



UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH EVENTS FOCUS ON ISSUES OF **SEXUAL VIOLENCE**

This month, the University will be hosting a variety of events designed to empower and educate the campus community on the issues of sexual violence, relationship violence, sexual harassment, and stalking. You are encouraged to get involved and attend the following events.

NOVEMBER

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“Affective Atmospheres and Domestic Violence”

4 p.m. November 5, 1228 Cathedral of Learning

Lucas Gottzén of the Department of Child and Youth Studies at Stockholm University will address the relationship among space, affect, and violence and draw on data from two qualitative studies on masculinity and domestic violence in Sweden.

gsws.pitt.edu/events/lecture-affective-atmospheres-and-domestic-violence

8-13

It’s On Us National Week of Action

November 8-13

It’s On Us is a campaign against sexual assault on college campuses launched by Generation Progress and the White House to “reframe the conversation surrounding sexual assault in a way that inspires everyone to see it as his or her responsibility to do something, big or small, to prevent it.” The goal of the 2015 Week of Action is to open as many conversations as possible on the subject of sexual assault and prevention. It’s On Us will be collaborating with the premiere of *Good Kids* and will have open discussions on consent after two performances as well as a candlelight vigil for sexual assault victims.

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Reducing Dangerous and Underage Drinking: Innovative Strategies for the Millennial Generation

8:30 a.m.–6 p.m., November 10, William Pitt Union

Pitt and the Pittsburgh Council on Higher Education will host this daylong conference to foster discussion among experts and faculty, staff, and administrators from area universities to address alcohol consumption and sexual violence, support for special populations, and effective community partnerships.

cgr.pitt.edu/reducing-dangerous-and-underage-drinking-innovative-strategies-millennial-generation

11-22

Good Kids

8 p.m. Tuesday–Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday, November 11–22, Henry Heymann Theatre

Presented by the Department of Theatre Arts, this play, inspired by current events, explores the aftermath of a sex crime and its cover-up in a Midwestern high school.

play.pitt.edu/content/good-kids

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Training Session on Domestic Violence for Faculty and Staff

1–3 p.m. November 13, 342 Craig Hall

The Women’s Center & Shelter of Greater Pittsburgh and Pitt’s Office of Diversity and Inclusion will discuss confidentiality, the impact of domestic violence, safety planning, active listening, crisis intervention, and the legal system as it pertains to domestic violence. RSVP to 8-7861 by November 9.

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The Invisible War Screening

11 a.m. November 14, Alcoa Room, Barco Law Building

A screening of the award-winning 2012 documentary on sexual assault in the U.S. military will be followed by a discussion with Susan Burke, who is featured with her veteran clients in the film.

gsws.pitt.edu/events/invisible-war-documentary-screening-discussion-and-reception

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School of Social Work Raymond R. Webb Jr. Lecture: “Are Children and Women for Sale? Yes, and It’s a \$150 Billion Industry”

Noon, November 17, 207 Cathedral of Learning

Noël Busch-Armendariz, professor, associate dean for research, and director of the Institute on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault at the University of Texas at Austin School of Social Work will present.