



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF CONNECTICUT

Petition Instructions for Admission to the Bar for the District of Connecticut

Thank you for your interest in becoming a member of the bar of the District of Connecticut. The fillable application forms may be found on the Court's website.

All submissions must be typed. The Petition and Affidavit must be accompanied by:

- A current (within the past six months of the application) certificate of good standing from each court to which you have been admitted to practice;
- Two certificates from Sponsoring Attorneys completed by members of the bar of this court who know your professional legal abilities, skills, and character for at least six months;
- A check in the amount of \$200.00 made payable to: Clerk, U.S. District Court.

The application package must be mailed to:

Attorney Admissions Clerk
United States District Court
450 Main Street
Hartford, CT 06103

If your application, affidavit or certificates are not typed or are deficient, it may delay the approval of your application. Deficient applications will be returned for further information.

Once your application has been approved, you will receive a calendar for the next available attorney admission hearing at the courthouse closest to your location. You must appear in person at the appointed time and place in order for your admission to be fully processed. Please read the calendar you receive closely and note the date, seat of court, and courtroom for your admission hearing. It is not necessary to bring an attorney or your sponsors with you to move the court for your admission. Upon admission, you will be assigned your Connecticut federal bar number. Your CM/ECF password will be e-mailed to you later, after your admission hearing.

Attorney admission hearings are held each month (except August) as follows:

New Haven – First Monday
Bridgeport – First Friday
Hartford – Second Monday

Please consult our website for valuable information about the Court.

Robin D. Tabora, Clerk