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NATIONAL CONSTITUTION CENTER PROMOTES LAUREN CRISTELLA TO EDUCATION MANAGER

Philadelphia, PA (August 30, 2007) – The National Constitution Center has promoted **Lauren Cristella** to Education Manager. Cristella previously served as Education and Exhibits Assistant.

In her role as Education Manager, Cristella will develop new curriculum material, assist with the creation of a new national and local educator advisory committee, and develop other projects that promote the National Constitution Center's mission of civic learning with teachers and their students.

Cristella earned a Bachelor's degree in politics from The Catholic University of America and a Master's degree in ethics, politics, and public policy from The University of Essex in Colchester, UK. She also studied at Italiaidea Cultural Institute in Rome, Italy. Cristella currently resides in Williamstown, New Jersey.

The National Constitution Center, located at 525 Arch St. on Philadelphia's Independence Mall, is an independent, nonpartisan, nonprofit organization dedicated to increasing public understanding of the U.S. Constitution and the ideas and values it represents. The Center serves as a museum, an education center, and a forum for debate on constitutional issues. The museum dramatically tells the story of the Constitution from Revolutionary times to the present through more than 100 interactive, multimedia exhibits, film, photographs, text, sculpture and artifacts, and features a powerful, award-winning theatrical performance, "Freedom Rising". The Center also houses the Annenberg Center for Education and Outreach, which serves as the hub for national constitutional education. For more information, call 215.409.6700 or visit www.constitutioncenter.org.

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