

Courts / Agencies	Type of Matter	Supervision	Requirements
Boston Municipal Court, and, District Court, and, Housing Court, and, Juvenile Court, and, Land Court, and, Probate and Family Court.	Criminal	General	• Completed 2/3 of law school requirements, and, • Completed a course in criminal procedure; or, • Completed a clinical program that included instructions in criminal procedure.
		Direct	• Enrolled or completed a criminal clinic program, and, • Enrolled or completed a course in criminal procedure; or, • Enrolled or completed a clinical program that includes instructions in criminal procedure.
	Civil	General	• Completed 2/3 of law school requirements, and, • Completed a course in civil procedure.
		Direct	• Enrolled or completed a civil clinical program; and, • Enrolled or completed a course in civil procedure.
Superior Court	Criminal ¹	Direct	• Completed 2/3 of law school requirements, and, • Enrolled or completed a course in criminal procedure; or, • Enrolled or completed a clinical program that includes instructions in criminal procedure.
	Civil		• Completed a course in civil procedure; and, • Enrolled or completed a civil clinical program.
Appeals Court	Oral Argument	Direct	• Certified Law Student Practitioner files a Notice of Appearance within 14 days of the oral argument; or, • Attorney and law student file a Motion into a pending matter within 14 days of the oral argument.
Supreme Judicial Court	Oral Argument	Direct	• Certified Law Student Practitioner; and, • By Motion for Leave To Appear 30 days prior to the oral argument.

Caveat: This illustration is an abbreviation of Rule 3:03, Section 4 organized by Court, Type of Matter, Supervision and Requirements. Refer directly to the Rule for full details, conditions, and, stipulations.

¹ See S.J.C Rule 3:03, Section 4.3 (a)(i)-(vi) for specific criminal matters.