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TRI-CONTINENTAL CORP  
Form 8-K  
May 21, 2009

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 21, 2009  
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TRI-CONTINENTAL CORPORATION  
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(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland

811-00266

13-5441850  
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(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation)

(Commission File Number)

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

100 Park Avenue,  
New York, New York 10017  
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(Address of principal executive offices, zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code (212) 850-1864

Not Applicable  
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(Former name or former address, if changed since last report.)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

SECTION 7 - REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE

Item 7.01 Regulation FD Disclosure.

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Registrant is furnishing as Exhibit 99.1 the attached Press Release as of May 21, 2009 for Tri-Continental Corporation.

### SECTION 9 - FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Exhibit 99.1 - Press Release dated May 21, 2009 for Tri-Continental Corporation.

### SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

TRI-CONTINENTAL CORPORATION

Date: May 21, 2009

By: /s/ Joseph D'Alessandro

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Joseph D'Alessandro  
Assistant Secretary