



# Crimson Coaching™

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## Workshop Description

### **The Common App:**

#### **Do's and Don't's for Finishing it Well and On Time**

Those of us who remember placing a thick piece of cream-colored paper into the typewriter and cleaning ivory “white-out” from our fingernails as integral to the college application process might be shocked to see how students apply to college today. Unfortunately, the kids are more overwhelmed than we are! In this program, independent college counselor and application coach Dr. P. (Dominique Padurano, Ph.D.) describes each section of the nation’s most widely used college application portal, the Common App, and advises students on how to make the most of them all to maximize their chances of admission. Dr. P. recommends that students attend with parents, and that both bring a notebook and pen to take notes on the presentation.

### **Dr. P.’s Bio**

After teaching for more than a decade at some of the nation’s top high schools, Dr. P. (Dominique Padurano, Ph.D.) founded **Crimson Coaching™**, a boutique tutoring, test prep, and college counseling consultancy in 2014. Dr. P. isn’t just President of Crimson Coaching, she’s also its Head Coach. Dr. P. has taught hundreds of students subjects from Algebra to French to Spanish to World History; prepared them to take standardized tests like the ISEE, SAT, ACT, GRE and Regents and APs; and coached them to write applications that won them admissions to Harvard, Princeton, and other elite colleges. Dr. Padurano earned her own Bachelor’s degree, *magna cum laude*, from Harvard College, and also possesses a Master’s in Education, and a Ph.D. in History. She works with clients worldwide and may be contacted directly at [info@crimsoncoaching.com](mailto:info@crimsoncoaching.com).