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## **Monmouth Vicinage to Celebrate Women's History Month**

The Monmouth Vicinage will celebrate Women's History Month with a virtual panel discussion on the life and work of the late U.S. Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg on Thursday, March 25 at 12:30 p.m. The event is part of the vicinage's celebration of Law Day 2021.

Assignment Judge Lisa P. Thornton will give opening remarks. The session will be moderated by Penny Venetis, a professor at Rutgers School of Law, Newark. Retired New Jersey Supreme Court Associate Justice Virginia Long and retired Appellate Division Judge Mary Catherine Cuff will reflect on how Justice Ginsburg's work advanced the rule of law in working to eliminate gender discrimination and discuss her approach to legal issues. They also will share personal challenges as women in the legal profession.

The virtual event is free and open to the public. Registration is required. For more information, to register, request an ADA accommodation, or for interpreting services, contact Ombudsman Rebekah Heilman at 732-358-8700, ext. 87251 or [rebekah.heilman@njcourts.gov](mailto:rebekah.heilman@njcourts.gov).

The event is sponsored by Monmouth Vicinage Advisory Committee on Diversity, Inclusion and Community Engagement, the Monmouth Bar Association, the New Jersey State Bar Foundation and the IOLTA Fund of New Jersey.

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