

# Claim

Claim: "In June 1936, Columbia University expelled student activist Robert Burke for leading an anti-Nazi demonstration."

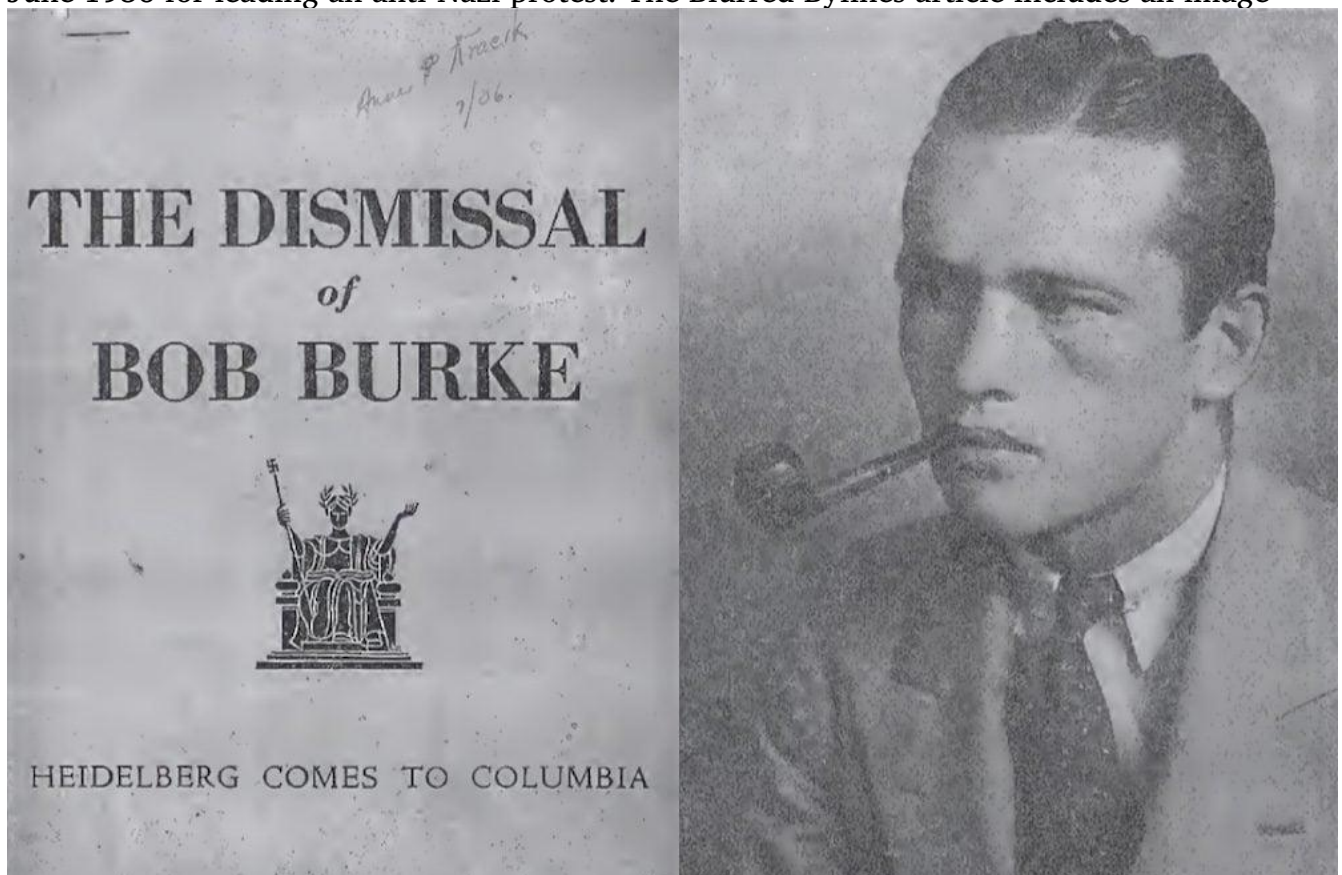
## Actions

`web_search("Columbia University Robert Burke expelled anti-Nazi demonstr`

## Evidence

### Evidence from `web_search`

Two articles from Blurred Bylines (<https://blurredbylines.com/articles/robert-burke-columbia-university-expulsion-1936-protest/>) and Medium (<https://medium.com/@blurredbylines/when-columbia-university-expelled-robert-burke-for-anti-nazi-protests-in-1936-d9f236c91794>) discuss the expulsion of Robert Burke from Columbia University in June 1936 for leading an anti-Nazi protest. The Blurred Bylines article includes an image



related to the event.

Columbia Magazine (<https://magazine.columbia.edu/article/book-review-third-reich-ivory-tower>) also mentions Burke's expulsion for participating in a mock book burning and anti-Nazi picket in 1936 [image:k](#).

## Elaboration

The evidence confirms the claim. Multiple sources, including Blurred Bylines (<https://>

[blurredbylines.com/articles/robert-burke-columbia-university-expulsion-1936-protest/](https://blurredbylines.com/articles/robert-burke-columbia-university-expulsion-1936-protest/)) and Medium (<https://medium.com/@blurredbylines/when-columbia-university-expelled-robert-burke-for-anti-nazi-protests-in-1936-d9f236c91794>), and Columbia Magazine (<https://magazine.columbia.edu/article/book-review-third-reich-ivory-tower>) support the expulsion of Robert Burke from Columbia University in June 1936 for his involvement in anti-Nazi activities.

## Final Judgement

The claim is supported by multiple sources. These sources confirm that Robert Burke was expelled from Columbia University in June 1936 for leading an anti-Nazi demonstration.

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**Verdict: TRUE**

## Justification

The claim is supported by multiple sources, including articles from Blurred Bylines (<https://blurredbylines.com/articles/robert-burke-columbia-university-expulsion-1936-protest/>) and Medium (<https://medium.com/@blurredbylines/when-columbia-university-expelled-robert-burke-for-anti-nazi-protests-in-1936-d9f236c91794>), and Columbia Magazine (<https://magazine.columbia.edu/article/book-review-third-reich-ivory-tower>), which confirm that Robert Burke was expelled from Columbia University in June 1936 for leading an anti-Nazi demonstration.