

Dear Campus Community,

This is an update on the actions and events, both planned and completed, since the Title IX Compliance Committee's weekly update dated April 6, 2015. All updates are posted on the Title IX Compliance Committee website, <http://www.southwestern.edu/titleix/committee/>

- The Center for Academic Success and Records will collaborate with advisors to communicate available sexual assault/sexual misconduct information to their advisees.
- The Curriculum Committee will consider a suggestion that faculty add a Title IX/Sexual Assault/Sexual Misconduct statement to all course syllabi (similar to the accommodations statement).
- The Facilities Committee is working to ensure that all parking lots are named and have proper signage which will, among other things, help police, fire and ambulances promptly reach their destinations.
- The Sexual Assault Risk Reduction Committee (SARR) is scheduled to meet on April 21<sup>st</sup> from 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. in Prothro room 244. This is an open meeting. SARR is coordinating the following programs/activities in the coming weeks (Please check Campus Notices for more information):
  - o Another session of Bystander Intervention Training is scheduled for April 20<sup>th</sup> from 12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. in the Connie McNab room in the McCombs Campus Center.
  - o Coordinating/hosting a Tabling event on April 23<sup>rd</sup> from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00p.m. on the Academic Mall, including topics such as consent, bystander intervention and resources.
  - o “Denim Day” is tentatively planned for April 29<sup>th</sup>. This is a link for additional information <http://www.dvsac.org/denim-day/>
- A sub-group of the Title IX Compliance Committee met again with University Communications staff on April 13<sup>th</sup> to continue its review of web pages related to Title IX (Title IX home page, regulatory overview, Counseling Services, Safety and Security, Health and Safety, Human Resources, Help for Sexual Assault/Sexual Misconduct (Yellow Book), etc.). This sub-group shared its recommended updates with the full Title IX Compliance Committee today for review and comment.
- Other upcoming programs/activities:
  - o The Counseling Center will conduct a training session for all Greek Women entitled “Real Talk” on April 15, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. This session focuses on how to talk with someone who is a victim/survivor of sexual assault/sexual misconduct. This program will be provided to other groups, Resident Associates, athletic teams, etc. and, per request, to any other group which is interested. Please contact the Counseling Center to make arrangements for your group.
  - o “Take Back the Night” has been scheduled for April 19, 2015. This is a student planned and led event.
  - o A Public Service Announcement will continue to be placed in every issue of the Megaphone.