Chief Justice Sarah Parker  (Retiring September 2014)
Updated March 2014
Application Deadline: There is no official application deadline, but she makes decisions later than other justices.
Timeline for application: Applications are accepted in the spring (March, April, and May, 2014)
Required Documents:
  - Resume
  - Cover Letter
  - Transcript
  - Writing Sample
  - 2-3 Letters of Recommendation
  - You should mail hard copies of all application materials to:
    The Honorable Sarah Parker
    Supreme Court of North Carolina
    P.O. Box 1841
    Raleigh, NC 27602

Interview Timeline: May, June, July
Length of Clerkship: Usually two (2) years
Number of Clerks Hired: 2
Special Notes:
They will not send an acknowledgement that they have received materials, but you are welcome to call to make sure they have arrived. Justice Parker looks over any materials that are received during the spring season and then holds them until late spring or early summer. She will usually start calling for interviews in June or July, but it could be earlier. She tends to make her decision quickly once she gets ready to hire. Employment begins in August. Term for the clerkship is generally two years. She usually has two clerks, and hires one new clerk each year, so she will have one junior clerk and one senior clerk.

Justice Paul M. Newby
Updated March 2014
Application Deadline: October 31st (see note below)
Timeline for application: Applications are accepted during the summer months.
Required Documents:
  - Resume
  - Cover Letter
  - Transcript (Law School and Undergraduate)
  - Writing Sample
  - 2-3 Letters of Recommendation
  - You should mail hard copies of all application materials to:
    The Honorable Paul M. Newby
    Supreme Court of North Carolina
    P.O. Box 1841
    Raleigh, NC 27602

Interview Timeline: throughout the fall
Length of Clerkship: Usually two (2) years
Number of Clerks Hired: 3
Special Notes:
The application deadline is October 31, but applications are considered on a rolling basis, so applicants might be called in for an interview as soon as the materials are received. Therefore, there is an advantage to getting the application in early. Justice Newby is looking for students in the top 10% of the class and

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the writing sample is an extremely important component of the application. Generally a decision will be made by the end of November. Preference toward applicant he has worked with previously. Recommend those interested in clerkship to consider applying for externship.

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| Interview Timeline: | Interviews are scheduled in September. |
| Length of Clerkship: | One or two years                        |
| Number of Clerks Hired: | 2                                       |

**Justice Robin E. Hudson**

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| Length of Clerkship: | Usually two (2) years, but can be up to 3 years. |
| Number of Clerks Hired: | 2                                      |

**Special Notes:**
Justice Martin hires earlier than any other justice. Slight advantage to getting your application in early – mid to late summer at the latest. Normally, he starts calling for interviews in mid- September and likes to have made his decision by October. **However, Justice Martin is up for re-election in 2014. Therefore his current clerks will stay through the election, and new clerks would begin their term in January 2015, if he is re-elected.**

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**Special Notes:**
Justice Hudson does not know until January/February of each year whether or not she will need a clerk for the upcoming year. You may start submitting your materials in October. In

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January/February, she will review her need for a clerk and set up interviews if applicable at that time.

Justice Robert H. Edmunds, Jr.
Updated March 2014
Application Deadline: There is no official application deadline.
Timeline for application: Applications are accepted in June and July. Applications accepted after spring exam results and class rank are finalized.
Required Documents:
- Resume
- Cover Letter
- Transcript
- 2 Writing Samples
- 3 Letters of Recommendation

You should mail hard copies of all application materials to:
  The Honorable Robert J. Edmunds, Jr.
  Supreme Court of North Carolina
  P.O. Box 1841
  Raleigh, NC 27602

Interview Timeline: Interviews begin in late summer: August through early fall.
Length of Clerkship: Usually two (2) years
Number of Clerks Hired: 1
Special Notes: Justice Edmunds makes his decisions by early fall.

Justice Barbara A. Jackson
Updated March 2014
Still hiring for 2014.
Application Deadline: There is no official application deadline.
Timeline for application: Applications are accepted in August, and are generally held until the end of March, when decisions are made.
Required Documents:
- Resume
- Cover Letter
- Transcript (law and undergraduate)
- 2 Writing Samples
- 2-3 Letters of Recommendation

You should mail hard copies of all application materials to:
  The Honorable Barbara A. Jackson
  Supreme Court of North Carolina
  P.O. Box 1841
  Raleigh, NC 27602

Interview Timeline: Interviews are generally scheduled in March.
Length of Clerkship: 2 years.
Number of Clerks Hired: 2

Justice Cheri Beasley
Updated March 2014
Next clerk will be hired January 2016
Application Deadline: There is no official application deadline.
Timeline for application: Applications are accepted in December 2013 and January 2014

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Required Documents:
- Resume
- Cover Letter
- Transcript
- Writing Sample
- 2 Letters of Recommendation
- You should mail hard copies of all application materials to:
  The Honorable Cheri Beasley
  Supreme Court of North Carolina
  P.O. Box 1841
  Raleigh, NC 27602

Interview Timeline:
Justice Beasley begins selection process after December holiday break.

Length of Clerkship:
1 – 2 years

Number of Clerks Hired:
1 -2 clerks

Special Notes:
Justice Beasley was appointed to Supreme Court by Governor Beverly Purdue in December 2012 when Justice Patricia Timmons-Godson retired from the Supreme Court. Justice Beasley had been previously serving on the North Carolina Court of Appeals. However, Justice Beasley is up for re-election in 2014. Therefore her current clerks will stay through the election, and new clerks would begin their term in January 2015, if she is re-elected.

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