



United States District Court Eastern District of Washington

Mentor Application

Applicant Information

Full Name:

Last

First

M.I.

Address:

Street Address

Suite #

City

State

ZIP Code

Phone:

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Email Address:

Bar Information:

State

Bar Number

Year Admitted

Year admitted to U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Washington: _____

Legal Career Information

1. **Would you be willing to take cases as a Mentor outside of your home city (e.g. a Richland attorney accepting a Mentor appointment in Spokane?)**

Yes

No

If yes, would there be any limitations on your assignment to cases within the Eastern District of Washington?

Yes

No

If yes, provide explanation/limitation:

2. **What is your current primary area of practice?**

3. **Please describe your federal criminal defense experience.**

4. Please describe your federal criminal trial experience.

5. Please describe your federal civil trial experience, if any.

6. Please describe your CJA case appointments and your private federal criminal cases within the past 5 years.

7. Please describe any relevant training, qualifications, or skills you possess that would assist you in being a Mentor.

8. Please describe any training you have received regarding the United States Sentencing Guidelines, the Bail Reform Act, or other federal criminal defense topic within the past 5 years.

9. Please describe your level of experience working with e-Discovery.

10. Are you personally adept at using the Court's Case Management/Electronic Filing System (CM/ECF) and eVoucher system?

11. Understanding that being an effective Mentor will require a significant time commitment, please include a statement as to why you want to be a Mentor.

I understand and will comply with the requirements established through the Criminal Justice Act Mentoring Program for the Eastern District of Washington.

Date:

Signature: _____

Name:

Bar Number:

SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION TO:

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