Hi my name is Marine, I am from Paris. I am an earth and planetary science major and I am premed.

Why NU? I choose NU because I was born in Evanston so it was like I was going back home. The campus is beautiful. It is right next to Chicago so it is very practical. Since I am premed, the science departments are very important to me and NU has one of the best chemistry departments in the country.

Describe the campus: The campus is really beautiful. You have on one side the lake and on the other side downtown Evanston. Everything is very close by. It takes about 15 minutes to go from one end to the other. My favorite part about campus is in the winter when it has just snowed and it's nice out, we have this cold/warm sensation which is really amazing.

Extracurricular: I am in a sorority. Greek life is pretty important on campus. I am also part of ISA (international student association); we organize a lot of events to get to know people from other countries. I am also currently starting the french club with other french friends. I am also part of an organization for premed students.

Memorable experience: my favorite experience at NU was Dance Marathon. It was the most amazing 30 hours of my life. It was very hard, but there were so many emotions: we cry, laugh, dance. It's really great and I decided to do it again. I am even captain of my team so hopefully we'll come in first of our category.