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# Fall 2023 Mini Fair Attendees

(As of 09/13/23)

### Thursday, Sept 21, 2023

Barnard College U of California, Los Angeles College of Charleston Connecticut College **Endicott College** Franklin & Marshall College Grinnell College Hamilton College Louisiana State University Macalester College University of Miami **Purdue University** University of Richmond Saint Anselm College Salem State University Sarah Lawrence College Simmons University Smith College University of Toronto Trinity College Dublin Vanderbilt University Villanova University Wellesley College Worcester Polytechnic Inst

#### Thursday, Sept 28, 2023

American University
Binghamton University
Boston College
Boston University
Bowdoin College
Bucknell University
Carleton College
University of Chicago
Claremont McKenna Coll
Colby College

Colorado College Dartmouth College **Davidson College** Dickinson College **Elon University** Fordham University George Washington Univ Hobart & Wm Smith College Kenyon College Lafayette College Lawrence University Marquette University Univ of Mass, Amherst McGill University Mount Holyoke College Muhlenberg College Northeastern University Occidental College University of Pennsylvania Pomona College Rensselaer Polytechnic Inst Rochester Inst of Tech University of Rochester University of San Francisco Santa Clara University Univ of Southern California Stevens Inst of Technology St. Lawrence University Syracuse University **Tufts University Tulane University** Univ of Mass, Lowell Union College University of Vermont

Wheaton College Yale University

#### Thursday, Oct 5, 2023

**Bard College** Bryn Mawr College Carnegie Mellon University Case Western Reserve U Chapman University Colgate University **Denison University Drexel University Emmanuel College Emory University** Gettysburg College Harvey Mudd College Haverford College Ithaca College Lake Forest College Lewis & Clark College Oberlin College Pitzer College Reed College Southern Methodist Univ Washington Univ in St Louis William & Mary College



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## Ten Tips for Making the Most of a College Fair

- 1. Before the program, review the list of colleges to be represented, note the ones that you definitely want to meet with, and have a plan before you begin. Which colleges will you meet with first?
- 2. Students, take the lead as you step up to each college table, and introduce yourself to the admissions representative.
- 3. Begin thinking about and discussing before the mini-fair what you may want from your college experience, and what's particularly important to you now personally and academically.
- 4. Don't just pick up college literature interact with the admissions officers, who are well versed in that college.
- 5. Remember that the admissions officers are real people ready to answer your questions and to help you with your college plans, not just to "sell" their college.
- 6. Write down the names of the representatives who are particularly helpful and of the colleges that you liked and you have a contact you can reach out to if you have future questions.
- 7. Don't insist on hanging out with your friends during the mini-fair. You probably have some different interests, and you probably won't all go to the same college, so show some independence as you meet with the admissions officers.
- 8. Prepare your own questions that address your specific interests, and ask them. Do you want to know about study abroad opportunities? Pre-professional programs? Student Life? Faculty Advising? Cultural Opportunities? Outdoor Interests? Athletic Programs? Merit or need-based financial aid and scholarships? Courses in the core curriculum? Majors? ASK!
- 9. Don't be drawn to a certain college just because there's a long line at their table. Don't ignore a bunch of other colleges because you have never heard of them. Chances are, they have never heard of you, either!
- 10. Be respectful, genuine, polite, and friendly when asking questions and meeting with college representatives. Remember that you represent your school as well as just yourself.