

MLSC Winter 2027 Government & Public Interest Recruitment Program

The Massachusetts Law School Consortium (MLSC), an association of accredited law schools, invites you to participate in the MLSC Winter 2027 Government Public Interest Collection and Interview Program. Each year, a wide range of public interest and government employers take advantage of this opportunity to recruit law students from the eight ABA-accredited Massachusetts law schools for summer internships and post-graduate positions.

If you register for the program, we will advertise your job posting(s) to students in all Massachusetts law schools, and you will receive all student applications electronically on or about Tuesday, December 9th. Please make sure to indicate in your registration which classes of students you want to interview (1Ls, 2Ls, 3Ls), and what materials you would like from them (resume, cover letter, etc.). Students will review these directions carefully before submitting their applications.

This year, you will have two options for interviewing students. The first option is that you may choose to reach out to applicants and schedule your interviews directly and then host them on your own.

The second option is that you may instead choose to have the Consortium host your interviews, on either **January 28 or 29, 2027**. This year the interviews will be managed by Jacqueline Giessler, Operations Coordinator at New England School of Law.

If you would like to receive student applications for either process, **please respond by November 6, 2025**.

You can register by completing this online form, filling out the attached registration form (and returning to me at carre@bu.edu), or **online directly via the MLSC Symplicity site:** https://law-massconsortia-csm.symplicity.com/employers/

If you are a returning employer: Log in by entering in your username and password. Note: Your username is your full e-mail address. If you are a returning employer and do not remember your password, please select the "Forgot Password" tab on the Symplicity homepage and you will receive an e-mail with a link to reset your password. If you are unable to log in or the system gives you an "invalid username", please e-mail Ethan Carr (carre@bu.edu).

If you are a new employer: Select the "Sign Up" button on the Symplicity homepage. Please complete

the form and click on the “submit” button at the bottom of the page. You will receive a confirmation email with your username and password shortly after your submission.

Click on the **OCI tab** from the side navigation bar.

Click on the **“Schedule Requests” tab** (you may already be on the page) and then click on the **“Request Schedule” button**. Select the session from the Session dropdown menu that suits your needs: “Gov/PI Program Virtual Interviews – January 2027” or “Gov/PI Program Resume Collect - 2027.”

Please complete the form with all the necessary and required information.

Below are more detailed steps.

Select Session: Please select either the “Gov/PI Program Virtual Interviews – January 2027” or “Gov/PI Program Resume Collect - 2027” from the drop-down menu, depending on if you wish to participate in interviews or strictly conduct a resume collection.

Additional Locations: Enter additional locations/offices for which you will be interviewing. Use this box if you want students on one schedule to interview for all your office locations. If you want students separated out onto different schedules by office locations, then you will need to submit a separate registration or be the multiple office contact for your firm.

Scheduling Notes: Enter in any scheduling notes you may require. Ex: Need to leave at 4 p.m. or start at 10 a.m.; or need to split schedule by practice area.

Interview Length: Click on the interview length (20 min: 20 interviews for full day schedule, 30 min: 14 interviews for full day schedule).

Number of Virtual Rooms: Enter in the number of schedules/virtual rooms you will need.

Time Span: Select full day [9:00am-5:00pm], morning [9:00 am-12:00pm] (20 minute schedule) 9:00am-12:15pm (30 minute schedule)] or afternoon [1:00pm -5:00pm]. Full days include two breaks and a one hour lunch break.

Interviewer(s): If you know who will be conducting interviews at this time, you may include this information here but you will not need to. You may submit this information closer to the interview date in January.

Position Description: Please describe the responsibilities of the position.

Class Years to Interview: Select class year(s) you wish to interview. (Hold down the Ctrl button while clicking on each class year to select multiple years.)

Additional Document Types/Additional Requests: If you check “Other Documents”, please describe what you would like to receive.

Hiring Criteria: Enter in preferred hiring criteria and other information helpful to students.

Attachment(s): If you have a separate application form for students to complete in addition to applying through Symplicity, you can upload it here.

Survey Questions/Comments: Please be sure to answer the survey questions at the bottom before submitting!

Please let me know if you have any questions or issues with the registration process. Ethan Carr can be reached by email at carre@bu.edu.

Best,

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