

# United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois Petition for Admission to the General Bar

## Petitioner Information

<b>Name</b>	Last name, first name, middle name	
<b>Other names used</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> None	
	Last name, first name, middle name	
	Last name, first name, middle name	
<b>Address of Residence</b>	Street Address, City, County, State, Zip	
<b>Name of Law Firm</b>		
<b>Address of Law Firm</b>	Street Address, Suite Number, City, County, State, Zip	
<b>Daytime Phone Number</b>	<b>Email Address</b>	
<b>Identification Number</b>	<b>State</b>	
Enter the number issued by the Illinois Attorney Registration & Disciplinary Commission. If admitted elsewhere, enter both the number issued by an equivalent commission and the corresponding state.		
<b>Admission date</b>	Enter the date on which the petitioner was admitted to practice before the Illinois Supreme Court or highest court of another state or the District of Columbia.	
<b>Law Schools Attended by Petitioner</b>		
Law School	Degree	Date Received
Law School	Degree	Date Received

**If the answer to ANY of the questions below is yes, please attach a brief description of the incident(s) and the petitioner’s current status before any court, or agency thereof, where disciplinary sanctions were imposed or where an investigation or investigations of the petitioner’s conduct may have been instituted.**

Has the petitioner ever been censured, suspended, disbarred, or otherwise disciplined by any court?	Yes	No
Has the petitioner ever been, or is the petitioner currently, the subject of an investigation of the petitioner’s professional conduct?	Yes	No
Has the petitioner ever been transferred to inactive status, voluntarily withdrawn, or resigned from the bar of any court?	Yes	No
Has the petitioner ever been denied admission to the bar of any court (not including a denial resulting from the failure to pass a bar examination)?	Yes	No
Has the petitioner ever been held in contempt of court?	Yes	No

I, the above-named, do hereby petition for admission to the general bar of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. In support of this petition, I state that (a) I have read each of the answers provided on this petition and they are each true and correct, (b) I have read and will faithfully adhere to the Rules of Professional Conduct for the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois, and (c) I have read and faithfully adhere to the Standards for Professional Conduct within the Seventh Federal Judicial Circuit. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature  
*(“Wet” signature required.)*

- Petitioner must sign the Oath of Office prior to filing the petition (LR 83.10(e)).
- Petitioner may choose whether to appear in person before a judge to be admitted. Petitioner shall make their own appointment to appear by contacting the emergency judge. (See Judges page for current emergency judge.) Select the appropriate form for in-person oath.
- Select appropriate form:  
Oath of Office form [HERE](#).  
In-person Oath with a judge form [HERE](#).

# Affidavit of Sponsor

## Name

Last name, first name, middle name

## Address of Sponsor

Firm or business name

Street Address, Room Number

City, County, State, Zip

## Admission Date

Enter the date on which the sponsor was admitted to the bar of the highest court of any state of the United States or the District of Columbia.

## I, the above-named sponsor state that

- (a) I am currently a member in good standing of the bar of
- (b) I have known the petitioner for a period of not less than \_\_\_\_\_ years.
- (c) I have known the petitioner under the following circumstances.
  
- (d) I know the petitioner's character to be:

(e) I know the petitioner's reputation to be:

(f) I know the petitioner's experience at the bar to be as follows:

(g) The petitioner is of good moral character and otherwise well qualified to practice as a member of the general bar of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Sponsor

Date

# Affidavit of Sponsor

**Name**

Last name, first name, middle name

**Address of Sponsor**

Firm or business name

Street Address, Room Number

City, County, State, Zip

**Admission Date**

Enter the date on which the sponsor was admitted to the bar of the highest court of any state of the United States or the District of Columbia.

**I, the above-named sponsor state that**

- (a) I am currently a member in good standing of the bar of
  
- (b) I have known the petitioner for a period of not less than \_\_\_\_\_ years.
  
- (c) I have known the petitioner under the following circumstances.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- (d) I know the petitioner’s character to be:

(e) I know the petitioner's reputation to be:

(f) I know the petitioner's experience at the bar to be as follows:

(g) The petitioner is of good moral character and otherwise well qualified to practice as a member of the general bar of the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Sponsor

Date

## Oath of Office

I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will defend the Constitution of the United States of America; that I will faithfully discharge my duties as an attorney and counselor; and that I will conduct myself uprightly and according to law and the recognized standards of ethics of the profession, so help me God.

I declare under penalty of perjury, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, that the foregoing is true and correct.

---

Date

---

Signature of Petitioner

*("Wet" signature required. Notarization not required)*

---

*For Official Use Only*

(Fee Stamp)

