Developing No-Cost Resources for Sexual and Interpersonal Violence Response and Prevention

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What We Hope To Do

• Describe the need
• Introduce SAVR
• Introduce Visa and Immigration
• Show you the resources
• Discuss the development process and “back end”
• Take questions
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http://system.suny.edu/sexual-violence-prevention-workgroup/bios/
Outcomes Outside of SUNY

• Article 129-B, “Enough is Enough.”
An Idea Comes In…

• Can’t we create an app (or a mobile website) where any SUNY student who is a victim of a crime can immediately find on campus and off campus resources?

• How hard could that be?
Sexual Assault & Violence Response (SAVR)

A guide to building and managing online resources
One state, 64 campuses

• How do we best share the same safety resources among different, but similar, campus communities?
One webpage that provides information on Campus & Statewide Resources:

- Campus Resource Link
- Campus Counseling Center
- University Police
- Title IX Coordinator
- Statewide Counseling & Advocacy Hotlines
- State Law Enforcement
One webpage that provides information on Campus & Statewide Resources:

Selecting **Campus Resources** displays Campus Resources and nearby Off-Campus Resources.

Selecting **Off-Campus Resources** uses Google mapping functions. Opens in a new window and maps by street address.
One webpage that allows users to obtain information for any location:

Shows Off-Campus Resources based on location (detected or entered) in list output (organized by closest to furthest) or map output

- Geo-locator gives info to students traveling
One webpage that provides information on:

- International travel situations
- Student rights
- Confidential disclosures
One webpage that allows confidential access with immediate exit

• User history is not stored when exit button is clicked
• Allows optimal confidentially among users in need
Various technologies used help keep the page dynamic and streamlined.

- Bootstrap for responsive design
- Google Fusion Tables
- Google Maps API V3
- jQuery
- JackDougherty/fusion-point-polygon-list:
  - Open source searchable point and polygon layer map template using Google Fusion Tables
  - https://github.com/JackDougherty/fusion-point-polygon-list
Clicking “EXIT SITE” button activates `leaveSite` function, removing trace of page visit.

Hides body of site (shows blank page)
Replaces last object in browser history with `www.suny.edu`
Navigates to Google

<ESC> button also activates LeaveSite function
At the same time...

The VAWA reauthorization requires institutions to provide written notices to students and employees (and to student and employee victims) about “existing counseling, health, mental health, victim advocacy, legal assistance, **visa and immigration assistance**, student financial aid, and other services available for victims, both within the institution and in the community” (emphasis added).
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But what does that mean?
Visa and Immigration

• We reached out to immigration lawyers across the country.
• Two-page resource (plain language)
• Then we went beyond…

• Let’s look at the resource.
Questions & Answers

- http://system.suny.edu/sexual-violence-prevention-workgroup/
- http://savr.suny.edu