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**1. Stuart N. Brotman**, executive policy adviser, legal analyst, author of "*Privacy's Perfect Storm: Digital Policy for Post-Pandemic Times*"

The COVID-19 lockdowns have expanded the online world of work and school at home to unprecedented levels. Mr. Brotman outlined the rapid increase in digital privacy issues related to this new trend, and what is necessary to address the problem. He also talked about privacy issues related to terms of agreement that consumers typically ignore when installing apps or other software.

Issues covered:
Privacy
Government Regulation
Consumer Matters

2. Ajit Mathew George, founder of Second Chances Farms, LLC in Wilmington, DE

Mr. George founded an organization that employs only convicted felons, training them in entrepreneurship through mentorship programs and green collar jobs at hydroponic, indoor vertical farms in economically distressed communities. He explained how the farms replace recidivism with compassionate capitalism and turn entrepreneurs-in-residence into "Agripreneurs." He also explained how the farms were forced to rapidly adapt to serving consumers directly, when the coronavirus lockdowns closed restaurants.

Issues covered:
Criminal Reform
Entrepreneurship
Environment

3. **Stephanie L. Bonne, MD**, Assistant Professor of Surgery, Director of the Hospital Violence Intervention Program at Rutgers New Jersey Medical School

Dr. Bonne led a study of injuries caused by glass-topped tables. She said the furniture causes thousands of injuries each year, many requiring significant surgeries and long hospital stays. She said the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission requires tempered glass for products like doors and car windshields but it is voluntary for horizontal surfaces.

Issues covered:
Home Safety
Government Regulation
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