

THE RANKING OF THE “ANCIENT EIGHT IVY LEAGUE UNIVERSITIES” IN THE USA:

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COLUMBIA University: Team LIONS

Info: COLUMBIA located in New York City, New York, since 1754.

Fact: COLUMBIA is the first school of “Journalism” in the USA (1912), and started the “Pulitzer Prize” (1917), and has produced the most ever Nobel Laureates.

Motto: “IN LUMINE TUO VIDEBIMUS LUMEN”

(translation: “In Your Light Shall We See Light”)

Team Colours: Columbia Blue & White

Famous COLUMBIA Alumni:

Jake Gyllenhaal (1998 start, 2-years-undergrad, Eastern Religion & Philosophy)

Maggie Gyllenhaal (1995 to 1999, BA Literature & Eastern Religion)

Timothee Chalamet (2013 start, 1-year-undergrad, Cultural Anthropology)

Ed Harris (1969 start, 2-years-undergrad, Football Scholarship playing defense)

6 NASA Astronauts (including Kevin Chilton, 1977 MSc Engineering)

1 USA President (including Barack Obama)

NFL Football Alumni:

Sid Luckman, QB (drafted by BEARS, played 12 seasons, from 1939 to 1950)

4x NFL Championship Winner (1940 & 1941 & 1943 & 1946)

NFL MVP in 1943, 4x Pro Bowler, 5x First-Team All-Pro, 2x Second-Team All-Pro

Career Stats: 128-gms, 137-pass-TD, 132-pass-INT, 4-rush-TD, 1-XPT-made

Big Game Stat: Luckman was CHI QB in 1940, when BEARS defeated WSH, 73-0