

# Carnegie Mellon University

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Dear Alexander,

Thank you for the opportunity to review your application to Carnegie Mellon's School of Computer Science for Fall 2021. Each year, Carnegie Mellon receives a large number of applications from an impressive group of students. Because of space limitations and the large number of students who are interested in the School of Computer Science, we are unable to offer you admission at this time and have placed your name on our waiting list.

It is important for you to know that every year some students are successful in gaining admission from the waiting list. Because of your qualifications, we are offering you the opportunity to be placed on our priority waiting list. If you choose to participate in our priority waiting list option, you will be among the first students admitted to Carnegie Mellon from the waiting list.

The priority waiting list is for those students who know that Carnegie Mellon is their first choice. All students who choose to be on our priority waiting list will know of our admission decisions by May 10, 2021. This will give our applicants who have been admitted enough time to make college plans by the May 3 General Candidate's Reply date.

If you choose our priority waiting list option, please submit the waiting list reply form to the Office of Admission found at [www.cmu.edu/admission/waiting](http://www.cmu.edu/admission/waiting) beginning April 9, 2021. If you are admitted from the priority waiting list we must receive an \$800 enrollment deposit within 72 hours of your admission notification. If we are not able to admit you from the priority waiting list you will stay on our regular waiting list. Candidates on the regular waiting list will be notified of an admission decision by June 1, 2021.

Unfortunately, we are unable to offer you a place in the College of Engineering. We receive a large number of applications for a small number of places in the first year class. Due to our space limitations we are unable to offer admission to all qualified students and must select from a very talented applicant pool. Most of the applicants not offered admission are highly qualified students who will be successful at any college or university they choose to attend.

If you have any questions about our waiting list or would like to discuss your college plans, do not hesitate to contact us at (412) 268-2082.

Sincerely,



Gregory A. Edleman  
Director of Admission

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