

Turning the Tide: Reshaping the College Admissions Process

Lloyd Thacker

Thursday, September 29, 2016
7:00-9:00pm

Mountain View High School Spartan Theatre
3535 Truman Avenue, Mountain View

Lloyd Thacker will speak about his decades-long efforts to bring the college admissions process back into the hands of students and parents, and out of the control of college rankings, commercial guide-books, and expensive private consultants. As a collaborator on *Turning the Tide* (a Harvard School of Education project), he will also present a vision to promote ethical engagement among students, reduce excessive achievement pressure, and level the playing field for economically disadvantaged students.

Admission: FREE—Please reserve a seat:

<https://lloydthacker.eventbrite.com>

Audience: Parents/guardians AND students,
grades 8-12

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ABOUT OUR SPEAKER:

Lloyd Thacker is a national leader in reforming college admissions. After spending 30 years in college admissions and counseling, he founded the Education Conservancy (www.educationconservancy.org) in 2004. By harnessing the research, ideas, leadership, and imagination of thoughtful educators, the Conservancy is committed to advising and advocating for students, colleges, and high schools in order to improve the college admissions process. His book, *College Unranked* continues to be a critical resource.