

Law Clerk Hiring Information
Lewis A. Kaplan, United States District Court

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Southern District of New York
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Positions: Judge Kaplan has no openings until the fall of 2026. He expects to have one opening for the 2026-2027 term and two for 2027-2028.

Application Timing:

For students in law school graduating class of 2026:

Judge Kaplan will not seek or accept formal or informal clerkship applications, seek or accept formal or informal recommendations, conduct formal or informal interviews, or make formal or informal offers before June 2025.

Graduates and students in earlier law school classes:

Law school graduates and students who will graduate before 2026 may apply, be interviewed, and offered positions at any time.

Application Process: Applicants should submit in hard copy a cover letter, resume, law school and college transcripts, a writing sample, and up to three letters of recommendation. *Letters of recommendation should be submitted together with the application if possible.* Unsolicited telephone calls and e-mails from law professors and other recommenders are discouraged.

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