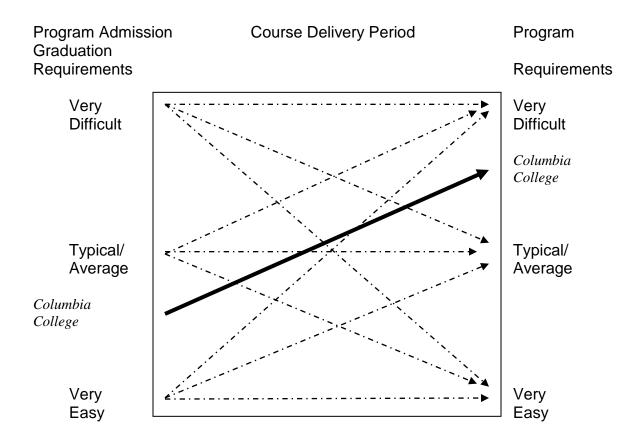
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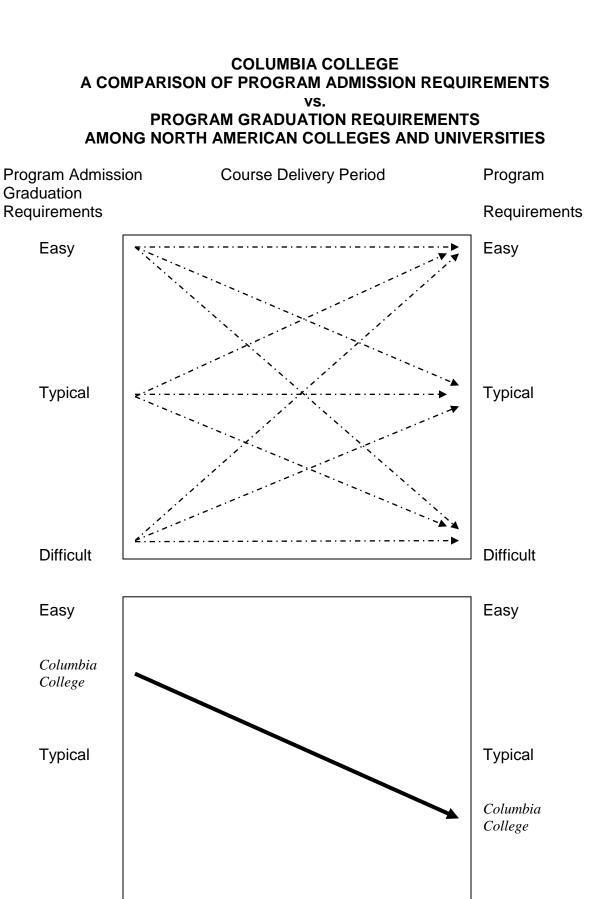
Introduction

Each institution must determine the entrance requirements it will place on prospective students wishing to enroll in each of its programs. It must also determine what graduation requirements students must meet in order to graduate from a program. Some institutions make it very difficult for students to be admitted to, while others may be very easy. Some institutions set very difficult program graduation requirements while others make it very easy. There are institutions that establish very high standards for admission and graduation while others set low standards for admission and graduation.

Columbia College <u>tends</u> to have admission requirements that are slightly lower than typical institutions or the average institution <u>but</u> it <u>tends</u> to set graduation requirements that are higher than the typical institution. This means that students, in some programs, will find it somewhat easier to enroll in one of the programs at Columbia College but they will have to work harder than student in typical institutions in order to graduate.



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