



September 18, 2022

Columbia College Chicago Community:

#### Crime Advisory

University Center Security reports they contacted the Chicago Police Department after hearing gunshots in a private parking lot at 524 S. Wabash Avenue on September 18 at approximately 5 a.m. and the police located shell casings. No victim or offender were located.

Anyone with additional information should contact Campus Security at 312-369-3220 and the Chicago Police Department Area Three Detective Division at 312-744-8263.

#### General Safety Precautions

- Remain alert.
- Buddy-up: travel in groups through well-lit and high-traffic areas after dark.
- Seek immediate shelter in a public establishment if you feel unsafe.
- Call 911 immediately if you are a victim or witness to a crime and provide a detailed description of the offender(s) including any physical/clothing identifiers in addition to any vehicle description and license plate information.
- If approached by a witness to an incident, request they remain on scene when possible or obtain contact information.
- Never pursue a fleeing assailant, provide information to the police.
- Inform Campus Security of any crime or safety concern.

#### Safety Workshops

Campus Safety and Security and Student Services are partnering again to conduct the following *Navigating the City with Confidence* student workshops. These workshops include information on both personal safety and active shooter response.

Student Center – 754 S. Wabash Avenue  
Friday, October 7, 2022, 12 p.m. -1 p.m. (2nd Floor Board Room)

The Haus: 623 S. Wabash Avenue  
Wednesday, September 28, 2022, 11 p.m. - 12 p.m.  
Wednesday, October 12, 2022, 12 p.m. – 1 p.m.  
Wednesday, November 16, 2022, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m.

#### SafeRide Program

Columbia provides an after-hours SafeRide Program that is available seven days a week from 6 p.m.–1 a.m. Learn more about how to use the [SafeRide Program](#).

*If You See Something, Say Something.*

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