**AALS Section on Constitutional Law - Call for Papers**

The Section on Constitutional Law invites submissions for the Section’s Separation of Powers panel which is scheduled for **Friday, January 10th from 4:30pm -6:00pm** at the 2025 Annual Meeting of the Association of the American Law Schools (AALS) in San Francisco, CA.

Entitled **“Separation of Powers: Congress and the Executive in Our Current Context,”** this panel is the Section’s secondary program. Panelists will discuss the implications of the OT 2023 term for the Court’s separation of powers jurisprudence, with particular attention to Chevron deference, the major questions doctrine, and presidential immunity.

Eligibility

All full-time faculty at AALS member law schools, including fellows and VAPs, are eligible for consideration. The Section especially encourages submissions from pre-tenure, clinical, and tenured faculty members who diversify the legal academy through demographic, geographic, viewpoint, seniority, and school type.

Submissions

Interested faculty should submit an abstract no longer than 500 words to the Secondary Program Subcommittee at [SOPsubcommitte@g-groups.wisc.edu](mailto:SOPsubcommitte@g-groups.wisc.edu) **no later than 5:00 p.m. CST on Wednesday, August 28, 2024**. Please indicate “Separation of Powers – 2025 AALS Annual Meeting” both in the subject line of your email and at the top of your abstract.

Abstracts should include your name and institutional affiliation and may be supplemented by a statement expressing how your participation will diversify the panel discussion.

Publication

The Section will not publish selected papers. Panelists are encouraged to seek publication through other avenues.

Questions

All questions should be directed to the Separation of Powers subcommittee at [SOPsubcommitte@g-groups.wisc.edu](mailto:SOPsubcommitte@g-groups.wisc.edu).

Decisional Process

Panelists will be selected by members of the Executive Committee using a blind selection process. However, the Section reserves the right to balance its panels, if necessary, to comply with the AALS principles of diversity. The Section is committed to adhering to all AALS policies in the selection process.

**Selected panelists will be notified by late September.**If selected, panelists are responsible for the costs incurred in participating in the panel, including registration fees for the AALS Annual Meeting in addition to accommodation and travel expenses.