

# UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SECOND CIRCUIT

ATTORNEY ADMISSIONS  
THURGOOD MARSHALL UNITED STATES COURTHOUSE  
40 FOLEY SQUARE  
NEW YORK, NY 10007  
212-857-8603

## ATTORNEY ADMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. An attorney seeking admission must read FRAP 46 and Second Circuit Local Rule 46.1, located on the Court's website at [www.ca2.uscourts.gov](http://www.ca2.uscourts.gov). The attorney must then register with PACER to file electronically in CM/ECF in the Second Circuit.**
- 2. The attorney must use only the provided Attorney Admission Application and accompanying Attorney Admission Oath and Sponsor's Motion for Admission.**
- 3. The attorney must include the bar number issued by the attorney's primary court of admission as requested on the application.**
- 4. The attorney must submit with the application a certificate of good standing issued within the previous six (6) months from the primary court of admission listed on the application.**
- 5. If admitted to more than one bar, the attorney must provide additional bar information on the sheet provided and attach it to the application. If the sheet provided does not offer sufficient space to list all additional bars, the attorney can copy the sheet and list the additional information.**
- 6. Any supplemental information required to be filed in accordance with the application must be typewritten on a separate attachment that identifies the portion of the application to which the supplemental information relates.**
- 7. The Sponsor's Motion for Admission must be completed by a member in good standing of the Second Circuit's bar.**
- 8. The attorney must submit all application materials through CM/ECF in accordance with the instructions posted on the Court's website. When filing these materials, the attorney will be directed to pay.gov to remit the required \$216.00 fee electronically. An attorney who is exempt from paying the fee under 28 U.S.C. § 1913 will be able to indicate fee-waiver status in CM/ECF and bypass paying the fee. If an attorney subsequently separates from service that affords fee exemption, the attorney must reapply for admission to this Court and pay the required admission fee. The Court will require any attorney incorrectly indicating a fee waiver to resubmit the attorney admission application materials and pay the fee electronically.**
- 9. An attorney must retain the signed originals of the Attorney Admission Application, Attorney Admission Oath, and Sponsor's Motion for Admission for production upon the Court's request. The attorney must also retain the original certificate of good standing accompanying the application.**

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ATTORNEY ADMISSION APPLICATION

(PLEASE TYPE)

NAME: (as recorded in primary state/court of admission)

Last Name First Name Middle Name or Initial

DATE OF BIRTH: (mm/dd/yyyy)

BUSINESS ADDRESS:

Law Firm, Agency, Company, or Entity

Street Address

City

State

Zip Code

Business Phone (incl. area code)

Business E-mail Address

Cell Phone (incl. area code)

Other E-mail Address

BAR INFORMATION: (if admitted in more than one state or other court, provide additional courts and years admitted on attached list and submit with application)

Primary Court of Admission

Year Admitted

State Bar Registration No. (required)

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

- 1. Have you ever been known by any name other than that appearing on this application? (If yes, attach a list of all other names used.)
2. Have you been disbarred, suspended from practice, reprimanded, or the subject of any type of sanction pertaining to your conduct or fitness to practice law in any court, agency, department, bureau or commission of any state or the United States? (If yes, attach a detailed explanation containing dates and circumstances.)
3. Are there currently pending against you any proceedings or allegations regarding an action for disbarment, suspension, reprimand, or the imposition of any type of sanction pertaining to your conduct or fitness to practice law in any court, agency, department, bureau or commission of any state or the United States? (If yes, attach a detailed explanation containing dates and circumstances.)
4. Are you currently under investigation, or have you been a party to criminal or civil proceedings, alleging fraud, misrepresentation, or other dishonesty? (If yes, attach a detailed explanation.)

FEE SUBMITTED: \$216 N/A (exempt)

Submit completed application in CM/ECF and remit fee electronically. To submit the application, an attorney must first register as a filing user in PACER. For questions about CM/ECF registration, application submission, or fee payment, please review the instructions posted on the Court's website.



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ATTORNEY ADMISSION OATH

(To be completed and submitted only by attorneys seeking admission.)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have read and gained familiarity with the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure and Local Rules of the Second Circuit, completed the Attorney Admission Application, and remitted the appropriate fee unless I am otherwise exempt from payment.

I am a member in good standing of each bar I listed on my Attorney Admission Application. I am an attorney of good moral and professional character and have been neither disbarred nor suspended from practice in any court.

I will conduct myself as an attorney and counselor of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit uprightly and according to law, and I will support the Constitution of the United States.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Applicant

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:

DATE OF ADMISSION \_\_\_\_\_

ADMISSION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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SPONSOR'S MOTION FOR ATTORNEY ADMISSION

(To be completed and submitted only for attorneys seeking admission.)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, having been duly admitted to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit on the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, submit this motion in support of the request for admission made by the attorney set forth above.

I swear (or affirm) that I have read copies of the applicant's completed Attorney Admission Application and signed Oath/Affirmation and believe them both to be true and correct and in compliance with FRAP 46 and Second Circuit Local Rule 46.1. I have known the applicant since \_\_\_\_\_, and I am of the opinion that the applicant is of good moral character, reputation, and competency.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Movant

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Notary