## "Finding Fit" in the College Admissions Process

This workshop is designed for high school freshmen, sophomores, and juniors.

Learn how to evaluate which colleges are best for YOU!

We will:

- Go beyond size and location to create a list of criteria which students can use to evaluate colleges
- Help students create personalized rankings of these criteria to establish ways to
  evaluate colleges
- Examine the inner workings of college ranking lists (and why they should be ignored)
- Set students up for success in the college admissions process by helping them understand why "fit" is the most important factor to consider in creating a college list

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