

### **Tri-college Registration Summer 2023.**

Important Note: If you are an NDSU student, for the summer it would be cheaper to apply to MSUM as a part-time student, rather than taking a course via Tri-college.

- I believe North Dakota residents save \$265.47 and Minnesota residents save \$403.38 by taking a summer course through MSUM rather than via tri-college.
- Tri-college enrollment allows you to replace a bad CHEM341/342 grade on your NDSU transcript.
- To register through MSUM, you'd first need to apply as a part-time student before registering, see <https://web.mnstate.edu/jasperse/Online/RegistrationDistanceStudents-Summer.pdf>

### **Tri-college registration will be accepted for both Organic I and Organic II during summer 2023.**

NDSU Students: Download and complete the appropriate NDSU form below, then email it to the NDSU records office: [ndsu.registrar@ndsu.edu](mailto:ndsu.registrar@ndsu.edu)

- Form for CHEM350-01, for Summer 2023:
  - <https://web.mnstate.edu/jasperse/Online/Tricollege-Registration-Form-Chem350-01-Summer-23.pdf>
- Form for CHEM350-02, for Summer 2023:
  - <https://web.mnstate.edu/jasperse/Online/Tricollege-Registration-Form-Chem350-02-Summer-23.pdf>
- Form for CHEM360-01, for Summer 2023:
  - <https://web.mnstate.edu/jasperse/Online/Tricollege-Registration-Form-Chem360-Summer-23.pdf>

**General tri-college registration form.** This might be useful if you are from Concordia instead of NDSU, or are registering for a course during a semester other than Summer 2023.

- [https://www.tri-college.org/fileadmin/tri-college.org/Current\\_Forms/TCU\\_Registration\\_Form\\_FINAL.pdf](https://www.tri-college.org/fileadmin/tri-college.org/Current_Forms/TCU_Registration_Form_FINAL.pdf)

### **General Tri-College Notes:**

- Tri-college registration was NOT permitted during previous summers.
- Tri-college registration will automatically send your grade to your home school.
- If you are taking O-Chem at MSUM to improve your NDSU GPA by replacing a bad Chem341/342 grade, make sure that you answer yes to the following question on the tri-college registration form.
  - “Will this course replace a previously completed/graded course?”
- For more information about tri-college, see the following and links therein.
  - <https://www.ndsu.edu/onestop/tri-college-university-registration>
- If you register via tri-college, you will still need to pay MSUM for course fees (\$213.00, for 2023), even though tuition costs will be paid to NDSU.
  - To pay MSUM by credit card over the phone, call the business office, 218.477.2242

### **Price Comparison between Tri-College Registration versus enrollment as a part-time MSUM student**

- In either case you'll pay \$213 to MSUM for course fees.
- The difference is whether you pay NDSU summer tuition or MSUM tuition prices.
- MSUM tuition price: 3 credits x \$294.59-per-credit = \$883.77, for 2023
  - This is common for Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wisconsin students.
- NDSU tuition price, if you register via tri-college:
  - North Dakota Residents: 3 credits x \$383.08-per-credit = \$1,149.24, for 2023
  - Minnesota Residents: 3 credits x \$429.05 = \$1,287.15, for 2023
  - NDSU tuition rates: <https://www.ndsu.edu/onestop/undergraduate-tuition>
- So, applying and registering as a part-time MSUM student will save \$265.47 or \$403.38 for North Dakota or Minnesota residents!
- To register through MSUM, you'd first need to apply as a part-time student before registering, see <https://web.mnstate.edu/jasperse/Online/RegistrationDistanceStudents-Summer.pdf>
- Note: If you register as a part-time MSUM student, your grade will be accepted at NDSU towards any graduation requirements; but it will NOT replace a bad CHEM341/342 grade on your NDSU transcript. \*IF\* you do want to replace a bad CHEM341/342 on your NDSU transcript and GPA, then register via tri-college, even if it costs somewhat more.