

**Manhattanville in West Harlem Implementation Plan Report  
October 14, 2022 Submission**

**Declaration Reference and Key Data**

Obligation Section Number: **5.07(c)(vi)**

Obligation Title: **Undergraduate Scholarships for Aid-Eligible Students from the Local Community**

Obligation Page Number: **53**

Obligation Trigger: **PACB Approval**

Obligation Start Date: **May 20, 2009 (PACB Approval date)**

Obligation End Date: **May 20, 2035\* (25 Years from Commencement)**

Obligation Status: **In Compliance**

**Obligation**

*Undergraduate Scholarships for Aid-Eligible Students from the Local Community.* In an effort to encourage students to attend Columbia College and the Fu School of Engineering and Applied Science, CU shall undertake a targeted recruitment effort for qualified students from the local community. Commencing on May 20, 2009, CU shall establish a scholarship fund to serve up to 40 aid-eligible undergraduate students per year who are admitted to Columbia College and the Fu School of Engineering and Applied Science from Harlem, with funding made available to meet their fully demonstrated financial need until 2033 or for a period of 25 years from commencement, whichever is longer.

\*Undergraduate scholarships were made available with the start of the 2010-2011 academic year, one year after the trigger date. Therefore, this obligation will be in effect until the 2034-2035 academic year, 25 years from the commencement of the obligation implementation.

Note: In Spring 2014, the financial support for local students was officially named the Thompson-Muñoz scholarship award, named after two local Columbia graduates.

**Evidence of Compliance**

1. Annual report reflecting prior Academic year awards

Columbia University's Implementation Plan and all supporting documentation are made available on the Columbia Neighbors Webpage at <https://neighbors.columbia.edu/content/community-commitments>.

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### **EOC Checklist for Obligation 5.07(c)(vi):**

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## Annual Report: Undergraduate Scholarships for Aid-Eligible Students from the Local Community

State Submission Annual Reporting Period: **Academic Year 2021 - 2022**

### Local Aid-Eligible Students Admitted to Columbia College and/or The Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science Academic Year 2021-2022

Scholarships Awarded for Academic Year: 2021-2022							
#	Unique ID	Expected Year of Graduation	School	Amount Awarded (CU Specific)	New/ Renewal	Total Awarded To Date	Zip Code
1	UI000000114	2023	CC	\$52,758	Renewal	\$197,106	10031
2	UI000000148	2023	CC	\$66,340	Renewal	\$194,647	10029
3	UI000000117	2022	EN	\$58,488	Renewal	\$230,087	10025
4	UI000000125	2022	CC	\$69,915	Renewal	\$254,541	10031
5	UI000000162	2024	CC	\$69,162	Renewal	\$138,313	10032
6	UI000000139	2022	CC	\$43,619	Renewal	\$171,377	10451
7	UI000000140	2022	CC	\$63,662	Renewal	\$249,913	10454
8	UI000000141	2022	CC	\$55,451	Renewal	\$222,469	10031
9	UI000000142	2022	CC	\$66,885	Renewal	\$271,671	10033
10	UI000000143	2022	CC	\$59,599	Renewal	\$230,393	10029
11	UI000000144	2022	CC	\$68,628	Renewal	\$254,825	10033
12	UI000000145	2022	EN	\$64,267	Renewal	\$242,673	10032
13	UI000000146	2022	CC	\$42,487	Renewal	\$154,526	10451
14	UI000000147	2022	CC	\$68,353	Renewal	\$200,491	10455
15	UI000000163	2024	CC	\$68,388	Renewal	\$138,995	10031
16	UI000000160	2023	CC	\$58,448	Renewal	\$174,552	10451
17	UI000000161	2023	CC	\$72,975	Renewal	\$207,345	10031
18	UI000000149	2023	CC	\$63,907	Renewal	\$180,522	10027
19	UI000000150	2023	CC	\$62,448	Renewal	\$178,166	10037
20	UI000000151	2023	CC	\$61,918	Renewal	\$182,262	10034
21	UI000000152	2023	CC	\$67,343	Renewal	\$208,092	10454
22	UI000000153	2023	CC	\$62,448	Renewal	\$181,458	10040
23	UI000000154	2023	CC	\$63,732	Renewal	\$198,587	10027
24	UI000000155	2023	EN	\$34,970	Renewal	\$102,376	10033
25	UI000000156	2023	CC	\$58,448	Renewal	\$185,879	10030
26	UI000000157	2023	CC	\$66,284	Renewal	\$188,883	10027
27	UI000000158	2022	CC	\$59,530	Renewal	\$122,408	10030
28	UI000000159	2022	CC	\$28,507	Renewal	\$154,440	10025
29	UI000000164	2024	CC	\$71,693	Renewal	\$137,542	10033
30	UI000000165	2024	EN	\$62,980	Renewal	\$129,444	10032
31	UI000000166	2024	CC	\$62,538	Renewal	\$117,607	10034
32	UI000000167	2024	CC	\$51,948	Renewal	\$107,018	10033
33	UI000000169	2025	CC	\$65,847	Renewal	\$96,978	10031
34	UI000000170	2024	CC	\$64,190	Renewal	\$125,092	10033
35	UI000000171	2024	CC	\$60,070	Renewal	\$136,327	10035
36	UI000000174	2025	CC	\$62,860	New	\$62,860	10454
37	UI000000175	2025	CC	\$70,441	New	\$70,441	10455
38	UI000000176	2025	CC	\$62,860	New	\$62,860	10455
39	UI000000177	2025	EN	\$65,416	New	\$65,416	10454
40	UI000000178	2025	CC	\$69,405	New	\$69,405	10040
41	UI000000179	2025	CC	\$55,163	New	\$55,163	10027

42	UI000000180	2025	CC	\$67,204	New	\$67,204	10033
43	UI000000181	2025	EN	\$63,809	New	\$63,809	10033
44	UI000000182	2025	CC	\$51,216	New	\$51,216	10032
45	UI000000183	2025	CC	\$63,148	New	\$63,148	10032
46	UI000000184	2025	CC	\$63,435	New	\$63,435	10040

**Columbia Summer Programs College Fair** - in past summers Columbia University has hosted one of the largest summer college fairs in the country attracting over 100 colleges from across the country. The college fair consists of workshops for local parents and students, including tips for performing your college search and navigating the college fair, a workshop on financial aid, and a workshop on the college application process.

Due to ongoing COVID-19 considerations, Undergraduate Admissions continued to provide a Virtual College Access Day which was held on July 20, 2022. This virtual event gave attendees the opportunity to hear from Columbia admissions officers, current students and administrators about the distinctive Columbia experience.

This program included:

- a session detailing how to navigate the college process in a hybrid world
- an inside look at the admissions process and the opportunity to meet with admissions officers
- a workshop on how to showcase student voices in the college admissions essay and supplemental questions
- an overview of how to apply for financial aid
- an optional virtual college access tour highlighting academic resources and support programs at Columbia

#### **Additional Supporting Documentation**

- Press release about the naming of scholarship for local students after alumni (Nov. 17, 2014)
- List of high schools Thompson-Muñoz students admitted from
- Summary of Local Outreach Efforts
- Copies of outreach communications sent to students and counselors

Nov. 17, 2014

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# Scholarships for Local Students Honor Two Distinguished Alumni

Albert Thompson and Carlos Muñoz lived on the same block of West 116th Street and knew each other at Columbia College, overlapping for one year. Now their names jointly grace a new Columbia initiative for future generations of local students.

The initiative, named last spring in their honor, identifies some 40 promising undergraduates in West Harlem, Washington Heights, Inwood and the South Bronx. The students, who are welcomed into the program when they receive their acceptance letters from Columbia, have the opportunity to attend special events where they meet alumni and community leaders.

The program is one of many scholarship and grant programs the University administers to ensure economic diversity on campus, joining other initiatives such as the Dyckman Institute Scholarships for outstanding students from Washington Heights and Inwood. Financial aid workshops are held in the local community to publicize these and other efforts.



Carlos Muñoz and Albert Thompson

"Columbia is defined by the city we call home and by our historic commitment to providing educational opportunity to a remarkable diversity of young people, regardless of their family's income," said Columbia President [Lee C. Bollinger](#). "We reach out to attract talented students all across the nation who are the first member of their family to attend college, but nowhere more so than our own New York community. We are proud to add the Thompson-Muñoz Scholars to this effort that's so central to our mission."

[Columbia College](#) and [The Fu Foundation School of Engineering and Applied Science](#) both participate in the program. Nearly half of the students at the College and School of Engineering receive financial aid, and 16 percent of the first-year students are the first in their family to attend college.

[James J. Valentini](#), dean of Columbia College and vice president for undergraduate education, said, "Our goal with this program, as with financial aid in general, is to admit students based on their ability to contribute to and benefit from our community, not on their ability to pay for the experience."

Columbia provides need-blind admissions for U.S. citizens and permanent residents, meeting 100 percent of demonstrated financial need for all four years of study. Students on financial aid receive on average more than \$42,000 annually.

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Five Columbia faculty members have been inducted into the National Academy of Sciences' Institute of Medicine. They are [James J. Cimino](#), adjunct professor in the Department of Biomedical Informatics; [Quarraisha Abdool Karim](#), associate professor of epidemiology; [Gerard Karsenty](#), Paul A. Marks Professor of Genetics & Development; [Michael Shadlen](#), professor of neuroscience; and [Gordana Vunjak-Novakovic](#), Mikati Foundation Professor of Biomedical Engineering.

[Herb Gans](#), the Robert S. Lynd Professor Emeritus of Sociology and special lecturer in sociology, was awarded the 2014 William Foote Whyte Career Achievement Award for sociological practice and public sociology.

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Jessica Marinaccio, dean of undergraduate admissions and financial aid, said socioeconomic diversity is essential for building a representative student body. "Affordability and access are major themes in our outreach to prospective and admitted students," she said.

One of the Thompson-Muñoz scholars is Jean-Franco Diaz (CC'16), who grew up in the Dominican community in Washington Heights. Diaz, who intends to major in economics and political science, said, "Attending Columbia has given me a global perspective." Janay Anderson (CC'17), who grew up 20 blocks from Columbia and plans to major in the Medicine, Literature and Society track, said the University has prepared her to help her community.

Manhattan Borough President Gale A. Brewer (GS'97), speaking at a reception in October for the Thompson-Muñoz scholars, praised Columbia's educational outreach programs, singling out the [Double Discovery Center](#), which offers tutoring, standardized test-prep and Saturday enrichment classes. "These students go on to do great things in the world." Indeed, columnist Frank Bruni recently profiled the benefits of a full-time summer session held on campus for college-bound local students in [The New York Times](#).

Peter Johnson, director of Enrollment Group Special Projects and special assistant to the dean of undergraduate admissions and financial aid, applauded the students for their intellectual curiosity, initiative and hard work. "It is not a privilege to attend Columbia," he told the students. "But it is an honor. Privileges are bestowed on us, honors you earn." Roosevelt Montas (CC'95), associate dean and director of the [Center for the Core Curriculum](#), told them, "Your presence enriches all of our experiences."

Thompson (CC'54), a Columbia shot put record-holder who continued his track and field career in the Naval Reserves, graduated from both Columbia College and the College of Dental Medicine, where he is now an assistant clinical professor.

Muñoz (CC'57, MA'61) likewise earned a pair of degrees from the University, graduating from the College before getting a master's degree in economics. He climbed to executive vice president for credit and risk management at Dime Savings Bank of New York. A former president of the Columbia College Alumni Association and member of the College's Board of Visitors, Muñoz has long donated his time to his alma mater. He said the initiative made him proud of his Columbia heritage and had this advice for students: "Keep your minds open to all areas of opinion and take advantage of the trove of knowledge available at the University."

Thompson told the students that while they deserved to be commended for getting into Columbia, they didn't do it alone. "Your parents deserve credit for providing an environment for you to succeed," he said. And going forward, he said later, they will have to help each other. "The biggest asset that all of these students have is one another."

— by Gary Shapiro

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### **Thompson-Munoz Admits - List of High Schools**

Admitted students living within the 17 zip-codes in Upper Manhattan and the Bronx attended the following schools:

School Name	Address	City	State	Zip
Stuyvesant High School	345 Chambers Street	New York	New York	10280
The Beacon School*	522 W 44th Street	New York	New York	10036
KIPP NYC College Prep High School	201 E 144th Street	Bronx	New York	10451
Pace High School	100 Hester Street	New York	New York	10002
Democracy Prep Endurance Charter	250 W 127th St	New York	New York	10027
Harlem Village Academy High School	35 W 124th St	New York	New York	10027
Saint Vincent Ferrer High School	151 E 65th St	New York	New York	10065
Archbishop Stepinac High School	950 Mamaroneck Ave	White Plains	New York	10605
Bronx School for Law, Government and Justice	244 E 163rd St	Bronx	New York	10451
The Dwight School	291 Central Park W	New York	New York	10024
Democracy Preparatory Charter School	250 W 127th St	New York	New York	10027
Horace Mann School	231 W 246th St	Bronx	New York	10471
Birch Wathen Lenox School	210 E 77th St	New York	New York	10075
Phillips Academy	180 Main St	Andover	Massachusetts	01810
Brearley School	610 E 83rd St	New York	New York	10028
Columbia Secondary School for Math, Science, and Engineering	425 W 123rd St	New York	New York	10027

\*Denotes more than one scholar is a graduate of this school



**Summary of Local Outreach Efforts Conducted by Columbia Undergraduate Admissions**  
**8/1/2021-8/30/2022**

**Virtual High School Visits, College Fairs, and High School Programs attended by  
Columbia Undergraduate Admissions**

<b>Region</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Format</b>
New York - NYC	Virtual NYC Admission Leaders Panel	1/19		Virtual
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New York - NYC	Brooklyn Tech High School Virtual College Fair	4/7	Brooklyn	Virtual
New York - NYC	High School for Health Professions and Human Services Career Fair Week	4/11	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	High School for Math Science and Engineering at City College of New York Virtual College Admissions Advisement Panel	4/11	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Fieldston School College Symposium	4/25	Bronx	Virtual
New York - NYC	Collegiate/Dalton/Spence/Trinity Junior College Fair	4/26	Manhattan	In Person
New York - NYC	Horace Mann Case Studies Program	4/26	Bronx	In Person
New York - NYC	Bronx High School of Science College Fair	4/27	Bronx	In Person
New York - NYC	Brooklyn/Staten Island Independent Schools' College Fair	4/28	Brooklyn	In Person
New York - NYC	Riverdale Virtual College Day	4/29	Bronx	Virtual
New York - NYC	Ralph McKee High School Higher Education Opportunity Program Session	5/1	Staten Island	In Person
General	QuestBridge Conference	5/14		Virtual
New York - NYC	Baruch College Campus High School College Night	5/17	Manhattan	Virtual
General	QuestBridge Conference	5/21		Virtual
General	QuestBridge Conference	5/22		Virtual
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/7	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/7	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/7	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/7	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/8	NY State	In Person



New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/8	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/8	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/8	NY State	In Person
New York - NYC	The Baccalaureate School for Global Education's Virtual College Night	6/8	Manhattan	Virtual
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/9	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/9	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/9	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/9	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/10	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/10	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/10	NY State	In Person
New York	NYSACAC Conference	6/10	NY State	In Person
General	College Match Virtual Presentation for Juniors	6/21		Virtual
New York - NYC	Freedom and Citizenship Visit	7/8	Manhattan	In Person
General	Coalition Panel: College Essay Tips from Admissions Officers	7/13		Virtual
New York - NYC	School of Engineering and Applied Science Summer Program	7/20	Manhattan	In Person
New York - NYC	School of Engineering and Applied Science Summer Program	8/10	Manhattan	In Person
New York - NYC	Office of Educational Opportunity Programs Virtual College Admissions Fair	8/13		Virtual
New York - NYC	Columbia Secondary School for Math, Science, and Engineering	10/5	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Manhattan Center for Science and Math	10/15	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Democracy Prep Harlem High School	10/26	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Holy Cross High School	10/12	Queens	Virtual
New York - NYC	Professional Children's School	10/15	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Queens High School for the Sciences at York College	10/18	Queens	Virtual
New York - NYC	Midwood High School at Brooklyn College	10/19	Brooklyn	Virtual
New York - NYC	Manhattan Village Academy	10/20	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Stuyvesant High School	10/21	Manhattan	Virtual

New York - NYC	Bronx Center for Science and Mathematics	10/25	Bronx	Virtual
New York - NYC	Brooklyn Latin School	10/25	Brooklyn	Virtual
New York - NYC	New Visions for Public Schools	10/25	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Regis High School	10/27	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Bard High School Early College II	10/27	Queens	Virtual
New York - NYC	Bronx High School of Science	10/27	Bronx	Virtual
New York - NYC	Townsend Harris High School	10/28	Queens	Virtual
New York - NYC	Hunter College High School	11/3	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Brooklyn Technical High School	11/3	Brooklyn	Virtual
New York - NYC	Fiorello H. Laguardia High School of Music, Art, and Performing Arts	11/3	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	A Philip Randolph Campus High School	11/4	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Beacon School	11/4	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Staten Island Technical High School	11/8	Staten Island	Virtual
New York - NYC	University Heights High School	11/17	Bronx	Virtual
New York - NYC	Columbia Secondary School Junior Night	11/17	Manhattan	Virtual
New York - NYC	Frederick Douglass Academy II	9/21	Manhattan	Virtual

#### Visits to NYC-Based Organizations Serving Students Within Thompson Munoz Zip Codes

Name	Street	City	Zip Code
Double Discovery Center: Talent Search	2920 Broadway, MC 2604	New York	10027
Harlem Children's Zone	E 125th Street	New York	10035
The Brotherhood Sister Sol	512 W 143rd Street	New York	10031
Double Discovery Center: Upward Bound	2920 Broadway, MC 2604	New York	10027
Columbia Law High School Institute	435 West 116th Street	New York	10027
Science Honors Program	550 West 120th Street	New York	10027
Minds Matter of NYC, Inc.	1120 6th Ave	New York	10036
Fresh Air Fund	633 3rd Ave Fl 14	New York	10017
The Opportunity Network	85 Broad Street	New York	10004
Legal Outreach, Inc	3614 35th Street	Long Island	11106

Boys Hope Girls Hope	367 Clermont Ave	New York	11238
Prep for Prep	163 W 91st Street	New York	10024
La Unidad Latina Foundation - Y Tú También	132 E 43rd Street #358	New York	10017
iMentor	30 Broad Street Fl 9	New York	10004
Trident Swim Foundation	150 W 55th Street #8AB	New York	10019
TEAK Fellowship	16 W 22nd Street Fl 3	New York	10010
Student Sponsor Partnerships	286 Madison Ave Suite 1601	New York	10017
Oliver Scholars	80 Maiden Ln Room 706	New York	10038
Breakthrough New York	123 William Street Fl 4	New York	10038
Chess In The Schools	520 Eighth Ave., 22nd Floor	New York	10018

**Additional Programs to NY Community Based Organizations Hosted by  
Columbia Undergraduate Admissions**

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<b>Program</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Date</b>
Visit with Fresh Air Fund	Fresh Air Fund	10/27
Visit with Seeds of Fortune, Inc	Seeds of Fortune	10/25
Visit with Minds Matter of NYC, Inc.	Minds Matter of NYC, Inc	10/21
Upward Bound Math Science Program at Ramapo College and Columbia University	Double Discovery Center: Upward Bound	10/21
Preparatory Division of the Juilliard School College Panel	Juilliard Preparatory Division	4/11
OppNet College Access and Success Symposium	The Opportunity Network	4/27
iMentor's High Flying Juniors Event	iMentor	5/24
Connecting CBOs and Higher Ed - A College Forum and Fair	Partnership for Afterschool Education Inc.	6/29
Legal Outreach College Admissions Panel	Legal Outreach, Inc.	6/30
Double Discovery Center - College Discovery Day	Double Discovery Center	7/27
Double Discovery Center College Prep Boot Camp	Double Discovery Center	8/9
Prep for Prep Virtual College Panel	Prep for Prep	8/2

Herbert Irving Comprehensive Cancer Center Scientific Enrichment Month Program	SURF	7/20
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**Virtual College Fairs Staffed by Columbia University Students Serving Students in Thompson Munoz Zip Codes**

School/Organization Name	Event Date
A. Phillip Randolph & High School of Math, Science, and Engineering 11th Grade College Fair	4/5
Harlem Prep Charter School College Fair	5/20
Columbia University Pathways Programs (CUPP) - Admissions Fair	7/25

**College Access Tours Staffed by Columbia University Students Serving Students in Thompson Munoz Zip Codes**

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Group Name	Type of Group	Date of Program
I Have A Dream-East Harlem	NYC CBO	11/19
MUN Conference	CU Student Organization	4/9
Frederick Douglass Academy II	NYC Public HS	9/21

**Additional Events Attended by Undergraduate Admissions**

\*\*Some organizations below work with students from many states; programs likely included residents within the 17-zip codes.

Region	Event	Date
General	Coalition April Virtual College Fair	4/14
General	Coalition April Virtual College Fair	4/14
General	Coalition April Virtual College Fair	4/14
New York - NYC	Office of Educational Opportunity Programs Virtual College Admissions Fair	8/14
New York - NYC	Northside Charter School Access Tour	10/21
New York - NYC	John Bowne High School Access Tour	10/20

New York - NYC	Martin Van Buren High School Access Tour	10/20
New York - NYC	Harry Truman High School Access Tour	10/29
New York - NYC	Clara Barton High School Access Tour	10/7
New York - NYC	School for Human Rights Access Tour	11/16
New York - NYC	York Early College Academy Access Tour	11/17
New York - NYC	Hempstead High School Access Tour	3/30
New York - NYC	Upward Bound at Vaughn Access Tour	4/13
New York - NYC	South Bronx International Middle School Access Tour	4/28
New York - NYC	Legal Outreach Inc. Access Tour	9/20
New York - NYC	Clara Barton HS Access Tour	10/28

### **Community Based Programs Attended by Undergraduate Admissions**

**\*\*Some organizations below work with students within NY state; programs likely included residents within the 17-zip codes.**

<b>Region</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>
New York - NYC	South Asian Youth Action	10/18	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Junior Docent Program	3/4&10/8	Yonkers
New York - NYC	Believe and Inspire	2/28	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	New Life of NYC	2/7	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Fresh Air Fund	10/27	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Seeds of Fortune, Inc.	10/25	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Minds Matter of NYC, Inc	10/21	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Double Discovery Center: Upward Bound	10/21	Manhattan
New York - NYC	The Opportunity Network	4/27	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	iMentor	5/24	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Partnership for Afterschool Education Inc.	6/29	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Legal Outreach, Inc.	6/30	All Boroughs
New York - NYC	Double Discovery Center	7/27	Manhattan
New York - NYC	Double Discovery Center	8/9	Manhattan
New York - NYC	Prep for Prep	8/2	All Boroughs

## Virtual Events hosted by Undergraduate Admissions and attended by students living in Thompson Munoz Zip Codes

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<b>Fall 2021</b>	
Type of Event	Number of Instances
Virtual Information Sessions	49
Virtual Tours	30
Student Q&A Chats	12
Student Panels	10
Introduction to Columbia Engineering	11
Financial Aid Information Sessions	4
Master Classes	1

<b>Spring 2022</b>	
Type of Event	Number of Instances
Virtual Information Sessions	37
Virtual Tours	31
Student Q&A Chats	10
Student Panels	16
Introduction to Columbia Engineering	7
Financial Aid Information Sessions	2
Master Classes	11

<b>Summer 2022</b>	
Type of Event	Number of Instances
Virtual Information Sessions	23
Virtual Tours	14
Student Q&A Chats	5

Student Panels	4
Introduction to Columbia Engineering	6
Financial Aid Information Sessions	1
Master Classes	0

**Additional Specialized Virtual Events attended by students within the 17 zip codes**

Event	Dates
Columbia Engineering Experience (CE2)	10/9-10
Higher Education Opportunity Program (HEOP) Counselor Webinar	10/21
Virtual Student Panel: Students of Color Community at Columbia	11/17
Virtual College Access Day	7/20
Virtual Student Panel: First-Generation and Low-Income Community at Columbia	9/22
Virtual Student Q&A Chat: Affordability on Campus and in NYC	9/16
Virtual Information Session for High School Programs	8/10



## Communications

The following emails are copies of invitations sent to students and counselors as part of our outreach efforts.



### COLUMBIA UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

Dear Colleague,

You are receiving this message because {{First}} {{Last}} included your information in the community-based organization section of their application. On behalf Undergraduate Admissions at Columbia University, I would like to thank you for supporting {{First}} through the college admissions process. I am pleased to inform you that {{First}} has been admitted to Columbia University. We recognize that educators from community-based organizations and programs like yours play a special role in supporting students as they apply to college, and we want to thank you for recommending that {{First}} apply to Columbia, especially in this challenging year.

Students admitted to the Class of 2026 were selected not only for their achievements but also the unique voice and contributions we are confident they will bring to Columbia's diverse and dynamic community.

At Columbia, {{First}} will be able to fully engage in and benefit from the bountiful opportunities offered to all Columbia undergraduates. Below are some highlights:

- Columbia's [Berick Center for Student Advising \(CSA\)](#) pairs all students with an Advising Dean who will work with them closely to set and reach their academic goals. The CSA also runs our [First in Family](#) Programs, which provide support, community-building events and academic workshops for all first-generation college students.
- [Multicultural Affairs](#) oversees the [Columbia Mentoring Initiative](#), an intergenerational mentorship program that connects first-year students with returning students and alumni. Mentors emphasize emotional health, academic success, belonging, community consciousness and identity and leadership development.
- Columbia University and [Financial Aid and Educational Financing](#) are committed to meeting 100% of the demonstrated financial need for all students admitted as first-year students. Loans are not a component of Columbia financial aid packages.
- FLI @ Columbia, the first generation and/or low-income student community, created the [FLI Resource Guide](#). The guide provides a comprehensive of resources available as well as tips for how to best use those resources.

We are excited to welcome admitted students in-person campus events this month to help them learn more about Columbia, and we will have a full slate of virtual programs available. Students should regularly check the email they used to apply to Columbia as well as their [application status portal](#), for event details and important next steps.

There is no financial deposit required for students to confirm their place in the class. To secure a place in Columbia's Class of 2026, your student will simply need to submit their Admitted Student Response Form. When they submit their form, they must also confirm that they have declined all other offers of admission and are only holding a place at Columbia.

If you have additional questions about undergraduate admissions or student life at Columbia, please contact Molly Coyne, Associate Director, at [mcc2238@columbia.edu](mailto:mcc2238@columbia.edu). We also invite you to use our online [Counselor Updates](#) as a resource.

We look forward to the many wonderful contributions that {{First}} will make here as a member of the Class of 2026. We look forward to working with you in the future, and hope that you continue to identify and recommend students who are a strong fit for Columbia.

Best,

Jessica Marinaccio  
Dean of Undergraduate Admissions and Financial Aid



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## COLUMBIA UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

Dear Colleague,

On behalf of Columbia Engineering and Columbia Undergraduate Admissions, we are pleased to inform you and your students about the [Virtual Columbia Engineering Experience \(CE2\)](#). As a counselor and adviser, you are invited to share this opportunity with your organization's outstanding seniors (based on our recommendations below) who demonstrate a strong interest in engineering, science, math and technology. Your students may apply for this selective program via [our online application](#). The deadline to apply is September 9.

CE2 was created to encourage high-achieving high school seniors from historically underrepresented backgrounds to explore an engineering education at Columbia; it is our only selective virtual program, designed for high school seniors. This year CE2 is taking place October 8 - October 9, 2022.

Program Highlights Include:

- **World-class faculty and research:** Learn and ask questions with members of Columbia's renowned faculty.
- **Inside look at life as a Columbia student:** Work with an undergraduate student mentor, learn about campus life and hear from current students, including leaders from a variety of student organizations.
- **The NYC advantage:** Learn about the cultural, professional, research and intellectual resources at our doorstep including exclusive career and entrepreneurship opportunities.
- **Admissions 101:** Participate in comprehensive college admissions and financial aid workshops and office hours conducted by members of the Columbia Admissions Committee.

Due to the selectivity and limited size of the program, an application with a transcript is required. Students may self-report their transcripts.

CE2 is designed for high-achieving high school seniors who have:

- Exemplary academic records, particularly in math and science, including coursework in calculus, physics and chemistry
- Sincere interest in pursuing an engineering education
- Genuine appreciation for the educational value of diversity in all its forms - ethnic, geographic, religious, political, intellectual and so on

CE2 is designed to serve students from backgrounds that are historically underrepresented in engineering and applied science fields, including:

- Low-income students
- Underrepresented students of color
- Students who will be the first generation in their family to attend college
- Students from underserved and rural communities

Please direct your students to our website for the [online application](#) and instructions. The deadline to submit an application is **Friday, September 9, 2022**. Students selected for the program will be notified on Friday, September 30, 2022.

Thank you for supporting your students as they consider applying for participation in CE2. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you should have any questions or if we can provide additional information.

Sincerely,

Veronica Aguilar Hornig  
Director of Engineering Recruitment



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## Join EEE for a special CBO session.

The partners of Exploring Educational Excellence would like to invite you to a virtual meeting specifically for CBO directors and advisers. At this meeting, we hope to provide brief updates on how our institutions are approaching admission and financial aid processes, leaving plenty of time to hear from you with your questions and concerns.

Tuesday, June 14, 2022  
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm Eastern  
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm Central  
2:00 pm – 3:00 pm Pacific

[Please register here.](#)

Please also share with interested students that we are hosting an event specifically for students working with CBOs:

Thursday, June 16, 2022  
8:00 pm – 9:00 pm Eastern  
7:00 pm – 8:00 pm Central  
5:00 pm – 6:00 pm Pacific

[Students may register here.](#)

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## COLUMBIA UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

We hope that the virtual program you attended this fall was helpful as you continue to learn about Columbia. As we get close to the end of the year, we want to share some additional resources that we think may be helpful to you while navigating the college process.

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### Multicultural Resources at Columbia



Columbia students come together from every background and every corner of the world to engage and explore. Fostering a nurturing and vibrant community is important to us. [This guide](#) highlights the resources on our campus that support and uplift the student experience for all members of our community.

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### Access and Affordability at Columbia



At Columbia, it's your ability that matters, not your ability to pay. In this video, part of our [Blue View series](#), join Senior Associate Director of Undergraduate Admissions and the Director of Multicultural Recruitment, Maria Gracia Asayag, as she addresses everything from how to apply for need-based financial aid and what affordability looks like at Columbia.

### Estimate Net Cost Using the MyinTuition Quick College Cost Estimator

In addition to the [Net Price Calculator](#), you can use the MyinTuition Quick College Cost Estimator to estimate eligibility for need-based financial aid. This tool, available in English and Spanish, asks six basic financial questions and gives an early estimate of the amount a family will need to contribute for one year at Columbia.

We invite you to take advantage of our [virtual visit opportunities](#) as you continue to explore college. Please let us know if you have any questions by reaching out to [ugrad-ask@columbia.edu](mailto:ugrad-ask@columbia.edu) or [askastudent@columbia.edu](mailto:askastudent@columbia.edu).

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## COLUMBIA UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

Dear Colleague,

We hope this email finds you well. This fall, Columbia is continuing to focus on providing robust virtual programming for students to learn about our community from wherever they may be. Just as in the past, we want to support you and your students through the college application process; do not hesitate to reach out to your regional officer for assistance and additional information. Please review our [2021-2022 staff directory and regional assignments](#), which also includes admissions statistics for our Class of 2025.

Additionally, below are important aspects of our process and offerings that we want to highlight:

- Due to continued disruptions in access to standardized testing, Columbia has extended our [test-optional](#) policy for the 2021-2022 application cycle.
- Our student tour guides are thrilled to welcome visitors back to campus for [outdoors-only tours](#). Please note that all visitors are required to comply with University public health measures, and capacity is limited.
- We continue to acknowledge the varied and disparate impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on students and communities. As such, [we remain committed to our holistic review and contextual approach](#) to application review. We encourage students, counselors and teachers to share specific details in the application about any ways that the student's high school experience may have been impacted by the pandemic.
- We encourage students to participate in our [live virtual programming](#), including student Q&A sessions, featured classes, student-led virtual tours and more, to get an introduction to Columbia and determine if our community could be a good fit for them.
- Interested students can dive deeper into Columbia with [the Blue View](#), a ten-part video series that features admissions officers and students discussing campus life,

the Core Curriculum, affordability and more.

We look forward to seeing you and your students virtually this fall, and we hope to see you in person at college fairs and high school visits again in the future.

Best wishes,

Jessica Marinaccio  
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Dear Colleague,

Greetings from Morningside Heights! We are proud to partner with you in your effort to support the college aspirations of students from a wide variety of backgrounds, including those with limited financial resources. Columbia University has a longstanding commitment to making our education accessible and affordable, and for decades we have supported high-achieving, low-income students through the **New York State Arthur O. Eve Higher Educational Opportunity Program (HEOP)** and our own **National Opportunity Program (NOP)**.

We invite you to join us for a webinar on **Thursday, October 21, at 2:30 p.m.**, for the chance to learn more about these important access programs. At the webinar, admissions staff will discuss the HEOP application process and the support Columbia promises to HEOP students; they will also be available to answer your individual questions.

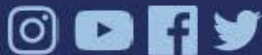
Please [register in advance](#) to participate in this webinar. If you have any questions, please email [ugrad-asp@columbia.edu](mailto:ugrad-asp@columbia.edu).

Best,

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Dear Colleague,

Columbia University's commitment to making our education accessible and affordable is longstanding, and we are proud to partner with you in your effort to support students from a wide variety of backgrounds, including those with limited financial resources. For decades, the University has supported high-achieving, low-income students in Columbia College and Columbia Engineering through the **New York State Arthur O. Eve Higher Educational Opportunity Program (HEOP)** and our own **National Opportunity Program (NOP)**.

Competitive candidates for HEOP/NOP excel academically, actively participate in their community, demonstrate intellectual curiosity and show that they will especially benefit from additional support services. HEOP students must also meet financial guidelines set by New York State. We find that the strongest HEOP/NOP applicants can articulate their fit for the distinctive Columbia experience, which includes the fundamental Core Curriculum, a both traditionally collegiate and unmistakably urban campus life, and a place where curious thinkers come to grow. We work closely with [Columbia's Academic Success Programs](#) to provide a holistic approach to student development which includes:

- **Financial Aid:** Though most HEOP/NOP students graduate in four years, they are eligible for up to five years of full need-based financial aid for tuition, room and meals. Our need-based aid is in the form of grants; loans are not used to meet financial need. A textbook stipend is awarded to students every semester until graduation.
- **Summer Bridge Program:** HEOP/NOP students participate in a required five-week academic program that prepares participants for college-level courses in the areas of critical reading and analysis, formal writing, laboratory science and mathematics. Students engage evenings and weekends in team-building exercises to foster personal development and a sense of community.



- **Advising and Tutoring:** Columbia's Berick Center for Student Advising assigns all students individual advisers who work with them closely throughout their time at Columbia to set and reach their academic goals. Students also have access to staff across the university, including the Center for Undergraduate Global Engagement, the Center for Career Education and faculty advisers in academic departments. Additionally, HEOP/NOP students are assigned peer mentors, who provide both individualized and group tutoring services and counseling on topics such as career exploration and financial independence. Many HEOP/NOP students also participate in the Center for Student Advising's [First-in-Family Programs](#), a set of workshops, support and mentoring open to all Columbia students who are first-generation college students.

There is no separate application for consideration for either program. We accept both HEOP and NOP students in Early Decision as well as Regular Decision. If you work with a student you think is a strong fit and who may be financially eligible for HEOP at Columbia, or if you have additional questions about our HEOP and NOP programs, please email [ugrad-asp@columbia.edu](mailto:ugrad-asp@columbia.edu). Stay tuned for an invitation to our educator webinar session discussing HEOP and NOP at Columbia with current admissions officers in mid-October.

Additionally, we would like to invite you to consider requesting a virtual [College Access Session](#) for your students. These sessions are led by a current undergraduate student and focus on the transitional resources and support at Columbia.

I hope you find this information useful as we work together to help students pursue their educational goals.

Best,

Jessica Marinaccio  
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Dear Colleague,

With the fall semester ramping up, we wanted to connect with our community partners about virtually welcoming you to campus. We want to reaffirm that we will continue to support you and your students in navigating an unexpected landscape this admission cycle, and hope to engage with your organization virtually. Some of our current Columbians are ready and waiting to discuss their own application process and Columbia experience with your students through our College Access Student Sessions.

### What exactly are College Access Student Sessions?

College Access Student Sessions are designed to educate prospective students on college access broadly, as well as to discuss the Columbia student experience. Sessions will discuss each Columbia student's path to college, the resources they used, their reflections on the application process and their Columbia experience. These sessions are led by current student leaders within Undergraduate Admissions, and will also highlight transitional resources for prospective students. College Access Student Sessions are designed for non-profit, public and charter organizations with groups larger than 10 students.

**Request a Date**

We will continue to support you and your students in navigating this admission cycle, and hope to engage with your organization virtually. We write with a few reminders

and announcements.

- Due to ongoing standardized testing disruptions associated with the COVID-19 pandemic, [Columbia is extending our test-optional policy for first-year applicants](#) to Columbia College or Columbia Engineering for the fall of 2022. Additionally, please review [the story we recently posted on our website](#) for more information on the upcoming admissions cycle.
- If you have not already, we hope you will consider registering your organization with the [Coalition CBO ID Registry](#). This registry enables colleges and universities to better track students who work with you and will be shared with Coalition member schools, granting greater exposure to the programs and services your organization provides for your students. You can join the registry [here](#).
- Visit our website to see all of the exciting [virtual visit opportunities](#) we have available this fall. The options range from general information sessions to specialized student panels, including programs for [First-Generation and/or Low-Income \(FLI\) students](#) (Oct. 14), among many others!

Please let us know about other ways we can partner together this year. If you have additional questions about undergraduate admissions or student life at Columbia, please contact Molly Coyne, Associate Director, at [mcc2238@columbia.edu](mailto:mcc2238@columbia.edu).

Sincerely,

Jessica Marinao  
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Dear Colleague,

I am writing to share an important update for current sophomores and juniors who may consider applying to Columbia in the future. We are extending our test-optional policy for two additional years, effective for first-year and transfer applicants to Columbia College or Columbia Engineering for entrance in Fall 2023 and Fall 2024.

We understand that the COVID-19 pandemic has had a profound impact on the ways that students navigate their path to college, including decreased access to safe and reliable standardized testing. We plan to carefully evaluate the impact of test-optional admissions across a full cohort of enrolled Columbia students, to reflect on our holistic and contextual review process, and to consider systemic shifts in access to educational opportunities. Our testing policy will be re-assessed for the 2024-2025 application cycle.

We hope that this early notification will be reassuring as you advise students and families about their college planning process. Please [review the story](#) we recently posted on our newly-redesigned website for more detailed information. Additional pages on our new site that you may find useful include:

- [For Counselors](#)
- [Understanding the Process](#)
- [Events Calendar](#)

We wish you a smooth conclusion to the fall semester.

Warmly,

Jessica Marinaccio  
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**List of High Schools Receiving Counselor Communications within 17 codes in Manhattan and Bronx**

<b>Organization Name</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Zip Code</b>
Edward A Reynolds West Side High School	High School	10025
I-LEAD (Institute for Leadership, Excellence and A	CBO	10025
Perhaps Kids Meeting Kids Can Make a Difference In	CBO	10025
Nyc Act-So	CBO	10025
Liberty Partnerships Program (LPP)	CBO	10025
Columbia Grammar and Preparatory School	High School	10025
Grosvenor Neighborhood House YMCA	CBO	10025
Bank Street College Liberty LEADS	CBO	10025
The Valley Inc.	CBO	10025
Canaan Baptist Church	CBO	10026
Frederick Douglass Academy II	High School	10026
Opportunity Charter School	High School	10026
Wadleigh Secondary School	High School	10026
Street Squash	CBO	10026
Democracy Prep Endurance Chrtr	High School	10027
HarlemLive	CBO	10027
Community Impact: One-to-One Tutoring	CBO	10027
Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP)	CBO	10027
Double Discovery Center (DDC): Talent Search	CBO	10027
The Journalism School: Columbia Scholastic Press A	CBO	10027
Afro Arts Cultural Center	CBO	10027
Harlem Educational Activities Fund (HEAF)	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Harlem Restoration Program	CBO	10027
Urban Assembly School for the Performing Arts	High School	10027
Community Impact: P.S. 165 Tutoring	CBO	10027
Abyssinian Development Corporation (ADC)	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Peace by PEACE (Playful Exploration)	CBO	10027

Double Discovery Center (DDC): Upward Bound	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Mentoring Youth in New York City	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Afterhours Tutoring	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Barnard/Columbia Mentor Program	CBO	10027
School of Continuing Education: Summer Program for	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Artists Reaching Out	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Asian Youth Program	CBO	10027
Academy for Social Action	High School	10027
Community Impact: TLC PlayGroup	CBO	10027
Columbia High School Law Institute	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Let's Get Ready!	CBO	10027
The Roger Lehecka Double Discovery Center	CBO	10027
Science Honors Program (SHP)	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Community Youth Program	CBO	10027
Democracy Prep Harlem High School	High School	10027
Office of Pre-College Programs	CBO	10027
The Eagle Academy Foundation	CBO	10027
Yes Scholars New York	CBO	10027
Harlem Village Academy High School	High School	10027
Columbia Business School: The Social Enterprise Pr	CBO	10027
Columbia Secondary School for Math, Science and Engineering	High School	10027
Community Impact: America Reads	CBO	10027
Community Impact: Big Sibz	CBO	10027
Institute for Social and Economic Research and Pol	CBO	10027
Cristo Rey High School	High School	10029
Heritage School	High School	10029
Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP)	CBO	10029
Supportive Children Advocacy Network-NY (SCAN-NY)	CBO	10029
Renaissance Charter High School for Innovation	High School	10029
Park East High School	High School	10029

Emily N Carey School	High School	10029
Secondary Education Thru Health	High School	10029
Benjamin Franklin High School	High School	10029
Roads to Success	CBO	10029
Central Park East High School	High School	10029
Esperanza Preparatory Academy	High School	10029
East Harlem Tutorial Program	CBO	10029
Dream Charter High School	High School	10029
Harlem Center for Education (HCE)	CBO	10029
Talent Search	CBO	10029
Young Women's Leadership School of East Harlem	High School	10029
Union Settlement Association	CBO	10029
Manhattan Center for Science and Math	High School	10029
Capital Preparatory Harlem Charter School	High School	10029
Boys & Girls Harbor, Inc.	CBO	10029
Thurgood Marshall Academy for Learning and Social Change	High School	10030
Democracy Preparatory Charter School	High School	10030
Bread and Roses Integrated Arts High School	High School	10030
Mott Hall High School	High School	10030
Yaffa Cultural Arts Inc.	CBO	10030
Gateway Institute for Pre-College Education	CBO	10031
New Heights Academy Charter School	High School	10031
Emerging Leaders in Technology and Engineering, Inc	CBO	10031
A Philip Randolph Campus High School	High School	10031
High School for Math Science and Engineering at City College of New York	High School	10031
Urban Scholars Program	CBO	10031
The Brotherhood Sister Sol	CBO	10031
Armory College Prep	CBO	10032
Office of Government and Community Affairs - Medic	CBO	10032
Science and Technology Entry Program (STEP)	CBO	10032

Fresh Youth Initiatives	CBO	10032
College of Physicians and Surgeons Office of Diver	CBO	10032
Marsha Stern Talmudical Academy	High School	10033
Community Health Academy Heights	High School	10033
Gregorio Luperon High School for Science and Mathematics	High School	10033
MS 348 Washington Heights Expeditionary Learning School	High School	10033
Rabbi Samson R Hirsch High School for Boys	High School	10033
Inwood Early College For Health And Information Technologies	High School	10034
Inwood Academy For Leadership	High School	10034
Northeastern Academy	High School	10034
Urban Assembly School for Global Commerce	High School	10035
Harlem Childrens Zone: Promise Academy 1 High School	High School	10035
Harlem Prep High School	High School	10035
Coalition School for Social Change	High School	10035
Promise Academy II Charter School	High School	10035
Urban Dove	CBO	10035
Harlem Children's Zone (HCZ)	CBO	10035
New York Life/Schomburg Center Junior Scholars Pro	CBO	10037
Harlem Junior Tennis and Education Program	CBO	10037
Harlem Hospital Injury Prevention Program: Urban Y	CBO	10037
Frederick Douglass Academy	High School	10039
High School Health Careers/Sci	High School	10040
George Washington Evening HS	High School	10040
MS 293 City College Academy of the Arts	High School	10040
High School for Media and Communication - George Washington Campus	High School	10040
The College Academy	High School	10040
High School for Law and Public Service	High School	10040
Health Opportunities High School	High School	10451
Community School For Social Justice	High School	10451
Bronx Academy of Letters	High School	10451

Alfred E Smith High School	High School	10451
KIPP NYC College Prep High School	High School	10451
Public Prep Alumni Program	CBO	10451
New Explorers High School	High School	10451
Bronx School for Law, Government and Justice	High School	10451
Bronx Design And Construction Academy	High School	10451
Bronx Leadership Academy II High School	High School	10451
Cardinal Hayes High School	High School	10451
Urban Assembly School for Careers in Sports	High School	10451
New York City Charter School for Architecture, Engineering, and Construction Industries	High School	10451
South Bronx Preparatory	High School	10454
Laboratory School of Finance and Technology Middle School/High School 223	High School	10454
East Side House Settlement	CBO	10454
International Community High School	High School	10454
University Heights High School	High School	10455
New Visions Charter High School For Humanities II	High School	10455
University Prep Charter HS	High School	10455
Hostos-Lincoln Academy Of Science	High School	10455
Health, Education and Research Occupations High School	High School	10455
Mott Haven Village Preparatory High School	High School	10455
Hyde Leadership Charter School	High School	10474
Passages Academy	High School	10474

## Letter to Admitted Thompson Munoz Students Columbia College



Dear [REDACTED]

I am happy to inform you that you have been named a Thompson-Muñoz Scholar in Columbia College's Class of 2026. You have already shown by your remarkable high school record that you are among the best and brightest students in the world. This honor, given to exceptionally talented students from the Columbia neighborhood and surrounding communities, will provide you with unique opportunities to meet local leaders and important alumni while at Columbia and will follow you as an honor designation to graduation and beyond.

Thompson-Muñoz Scholars are named in recognition of two notable Columbia alumni who were both born and raised in Harlem, Albert Thompson and Carlos Muñoz. Thompson, who graduated from Columbia in 1954, achieved shot put records here that have been unmatched for more than 60 years. After graduation, he served as a lieutenant in the Naval Reserves and attended the Columbia University College of Dental Medicine, where he is currently an assistant clinical professor. Muñoz, who graduated in 1957 and earned a master's degree in economics from Columbia in 1961, had an extensive career in the United States and abroad with many financial institutions before retiring as executive vice president for credit and risk management for Dime Bancorp and the Dime Savings Bank of New York. Both of these highly distinguished alumni are examples of what local students like you might accomplish with a Columbia education.



As a Thompson-Muñoz Scholar, you will have the opportunity to engage with other Thompson-Muñoz Scholars and attend our annual Dean's Scholarship Reception. We hope this group will serve as a personal network for you while you are here, helping you to forge special connections at the University while meeting students from all over the world.

Congratulations on your admission. We are excited to have you as a member of Columbia's outstanding Class of 2026!

Yours sincerely,

Jessica Marinaccio  
Dean of Undergraduate Admissions and Financial Aid



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## **Letter to Admitted Thompson Munoz Students Columbia Engineering**



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Sincerely,

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