

RHODE ISLAND SUPREME COURT JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP
2024-2025 and 2025-2026 Term

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A JUDICIAL CLERKSHIP WITH
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE MELISSA A. LONG

Associate Justice Long is currently accepting applications for the position of Chambers Law Clerk commencing on September 3, 2024 (with the beginning of the 2024-2025 court term) and concluding on August 28, 2026 (following the 2025-2026 court term). Candidates are encouraged to apply as early as possible.

Chambers Law Clerks provide critically important legal and administrative support to Justice Long. They conduct legal research; draft and review memoranda, orders, and opinions; and assist with other projects and tasks as assigned. This is a full-time position for a two-year term. Prior trial court clerkship experience is preferred but not required. Successful candidates must exhibit the highest standards of excellence and integrity, and display, always and to all persons, a courteous, professional, and cooperative attitude.

Applications must include:

- A cover letter
- A current résumé
- Two writing samples (at least one must not be heavily edited by a third party)
- A copy of your official law school transcript (incomplete, unofficial transcripts may be submitted and later supplemented by complete, official transcripts when available)
- Three official letters of recommendation, at least two from individuals who are familiar with your analytic abilities, character, and writing samples.

Please forward your materials to:

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Providence, R.I. 02903

Or email to: smorel@courts.ri.gov

The Supreme Court is an Equal Opportunity Employer, values diversity in the workplace, and strongly encourages all interested persons to apply.