

# From *Barron v. Baltimore* (1833) to *McDonald v. Chicago* (2010): Gun Control and the Constitution



A virtual lecture by  
**Dr. Donna Schuele**  
in celebration of Constitution Day.

Friday, September 17, 2021  
10:30am-11:30am



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This lecture examines the transformation of the Second Amendment as securing an individual right to bear arms and its application by the Supreme Court to limit the rights of state and local governments to regulate gun ownership and use.

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