

## Annual Conference

Apr. 13-15, 2026 | Charleston, SC.

*All sessions will take place TBA unless otherwise noted*

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### Monday, April 13

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8:00 am – 9:00 am **Breakfast & Badge Pick-up**

9:00 am – 9:50 am **Executive Committee & Mission Foundation**

*Virtual and call-in options will be available for those AGs/proxies not in attendance.*

10:00 am – 10:15 am **Welcome to Charleston**

*Alan Wilson, South Carolina Attorney General*

PRESENTATION OF THE COLORS & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

OPENING REMARKS

*William Tong, NAAG President and Connecticut Attorney General*

10:20 am – 11:20 am **Leading the Next Era: Modern Innovation Across Attorney General Offices**

State attorneys general are increasingly adopting creative solutions to meet evolving demands. This fast-paced TED-style session showcases examples of innovative thinking across AGOs, featuring AGs discussing both newly implemented reforms and upcoming initiatives. Attendees will gain insight into emerging trends, operational improvements, and opportunities for cross-state collaboration. A compelling start to the conference, this panel highlights how AG offices are modernizing to better protect and serve the public.

11:20 am – 11:35 am **Break**

11:40 am – 12:40 pm **Intoxicating Hemp: The 2018 Farm Bill and FY2026 Appropriations**

12:45 pm – 1:45 pm **Luncheon for Attorneys General**

12:45 pm – 1:45 pm **Luncheon for General Attendees**

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm **Pre-Merger Notification Session (ULC)**

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3:00 pm **Plenary Sessions Conclude for the Day**

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5:00 pm – 6:30 pm **Reception for all attendees**

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8:00 am – 9:00 am **Chief Deputies/Chiefs of Staff Breakfast**

8:00 am – 9:00 am **General Attendee Breakfast**

9:00 am – 10:00 am **Session**

10:00 am – 10:15 am **Break**

10:15 am – 11:15 am **Are America's Schools Prepared for Overdoses?**

This session will describe the current youth overdose landscape, identify policy gaps in school overdose preparedness, including naloxone access, staff training, overdose reporting and student education requirements and examine the national RESPONSE campaign legislation, policy frameworks, and implementation tools to support statewide school overdose preparedness.

11:20 am – 12:20 pm **Session**

12:20 pm – 12:30 pm **Transition to Luncheon**

12:30 pm – 1:30 pm **Networking Lunch Luncheon**

1:30 pm – 1:45 pm **Transition to Theater**

1:45 pm – 2:45 pm **U.S. Supreme Court Review**

Two of the nation's leading U.S. Supreme Court practitioners will discuss the cases before the Court this term.

**MODERATOR**

**Dan Schweitzer**, *Director, Supreme Court Center, NAAG*

**PANELISTS**

**Mathura Sridharan**, *Solicitor General, Ohio Attorney General's Office*

**Jeremy Feigenbaum**, *Solicitor General, New Jersey Attorney General's Office*

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Evening **Group Reception/Dinner – Offsite**

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### Wednesday, April 15

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8:00 am – 9:00 am **SAGE Breakfast**

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8:00 am – 9:00 am **Breakfast for All Other Attendees**

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9:00 am – 10:00 am **Primal Intelligence: Leading with Clarity, Confidence, and Human Insight**

In a world defined by rapid change, polarized public discourse, and rising complexity, the ability to understand human behavior at its most fundamental level has never been more essential for leaders in government. This session introduces the concept of *Primal Intelligence*—the innate cognitive and emotional patterns that drive decision-making, shape public narratives, and influence trust in institutions.

**Angus Fletcher, PhD.**, *Professor of Story Science, Project Narrative, The Ohio State University*

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10:00 am – 10:15 am **Break**

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10:15 am – 11:15 am **Legal Ethics Showdown: Trivia, Scenarios & Ethical Curveballs**

This fast-paced, interactive one-hour session uses real-world hypotheticals and ethics-themed trivia to explore the core professional-responsibility issues facing attorneys general, AGO staff, and government-affairs professionals. Participants will test their knowledge of confidentiality, conflicts of interest, duties to the client agency, multijurisdictional practice, and communications with represented parties—all while earning CLE-eligible ethics credit. Designed to be engaging and practical, the session reinforces essential rules and highlights common pitfalls through friendly competition

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11:15 am **Program Concludes**

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