

CONNECTICUT SUPREME COURT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Fall Meeting
Tuesday, November 1, 2016
Refreshments 5:30 p.m. – Program 6:15 p.m.

The Hartford Club
46 Prospect Street, Hartford



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Kelo v. City of New London & the Limits of Eminent Domain

Professor Somin's talk will focus on his new book *Democracy and Political Ignorance: Why Smaller Government Is Smarter* (Stanford University Press, revised and expanded second edition, 2016). His research focuses on constitutional law, property law, and the study of popular political participation and its implications for constitutional democracy.

Please join the members of the Society for a timely and engaging discussion about voter ignorance and its effect on democracy.

The event is open to all without charge.