

# **OUR PORTFOLIO**

Spectator Publishing Company's comprehensive portfolio includes a print publication and three websites. Advertising through our portfolio allows our partners to connect directly with the Columbia community; students are always actively looking for a place to eat, finding an event to go to, and shopping for discounts within our paper. Our extensive portfolio is the effective way for brands and companies to communicate with the Columbia community.

**PUBLICATIONS** We have three journalism outlets: the Columbia Daily Spectator (our daily newspaper), the Eye (our magazine), and Spectrum (our service journalism blog). Our diverse portfolio of publications allows us to reach all niches of the Columbia community.

**EVENTS** Spectator Publishing Company is at the forefront of student engagement on campus, hosting numerous events that bring exciting and fun programs to the Columbia student population. By reaching out to Columbia students at these events, organizations will be viewed as active members of both the Columbia and Morningside Heights communities.

**SOCIAL MEDIA** Spectator Publishing Company maintains active social media accounts on Twitter, Facebook, Instagram, and more. With well over 40,000 followers across all social media platforms, we are constantly conducting outreach to the Columbia, Morningside Heights, and West Harlem communities. This online presence draws more visitors to our websites and ensures high visibility for your organization.

**NEWSLETTER** Throughout the semester, we send out daily digests of Spectator's best stories to thousands of students and community members. This newsletter, accompanied by one or two advertisements, is delivered directly to each subscriber's inbox. This ensures that your ad can be viewed while our readers are checking their emails—not just when they browse through one of our publications.



# MEET THE COLUMBIA DAILY SPECTATOR.

Everyday, the **Columbia Daily Spectator**'s readers open its pages to the latest in breaking campus and city news, arts reviews, sports coveragem and provocative editorials. Founded in 1877, Spectator is the only daily newspaper serving the over 60,000, faculty, and staff of Columbia, as well as the residents of Morningside Heights and the Upper West Side.

The **Columbia Daily Spectator** is the nation's second-oldest college daily and is written, edited, and produced by a staff of more than 300 Columbia and Barnard students. On an urban lvy League campus of hip and intelligent thinkers, Spectator is one of the nation's finest undergraduate newspapers.





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## DISTRIBUTION LOCATIONS IN

DORMS • LIBRARIES
STUDENT CENTERS
FACULTY OFFICES
MEDICAL CENTER
AND THROUGHOUT

AND THROUGHOUT MORNINGSIDE HEIGHTS

**SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE** 

16,200 💆

**TWITTER FOLLOWERS** 

**17,900 ₫** FACEBOOK LIKES

300+ STAFF MEMBERS

18-22
YEARS OLD
AGE OF MOST
SPEC READERS

YOUNG • INFLUENTIAL INTELLIGENT • EAGER



# \$150 MILLION

SPENT BY OUR AUDIENCE ON ITEMS OTHER THAN TUITION

60,000 STUDENTS, FACULTY,

& STAFF AT COLUMBIA



20,000

LOCAL RESIDENTS OF MORNINGSIDE HEIGHTS



UNIQUE AUDIENCE

# OUR DIGITAL PROFILE

## **FEATURING:**

- DIGITAL WEBSITE DIGITAL NEWSLETTER •
- SOCIAL MEDIA SPECTATOR BRAND STUDIOS



Our website — www.columbiaspectator.com — is wildly popular with students as a source of information about happenings both on and off campus. An online banner is the best option for advertisers seeking wide exposure over any period of time, and that banner will appear both on desktop web pages and mobile web pages.

Online advertising is sold in blocks of impressions, but because of the variability of site traffic, the Spectator will quarantee a week's duration for the cost of the minimum purchasable number of impressions.

With the purchase of a digital ad slot, we can guarantee that your ad will receive at least 20,000 impressions per week!

Rates and Specifications							
Cell	Desktop Size (in pixels)	Mobile Size (in pixels)	Cost Per Mille	Cost Per Impressions			
А	728 x 90	320 x 50	\$15.00	\$300 per 20,000			
В	300 x 600	300 x 600	\$15.00	\$300 per 20,000			
С	720 x 240	360 x 120	\$15.00	\$300 per 20,000			

COLUMBIA SPECTATOR

#### Cell A - Leaderboard (728 x 90 pixels)

#### COLUMBIA SPECTATOR

BRAND STUDIO











After a demands letter garnered over 1,200 signatures, Columbia changed its RA compensation model. Some say it's not enough



Max Caffe will close at the end of August after rent increase



BY IRIE SENTNER + JUL.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT



Moshfegh's affair with the grotesque



BY ABBY ROONEY + MAY



Cell B -**Vertical Box**  $(300 \times 600 \text{ pixels})$ 

Write with us

Have a tip?

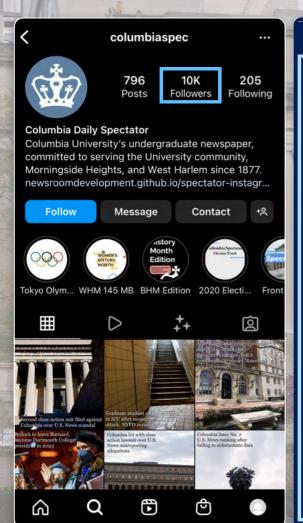
This is worth vour time.

Cell C - Horizontal Box (720 × 240 pixels)

In Focus: Fake fans in the stands

SPORTS

## **INSTAGRAM** & TWITTER





## **SPONSORED INSTAGRAM STORIES**

Instagram ads are posted as Instagram stories, one for \$200.

On Instagram, we (@columbiaspec) have over 10,000 followers, many of whom are students, alumni, and professors.

#### **Columbia Daily Spectator**



An independent student newspaper serving Columbia University and the MoHi/West Harlem communities since 1877. I @CUspectrum I @CUSpecSports I @theevemag

New York, NY S columbiaspectator.com Joined March 2009

503 Following 17.3K Followers

**Tweets** 

Tweets & replies

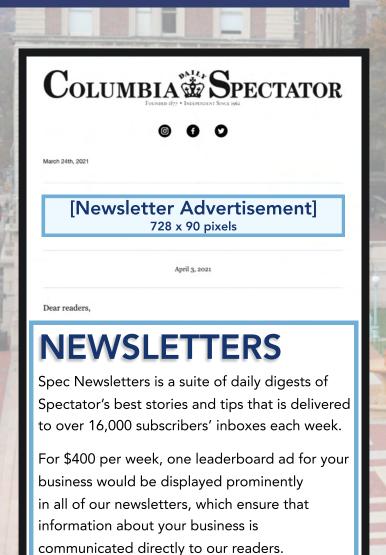
Media

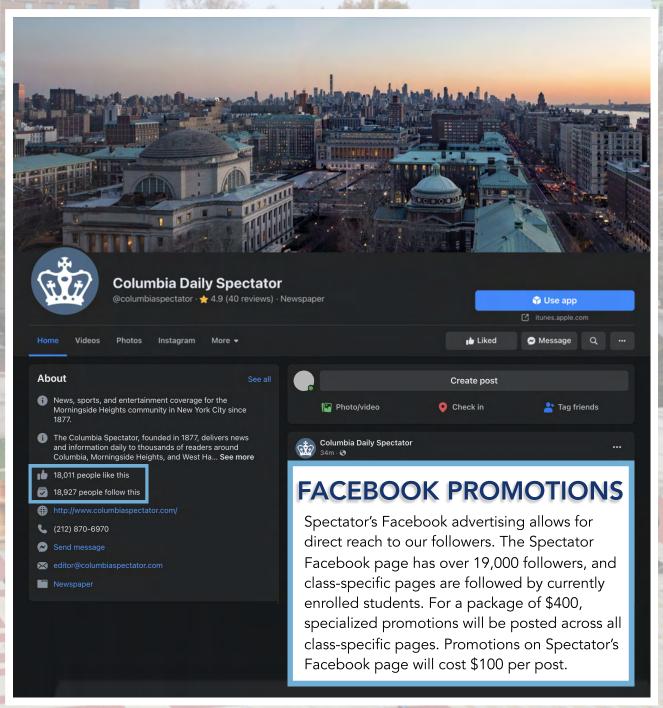
Likes

#### **SPONSORED TWEETS**

Two for \$100, maximum of two per week. Any purchase of or above \$5,000 total guarantees two free sponsored tweets posted by the <u>@ColumbiaSpec</u> account with over 17,000 followers.

# NEWSLETTER & FACEBOOK







## OUR PRINT PORTFOLIO

Print media display advertisements offer a more traditional way to get your message out.

Spectator offers a variety of print advertising options to best suit your needs.

Rates and Specifications (Black & White)							
Full Page	6 col. x 21"	126 col. "	\$1764.00				
Half Page	6 col. x 10.5" or 3 col. x 21"	63 col. "	\$882.00				
Third Page	6 col. x 7" or 2 col. x 21"	42 col. "	\$588.00				
Quarter Page	3 col. x 10.5"	31.5 col "	\$441.00				
Sixth Page	3 col. x 7" or 2 col. x 10.5"	21 col. "	\$294.00				
Eighth Page	3 col. x 5.25" or 2 col. x 7.88"	15.75 col. "	\$220.00				
Twelfth Page	3 col. x 3.5"	10.5 col. "	\$147.00				
Sixteenth Page	2 col. x 3.94"	7.88 col. "	\$110.25				



Column Measurements		
1 column	1.7861"	
3 column	5.6917"	
6 column	11.55"	

(add to Black & White rates leftward)				
For 1/3 page size or larger	+\$400			
For 1/4 page size or smaller	+\$175			

Net Rate Per Column Inch: \$14.00 Rates Are Per Issue

<u>Note</u>: Spectator prints **bi-weekly** newspaper issues. We publish online **daily**.

To receive a complete schedule of our Spring 2023 print dates, please inquire at <u>sales@columbiaspectator.com</u>.

#### **MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS**

**PAGE SIZE:** Broadsheet (12" x 22"); 6 column page | **PRINTING METHOD:** Offset

**CREATIVES:** Artwork should be e-mailed to sales@columbiaspectator.com, <u>3 business days prior</u> to publication. The preferred formats are TIFF (300 DPI), PDF (with all fonts embedded), or hi-res JPEG. Ads can also be downloaded from web or FTP sites.

## ADDITIONAL PRINT COMPONENTS

# INSERTS

Spectator accepts free standing inserts. The cost is \$250 per 1,000 inserts designed, printed, and delivered to the printer by the advertiser. The minimum run is 1,000 and the maximum is the full run of the paper (which is subject to change per issue). Insert size is limited to what will fit comfortably within the newspaper's dimensions—anything up to 11" x 17" is acceptable. There is no standard limit to the number of pages, but the Spectator reserves the right to reject or charge more for magazinetype inserts that may complicate delivery of the paper. Free standing inserts should be shipped directly to our printer at the following address:

> FIVE STAR PRINTING 107-29 180th Street Jamaica, NY 11433 Attention: Debbie Somwaru

### **FLYERS**

Spectator staff will distribute your printed flyers directly to student dorms and/or hand-deliver them to students for **\$1 per flyer**, with a minimum order of 200 flyers. This is a great way to ensure direct exposure to undergraduate students on campus.

### **POSTERS**

Posters will be displayed in student residence halls and academic buildings across campus for a cost of **\$150 per 5 posters** (size: 11" x 17"). This is an affordable way to flexibility target particular class years and increase brand exposure to your target audience.

## **CLIENT MARKETING**

#### SPECTATOR'S MOST PREMIUM SERVICE

For partners who purchase a substantial advertising package with Spectator, Spectator provides highly-tailored consulting and advertising services to meet all of the client's needs. Some examples of Client Marketing services include the following:

Designated Spectator staff to design client advertisements and develop messaging about their brand.

Designated Spectator staff to serve as campus representatives and to distribute collateral at events across campus.

Flyering services in private campus buildings, such as residence halls.

Access to numerous social media groups and personal social media accounts that can advocate for the client.

Client marketing is entirely customizable. Please inquire for details.

# CONTACT INFORMATION

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### **STATEMENT OF POLICY**

We will refuse to publish advertisements that we judge to be potentially inflammatory, libelous, or offensive. As a general rule, ads in which the primary intent is to advance an idea or perspective—essentially a paid editorial will be deemed inappropriate for publication. Political ads publicizing an event or promoting a book will usually be judged acceptable. The decision on whether or not an ad will be published ultimately rests with the President of Spectator Publishing Company.