ALPHA IOTA IOTA CHAPTER, PLANO, TX

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., is an international organization of men organized November 17, 1911, at Howard University. The founders of this prestigious organization envisioned a national organization that would unite thousands of young men in aim, thought, and loyalty. The selected name of the organization when translated means “friendship is essential to the soul.” Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance, and Uplift are the cardinal principles under which this fraternity operates. Today, the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., has a brotherhood of men operating in most U.S. cities and countries abroad. These chapters of the fraternity intend to practice the above-mentioned cardinal principles through community uplift, economic development, and service to others.

The North Dallas Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., (Alpha Iota Iota Chapter) will award scholarships to deserving college bound high school seniors (male or female) who exemplify the ideals and cardinal principles of our beloved fraternity. Scholarship winners will be judged on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, community involvement and financial need. Traditionally, this Chapter has attempted to focus its efforts on high schools that operate in the northern sector of the metroplex.

The deadline for receiving all applications is midnight on ***April 14, 2024***. If you have any questions regarding this memorandum and/or the application, please do not hesitate to contact me at the following email address: *scholarshipawards@yahoo.com*. Please make sure each applicant completes the Scholarship Application Form and attaches: (**1) an essay, (2) a resume, (3) current high school transcript, and (4) a small photograph with the application**. There will be an interview with the committee and the winner and their family will be notified in a timely fashion. All awards will be sent directly to the winner after receiving documentation that the student is enrolled in an accredited college or university. Lastly, in an effort to reduce the amount of paper that is utilized applicants should only submit an electronic copy of the completed application in Adobe Acrobat pdf and/or Microsoft Word format(s).

Finally, multiple scholarships will be awarded and we are looking for individuals who exhibit Character, Leadership, Accountability, Scholarship, and Service!

Sincerely,

Bro. Robert Hamilton

Alpha Iota Iota Chapter Scholarship Committee Chair

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Add attachments where necessary)

Name:

Address: City/State/Zip Code:

Home Number: Cellular Number:

Email Address: High School:

Grade Point Average: Date of High School Graduation:

Extra-Curricular Activities/Community Involvement (include honors & awards):

Employment History (include position(s) and dates):

**Note:** This application form and all attachments must be returned by Midnight on April 14, 2024 in an electronic format only (Adobe Acrobat pdf and/or Microsoft Word).

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Name of Colleges/Universities of Interest:

Explain the Scholarship Need:

Identify any family members or direct contacts (teacher, counselor, etc…) that are members of this fraternity and/or are members of the Alpha Iota Iota Chapter:

**Required Attachments:**

1. Type an essay (must be between 700 and 1,000 words) about the designated topic.
2. Attach a recent **resume**
3. Attach a copy of your current **high school transcript** 4. Submit a small **3 x 5 photograph**

**Scholarship Essay Prompt**

**Please complete both parts**

**Part 1:**

With A.I. Technology breaking ground in all fields of life, how would you differentiate between the positive and negative aspects of using such technology? List and describe some of the pros and cons of each. Do you support the use of A.I. Technology or are you against the use of A.I. Technology? What ideas validate your position.

For A.I. Technology:

* What actions would you take to ensure the safety and security of all citizens is in place?
* What criteria would you use to assess and minimize the level of risk that comes with using A.I. Technology?
* What tasks would you prioritize for the use of A.I. Technology?
* How would you generate a plan to detect and punish abusers of A.I. Technology?
* How would you demonstrate the value of A.I. Technology to someone who does not agree with your position?

Against A.I. Technology:

* List and describe the problems with A.I. Technology.
* How would you modify A.I. Technology?
* What laws would you create to protect citizens from the abuse of A.I. Technology?
* What alternatives would you suggest in place of A.I. Technology?
* What are some parts and/or features of A.I. Technology that concern you the most?
* If you had access to all resources, how would you deal with the evolving problems presented by A.I. Technology?