Gamma Sigma Epsilon (Zeta Gamma Chapter) Chemistry Honor Society Application Instructions

Please fill out the form on the following page and submit it by **4:00 p.m., Friday, February 14, 2014.** Unfortunately applications submitted after this date cannot be accepted. Applications can be submitted via email to amy.vann@ucumberlands.edu or the hard copy can be handed in to the departmental secretary, Mrs. Amy Vann (phone#: 539-4322) in the Chemistry Department office.

**Admission requirements:** Candidates for admission to the Zeta Gamma chapter of GSE should be chemistry majors or minors and meet one of the following requirements as described in the GSE chapter constitution:

1. Candidates for membership in the Chapter will have met the following requirements:
   a. have completed at least 13 hours of chemistry courses at University of the Cumberlands, normally to consist of CHEM 132 & 232, CHEM 111 & 211, CHEM 331 & 321. Additionally, students must be taking either CHEM 332 & 322 or CHEM 336 & 328, by the end of this semester. Transfer credit or AP credit for CHEM 132, 232, 111 & 211 can be used as part of the 13 hours of chemistry courses.
   b. have a minimum grade point average of 3.5 in all chemistry courses and an overall GPA of at least 3.5.
2. Transfer students shall be eligible for membership after one semester at The University of the Cumberlands in which they have taken at least one chemistry course, if they also meet the requirements for membership in part 1.
3. A rising senior whose academic record in chemistry is satisfactory for the preceding year and who has made a significant contribution to the department, but whose overall scholastic average is slightly below that required for membership (with GPA of at least 3.2 in all chemistry courses and overall GPA of 3.2), may also be elected to membership. Please see ** statement in Part II.

**Part I:**

Please provide your local contact information, including preferred Email address and cell phone number, as well as your permanent address (i.e. parents address). Your permanent address will be used to register you with the national GSE office.

**Part II:**

Please provide the grades earned in all chemistry courses taken. If you took the course at another school, provide grades for the UC equivalent.

Write "enrolled" for any chemistry courses you are taking this semester.

** If you applying under item 3 in the Admissions Requirements above, please provide a short statement of your contributions to the chemistry department or the field of chemistry, such as involvement in departmental service, teaching assistantship, summer professional scholarship/activities, research or other activities.

The initiation fee is $55 ($40 national, $15 local), with a $10 membership fee to remain an active member in subsequent years. **Do not include the initiation fee with this application.** Once you have been elected for induction, you will be contacted with instructions for completing your application and paying the membership fee.
Application Form

I. Contact Information:

Name: ______________________________________________________ (First, Middle, Last)

Gender (M/F): ___________________________   Student ID Number: __________________________

Date of Birth: ___________________________            Classification: _________________ (So/Jr/Sr)

Email Address: __________________________  Cell Phone #: _______________________________

Local Phone #: __________________________  Permanent (Home) Phone #: ___________________

Major(s): _________________________________________________________________________________

Minor(s): _________________________________________________________________________________

Other professional/academic affiliations: ________________________________________________________

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Local Address: Permanent Address:

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II. Grades:

CHEM 132:_____  CHEM 232:_____   CHEM 111:_____  CHEM 211:_____  
CHEM 331:_____  CHEM 321:_____  CHEM 332:_____  CHEM 322:_____  
CHEM 336:_____  CHEM 328:_____

Other Chemistry courses:

CHEM _____:_____  CHEM _____:_____  CHEM _____:_____  CHEM _____:_____  
CHEM _____:_____  CHEM _____:_____

Overall GPA:_______  Overall chemistry GPA: _______

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____________ (Semester/Year)

** If applying under part III of the admission requirements, please attach a short statement of your contributions to the chemistry department or the field of chemistry, such as involvement in departmental service, teaching assistantship, summer professional scholarship/activities, research or other activities.

I satisfy all of the requirements for admission to the Gamma Sigma Epsilon honorary society and confirm that the information above is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I authorize Dr. Julie Tan, the faculty advisor for Gamma Sigma Epsilon to look at my academic transcript to confirm my eligibility.

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Signature     Date