Application for Membership

Note to Candidates: Thank you for your interest in Emerging Leaders! In order to be considered, all candidates must attend a mandatory Information Session on Tuesday, September 22nd from 6:30-7:30pm in the Student Union Multi-Purpose Room and complete the application below. Applications are due at the conclusion of the Information Session on 9/22 and will be provided in advance as well as during the Information Session. Candidates may come with a completed application or there will be time allocated at the Information Session for application completion. If you have questions about Emerging Leaders, please contact Ruth Policella at policera@potsdam.edu.

Personal Data – Please print clearly

Name: ___________________________________________  Phone: _________________________________
E-mail: ________________________________________  Campus Box #: ___________________________
If on campus, please indicate:  Tee Shirt Size: _________________________________
Residence Hall: __________________________ Room Number: _________
Major(s)/Minor(s), if known: ___________________________  Year You Started At Potsdam: _________________
Circle One:    first year student     sophomore     junior     senior

Special Meal Needs/Allergies: ____________________________________________________________

Please indicate your responses to the questions below:

1. Below are listed the expectations of Emerging Leader members. In order to be considered you must be able to meet all these expectations.

   Emerging Leader New Member Expectations
   * Attend weekly one-hour meetings on Tuesday’s from 6:30-7:30pm (2 excused & 1 unexcused absences are permitted per semester). Meetings include: leadership development workshops as well as planning for service and fundraising events.
   * New Emerging Leaders must attend the entire Retreat program on Saturday, 10/3 - Sunday, 10/4.
   * Work shifts to support Emerging Leaders Events & Fundraising Activities: estimate of 10-15 hours each semester, to fit with your academic schedule

Can you meet all the expectations stated above? _____ yes    _____ no
Do you feel you have the time to dedicate as an Emerging Leader? Please explain. ___________________________

2. Why would you like to be part of the Emerging Leaders program? ___________________________
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3. Please list your most recent activities (extracurricular, volunteer/fundraising, etc.) and/or work experience.

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4. Please share a specific experience that highlights your dedication (defined as reliability & willingness to put in time/go the extra mile) to completing a job/task, special project, or other goal.

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5. What do you believe makes you stand out from other applicants as a strong candidate to become an Emerging Leader?

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6. Please share something that you are particularly proud of in yourself (special accomplishment, personal characteristic, etc.)

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For consideration, please return this application prior to leaving the Emerging Leaders Information Session meeting on 9/22/2015. We will notify all students who turn in an application of their status through a letter in their campus mailbox by September 28th.