

JUDICIAL EXTERNSHIP PROGRAM – SUMMER/FALL 2021 SEMESTER

Judicial Externship Program (JEP) is a 4-credit hour Pass/Low Pass/Fail program open to students who have completed at least their first full year of law school and want to do legal research and writing for a federal appellate, district or magistrate judge or designated Illinois appellate or circuit court judges.

JEP enables a student to become involved in particular legal problems through research and writing, and to contribute to the resolution of those problems by participating in drafting memoranda and opinions. Depending upon the judge, an extern may also have the opportunity to observe the judge's day-to-day routine and to discuss with him/her the issues and problems that judges confront. Take advantage of this prestigious learning opportunity while enhancing your marketability in the legal world.

Summer Application Process

Applications for Summer 2021 Judicial Externships will be available [online](#) by **Friday, February 5, 2021**. They will also be available in the Symplicity Document Library which can be accessed by clicking on "Resources" on the left side of the student Symplicity homepage.

Completed Summer applications should be submitted to Suzanne Blaz (sblaz@kentlaw.iit.edu), by **Friday, February 19, 2021, no later than 12 p.m.**

Fall Application Process

Applications for Fall 2021 Judicial Externships will be available [online](#) by **Thursday, February 25, 2021**. They will also be available in the Symplicity Document Library which can be accessed by clicking on "Resources" on the left side of the student Symplicity homepage.

Completed Fall applications should be submitted to Suzanne Blaz (sblaz@kentlaw.iit.edu), by **Monday, March 15, 2021, no later than 12 p.m.**

Informational Meeting

On **Tuesday, February 9, 2021, at 12p.m. [via Zoom](#)**, Professor Gross will conduct an informational meeting for students interested in participating in the Summer and/or Fall 2021 Judicial Externship Programs.

For additional information about JEP, you may also refer to the Law School Website [externship page](#).

If you have any questions about the Program or the application itself, please contact Professor Vivien Gross (vgross@kentlaw.iit.edu).