



Election 2022: Are We Ready?

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With U.S. midterm elections approaching, experts and contributors to the National Constitution Center's *Restoring the Guardrails of Democracy* initiative—**Edward Foley** of The Ohio State University, **David French** of *The Dispatch*, and **Ilya Somin** of the Antonin Scalia Law School of George Mason University and the Cato Institute—discuss election integrity, voting rights, and proposed election reforms to help bolster democratic guardrails in the United States. **Ken Randall**, dean of Antonin Scalia Law school provides introductory remarks; **Jeffrey Rosen**, president and CEO of the National Constitution Center, moderates.

This program is presented in partnership with the George Mason University Antonin Scalia Law School and in conjunction with the Center's initiative on Restoring the Guardrails of Democracy.

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