



The Business Court of Texas Court is a specialized trial court with limited jurisdiction over business-related matters, as established in section 25A.006 of the Texas Government Code. Jurisdiction is limited by subject matter and amount in controversy. The Business Court has ten judges: two each in the Austin, Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, and San Antonio areas.

Judges on the Business Court may select unpaid judicial interns for the fall school semester, spring school semester, and the summer. Applicants must have completed at least one year of law school by the time the internship starts and have a strong academic record. All interns must be current law students and must commit to at least five consecutive weeks of work. 1Ls should not apply until after they have received their first-semester grades.

Interns are supervised by the judge's staff attorney and law clerk. Interns may conduct legal research, study briefs, help prepare for hearings, and research and draft opinions.

To apply, email the following documents in separate pdf attachments to each judge for which you wish to apply:

- Cover letter
- Resume
- Unofficial law-school transcript
- Writing sample
- Two letters of recommendation

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The subject line of your email must include your name, “Internship Application,” and the semester for which you are applying.

There are no application deadlines. Each judge hires on his or her own timetable. **The Court does not respond to questions about the status of an application or whether a particular judge has completed hiring.**

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