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# **BRYN MAWR COLLEGE MATRICULATION EXAMS FROM A CENTURY AGO**

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From its founding in 1885, Bryn Mawr College aspired to the highest academic standards and thus sought to admit young women of exceptional promise. In those days before the SAT, the College developed its own "Matriculation Exam" to identify sufficiently talented students.

In this talk, I'll share questions from those old tests, giving many mathematical examples and a few non-mathematical ones. Modern students (I'll include myself here) can be unnerved by what was expected of applicants in days of yore.

Come to the talk, bring your thinking caps, and imagine how you'd fare on a BMC Matriculation Exam from long ago.

## **SEPTEMBER 14TH AT 7 PM**

JOIN AT PARK 245 OR VIA ZOOM

*SNACKS AT 6:30 PM IN THE MATH LOUNGE!*

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