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## ADMISSIONS 2012

### Crisp Consulting + Coaching Analyzes Admissions Trends

**Admit it: The class of 2016's acceptance rates are shocking. Again, applications to the most selective schools soared to a new high and, subsequently, acceptance rates plummeted to a new low.**

**Duke University** reported an acceptance rate of 11.9 percent while the **University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill**

saw applications soar by 24 percent. Six of the Ivy League schools reported acceptance rates under 10 percent with **Harvard University** reporting the lowest acceptance rate of 5.9.

These same trends continued among the nation's best schools from **Georgetown University to Pomona College**. Applications soared at **University of Chicago** by 16 percent and the **University of Virginia** experienced an increase of 18 percent.

In 1992, the acceptance rate for the **University of Pennsylvania** was 47 percent, a sharp contrast to the 2012 acceptance rate of 12.3 percent. College admissions has greatly changed.

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