite a bit of time before September but, at the appropriate time, please provide for our review and approval any draft materials that mention the Justice (invitations, website and social media posts, programs, press releases, etc.) before publication or release. Closer to September, we would appreciate a heads up before you plan to announce the event and the opportunity to review any proposed announcements. As in the past, we will also assist in reviewing any proposed communications or media plans for all elements of the Justice's visit.

I am copying GlyptusAnn Grider Jones on this message. She is in charge of messaging/ promotion on our end and will share with you materials before we launch.

We do need to know if there is a hold on announcements until a specific date.

As you know, due to judicial ethics rules the Justice may not be a speaker, a guest of honor, or featured on the program of a fundraising event. In general, we consider an event to be a fundraiser if revenues from the event are expected to exceed its costs or if guests are asked for donations at the event. Would you please confirm that none of the

events Justice Barrett will participate in during her visit are fundraisers?

This event will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations but we will NOT ask for donations and will not be charging attendance. So, it will be a fund-loser for us, rather than a fund raiser.

We would be happy to provide the Justice's official photo and bio, if that would be helpful as you prepare any draft materials associated with the Justice's visit. Please let us know if you need anything further at this time or if you have any questions. We look forward to working with you on this event.

Please, yes, send official photo and bio . . . it would be helpful to have an official SHORT bio of 3 or 4 sentences and a more complete bio

Thank you.

GLG

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Deputy Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

[REDACTED]

Thanks for reaching out so quickly. We are, well, no one knows but me, but I AM very excited about Justice Barrett's visit!

As for dates, we are wide open on my side of things. I assume you would want this in September before the Fall Term. We would have open dates from August 30 to September 17 and possibly some the following week. On or around September 17<sup>th</sup> would be a pretty amazing Constitution Day Address! We can expand from that some before August 30 and after the 17<sup>th</sup> but those would be limited by the start of school and then us taking our soldiers in our program on a road trip the final part of September.

Of course, I can't speak for Senator McConnell's schedule and we would have to get his to line up with ours. Generally, if the Senate is in session, Monday mornings and Friday afternoon/ evenings generally work best for him.



If you have any dates that work for the Justice now, I can then go back and check with the Senator. OR, if you prefer, we can check with him schedule—though he is not in control of the schedule up there anymore, so he might be limited as well.

Looking forward to the next steps and all steps from here to there.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Good afternoon Dr. Gregg,

I wanted to introduce myself as Justice Barrett's [REDACTED] and contact person for her visit later this year to speak at the Center as part of its Distinguished Speaker Series. We will wait to hear from you regarding possible dates and other considerations as the time draws nearer.

With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

Date : 9/13/2021 9:54:14 AM

From : "Gregg II., Gary L."

To : "[REDACTED] [REDACTED]"

Subject : Loose ends?

[REDACTED]

The Justice was delightful and brilliant yesterday. I hope she enjoyed herself. I know it must be difficult spending even more time away from home for her, so I hope she ended up enjoying the event and finding it worthwhile. It was a wonderful speech and really fantastic civic education for our audience and our kids.

Thanks for helping put this together.

Are there any loose ends on your end I need to deal with? Do you want copies of the photographs that we won't otherwise be posting? Yes, we understand any photos are for personal use.

Is there a good address you would like to give me to send her Louisville Slugger?

We also still have Justice Kavanaugh's bat from his visit in 2020 so I better get that out as well!

Thanks again for the great work. It was a very successful event.

Gary

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**Date :** 9/13/2021 10:20:55 AM

**From :** "Gregg II.,Gary L."

**To :** "Freels,Jessica Bennett" jessica.freels@louisville.edu, "[REDACTED]"

**Subject :** Re: Loose ends?

I do believe we are paying for the hotel, Jessica. And whatever other expenses they submit. Unless [REDACTED] tells me that is wrong.

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**From:** Freels,Jessica Bennett <jessica.freels@louisville.edu>

**Date:** Monday, September 13, 2021 at 10:17 AM

**To:** Gregg II.,Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>, [REDACTED]

<[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** RE: Loose ends?

Good Morning,

[REDACTED] would you be able to give me a call at the number below? It would be easier if we had the hotel give you bill for her room, etc. and you pay the hotel directly. I can let the hotel know to separate the charges accordingly.

Thanks so much!

Jessica Freels

McConnell Center

University of Louisville

502/852-1473

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**From:** Gregg II.,Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 10:15 AM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Freels,Jessica Bennett  
<jessica.freels@louisville.edu>

**Subject:** Re: Loose ends?

Thanks [REDACTED]

I am copying Jessica Freels who can work with you on expenses and will send her bat.

Let me know if there are any issues.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, September 13, 2021 at 10:08 AM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Loose ends?

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Good morning Gary,

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] I think all I need to know is how to submit reimbursable expenses;  
that's all I can think of for now.

Regarding the bat, it can be sent to her at Supreme Court of the United States, [REDACTED]

Thanks very much for your efforts on this event.

All my best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 9:54 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
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**Date :** 8/19/2021 5:08:58 PM  
**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L."  
**To :** "[REDACTED]"  
**Subject :** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Sorry for the delay.

As draconian as these rules are, I understand and will convey to all our constituencies here.

I will be back in touch with our plans for your approval.

GLG

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**Date:** Monday, August 9, 2021 at 12:00 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>, Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider <glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
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Cc: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

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From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Date: Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM

To: Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Cc:

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[REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM

**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date :** 8/25/2021 10:40:18 AM

**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L."

**To :** "[REDACTED]"

**Cc :** "[REDACTED]"

**Subject :** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Most excellent. Thank you.

-- Gary L. Gregg, II, PhD

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Wednesday, August 25, 2021 at 10:38 AM

**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Gary,

Thank you for providing the draft language for review. Please add "U.S." before "Supreme Court" in the note below. With that change, the language is approved (as is the ticket form) to send to alumni and special guests tomorrow. We appreciate the opportunity to review the other materials when available.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Public Information Officer

U.S. Supreme Court

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Sent:** Tuesday, August 24, 2021 4:24 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

██████ since we are not doing a big public event, we have come up with this simple language and form to hit our alumni and special guests. This is from the McConnell Center. The UL president and Senator McConnell will have a separate invitation to run by you. UL press people will also have their own.

We will give details only to those who get tickets.

Hoping to launch on Thursday, if possible.

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It is my pleasure to invite you to attend the next event in the McConnell Center's Distinguished Speaker Series.

On Sunday, September 12 at 4:00 p.m., the McConnell Center will have the privilege of hosting Supreme Court Justice Amy Coney Barrett. A distinguished jurist and law professor, Justice Barrett will be our special guest as the McConnell Center continues our 30th anniversary celebrations in 2021.

To request a ticket, please register [here](#). Tickets are limited and not guaranteed at this time.

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Date:** Friday, August 20, 2021 at 3:59 PM  
**To:** ██████████ <██████████>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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**Date:** Friday, August 20, 2021 at 3:02 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
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Dear Gary,

There are no objections to your proposed timing for announcing the event. We appreciate the opportunity to review and approve the materials prior to release and will do our best to turn them around quickly.

Thank you,

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2021 6:13 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Timing:

We are now a little over three weeks before this event. We would like to announce and start getting RSVPs for this even no later than 2 weeks before the event. May we shoot for August 26<sup>th</sup> or so to give us a little cushion on that?

Realizing you need to approve our materials.

GLG

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**Date:** Monday, August 9, 2021 at 12:00 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
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Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 6, 2021 1:49 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
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<[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:**  
>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
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We would be happy to provide the Justice's official photo and bio, if that would be helpful as you prepare any draft materials associated with the Justice's visit. Please let us know if you need anything further at this time or if you have any questions. We look forward to working with you on this event.

Please, yes, send official photo and bio . . . it would be helpful to have an official SHORT bio of 3 or 4 sentences and a more complete bio

Thank you.

GLG

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Deputy Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

[REDACTED]

Thanks for reaching out so quickly. We are, well, no one knows but me, but I AM very excited about Justice Barrett's visit!

As for dates, we are wide open on my side of things. I assume you would want this in September before the Fall Term. We would have open dates from August 30 to September 17 and possibly some the following week. On or around September 17<sup>th</sup> would be a pretty amazing Constitution Day Address! We can expand from that some before August 30 and after the 17<sup>th</sup> but those would be limited by the start of school and then us taking our

soldiers in our program on a road trip the final part of September.

Of course, I can't speak for Senator McConnell's schedule and we would have to get his to line up with ours. Generally, if the Senate is in session, Monday mornings and Friday afternoon/ evenings generally work best for him.

If you have any dates that work for the Justice now, I can then go back and check with the Senator. OR, if you prefer, we can check with him schedule—though he is not in control of the schedule up there anymore, so he might be limited as well.

Looking forward to the next steps and all steps from here to there.

Gary

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**Date :** 9/7/2021 4:15:17 PM  
**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L."  
**To :** "[REDACTED]" "Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider" [glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)  
**Cc :** "[REDACTED]" "[REDACTED]"  
**Subject :** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

This is outstanding news! Thank you, [REDACTED]

We understand and will adhere to this completely. I see no issues.

Glypie is our press person on McConnell Center's end and will communicate all this to the University Press team and help insure compliance. They will get your approval of the press invitation.

We are finalizing a detailed timeline now and with this information we will be near complete and ready to share.

GLG

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**Date:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
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Dear Gary,

Please note that we have revised the guidelines for the Justice's public event to include limited still photography. Please let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss. If you would like to open the public event to media coverage, the Justice would like to follow these guidelines: Still camera and print press coverage only. Recording devices are permitted for note taking purposes only, not for broadcast. Any still photographers should be limited to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the program. Reporters should be seated in a separate section and should not participate in any Q&A with the audience. The Justice will not be available for any interviews or press availabilities during her visit. Photos taken at the public lecture by the McConnell Center

may be used in association with news coverage of the event on the Center's website and social media platforms. The McConnell Center photographer should also limit photos to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the Justice's public event. Please have a member of the McConnell Center staff ensure that the still photography limitations are adhered to by all still photographers.

Photos taken by the McConnell Center at any other locations during the Justice's visit, including her meeting with the McConnell Scholars and any private reception/dinner, may be used for personal mementos only (not for publication, posting, or release). We understand the Justice's meeting with the McConnell Scholars is considered private, not open to press coverage. The Justice does not object to the proposed five group photos and to photos with VIPs if requested. All of these photos are for personal memento use only (not for publication, posting, or release).

We would also appreciate receiving a timeline of the Justice's schedule and events. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 9:35 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider  
<glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
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Photographs.

Our plan will be for 5 group photographs--all for personal use, I understand. We will group our students by class--4-- and the fifth would be a group photo with our 25 soldiers. We have done this before and can do it effectively after the private meeting.

If other VIPs--President Bendapudi, Senator McConnell, Secretary Chao, any federal judges ask for photos, how are we to respond?

Subject to your approval.

GLG

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date :** 9/10/2021 6:05:30 PM  
**From :** "Gregg II., Gary L."  
**To :** "[REDACTED]"  
**Subject :** Re: Question about September Event  
**Attachment :** Justice Amy Coney Barrett (2021-09-12)-1.pdf;

Final run of show

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**Date:** Thursday, September 9, 2021 at 8:11 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

Easy. Thank you. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] We can figure out how to be most helpful.

GLG

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**Date:** Thursday, September 9, 2021 at 4:48 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Subject:** RE: Question about September Event

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Thank you,  
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[REDACTED]  
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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 9, 2021 4:01 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Date:** Monday, August 23, 2021 at 9:43 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

Thank you.

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Monday, August 23, 2021 at 8:25 AM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

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Good morning,

Since the McConnell Scholars session is smaller and private, she does not need the questions in advance.

Best,

[REDACTED]

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On August 22, 2021 at 3:01:23 PM EDT, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
wrote:

I'll get an answer for you.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

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On August 22, 2021 at 2:22:30 PM EDT, Gregg II., Gary L.  
<[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)> wrote:

Oh, does this apply to the student questions in the  
private session as well?

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Date:** Sunday, August 22, 2021 at 2:13 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

That would be wonderful. The program itself will need to  
take longer as President Bendapudi, Senator McConnell  
and I will all have opening remarks before the Justice  
speaks. So, with permission, we will plan on an hour for  
the Justice plus 15-20 for opening remarks and  
introductions.

We will figure out how to gather questions from the  
audience members, then, and submit them to you  
before the event.

Hope you are having a great weekend.

GLG

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Sunday, August 22, 2021 at 12:49 PM

**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** RE: Question about September Event

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Hello Gary,

Justice assumes the program will be an hour so her plan would be to talk for 20 minutes and have a 40 minute Q&A. She would like to see the vetted questions just to be sure.

And, you're right—it'll be great.

All my best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2021 5:51 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

How long can the q/A go on? From my end, of course, I would like as much time as possible, but understand there are limits!

Does she want to see the questions or just have them vetted on our end to insure they are appropriate? Obviously, its hard to get the questions from an audience we don't have, but we will do what we can.

Thanks for the help. This will end up being great.



The event itself will be in the Seelbach Hotel. We are working the timelines, but I think we will start a bit later to give her time to insure her flight is good and she is not rushed and to leave less down time before dinner.

More soon.

GLG

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Monday, June 28, 2021 at 8:42 AM

**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** RE: Question about September Event

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Good morning Gary,

I had a chance to speak with Justice Barrett about your questions and can provide the following answers for you:

Justice Barrett will prepare short remarks (no more than 15-20 minutes) followed by Q&A. She would like the questions submitted in advance and asked by a central questioner, or students/alums/audience could be chosen in advance to ask the questions. She does not want to field inappropriate questions in the moment.

She does not want livestreaming or filming.

The public talk is open to the press.

She would like a podium when she gives her remarks, so whatever would work best for both the talk and the Q&A, but she feels a lav mic would be better for the

Q&A.

She is fine with including soldiers in the private session.

I am copying [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] from our Public Information Office in case they see anything out of place here.

My thanks to all for your help.

Best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 7:31 PM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Re: Question about September Event

[REDACTED]

Please pardon my delay. I am on the road and not finding much time to get to such matters.

No wrench at all on our end. We had not moved anything on it.

Will she be seeking reimbursement for travel? We have not done that for a member of the Court, that I recall, so I am not sure what the ins and outs of such would be on either end, though I am sure it is possible on my end if it is possible and sought on your end.

On the speech, I have several thoughts/ observations:

1. I generally don't tell anyone what to speak about, and certainly not a member of our highest court!
2. Chief Justice Roberts and Justices Gorsuch and Thomas handled it very differently. The Chief gave remarks which I think were on the short side and then took questions from a panel--one professor, one lawyer/alumni, and one student, as I recall. Gorsuch gave a more formal speech and then did not take any q/a, again, if I recall correctly.

Thomas gave a formal speech and then took questions from cards submitted to a central questioner.

3. Most of our non-Justice major speakers give 30 minute remarks--usually fairly formal--and then take q/a in one way or another. We can do q/a in any number of ways from open mic to screened cards, to particularly chosen questioners. We are totally flexible.
4. She can really speak about anything on her mind.
5. This will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary programming here at the Center, so a reflection on that in her remarks will be welcome.
6. The audience for her to consider will be: McConnell Scholars and our alumni, 30 U. S. Army soldiers, and then members of the community and friends of the McConnell Center including some judges and such. So, think of engaged, interested, smart, bi-partisan audience.
7. I assume the public talk will also be open to the press? That is our preference for sure.
8. She will need to decide if we can have this filmed/ broadcast outside the room. Most all our speakers do, but Gorsuch did not permit filming of his. Ideally, we would love for this to be livestreamed to those who can't get into the room or taped so we can make it available later.
9. If she takes questions, she should tell us if she would rather be seated for it or standing at the podium.
10. Would she prefer a lav microphone or one on a stand?
11. Keep in mind our program is bi-partisan. Among the students, there will be as many leaning left as leaning right. So her remarks should keep that in mind.
12. I am currently imagining an event flow that would look something like this, though I have not yet run this by the Senator:
  - a. 2:00 Guest Reception (she would not need to attend, but could)
  - b. 3:00 Public remarks
  - c. 4:15 Private session with our Students (and possibly with 30 of our soldiers, if she would agree and the room is big enough.) This session would be considered Off the Record and be done privately. Only students would ask questions, not the soldiers or the few adults in the room.
  - d. 6:00 Private dinner with Senator McConnell, President Bendapudi, and guests/ friends of Senator McConnell. Maybe 10-12 or so.
1. Now, if she wanted to be at the reception and mingle a bit, which, of course, would be amazing,

- we could reverse this and do the public lecture first then the reception.
2. We would like to give her a personalized Louisville Slugger bat while she is there and ask her to sign a twin bat to hers for us to keep in our collection.

I think that is all I have for now. Does that all help?

I look forward to hearing from you.

Regards,

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 2:16 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Question about September Event

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Good afternoon Gary,

[REDACTED]

Also, she'd really like to start thinking about the public lecture and wants to know how long the talk needs to be, along with a proposed topic.

Thank you for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

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From: [REDACTED]  
Sent: Thursday, June 17, 2021 5:48 PM  
To: 'Gregg II., Gary L.' <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Subject: RE: Question about September Event

Good afternoon Greg,

[REDACTED]

She is wondering what the topic of the public lecture will be so that she can begin to think about what she will say. We'd appreciate your input on that.

With thanks,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Sent: Tuesday, June 15, 2021 7:54 AM  
To: [REDACTED]  
Subject: Re: Question about September Event

No rush. I will wait to hear from you.

GLG

On Jun 14, 2021, at 10:31 AM, [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]> wrote:

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Good morning Gary,

I will talk with the Justice about this and get back to you later this week. I won't have a chance to discuss with her until Wednesday.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 11, 2021 4:24 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

[REDACTED]

I just got off the phone with the Leader's Team who discussed this situation after I came up with some alternatives.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

This also may help us do really fun event on Sunday as part of our 30th Anniversary.

So, we would propose something like this:

Sunday afternoon private session with McConnell Scholars.

Followed by public lecture/ ceremonies for the wider group.

Small dinner hosted by the Leader or a friend for 15 or so judges and friends.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

How would something like that look on your end?

Gary

On Jun 10, 2021, at 3:22 PM, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
wrote:

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[REDACTED]

Thank you, Greg!

All the best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L.

<[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Thursday, June 10, 2021 2:32 PM

To: [REDACTED]

<[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event

We can have our travel agency do it.

[REDACTED] Give me that window and I will get with the Leader and try to come up with a proposal for a good timeline for this before we book flights.

I assume she does not have anything else "on" her schedule for her time in Louisville at this time that I need to plan around?

Sorry for the delay. September seems far away--but I know it isn't! Denial!

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, June 10, 2021 at 2:19 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg  
<[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Question about September Event

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Hello Gary,



I hope things are going well in  
Louisville.

Justice and I looked at some  
flights for September so my  
question to you is this: should I  
book her flight and send someone  
at the Center her receipts for  
reimbursement after the event, or  
is this something that you have an  
on-campus travel agency do for  
your speakers?

Many thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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## MASTER SCHEDULE OF EVENTS – Sunday, Sept. 12, 2021

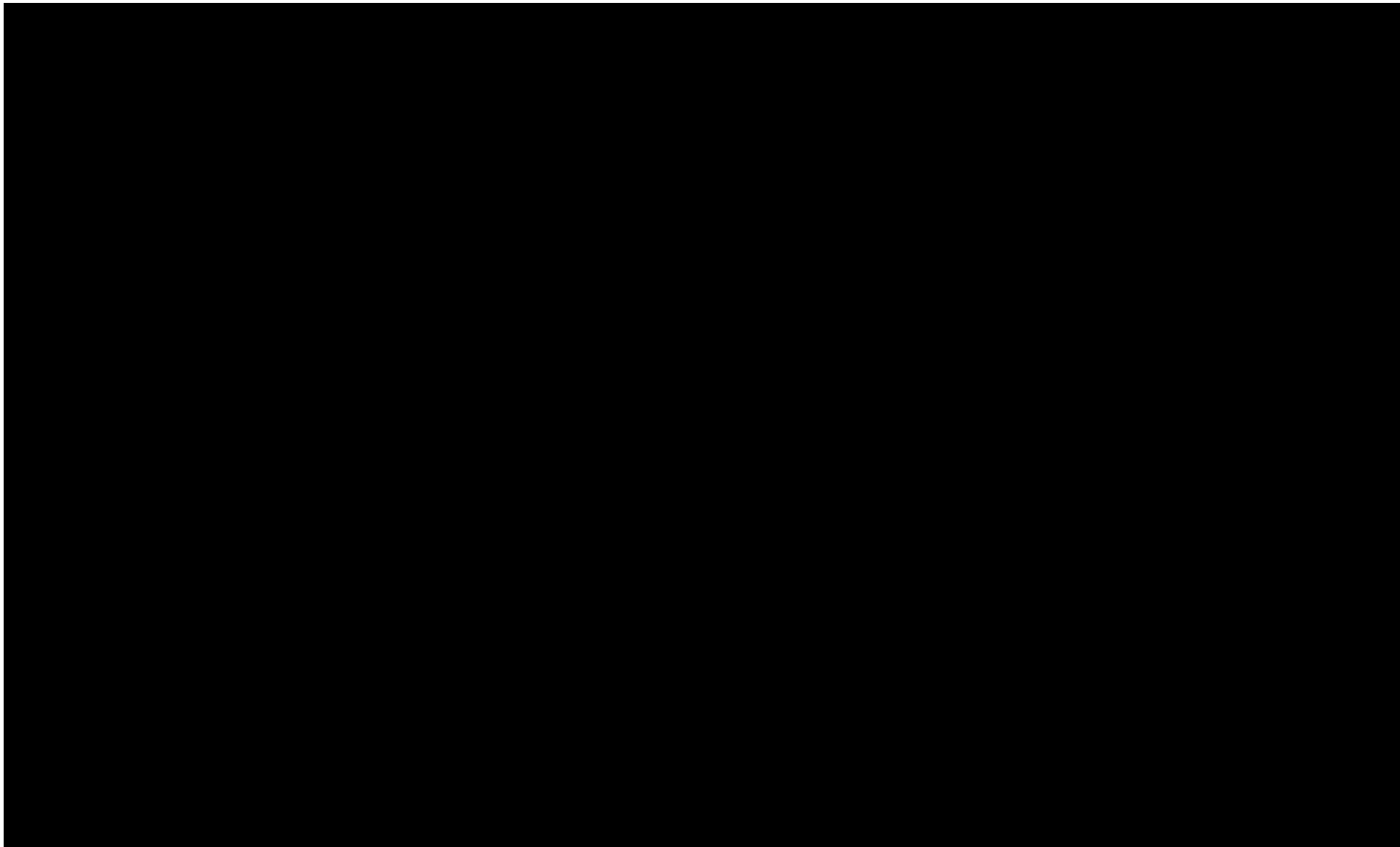
Venue: Seelbach Hilton Louisville, 500 South 4th Street, Louisville, KY 40202

Entry:

**Masks are required for all events regardless of vaccination status.**

Time	Location	Speakers/On Stage	Audience	Room POC
2:00 pm			Soldiers and students arrive at Grand Staircase for Photo	Natalie Smith (lobby)
2:10 pm			Students and soldiers in their seats	
2:15 -3:00 pm		Sen. McConnell	Individual photos (at start) and Q&A with Soldiers	Gary L. Gregg II, PhD
		Sec. Chao	Individual photos (at start) and Q&A with McConnell Scholars (35)	Sherry Allen or Natalie Smith
3:00-3:45 pm		Sen. McConnell	Individual photos (at start) and Q&A with McConnell Scholars (35)	Sherry Allen or Natalie Smith
		Sec. Chao	Individual photos (at start) and Q&A with Soldiers	Gary L. Gregg II, PhD
4:00-5:00 pm			1. McConnell Center Director Gary Gregg 2. UofL President Neeli Bendapudi ( <i>off stage</i> ) 3. Sen. McConnell 4. Justice Barrett	<b>MEDIA.</b> Check-in required for ALL guest entry. (1) McConnell Center (102 guests, 8 priority seats) (2) OOP (50 guests, 7 priority seats) (3) Sen. McConnell (145 guests, 30 priority seats) (4) Media: Registration closes Sept. 10 at 5 p.m.
5:15-6:00 pm		Justice Barrett, Sen. McConnell, Dr. Gregg	Military Soldiers, McConnell Scholars, o (75) • 5 class photos	Gary L. Gregg II, PhD
6:15 pm		-- DINNER --	Invitation only (17-20)	Andrew Condia (Sen. McConnell's Office)

**Layout for 4 p.m. MAIN EVENT / JUSTICE BARRETT TALK**



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### Media:

- Registered press [REDACTED] Jill Scoggins (OCM) to check-in.
- No press availability. "Still camera and print press coverage only. Recording devices are permitted for note taking purposes only, not for broadcast. Any still photographers should be limited to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the program. Reporters should be seated in a separate section and should not participate in any Q&A with the audience. The Justice will not be available for any interviews or press availabilities during her visit. Photos taken at the public lecture by the McConnell Center may be used in association with news coverage of the event on the Center's website and social media platforms. The McConnell Center photographer should also limit photos to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the Justice's public event. Please have a member of the McConnell Center staff ensure that the still photography limitations are adhered to by all still photographers."
- Wifi Network: [REDACTED]
- Media advisory to be released Sept. 9; media to register by Sept. 10 at 5 p m.

### Lecture Event Stage Set-Up

- Platform Party:
  - [REDACTED] Dr. Gary Gregg, McConnell Center Director
  - [REDACTED] Justice Amy Coney Barrett [REDACTED]
  - [REDACTED] Republican Leader Mitch McConnell
  - (UofL President Neeli Bendapudi [REDACTED])
- FRONT ROW GUESTS: Sec. Chao, President Bendapudi, Venkat Bendapudi, Diane Medley, Prewitt Lane, Mary Nixon, Ted Nixon, Earl Reed



## Run of Show: Lecture Event (max. capacity 400)

Doors open at 3:15 pm (close at 3:50 pm) | [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

Remarks begin at 4:00 pm

3:15 pm	Doors open, media arrive [REDACTED]
3:45-4:00 pm	Platform Party + President Bendapudi to meet in [REDACTED]
3:50 pm	Event doors close
4:00 -4:02 pm	Still camera photos permitted
4:00 pm	<p>Gregg takes stage</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remind audience of phone &amp; photography guidelines</li> <li>Welcome President Neeli Bendapudi, U.S. Sen. Mitch McConnell and Distinguished Guest Justice Amy Coney Barrett</li> </ul> <p>President Bendapudi goes directly to podium. Welcomes and introduces Leader McConnell.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gregg shows McConnell and Barrett to seats</li> </ul> <p>Leader McConnell introduces Justice Barrett.</p>
~4:20 pm	Justice Barrett makes remarks [REDACTED]
4:40 pm	<p>Justice Barrett takes questions (seated)</p> <p>Transition to Q&amp;A: McConnell Scholar alumni [REDACTED] (UofL Brandeis School of Law 1L) and [REDACTED] (UofL Political Science Graduate Student) will read questions submitted by audience and vetted earlier</p>
4:50 pm	Gregg stands at podium for final question. Asks President Bendapudi to take stage.
4:55 pm	<p>President Bendapudi takes podium, asks Justice Barrett to come forward for thank you and presentation of gift.</p> <p>Gregg makes closing remarks. Bendapudi leads Platform Party [REDACTED] while Gregg is speaking.</p>
4:58-5:00 pm	Still camera photos permitted
5:00 pm	[REDACTED]
--	TRANSITION TO NEXT SESSION, [REDACTED]

## Run of Show: Private/Off-the-Record Session Event (approx. 75)

5:15 pm

- **Stage Set-Up:** 2 stools – Justice Barrett & Sen. McConnell + lav microphones
- **Rules/General Info:** All participants should treat this as an **OFF THE RECORD** engagement.
- **Audience:** McConnell Scholars (35 undergraduate students), Army soldiers (McConnell Center Strategic Broadening Seminar), few alumni/staff

5:15 p.m.	<p>Leader McConnell and Justice Barrett move to seats.</p> <p>Gary Gregg makes introductory remarks and reminders. Leader McConnell introduces Justice Barrett to undergraduate McConnell Scholars and U.S. Army soldiers.</p>
	<p>Justice Barrett should have brief intro remarks prepared to “kick off” session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any topics/thoughts are welcome, but we find it helpful and engaging for our guests to talk about leadership lessons, things that they wished they had known while in college, career advice for students heading into first job, etc.</li> <li>• These are very intelligent, engaged, ambitious students interested in politics. They are politically diverse with as many or more Democrats as Republicans in the room.</li> <li>• Mid-career U.S. Army soldiers (active and reserve) are participating in 30-day leadership development program hosted by the McConnell Center. They represent a variety of specialties and backgrounds. They SHOULD NOT be called upon—at least not until the students have had their chance to ask questions.</li> </ul>
	Justice Barrett should open up the floor to questions and take them as long as she can.
5:45 pm	<p>Gary Gregg will call for last question</p> <p>heading to law school, will thank Justice Barrett and ask her to sign a personalized Louisville Slugger bat.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This bat will be added to the McConnell Center’s collection of autographed bats which includes those from Justice Roberts, Justice Gorsuch, Justice Kavanaugh, CIA Director Gina Haspel, Democratic Leader Schumer, Leader Reid, Vice President Biden, Secretary of State Clinton, and many others.</li> </ul>
	<b>PHOTOS</b> – 5 class photos and photos with VIPs (if requested)
6:00 pm	Event ends
<b>-- TRANSITION TO DINNER</b>	

**Date :** 9/8/2021 3:32:22 PM  
**From :** "Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider" glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu  
**To :** "Gregg II.,Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu, "[REDACTED]"  
**Cc :** "[REDACTED]"  
"Scoggins,Jill" jill.scoggins@louisville.edu  
**Subject :** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021  
**Attachment :** REVISED Assoc Justice Barrett in Louisville, KY;

[REDACTED]

Attached, please find a media advisory prepared by Jill Scoggins of the University of Louisville Office of Communications and Marketing. She is copied on this email and her contact information is listed below.

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Please let us know any changes or feedback. Thank you.

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**From:** "Gregg II.,Gary L." <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 4:15 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> "Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider" <glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

This is outstanding news! Thank you, [REDACTED]

We understand and will adhere to this completely. I see no issues.

Glypie is our press person on McConnell Center's end and will communicate all this to the University Press team and help insure compliance. They will get your approval of the press invitation.

We are finalizing a detailed timeline now and with this information we will be near complete and ready to share.

GLG

-- Gary L. Gregg, II, PhD



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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>, Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider  
<glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Dear Gary,

Please note that we have revised the guidelines for the Justice's public event to include limited still photography. Please let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss. If you would like to open the public event to media coverage, the Justice would like to follow these guidelines: Still camera and print press coverage only. Recording devices are permitted for note taking purposes only, not for broadcast. Any still photographers should be limited to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the program. Reporters should be seated in a separate section and should not participate in any Q&A with the audience. The Justice will not be available for any interviews or press availabilities during her visit. Photos taken at the public lecture by the McConnell Center may be used in association with news coverage of the event on the Center's website and social media platforms. The McConnell Center photographer should also limit photos to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the Justice's public event. Please have a member of the McConnell Center staff ensure that the still photography limitations are adhered to by all still photographers.

Photos taken by the McConnell Center at any other locations during the Justice's visit, including her meeting with the McConnell Scholars and any private reception/dinner, may be used for personal mementos only (not for publication, posting, or release). We understand the Justice's meeting with the McConnell Scholars is considered private, not open to press coverage. The Justice does not object to the proposed five group photos and to photos with VIPs if requested. All of these photos are for personal memento use only (not for publication, posting, or release).

We would also appreciate receiving a timeline of the Justice's schedule and events. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Public Information Officer



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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 9:35 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
<glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
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Photographs.

Our plan will be for 5 group photographs--all for personal use, I understand. We will group our students by class--4-- and the fifth would be a group photo with our 25 soldiers. We have done this before and can do it effectively after the private meeting.

If other VIPs--President Bendapudi, Senator McConnell, Secretary Chao, any federal judges ask for photos, how are we to respond?

Subject to your approval.

GLG

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, August 9, 2021 at 12:00 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
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Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Sent: Friday, August 6, 2021 1:49 PM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider  
<[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>

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Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
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This event will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations but we will NOT ask for donations and will not be charging attendance. So, it will be a fund-loser for us, rather than a fund raiser.

We would be happy to provide the Justice's official photo and bio, if that would be helpful as you prepare any draft materials associated with the Justice's visit. Please let us know if you need anything further at this time or if you have any questions. We look forward to working with you on this event.

Please, yes, send official photo and bio . . . it would be helpful to have an official SHORT bio of 3 or 4 sentences and a more complete bio

Thank you.

GLG

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Deputy Public Information Officer  
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Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Of course, I can't speak for Senator McConnell's schedule and we would have to get his to line up with ours. Generally, if the Senate is in session, Monday mornings and Friday afternoon/ evenings generally work best for him.

If you have any dates that work for the Justice now, I can then go back and check with the Senator. OR, if you prefer, we can check with him schedule—though he is not in control of the schedule up there anymore, so he might be limited as well.

Looking forward to the next steps and all steps from here to there.

Gary

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**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Good afternoon Dr. Gregg,

I wanted to introduce myself as Justice Barrett's [REDACTED] and contact person for her visit later this year to speak at the Center as part of its Distinguished Speaker Series. We will wait to hear from you regarding possible dates and other considerations as the time draws nearer.

With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date : 9/8/2021 11:30:44 AM**

**From : "Scoggins,Jill"**

**To : "[REDACTED]"**

**Cc : "Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider" , "Gregg II.,Gary L." , "Karman III,John Raymond"**

**Subject : REVISED Assoc Justice Barrett in Louisville, KY**

**Attachment : ADV\_SCOTUS Barrett lecture2\_Sept2021.docx;**

Hi [REDACTED] – I learned late last night that the restrictions on still photography have been changed. Thank you!

Please see the attached. We will issue the attached tomorrow morning.

We also will have our own university photographer at the event to appropriately capture stills, now that we know what is allowed.

Please DO contact me if you have questions. Thank you --- Jill

Jill Scoggins, Director of External Communications  
University of Louisville Office of Communications & Marketing  
O: 502-852-7461 | [REDACTED]  
[jill.scoggins@louisville.edu](mailto:jill.scoggins@louisville.edu)

Sept. 9, 2021

## MEDIA ADVISORY

# UofL McConnell Center hosts Supreme Court Justice Sept. 12; registration in advance required for press credentialing

### WHO:

U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Sen. Mitch McConnell  
University of Louisville President Neeli Bendapudi  
McConnell Center Director Gary Gregg

### WHAT:

#### **Celebrating the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the McConnell Center:**


U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett will be featured as the McConnell Center celebrates its 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary. **The event is by-invitation only; no walk-in admission at the door. No video cameras allowed.**

### WHEN:

4 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 12  
Press will begin to be admitted at 3:30 p.m.

### WHERE:

Seelbach Hotel, 500 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Louisville



### PARKING:

Paid parking available in the Seelbach Hotel garage.  
Free street parking on Sundays available on Fourth and adjacent streets.

### IMPORTANT NOTES:

- **No video cameras allowed.**
- **Still photographers are limited to the first and last 1-2 minutes of the program.**
- **Audio recording is allowed for reporter note-taking purposes only.**
- **No mult box is provided.**
- **A reserved seating area will be set aside for the press only.**

**There will be no Q&A for reporters before, during or after the lecture.**

### MORE PRESS INSTRUCTIONS:

All press representatives must be pre-registered and receive press credentials at the door.

**To pre-register:**

- Email [jill.scoggins@louisville.edu](mailto:jill.scoggins@louisville.edu) with reporter name, full media outlet name and cell phone number.
- Pre-registration due **5 p.m. EDT, Friday, Sept. 10, 2021.**

**At the door:**

- Enter the Seelbach Hotel [REDACTED]
- Report to the press credentialing table in the lobby to receive credentials.
- You will then be directed to the press seating area.
- Display your credentials (press pass with lanyard) during the entire lecture.

**CONTACT:**

Jill Scoggins, O-502-852-7461, [REDACTED], [jill.scoggins@louisville.edu](mailto:jill.scoggins@louisville.edu)



Date : 8/20/2021 3:02:14 PM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "Gregg II., Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu, "Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider" glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu

Cc : "[REDACTED]"

Subject : RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Sent: Thursday, August 19, 2021 6:13 PM

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Cc: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Timing:

We are now a little over three weeks before this event. We would like to announce and start getting RSVPs for this even no later than 2 weeks before the event. May we shoot for August 26<sup>th</sup> or so to give us a little cushion on that?

Realizing you need to approve our materials.

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**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

Date : 8/25/2021 10:38:11 AM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "Gregg II., Gary L." <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Cc : "[REDACTED]"

Subject : RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Gary,

Thank you for providing the draft language for review. Please add "U.S." before "Supreme Court" in the note below. With that change, the language is approved (as is the ticket form) to send to alumni and special guests tomorrow. We appreciate the opportunity to review the other materials when available.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Public Information Officer

U.S. Supreme Court

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Tuesday, August 24, 2021 4:24 PM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

[REDACTED] since we are not doing a big public event, we have come up with this simple language and form to hit our alumni and special guests. This is from the McConnell Center. The UL president and Senator McConnell will have a separate invitation to run by you. UL press people will also have their own.

We will give details only to those who get tickets.

Hoping to launch on Thursday, if possible.

###

It is my pleasure to invite you to attend the next event in the McConnell Center's Distinguished Speaker Series.

On Sunday, September 12 at 4:00 p.m., the McConnell Center will have the privilege of hosting Supreme Court Justice Amy Coney

Barrett. A distinguished jurist and law professor, Justice Barrett will be our special guest as the McConnell Center continues our 30th anniversary celebrations in 2021.

To request a ticket, please register [here](#). Tickets are limited and not guaranteed at this time.

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**Date:** Friday, August 20, 2021 at 3:59 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Date: Monday, August 9, 2021 at 12:00 PM  
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Best regards,

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Sent: Friday, August 6, 2021 1:49 PM

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**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:**  
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Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM  
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM

**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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With thanks for your help,

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Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]



Date : 9/1/2021 1:09:54 PM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider" [glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)

Cc : "[REDACTED]"

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Dear GlyptusAnn,

Thank you for the draft invitation for our review. We noticed a repeat of "of the" in this sentence: "A distinguished jurist and law professor, Justice Barrett will be the special guest of the of the McConnell Center as they continue their 30th anniversary celebrations in 2021." Otherwise, the draft invitation looks fine and is approved.

We would appreciate the opportunity to review and approve any other draft materials mentioning the Justice. Please let us know if you have any questions or need anything further.

Thank you,

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Public Information Officer

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From: Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>

Sent: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 11:28 AM

To: [REDACTED]

Cc: [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Good morning:

Attached, please find a draft invitation from the University of Louisville's Office of the President for review. Thank you.

**GlyptusAnn Grider Jones, PhD**

McConnell Center Coordinator

University of Louisville

p. 502-852-4579 / [g0grid01@louisville.edu](mailto:g0grid01@louisville.edu)

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Friday, August 20, 2021 at 3:02 PM  
**To:** "Gregg II., Gary L." <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, "Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider" <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
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Thank you,

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**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

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**Date : 9/7/2021 4:09:53 PM**

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**Cc :** "[REDACTED]"

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Photos taken by the McConnell Center at any other locations during the Justice's visit, including her meeting with the McConnell Scholars and any private reception/dinner, may be used for personal mementos only (not for publication, posting, or release). We understand the Justice's meeting with the McConnell Scholars is considered private, not open to press coverage. The Justice does not object to the proposed five group photos and to photos with VIPs if requested. All of these photos are for personal memento use only (not for publication, posting, or release).

We would also appreciate receiving a timeline of the Justice's schedule and events. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

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[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

**Sent:** Tuesday, September 7, 2021 9:35 AM



**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
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**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Photographs.

Our plan will be for 5 group photographs--all for personal use, I understand. We will group our students by class--4-- and the fifth would be a group photo with our 25 soldiers. We have done this before and can do it effectively after the private meeting.

If other VIPs--President Bendapudi, Senator McConnell, Secretary Chao, any federal judges ask for photos, how are we to respond?

Subject to your approval.

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This event will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations but we will NOT ask for donations and will not be charging attendance. So, it will be a fund-loser for us, rather than a fund raiser.

We would be happy to provide the Justice's official photo and bio, if that would be helpful as you prepare any draft materials associated with the Justice's visit. Please let us know if you need anything further at this time or if you have any questions. We look forward to working with you on this event.

Please, yes, send official photo and bio . . . it would be helpful to have an official SHORT bio of 3 or 4 sentences and a more complete bio

Thank you.

GLG

Thank you,



[REDACTED]  
Deputy Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]



**Date :** 9/10/2021 7:04:54 PM  
**From :** "[REDACTED]" [REDACTED]  
**To :** "Gregg II., Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu  
**Subject :** Fwd: Re: Question about September Event

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That's acceptable, Gary.

Thank you,  
[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Date:** September 10, 2021 at 6:07:05 PM EDT  
**Subject:** Re: Question about September Event  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

One of our former McConnell Scholars is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] If there are no objections, I will invite him to sit quietly in the back of the room when she meets with the current McConnell Scholars. In any event, he will be in the audience.

GLG

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**Date : 2/11/2021 4:09:30 PM**

**From :** "[REDACTED]"

**To :** "Gregg II, Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu

**Subject : McConnell Center Lecture 2021**

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date : 4/7/2021 4:24:41 PM**

**From :** "[REDACTED]"

**To :** "Gregg II, Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu

**Cc :** "'Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov'"

**Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov**

**Subject : McConnell Center Talk**

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Hello Dr. Gregg,

Justice Barrett's schedule has firmed up a little for September, so she wanted me to give the possibilities of Friday, Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup> or Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup> for the event, or Monday, September 13<sup>th</sup>, and see if any of those worked with Sen. McConnell's schedule.

With thanks,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date :** 9/13/2021 10:20:55 AM  
**From :** "[REDACTED]"  
**To :** "Freels,Jessica Bennett" jessica.freels@louisville.edu  
**Subject :** RE: Loose ends?

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I just tried to call and there was no answer. Please call me at [REDACTED] when convenient.

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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Supreme Court of the United States

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**From:** Freels,Jessica Bennett <jessica.freels@louisville.edu>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 10:18 AM  
**To:** Gregg II.,Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>; [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** RE: Loose ends?

Good Morning,

[REDACTED] would you be able to give me a call at the number below? It would be easier if we had the hotel give you bill for her room, etc. and you pay the hotel directly. I can let the hotel know to separate the charges accordingly.

Thanks so much!

Jessica Freels  
McConnell Center  
University of Louisville  
502/852-1473

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**From:** Gregg II.,Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 10:15 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Freels,Jessica Bennett  
<[jessica.freels@louisville.edu](mailto:jessica.freels@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Re: Loose ends?

Thanks [REDACTED]

I am copying Jessica Freels who can work with you on expenses and will send her bat.

Let me know if there are any issues.

Gary



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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, September 13, 2021 at 10:08 AM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** RE: Loose ends?

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Good morning Gary,

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] I think all I need to know is how to submit reimbursable expenses;  
that's all I can think of for now.

Regarding the bat, it can be sent to her at Supreme Court of the United States, [REDACTED]

Thanks very much for your efforts on this event.

All my best,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 13, 2021 9:54 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Loose ends?

[REDACTED]

The Justice was delightful and brilliant yesterday. I hope she enjoyed herself. I know it must be difficult spending even more time away from home for her, so I hope she ended up enjoying the event and finding it worthwhile. It was a wonderful speech and really

fantastic civic education for our audience and our kids.

Thanks for helping put this together.

Are there any loose ends on your end I need to deal with? Do you want copies of the photographs that we won't otherwise be posting? Yes, we understand any photos are for personal use.

Is there a good address you would like to give me to send her Louisville Slugger?

We also still have Justice Kavanaugh's bat from his visit in 2020 so I better get that out as well!

Thanks again for the great work. It was a very successful event.

Gary

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Date : 2/12/2021 4:43:14 PM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "Gregg II., Gary L." <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Subject : RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Hello Gary,

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[REDACTED]

Enjoy your weekend.

With thanks for your input,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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With thanks for your help,

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]



Date : 2/15/2021 1:07:01 PM  
From : "[REDACTED]" [REDACTED]  
To : "Gregg II., Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu  
Subject : RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Thank you, Gary. We'll get something figured out that works for everyone.  
😊

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 13, 2021 10:56 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Understood. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Gary

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 12, 2021, at 4:43 PM, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
wrote:

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]

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**Sent:** Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Date : 9/1/2021 11:52:06 AM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider" glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu, "[REDACTED]"

Cc : "[REDACTED]"

"Gregg II.,Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu

Subject : RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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I see repeated words in this line and will wait to hear from [REDACTED] for her thoughts on the entire invitation.

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Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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From: Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider <glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu>

Sent: Wednesday, September 1, 2021 11:28 AM

To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Cc: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Gregg  
II.,Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Good morning:

Attached, please find a draft invitation from the University of Louisville's Office of the President for review. Thank you.

**GlyptusAnn Grider Jones, PhD**

McConnell Center Coordinator

University of Louisville

p. 502-852-4579 / [g0grid01@louisville.edu](mailto:g0grid01@louisville.edu)

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From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Date: Friday, August 20, 2021 at 3:02 PM

To: "Gregg II.,Gary L." <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, "Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider" <[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>

Cc: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>



<[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject: RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021**

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Dear Gary,

There are no objections to your proposed timing for announcing the event. We appreciate the opportunity to review and approve the materials prior to release and will do our best to turn them around quickly.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Public Information Officer

U.S. Supreme Court

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Sent:** Thursday, August 19, 2021 6:13 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, Glyptus Ann Grider  
<[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>

**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Timing:

We are now a little over three weeks before this event. We would like to announce and start getting RSVPs for this even no later than 2 weeks before the event. May we shoot for August 26<sup>th</sup> or so to give us a little cushion on that?

Realizing you need to approve our materials.

GLG

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, August 9, 2021 at 12:00 PM  
**To:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>, Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
<[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
<[REDACTED]> <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Dear Gary,

We understand you would like to move forward with plans to announce the Justice's September visit. Please provide us with the draft announcement/invitations for our review and approval prior to release or posting. We would also appreciate knowing when and how you plan to share the announcement/invitation. If you would like to open the public event to media coverage, the Justice would like to follow these guidelines: Print press coverage only – no broadcast coverage and no still photography (including no still photography by the McConnell Center). Recording devices are permitted for note taking purposes only, not for broadcast. Reporters should be seated in a separate section and should not participate in any Q&A with the audience, if any. The Justice will not be available for any interviews or press availabilities during her visit. Please make an announcement prior to the Justice's event asking attendees to refrain from cell phone photography or recording during the Justice's event.

We understand the Justice's meeting with the McConnell Scholars is considered private, not open to press coverage. The Justice does not object to a few group photos with the McConnell Scholars, but please keep the photos limited. The group photos with the McConnell Scholars are approved for personal memento use only (not for publication, posting, or release).

We would appreciate the opportunity to review and approve any draft materials mentioning the Justice prior to publication or release, including invitations, email notices, website postings, releases, etc. Attached please find the Justice's official photo and bio. The credit information for the Justice's photo is Collection of the Supreme Court of the United States. The Justice's name and image may not be used for any promotional or fundraising purpose or in any way that might suggest endorsement.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, August 6, 2021 1:49 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> Jones, GlyptusAnn Grider  
<[glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu](mailto:glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]> [REDACTED]  
<[REDACTED]> [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

Pardon my delay. Please see below.

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, May 6, 2021 at 4:22 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
>, [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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We do need to know if there is a hold on announcements until a specific date.



As you know, due to judicial ethics rules the Justice may not be a speaker, a guest of honor, or featured on the program of a fundraising event. In general, we consider an event to be a fundraiser if revenues from the event are expected to exceed its costs or if guests are asked for donations at the event. Would you please confirm that none of the events Justice Barrett will participate in during her visit are fundraisers?

This event will be part of our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations but we will NOT ask for donations and will not be charging attendance. So, it will be a fund-loser for us, rather than a fund raiser.

We would be happy to provide the Justice's official photo and bio, if that would be helpful as you prepare any draft materials associated with the Justice's visit. Please let us know if you need anything further at this time or if you have any questions. We look forward to working with you on this event.

Please, yes, send official photo and bio . . . it would be helpful to have an official SHORT bio of 3 or 4 sentences and a more complete bio

Thank you.

GLG

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Deputy Public Information Officer  
U.S. Supreme Court

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Sent: Friday, February 12, 2021 11:43 AM  
To: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
Cc: Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
Subject: Re: McConnell Center Lecture 2021

[REDACTED]

Thanks for reaching out so quickly. We are, well, no one knows but me, but I AM very excited about Justice Barrett's visit!

As for dates, we are wide open on my side of things. I assume you would want this in September before the Fall Term. We would have open dates from August 30 to September 17 and possibly some the following week. On or around September 17<sup>th</sup> would be a pretty amazing Constitution Day Address! We can expand from that some before August 30 and after the 17<sup>th</sup> but those would be limited by the start of school and then us taking our soldiers in our program on a road trip the final part of September.



Of course, I can't speak for Senator McConnell's schedule and we would have to get his to line up with ours. Generally, if the Senate is in session, Monday mornings and Friday afternoon/ evenings generally work best for him.

If you have any dates that work for the Justice now, I can then go back and check with the Senator. OR, if you prefer, we can check with him schedule—though he is not in control of the schedule up there anymore, so he might be limited as well.

Looking forward to the next steps and all steps from here to there.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Thursday, February 11, 2021 at 4:09 PM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** McConnell Center Lecture 2021

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Good afternoon Dr. Gregg,

I wanted to introduce myself as Justice Barrett's [REDACTED] and contact person for her visit later this year to speak at the Center as part of its Distinguished Speaker Series. We will wait to hear from you regarding possible dates and other considerations as the time draws nearer.

With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

Date : 4/12/2021 10:54:23 AM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "Gregg II, Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu, "'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)'" Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov

Cc : "Steinberg, Sarah (McConnell)" Sarah\_Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov

Subject : RE: McConnell Center Talk

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

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From: Gregg II, Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

Sent: Monday, April 12, 2021 10:52 AM

To: [REDACTED]; 'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)' <Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov>

Cc: Steinberg, Sarah (McConnell) <Sarah\_Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov>

Subject: Re: McConnell Center Talk

This is fantastic news!

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Looking forward to working out the details.

Gary

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Monday, April 12, 2021 at 10:10 AM  
**To:** "'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)'" <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>, Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Cc:** "Steinberg, [REDACTED] (McConnell)" <[REDACTED][Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Talk

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Thank you all!

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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**From:** Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell) <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 12, 2021 9:56 AM  
**To:** 'Gregg II., Gary L.' <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>; [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Steinberg, [REDACTED] (McConnell) <[REDACTED][Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Subject:** RE: McConnell Center Talk

The 13<sup>th</sup> is good for the Leader! Happy to lock in if that works for everyone.

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 8, 2021 10:48 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Cc:** Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell) <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>  
**Subject:** Re: McConnell Center Talk

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From: [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

Date: Wednesday, April 7, 2021 at 4:24 PM

To: Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

Cc:

"Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov" <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>

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With thanks,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
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[REDACTED]



Date : 4/12/2021 10:10:28 AM

From : "[REDACTED]"

To : "'Muchow, Stefanie (McConnell)'" Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov,  
"Gregg II., Gary L." gary.gregg@louisville.edu

Cc : "Steinberg, [REDACTED] (McConnell)" [REDACTED] Steinberg@mcconnell.senate.gov

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Cc:

"Stefanie\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov" <[Stefanie\\_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov](mailto:Stefanie_Muchow@mcconnell.senate.gov)>

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With thanks,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date :** 4/26/2021 12:55:57 PM

**From :** "[REDACTED]"

**To :** "Gregg II., Gary L." <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

**Subject :** RE: Question re: September McConnell Center Visit

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Thank you, Gary. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <gary.gregg@louisville.edu>

**Sent:** Monday, April 26, 2021 12:55 PM

**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Subject:** Re: Question re: September McConnell Center Visit

Well, then I have no idea why your name is so familiar to me!

The Seelbach is a great old hotel, so it is the most worthy of our hotels for someone like the Justice. Let's go with it.

GLG

-- Gary L. Gregg, II, PhD

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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>

**Date:** Monday, April 26, 2021 at 10:42 AM

**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>

**Subject:** RE: Question re: September McConnell Center Visit

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Good morning Gary,

[REDACTED] I've actually been with Justice Barrett since 2003 at Notre Dame Law School. 😊

[REDACTED]

With thanks for your help,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Chambers of Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

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**From:** Gregg II., Gary L. <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 26, 2021 10:32 AM  
**To:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Subject:** Re: Question re: September McConnell Center Visit

Sure. That would be fine. Glad to put her up there. Is that how I remember your name? [REDACTED]

-- Gary L. Gregg, II, PhD  
Director, [McConnell Center](#)  
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**From:** [REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 21, 2021 at 10:18 AM  
**To:** Gary Gregg <[gary.gregg@louisville.edu](mailto:gary.gregg@louisville.edu)>  
**Subject:** Question re: September McConnell Center Visit



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Good morning Gary,

[REDACTED]

No hurry on this response.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Supreme Court of the United States

[REDACTED]

**Date : 9/7/2021 6:49:49 PM**  
**From : "Scoggins,Jill" jill.scoggins@louisville.edu**  
**To : "[REDACTED]"**  
**Cc : "Jones,GlyptusAnn Grider" glyptusann.jones@louisville.edu**  
**Subject : Justice Barrett/Sen. McConnell Louisville, KY, lecture**  
**Attachment : ADV\_SCOTUS Barrett lecture\_Sept2021.docx;**

Good day – I handle external communications for the University of Louisville. We are looking forward to Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett's lecture on Sunday (Sept. 13) as a guest of the McConnell Center at UofL.

I've attached our advisory for your reference. You'll note we are informing the press there will be no still or video photography allowed, per your instructions.

However: We would like to have a photo of Justice Barrett with Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, our center's namesake, since he will be introducing her. This would be used in an upcoming issue of our UofL Magazine only. And it would be published in the winter issue, coming in December – well after Justice Barrett's visit to Louisville.

Is this acceptable? If so, we will make arrangements for our university photographer to take the photo in a private setting away from all other lecture attendees and press. We'd also be glad to share the photo with you, if you would like it. And, if there is a usage form you need the university to complete, outlining the terms of how we will use the photo, please let me know and I'll be glad to have it completed.

TIA for your help. And please feel free to phone me if need be at the numbers shown below.

Best,

Jill Scoggins, Director of External Communications  
University of Louisville Office of Communications & Marketing  
O: 502-852-7461 | [REDACTED]  
[jill.scoggins@louisville.edu](mailto:jill.scoggins@louisville.edu)

Sept. 8, 2021

## MEDIA ADVISORY

# UofL McConnell Center hosts Supreme Court Justice Sept. 12; registration in advance required for press credentialing

### WHO:

U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett  
Sen. Mitch McConnell  
University of Louisville President Neeli Bendapudi  
McConnell Center Director Gary Gregg

### WHAT:

#### **Kick-off of the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the McConnell Center's Distinguished Lecture Series:**

U.S. Supreme Court Associate Justice Amy Coney Barrett will be featured as the McConnell Center kicks off the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of its Distinguished Lecture Series. **The event is by-invitation only; no walk-in admission at the door. No photo or video cameras allowed.**

### WHEN:

4 p.m., Sunday, Sept. 13  
Press will begin to be admitted at 3:15 p.m.

### WHERE:

Seelbach Hotel, 500 S. 4<sup>th</sup> St., Louisville



### PARKING:

Paid parking available in the Seelbach Hotel garage.  
Free street parking on Sundays available on Fourth and adjacent streets.

### PRESS INSTRUCTIONS:

All press representatives must be pre-registered and receive press credentials at the door.

#### **To pre-register:**

- Email [jill.scoggins@louisville.edu](mailto:jill.scoggins@louisville.edu) with reporter name, full media outlet name and cell phone number.
- Pre-registration due **5 p.m. EDT, Friday, Sept. 10, 2021.**

#### **At the door:**

- Enter the Seelbach Hotel



- Report to the press credentialing table in the lobby to receive credentials.
- You will then be directed to the press seating area.
- Display your credentials (press pass with lanyard) during the entire lecture.

**IMPORTANT NOTES:**

- **No photo or video cameras allowed.**
- **No audio recording for broadcast or digital media allowed.**
- **Audio recording is allowed only for note-taking;** reporters may use their own personal devices to audio-record the lecture.
- **A reserved seating area will be set aside for the press only.**
- **There will be no Q&A before or after the lecture.**

**CONTACT:**

Jill Scoggins, [REDACTED], [jill.scoggins@louisville.edu](mailto:jill.scoggins@louisville.edu)