



September 15, 2020

Columbia College Chicago Community:

### **Crime Advisory**

Shots were fired on Harrison Street between Michigan Avenue and the western alley. The incident reportedly began as a dispute between parties in the Congress Hotel. Individuals fled in a vehicle and crashed at 700 West Roosevelt Road. The police have persons of interest in custody and a weapon has been recovered.

Anyone with additional information should contact Campus Security at 312-369-3220 and the Chicago Police Department Area North Detective Division at 312-747-8263 referencing police report JD-367897.

### **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 for suspicious public street activity and all life-safety emergencies.
- Inform Campus Security of any crime or safety concern.
- Activate tracking software on computers and telephones.
- Utilize resilient bicycle locks.
- Do not engage in financial transactions with individuals on the street that you do not know.

### **Self-Defense Workshops**

To provide continued educational programming on issues concerning student safety, Campus Safety and Security will host Street Safety Workshops for the Fall 2020 semester. These workshops will address Active Shooter, personal safety and navigating the City with confidence.

Capacity is limited to 6 participants per session:

Monday, September 28, 2020, 754 S. Wabash, Meeting Room 329, 1-2pm

Tuesday, October 13, 2020, 754 S. Wabash, Meeting Room 329, 11-12pm

Wednesday, November 4, 2020, 754 S. Wabash, Meeting Room 329, 3-4pm

### **Evening Security Escort Program**

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

*If you See Something, Say Something.*

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