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Brandeis University

Brown University

Chapman University

Claremont McKenna College

Colorado School of Mines

Columbia College Chicago

Columbia University

Cooper Union

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Culinary Institute of America (2)

Dartmouth College (2)

Davidson College (2)

DePaul University (3)

Elon University (2)

Emory University (4)

Florida International University

Fordham University

Gannon University (2)

George Washington University (2)

Georgia Institute of Technology

Georgia State University

Gettysburg College

Grinnell College (2)

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Vassar College

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Wake Forest University

Washington and Lee University

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Vanderbilt University (2)
Vassar College
Villanova University (2)
Wake Forest University
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Webster University
West Virginia Tech University
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