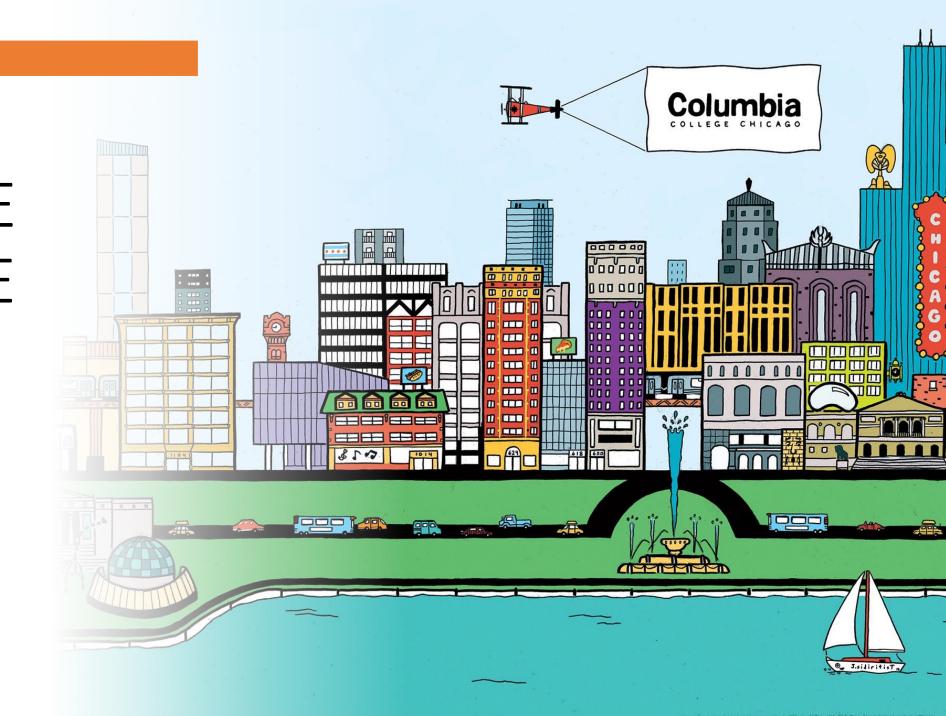
WELCOME FROM THE COLLEGE ADVISING CENTER!





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Poll instructions:

- 1. Using your phone or laptop, scan the QR code or visit the URL above
- 2. Enter your name, or skip
- 3. Click "Start Survey"
- 4. Answer the first question and scroll down to see the next one
- 5. Put your device down and look up at the presenters when you are done with all 10 questions
- 6. If you need assistance, utilize the chat feature or raise your virtual hand and we will assist you
- 7. We will review the answers all together at the end!

WHAT IS AN ACADEMIC ADVISOR & WHY DO YOU HAVE ONE?

Professional staff member dedicated to working with students, expert on your major curriculum and here to help guide you on your path to graduation.

How can you find your academic advisor's contact information and/or schedule an appointment?

- MyColumbia: my.colum.edu
- The College Advising Center website:

www.colum.edu/advising

How can you see and make changes to your class schedule?

MyColumbia: my.colum.edu

Where can you find answers to many of the questions you will have?

- The Columbia College Chicago website: www.colum.edu
- The College Advising Center website: www.colum.edu/advising
- The Student Life website: students.colum.edu
- The Columbia College Chicago Catalog: catalog.colum.edu
- uAchieve degree audit: Can be found in your MyColumbia student portal: my.colum.edu

Who should you talk to if you have questions about financial aid, FAFSA, payment plans, scholarships, etc.?

Columbia Central: Your One Stop Shop For All Financial Questions What are other important offices on campus that offer resources to students?

Academic Life Coaching

Services for Students with Disabilities

Academic Center for Tutoring

Student Persistence and the Scholars Project

TRIO

Counseling Services

Career Center

What is a great way to get acclimated to being at Columbia, more engaged on campus, and invested in community?

SIGN-UP FOR ENGAGE 101 THIS FALL!

ENGAGE 101 is a 0-credit course for first semester and transfer students that meets every Friday, lunch and field trips included as well as a \$500 credit towards tuition in the Spring if students complete the course.

What are some very important dates you need to put in your calendar right now?

- 9/11/23: Deadline to add classes to your Fall schedule
- 9/18/23: Deadline to drop classes from your Fall schedule
- October: First Year Registration Prep
- 11/3/23: Deadline to withdraw from 15-week classes

What is the best way to succeed in your semester at Columbia?

- Go to class
- Take ownership of your path to graduation and meet with your academic advisor well before it's time to prepare for next semester's registration
- Proactively utilize all available resources including faculty, staff, and fellow students
- Check your Columbia email daily and include your ID number in all school-related communication

SAVE THE DATE/ TAKE A **SCREEN** SHOT:

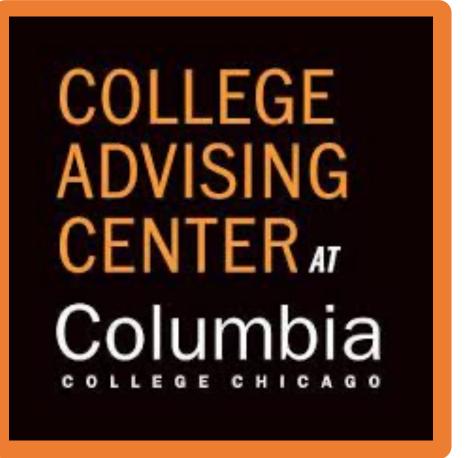
SAVE THE DATE: OCTOBER 2023 Columbia FIRST-YEAR REGISTRATION PREP!

In October 2023, Join the College Advising Center for group advising sessions focusing on:

- How to Register for Spring Classes
- **Navigating Campus Resources**
- **Understanding your Degree Requirements**
- And much more!



Please scan this QR code to find out more information about First-Year **Registration Prep on our College Advising Website**



QUESTIONS?

MEET WITH AN ADVISOR VIA ZOOM DROP-INS DAILY FROM 2:15-3:15PM

Join via our College Advising Center website: www.colum.edu/advising