



The [Connecticut Appellate Court](#) will hear arguments in two cases on Tuesday, March 21, at the [University of Connecticut's main campus in Storrs.](#)

The visit is part of the Appellate Court's "[On Circuit](#)" program, which provides students, educators and the public with a greater understanding of appellate courts. Since the program began in 1996, the court has heard arguments

at [several high school and higher education locations.](#)

- **Date, time, place:** Tuesday, March 21, in the [Rome Commons Ballroom](#), 626 Gilbert Road Extension, Storrs, CT. Please note that the closest visitor parking is available at the South Parking Garage, 2366 Jim Calhoun Way, Storrs; all visitors beyond judges, attorneys and court staff should plan on parking in the garage, which is approximately four blocks from the Rome Commons Ballroom. Accessible parking is available in the Rome parking lot, as well as in the garage.

The first argument will start at 10 a.m. and the second at 11:15 a.m. Arguments for each case will last approximately 40 minutes. A question-and-answer period with counsel from the case and students will follow each argument.

- **Cases to be heard:** The first case is [Eleones Bueno v. Commissioner of Correction](#); the second case is [James M. Procaccini, Administrator of the Estate of Jill Procaccini v. Lawrence & Memorial Hospital, et al.](#) Briefs and case detail for the first case are [here](#); briefs and case details for the second case are [here](#). [Judge Eliot D. Prescott](#) is presiding judge for the arguments and will hear them with [Judge Raheem L. Mullins](#) and [Judge Robert E. Beach Jr.](#)

- **Access/cameras in court:** The arguments are open to the public. News media organizations may record, broadcast, televise or photograph the arguments in accordance with [Section 70-9 of the Connecticut Practice Book](#) and the Court's [protocol](#).
- **Quote regarding the visit:**
 - *Attorney Diane W. Whitney, Pre-Law Advisor at the university:* “All UConn students, but particularly those in the Pre-Law Program, are delighted to have the opportunity to hear two cases argued before Connecticut’s Appellate Court on March 21. This event, where attorneys are arguing active cases before a panel of Appellate Court judges, will make the practice of law come alive in a way students rarely experience. We are most grateful that the Court brings the law to our community in this way.”
- **Contact information:** External Affairs, Connecticut Judicial Branch, 860-757-2270.