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INTERN HIRING INFORMATION

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Positions: Judge Engelmayer has completed hiring through the fall of 2025. With respect to the spring and summer 2026 terms, Judge Engelmayer is currently considering applications on a rolling basis. Interns will be given substantive assignments including drafting opinions, providing research assistance, and preparing for trial. Interns will work closely with both the Judge and the law clerks on these assignments.

Application Process: Interested students should email a cover letter, resume, transcript, and a writing sample (not to exceed 10 pages) to EngelmayerNYSDChambers@nysd.uscourts.gov. Applications are welcome from both first- and second-year students. Judge Engelmayer does not hire remote interns.

Judge Engelmayer was appointed to the Southern District in 2011 by President Obama. He worked as a staff reporter for the Wall Street Journal in between receiving his undergraduate degree from Harvard College and his law degree from Harvard Law School. Judge Engelmayer served as a law clerk to the Hon. Patricia Wald of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit and to U.S. Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall. He worked as an Assistant U.S. Attorney, Deputy Chief Appellate Attorney, and Chief of the Major Crimes Unit in the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York. He also was assistant to the U.S. Solicitor General from 1994 to 1996. Prior to his appointment, from 2000 to 2011, Judge Engelmayer was a partner at, and then partner in charge of, the New York office of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr.

Applicants should visit the Court's website (<http://nysd.uscourts.gov/judge/Engelmayer>) for updated information regarding vacancies and other hiring information.