

# Northern Illinois University ICMA Student Chapter

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## 2016-2017 Report

The ICMA Student Chapter at Northern Illinois University is pleased to report an effective and productive 2016-2017 academic year.



### Leadership

Michael Goers and Evetar Zeqiri were elected co-presidents of the chapter for the 2016-2017 academic year. Emily Tipps, Mararget Tinberg, and Ian Irizarry were also on the board. Michael, Evetar, Emily, Mararget, and Ian organized professional development as well as the social events connecting NIU MPA students to local government management.

### Conferences and Events

Over 30 NIU MPA students attended the 2016 ICMA Conference in Kansas City, MO. The 2016 ICMA Conference was a highlight for recent graduates and continuing students.



**NIU MPA students who participated in the women's workshop at 2016 ICMA Conference in Kansas City, MO.**



**NIU MPA students and staff who attended the 2016 ICMA Conference in Kansas City, MO (NIU MPA t-shirts were provided to students and staff that were at the conference).**

In addition, numerous chapter members attended the following events with many students receiving scholarships to attend:

1. ILCMA Summer Conference
2. ILCMA Winter Conference
3. ILCMA Luncheons
4. IAMMA Luncheons
5. IAMMA Annual Conference
6. Legacy Project Brown Bag Luncheons
7. Legacy Project Annual Conference
8. NIU Alumni and Friends Dinner

## Social Events

NIU ICMA Student Chapter is proud of bringing students together by hosting a few social events throughout the academic year. Social events included a few dinners in different municipalities and a bowling alley event.



**NIU MPA students at a bowling alley.**

## Placement

Chapter members are either working as full-time employees or part-time interns at their respective communities across the state of Illinois. Recent and past graduates have found great municipal roles in communities around the nation. The chapter is very proud of the record held by chapter members as they perform valuable work in their roles as municipal servants.



**Ryan Lindeman, a recent NIU MPA program graduate, taking the oath of office at graduation commissioning him as an US Army 2nd Lieutenant.**