May 9, 2021

Columbia College Chicago Community:

**Crime Advisory**

The Chicago Police Department is investigating an incident that occurred on May 9 at approximately 3:30 am in the parking garage at 801 South Wabash Avenue.

An interaction occurred involving several people and a weapon was fired in the garage. No one was reportedly struck. There is no known affiliation with the Columbia community.

Anyone with additional information should contact Campus Security at 312-369-3220 and the Chicago Police Department Area North Detective Division at 312-744-8263, referencing police report JE-224327.

**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.

**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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