

**MEMORANDUM TO:** All Sorority and Fraternity Members

**FROM:** Guillermo Mendez, President, Order of Omega, Zeta Eta Chapter

Applications are now being accepted for membership into Northern Illinois University’s Order of Omega chapter. Order of Omega is a leadership honor society for members of Greek social organizations. The qualifications for membership are based upon one’s character, scholarship, service, and leadership in the Greek community. To be a candidate for membership, a student shall meet the following requirements:

1. Must have completed at least one full academic year at Northern Illinois University.
2. Must be an active, initiated member of a Greek social organization for at least one academic year.
3. Must currently have Junior or Senior class standing (minimum of 60 completed/earned hours).
4. Must rank academically above the all-Greek system average with a minimum 2.65 cumulative GPA (3.0 or above is recommended).
5. Must be in good standing with one’s current fraternal organization.

If you have any questions, please contact us at niuorderofomega@gmail.com.

**Note:** New members are required to pay an initial fee of $80.00 upon initiation into Order of Omega. Afterwards, membership dues for the organization are $30.00 per year. In order to remain a member of Order of Omega, it is mandatory for each member to pay these dues.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, October 31st, 2014 at 4:30 p.m.**

**To Student Involvement and Leadership Development**

**Campus Life Building – Suite 150**

Northern Illinois University

**Order of Omega Fall 2014 Application**

\*Due Friday, October 31st, 2014 at 4:30 p.m. to the SILD Office\*

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FRATERNITY/SORORITY AFFILIATION: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

SEMESTER PLEDGED: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ CLASS STANDING: (check) JR\_\_\_\_ SR\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: ­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

CAMPUS ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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MAJOR: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ESTIMATED GRADUATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

T-SHIRT SIZE: (men’s sizing, circle one) XS S M L XL XXL

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

* Attach a copy of your current resume to the application.
* Attach a copy of your unofficial transcript to the application.
* In 300 words or less (TYPED), answer the following question:How will your leadership qualities benefit Order of Omega?
* On a separate piece of paper (TYPED), please provide the following information:
1. List all of your academic and extracurricular awards/honors.
2. Describe your community involvement (i.e. community service, philanthropy)
3. Please list all of your offices, committee chairs, committee assignments, etc. within your chapter. If the title is not self-explanatory, please describe the role/responsibility.
4. Please list all of your offices, committee chairs, committee assignments, etc. within your Greek community (e.g. IFC, NPHC, PHC, UGC). If the title is not self-explanatory, please describe the role/responsibility.
5. Please list all of your offices, committee chairs, committee assignments, etc. within your campus community (e.g. Athletics, Honor Societies, Student Government, etc.). If the title is not self-explanatory, please describe the role/responsibility.
6. Explain your purpose in applying for membership.