

# The Two Teds – Episode 7 – How to Argue Before the U.S. Supreme Court

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How do you win cases in the highest court in the U.S.? Ted Olson and Ted Boutrous are back to discuss the strategies that helped them win landmark cases before the U.S. Supreme Court. This insider's look also examines what it takes to craft and deliver legal arguments to secure success in the highest court in the land. Understanding your audience, knowing your arguments and keeping your cool are all essential, they say.

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