

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS LAW CLERK
to the
NORTH DAKOTA SUPREME COURT
FROM AUGUST 1, 2024, TO JULY 31, 2025

Second-year law students interested in applying for a one-year appointment as a law clerk to the North Dakota Supreme Court should submit one (1) copy of the following:

1. A letter of application addressed to:

The Honorable Daniel J. Crothers
North Dakota Supreme Court
Judicial Wing, 1st Floor
600 East Boulevard Avenue
Bismarck, ND 58505-0530
2. An autobiographical sketch summarizing your life and career from childhood until the present.
3. A curriculum vitae containing the following information:
 - (1) Applicant's name, home address, college address, email address, and telephone number.
 - (2) Secondary schools attended.
 - (3) Pre-law and law schools attended.
 - (4) Class standing.
 - (5) Law review and other legal writings.
 - (6) Extracurricular activities.
 - (7) Awards and honors.
 - (8) Employment record.
 - (9) Military record.
 - (10) Three references. It is acceptable to list the same individuals who provide letters of recommendation.
 - (11) Any other information the applicant believes would bear upon the applicant's qualifications as a law clerk.
4. Undergraduate transcript.
5. L.S.A.T. score report.
6. Law school application for admission.
7. Law school transcript to date of application. [One official transcript.]
8. Three letters of recommendation, including at least one from a member of the law school faculty.
9. A writing sample that has been edited only by the applicant.

The current salary is \$71,364 per year. Depending upon availability of funds and the possibility of legislative action for a pay increase between now and August 2024, that amount may change.

The Court requires an individual selected to serve as a law clerk to be legally authorized to work in the United States and expects the individual to successfully complete law school education, take a bar examination of the applicant's choice before beginning the clerkship, and commit to completing a full one-year term from August 1, 2024, to July 31, 2025. Candidates will be subject to a criminal background check.

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE JULY 14, 2023.