

Order Of Omega Greek Honorary Application

The Ohio Zeta Chi chapter of Order of Omega

The Zeta Chi chapter of Order of Omega is a Greek honorary organization comprised of 3rd and 4th year Greek students represented by Ohio State's four Greek governing communities: Interfraternity Council (IFC), Pan-Hellenic Council (PHC), Panhellenic Association (PHA) and Multicultural Greek Council (MCGC). Order of Omega grants membership based on outstanding character, service to the Greek and university communities and academic achievement. As a chapter, we are an active Greek honorary pursuing new and innovative ways to serve the Greek and University communities. We are in a constant pursuit of knowledge, both academic and real world experiences. We build bonds, friendships and unity through community service and social networking interaction.

Purpose of Order of Omega

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To recognize those fraternity men and women who have attained a high standard of leadership in inter-fraternity activities, to encourage them to continue along this line, and to inspire others to strive for similar conspicuous attainment.

To bring together outstanding fraternity men and women to create an organization which will help to mold the sentiment of the institution on questions of local and intercollegiate fraternity affairs.

To bring together members of the faculty, alumni, and student members of the institution's fraternities and sororities on a basis of mutual interest, understanding and helpfulness.

To help create an atmosphere where ideas and issues can be discussed openly across Greek lines and to help work out solutions.

Selection Criteria:

Selection for The Order of Omega is based upon participation in activities, leadership in organizations, and service to The Ohio State University and community. Membership is an honor and selection will be made with that in mind.

To be eligible for candidacy for The Order of Omega the following minimum requirements must be met:

- One full year of residence at The Ohio State University
- A cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher
- At least 90 credit hours
- Candidate must be a member in good standing with their respective fraternal organization

NOTE: Resignation, suspension, or expulsion from your respective fraternal organization shall result in termination of membership in Order of Omega.

Selection/Induction Details:

If selected for membership, students must plan on attending the initiation ceremony to be held **November 15th 6:00 pm**. This ceremony is mandatory to confirm membership in The Order of Omega. Location will be announced upon receiving acceptance into the organization.

To be considered a member in good standing, one must attend one community service event a quarter, attend two out of three general body meetings, while maintaining a 2.50 GPA and acting in accordance with the values of the organization.

With your one-time membership dues of **\$50**, you will receive a membership pin, certificate and quarterly newsletter. **This must be paid prior to or day of initiation.**

If you have any questions or need further information about The Order of Omega, please contact Marc Ribé at ribe.2@osu.edu

Application:

Name:
Chapter Affiliation:
Email Address:
Local Address:
Telephone Number:
Total Credit Hours:
Cumulative GPA:
Major:

- Leadership Positions within your Chapter (Exec Board or Committee):
- Leadership Positions within the Greek community:
- Other Activities and Involvement:
- Community Service Activities:
- Awards and Honors:

Please answer the following questions in 500 words or less:

- 1) What has being a part of the Greek community meant to you, and what have you learned as a part of this community?
- 2) One of the goals of Order of Omega is to unify and unite the Greek community. How can you contribute to that vision?
- 3) Why do you want to be a part of Order of Omega?

References (2):

Name:
Phone:
Email:
Position:
Relation to you:

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(If you could include some kind of electronic signature as well, that would be great.)

Application Due: November 3, 2009 5:00pm

Application is due November 3rd, 2009 by 5:00pm electronically to Marc Ribé at ribe.2@osu.edu **or** to:

Tyler Blair
1961 Tuttle Park Place (Ohio Union)
Columbus, OH 43201

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All applicants will be notified of the selection decision by **November 8, 2009**. If you have any questions or need further information about The Order of Omega, please contact Marc Ribé at ribe.2@osu.edu