

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

POSITION: Temporary Law Clerk to  
United States Bankruptcy Judge

DUTY STATION: New Haven, Connecticut

TERM START DATE: May 15, 2019

SALARY RANGE: \$70,111 or higher\*

**Position Overview:**

Applications are being accepted for a Temporary Law Clerk position for three months (mid-May to mid-August). Dates may be negotiable. Applicants should have one or more years of prior law clerk, law firm or government experience. A term clerk position for one year commencing September 1, 2019, is also posted and the judge would consider combining the positions.

The term law clerk will report directly to the judge. Responsibilities include: legal research, preparation of bench memoranda prior to hearings and trials; preparation of draft orders and opinions; maintenance of court calendar deadlines; court attendance during hearings and trials; and, other duties as prescribed by the judge and chambers staff.

\* The starting salary will be based upon experience as determined by the Administrative Office of U.S. Courts.

See, [www.uscourts.gov/careers/compensation/judiciary-salary-plan-pay-rates](http://www.uscourts.gov/careers/compensation/judiciary-salary-plan-pay-rates) (New York-Newark, NY-NJ-CT-PA - Table NY).

This position will be eligible for health and life insurance coverage and participation in the Judiciary's supplemental benefits program.

**Qualifications**

An eligible candidate must be a law school graduate with a strong academic background, be admitted to and in good standing with a state bar, and have substantial research and writing experience. The successful candidate will be able to meet strict deadlines within a fast-paced environment and to work both independently and as a team player. Computer literacy of every kind is assumed and will be essential to success in the position. Prior bankruptcy experience is preferred but not required; post-law school experience of at least two (2) years is preferred.

## **How to Apply – Information for Applicants**

Applications shall be submitted through <https://oscar.uscourts.gov> to United States Bankruptcy Judge Ann M. Nevins. Applications will not be accepted by mail, fax or email. Only qualified applicants will be considered for this position. Applicants selected for interviews may be required to provide copies of educational degrees, certifications, references and salary history. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or eligible to work in the United States.

As a condition of employment, the candidate selected for this position will be subject to a background investigation and will be fingerprinted. Additionally, this position is subject to mandatory electronic funds transfer (direct deposit) of federal wages for court employees. All employees of the United States Bankruptcy Court are EXCEPTED SERVICE appointments. Excepted service appointments are “at will,” and as such, can be terminated with or without cause by the court. The employing agency reserves the right to modify the conditions of this vacancy announcement at any time or to withdraw it without prior notice.

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District of Connecticut is an Equal Opportunity Employer.