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THE COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL OFFERS GATECRASHER SERIES; FREE LECTURE ON “OPENING THE DOOR TO SELECTIVE COLLEGE ADMISSION: HOW COLLEGES CHANGE LIVES”

Colorado Springs, Colo. – The Colorado Springs School (CSS) will host Seth Allen, Director of Admission and Financial Aid, Grinnell College on **Monday, October 12, 2009** as he gives a free lecture on college admission and how colleges change lives . The free lecture is one of several offered by the Gatecrashers Series: Opening the Doors on the College Admissions. The lecture will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Louisa Performing Arts Center on The Colorado Springs School campus. All families in the greater Colorado Springs area are invited to attend.



Allen has nearly 20 years of experience in college enrollment and will offer families guidance in navigating the college admission process. He has served in enrollment capacities at Grinnell College, Dickinson College and Johns Hopkins University. He holds a M.S. in Applied Behavioral Sciences with an Organizational Development Concentration and a B.A. in Economics from Johns Hopkins University.

“We believe that all high school students deserve access to quality college counseling, said Rusty Haynes, Director of College Counseling at The Colorado Springs School. “We have continued to make the Gatecrasher Series, a free program, open to the public, based on the fundamental belief that we want to open the doors to college admission and help area families demystify what can often be an overwhelming process.”

The Colorado Springs School offers a variety of resources for the community to prepare high school students to meet with success during the college admission process. Visit

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<http://www.css.org/pages/news/gatecrashers.php> to learn more about upcoming free lectures and test preparation workshops (offered in fall, winter and summer).

For more information on the GateCrasher Series at The Colorado Springs School and other college counseling resources, please contact Rusty Haynes, Director of College Counseling, at (719) 434-3573 or visit www.css.org.

About the Colorado Springs School (CSS)

CSS offers an experiential educational curriculum for Pre-Kindergarten – 12th graders. Through superior academics and mentoring, The Colorado Springs School prepares students to think independently and to meet the needs of a dynamic world with leadership, ingenuity, problem-solving skills, and personal integrity.

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