

Getting In: A College Coach Conversation Thursday at 1 PM Pacific

April 16th 2020: Making the Final College Decision; Financial Fit; Don't Like Your College Options?

While some colleges have pushed back their reply date from May 1 to June 1 or even later (we see you, Iowa State!), many students will need to commit to their college of choice within the next few weeks. We have suggestions for how to approach this decision, especially since visiting campus is not an option this year. We will also look into using financial fit as part of the college selection process. In Office Hours, we'll offer options for students who don't like any of the colleges that accepted them.

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#### Featured Guests



## Jov Biscornét

Joy Biscornt got her first taste of college admissions as a tour guide, student panelist, and workstudy while an undergraduate at Lafayette College. After receiving a BS in Civil Engineering, she worked as an engineer in the areas of construction and environmental quality. Joy brings a wealth of experience in domestic and international admissions with her, having spent most of her career in the admissions profession. She oversaw the scholarship program at her alma mater, and coordinated the international admission process at Boston College. Joy left admissions to become the Associate Director of College Counseling at Castilleja School in Palo Alto, CA. With a move to the Midwest, Joy



# **Jennifer Simons**

Jennifer Simons began her extensive recruitment and college counseling career as an admissions counselor at Barnard College, where she served as Barnards liaison to The Jewish Theological Seminary, the Manhattan School of Music, and The Julliard School. She left Barnard to pursue her masters in higher education administration from Harvard. After graduate school, Jennifer was hired as an associate director of admissions and director of transfer admissions at Connecticut College. A family move brought her to New York City, where she served for two years as a college counselor at the Ramaz School. An opportunity to be the director of international recruitment at Tufts University brought her bac



## **Stacey MacPhetres**

Stacey MacPhetres has devoted her professional career to education finance. With extensive experience in financial aid administration at Emerson College and Elms College, she has counseled thousands students and families through the financial aid process

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