

Harrison Professional Pathways Program

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

ARE YOU ON TRACK?

Follow this application checklist to ensure your college application is complete.

- ❑ **STEP 1: Complete** this application if you are a first-time freshman or have less than 30 quarter hours or 20 semester hours of college credit.
Remember to complete all required sections.
- ❑ **STEP 2: Gather** the following materials and either mail or send them electronically to NLU's Admissions Office.
 - Official high school transcript with graduation date posted.*
 - Official transcripts from all institutions you have previously registered and/or have attended.*
 - Official military transcripts, military certificates (including Army, Navy, Marine Joint Services or CCAS-Air Force transcripts), nationally recognized certificates and CLEP/DANTES test scores may also be submitted for evaluation.*

* In order to be considered official, transcripts must arrive in envelopes sealed by the issuing institution.

Official e-transcripts are also acceptable and must be sent directly from the issuing institution to admissions@nl.edu

- ❑ **STEP 3: Complete** the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. You can download a paper form at fafsa.ed.gov options or complete an online application at fafsa.ed.gov. NLU's school code is 001733. The code is used on the FAFSA to identify the college you would like to receive your student aid information.
- ❑ **STEP 4: Check** your email regularly for important application updates and next steps. Don't forget to check your spam box if you don't see anything from us.
- ❑ **STEP 5: Schedule** and attend an on-campus information session and financial aid seminar. Call us at **888.419.3790** or email pathways@nl.edu to schedule these sessions.

Submit Application:

**Office of Admissions
National Louis University
1000 Capitol Drive
Wheeling, IL 60090**

Contact us:

**888.NLU.TODAY (658.8632)
admissions@nl.edu**

Apply online:

nl.edu/applyonline

BACHELOR DEGREE OPTIONS

COLLEGE OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES AND ADVANCEMENT

APPLIED COMMUNICATIONS: Designed with input from industry experts to deliver the real-world skills you'll need to succeed in professions such as Corporate Communications, Public Relations, Advertising, or Journalism.

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION: Build your business knowledge about each functional area of business ranging from marketing, accounting, supply chain management, and human resources to communication, data analytics and strategic management.

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS: The IT field continues to boom, and students who want to move into supervisory and management positions can get the skills they need through this focused program.

HUMAN SERVICES: If you love the idea of working directly with people, consider NLU's B.A. in Human Services degree. You'll train to be a successful employee in organizations that provide support, service, and other general social work-related activities for individuals, families, and communities in need.

PSYCHOLOGY: NLU's program will expand your knowledge of psychological concepts, theories and more. The coursework provides a great foundation for working in community or business settings as well as graduate study.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE: Prepares students to work in fields addressing the effects of criminality on individuals, communities, and society. With majors in Criminal Justice Administration or Forensic Social Justice, this degree equips graduates to serve in the law enforcement, courts, or corrections systems, or to work in related private industries.

SOCIAL SCIENCE: Gain a broader understanding of human and social behavior by studying the interdisciplinary perspectives of anthropology, economics, history, political science and sociology in this undergraduate degree program. And if social science is your passion, you may want to continue your studies into a secondary teaching degree.

NATIONAL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

EARLY CHILDHOOD PRACTICE (NON-LICENSURE): Work with children in child care centers or settings that do not require state licensure. *** Does not require ACT/SAT Scores***

For the following majors an incoming ACT composite score of 18 or SAT of 1000 is strongly recommended. Please note, students must complete the testing requirements for the Illinois State Board of Education before being formally admitted to a teaching program for their Junior year. NLU offers various options to help you prepare for these tests.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION: Intended for students who want to teach children from birth to 2nd grade

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION: Designed for those who want to teach 1st to sixth grade

SPECIAL EDUCATION: Equips graduates to teach children with special education needs, including all preparation for attainment of the Illinois Learning Behavioral Specialist (LBS1) endorsement.

Harrison Professional Pathways Program ADMISSION APPLICATION

Congratulations on starting the undergraduate application process with National Louis University. This application is for admission into the *Fall 2017* freshman class of the Harrison Professional Pathways Program (NLU Pathways).

THE APPLICATION PROCESS The following steps are critical to completing your college application

- STEP 1:** Complete all required sections of this application if you are a first time freshman or have less than 30 quarter hours or 20 semester hours of college credit
- STEP 2:** Gather all required transcripts and either mail or send them electronically to the admissions office (See STEP 2 on page 2)
- STEP 3:** Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form.
- STEP 4:** Check your email regularly for important application updates and next steps
- STEP 5:** Schedule and attend an on-campus information session and financial aid seminar

PART A • APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name	First	Middle	Maiden (if applicable)
Address: Street or Route		Date of Birth	
City/State/Zip	Country	Sex	
Home Telephone	Mobile Telephone		
Email Address (will be used for ALL admissions communications)			
Alternative email			

Sign-up to receive important reminders!

- Yes, I give NLU permission to send me text messages

PART B • PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Last Name	First	Email Address
Address: Street or Route		Home Telephone
City/State/Zip	Country	

PART C • CITIZENSHIP

Are you an U.S. Citizen? Yes No If no, indicate country of citizenship _____

Social Security Number: ____ - ____ - ____

If you do not have a Social Security Number, please enter your Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN): _____

Please indicate if you are an undocumented immigrant: Yes No
DREAMer: Yes No DACA-qualified: Yes No

PART D • RACE AND ETHNICITY*

Please select from BOTH ethnic and racial identification sections to help the university meet its federal reporting obligations.

What is your ethnicity? Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino

Please select one or more races*

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
- White

* Optional Information

PART E • PATHWAYS PROGRAM INFORMATION

Please indicate the degree to which you are applying. Location/Campus Chicago Wheeling

Business Pathway

- BA in Business Administration
- BS in Management Information Systems

Education Pathway

- BA in Early Childhood Practice (Non-Licensure)
- BA in Early Childhood Education
- BA in Elementary Education
- BA in Special Education

General Studies Pathway

- BA in Applied Communications
- BA in Criminal Justice
- BA in Human Services
- BA in Psychology
- BA in Social Science

Have you ever attended or applied to National Louis University before? Yes No If so, when? _____

Please list any former names used while earning academic credit: _____

PART F • EDUCATION

High School

School Name) _____ Address/City/State/Zip _____

Dates Attended (MM/YY)-(MM/YY) _____ Date Graduated or Date of Expected Graduation _____

Have you earned/expect to earn any AP, IB, dual credit or career certifications? Yes No

Did you earn your G.E.D. instead of a high school diploma? Yes No

College/Dual Enrollment List all institutions you have attended, regardless of whether credit appears on other transcripts or was used towards a degree.

Institution _____ City/State _____ Dates Attended _____ Credit hours earned _____

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Additional Information Add any accomplishments, honors, tests taken (including dates) or other educational information that you feel is pertinent to your study at National Louis.

PART G • ADMISSION POLICY

Procedures and requirements are specific to each program. Admission to study in one program does not ensure admission to all programs. The decision to deny admission cannot be appealed. It is your responsibility to be aware of the policies and requirements of National Louis University as stated in the University catalog. National Louis University reserves the right to change any provision or requirement, including fees, at any time, with or without notice.

National Louis University admits students to all programs and activities and administers all educational, employment, and other policies without discrimination because of race, color, age, religion, sex, sexual orientation, ancestry, disability, military status or marital status.

It is expected by the University that all information which is material to the admissions process be accurate and true to the best of the student's or prospective student's knowledge. Any individual found to have submitted fraudulent, incorrect, plagiarized, or misleading information is subject to denial of admission to, or dismissal from the University.

I certify that the information given on this application is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge, and that I have attended no institutions other than those listed. I understand that I am responsible for arranging the forwarding of official transcripts of records from schools I have attended, and that such transcripts become the property of the University and will not be returned to me. I also give my permission to National Louis University to verify my educational records with the institutions I have attended.

If a University faculty or staff member discovers that this policy has been violated by an applicant for admission, that applicant shall be denied admission by the Director of Admissions.

Applicant's Signature

Date

CONGRATULATIONS! You have now completed STEP 1 of the Application Process. Remember to check your email often!

Please refer to the appropriate Application Checklist for program requirements.

National Louis University is accredited by the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools, 30 N. LaSalle St., Suite 2400, Chicago, IL 60606 312.263.0456, and is a participant in the HLC's Academic Quality Improvement Program (AQIP). National College of Education meets all standards of the National Council for the Accreditation of Teacher Education. Certain business programs in the College of Professional Studies and Advancement have earned professional accreditation from the International Assembly of Collegiate Business Education. Selected programs in the National College of Education are approved by the Illinois State Board of Education for licensure of education professionals.

For information on campus safety, please refer to NLU's Consumer Information at www.nl.edu/legalpages/consumerinfo