



## Clery Crime Alert

### Burglary

On Sunday, January 12, 2025, at around 11:55 a.m. a Burglary occurred at 195 Claremont Avenue, at the Morningside Campus.

A video review shows an individual randomly buzzing into the building and removing several packages without permission or authority to do so.

The incident was reported to Columbia University Public Safety on Sunday, January 12, 2025, at around 12:05 p.m. The police were notified of this incident. If you have any additional information about this incident, please contact the Department of Public Safety at 212-854-2797.

This same individual committed a similar crime on Dec 18th , 2024, at 195 Claremont Avenue and 549 Riverside Drive.

The suspect is described as male presenting, with a medium complexion, medium build, with a beard and mustache and wearing a blue and grey knitted hat, blue winter coat, blue jeans, red, black and white sneakers and carrying a red and black backpack. There is no other information available at this time.

#### Safety Tips

- Do not buzz people into a building unless you know who they are and what that are doing.
- Do not allow others to “piggyback” behind you into a secure location.
- Please try to retrieve your packages in a timely manner.



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