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3RD ANNUAL ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE SPEAKER SERIES

featuring Judge Cindy K. Chung

United States Circuit Judge of the
United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit

Please join us for a conversation with our 3rd Annual Achieving Excellence Speaker the Honorable Judge Chung as she reflects on her career, the challenges of being the first Asian American to serve on the Third Circuit, and offers insights to those interested in clerking.

Judge Chung will be joined by Professors Pat Chew, Lu-in Wang, and Alveena Shah. The event will be moderated by Dylan Kim (JD '25), President of Pitt Law's Asian Pacific American Law Student Association.

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 2024
12:30-2 P.M.

University of Pittsburgh School of Law
Barco Law Building, Room 111
3900 Forbes Avenue
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Judge Cindy K. Chung has served as a Judge for the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit since February 2023. Prior to her judicial service, Judge Chung was the United States Attorney for the Western District of Pennsylvania from 2021 to 2023. Judge Chung served as an Assistant United States Attorney in the United States Attorney's Office for the Western District of Pennsylvania from 2014 to 2021.

Judge Chung held numerous positions during her tenure as an Assistant U.S. Attorney, including Deputy Chief of the Major Crimes Section from 2018 to 2020, Acting Deputy Chief of the Violent Crimes Section at various times in 2015 to 2017, Domestic Violence Coordinator from 2019 to 2020, Project Safe Neighborhoods Coordinator from 2018 to 2020, Border Security Coordinator from 2018 to 2020, and Civil Rights Coordinator from 2016 to 2018.

From 2009 to 2014, Judge Chung served as a trial attorney in the Criminal Section of the Department of Justice's Civil Rights Division. From 2003 to 2009, she served as an Assistant District Attorney in the New York County District Attorney's Office. Judge Chung served as a law clerk for Judge Myron Thompson on the United States District Court for the Middle District of Alabama from 2002 to 2003. She received her J.D. from Columbia Law School in 2002 and her B.A. from Yale University in 1997.