



Clery Crime Alert

Burglary

On Monday, June 10, 2024, at around 6:50 a.m. a Burglary occurred at 519 West 121 Street at the Morningside Campus.

The complainant, a Columbia University staff member, reported that his package was missing. CCTV shows an individual entering the building by piggy backing their way inside. Once inside the individual removed a package without permission or authority to do so. This individual is also responsible for a burglary that occurred on June 4, 2024, at 401 West 118 Street at 1:32 am.

The incident was reported to Columbia University's Department of Public Safety on Monday, June 10, 2024, at around 12:20 p.m. If you have any additional information about this incident, please contact the Department of Public Safety at 212-854-2797.

The suspect is described as male-presenting and dark-complexioned, and wore blue jeans with a gray t-shirt, blue vest, glasses, a beige baseball cap and carried a blue shopping bag.



Safety Tips

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

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