WELCOME TO BARNARD’S CLASS OF 2016!

We hope you will join us for one of the following Summer Advising Sessions

You’ll soon be receiving your copy of the Guide to Your First Year at Barnard College 2012-2013, which provides you with materials you will need to start planning your course schedule for the fall semester. All entering Barnard students are required to submit course preference information online between July 2 and July 9. The First-Year Class Dean and her staff will then spend the rest of the summer preparing a preliminary fall program for each entering student. You may already be feeling nervous about all of these academic choices, but don’t worry! We begin the process now so that you can form a plan in the summer and then have time to consider that plan when you arrive in the fall, when you’ll have plenty of opportunity to ask questions and learn more information before finalizing your course schedule.

In late May and in June, the First-Year Class Dean, Lisa Hollibaugh, will be holding advising sessions in several cities in order to meet new students and answer their questions about academics at Barnard, and we hope that you’ll make every effort to attend if you can. At each meeting the Dean will go over the information contained in the Guide in more detail and then discuss some of the considerations for choosing your fall courses, as well as the process for submitting your course preferences online. These advising sessions will also give you the opportunity to meet other new Barnard students from your area, so that there will be familiar faces when you arrive on campus at the end of August. (If you live too far away from these cities to attend, rest assured that we’ll be providing additional advising online as well.)

Please RSVP for an advising session by e-mail (first-year@barnard.edu) or by phone (212-854-2024), and let us know the following information: (1) which session you will attend, (2) how many people will be with you (family members are welcome), and (3) how to contact you if we have additional information for you (driving directions, parking information, etc.). And when you come to the session, be sure to bring your copy of the Guide to Your First Year at Barnard College 2012-2013 for reference. We hope to see you soon!

### Los Angeles Area
- **Thursday, May 24**
  - 4:00-6:00 p.m.
  - at the home of Sheryl and Jon Layne
  - 614 Frontera Drive
  - Pacific Palisades, CA 90272

### San Francisco Area
- **Thursday, May 31**
  - 6:00-8:00 p.m.
  - at the home of Amelia Kaymen and Eric Yopes
  - 3696 Clay Street
  - San Francisco, CA 94118

### New York / Tri-State Area
- **(1) Monday, June 4 or (2) Tuesday, June 5 or (3) Wednesday, June 6**
  - 3:00-5:00 p.m.
  - Barnard College
  - Glicker-Milstein Black Box Theatre
  - Lower Level 2 of The Diana Center

### Boston Area
- **Thursday, June 14**
  - 5:00-7:00 p.m.
  - at the home of Cecily and Riaz Cassum
  - 7 Locust Road
  - Weston, MA 02493

### Washington, D.C. Area
- **Saturday, June 23**
  - 3:00-5:00 p.m.
  - at the home of Jan and Gerald Feldman
  - 8038 Ellingson Drive
  - Chevy Chase, MD 20815