## **SVPT Meeting Minutes**

## 9/18/15

Attendees: Dena Kniess (CSD), Colton Janes (Student Programs), Dean Harwood (F/S Programs), Adam Due (UPD), Heather Dragoo (OCR), Heather Webb (Student Standards), Shirmeen Almad (Student Government), Marita Gronnvoll (Women's Studies), Jody Stone (housing), Melany Zwilling (Herc), Amanda Harvey (HERC), and Lindsay Wilson (Counseling Center)

- I. Outreach plans for fall were discussed
  - a. Webpage front page is updated. Webpage has "It's on Us" video and link to take the pledge. Individuals are encouraged to take the pledge.
  - b. Consent presentation is growing and doing well. Some interns, GA's and other students have been trained to assist with this presentation. Many requests coming such as UF classes, Trio, Gateway, RSO's. Will be reaching out to Departments and faculty to try to push this presentation into Spring semester as well. Other ideas are welcomed!
  - c. The new faculty power point created by Lindsay Wilson was added to the Counseling Center webpage and to the New Employee website. This power point has information on the Counseling center and assisting students in distress but also has a large portion devoted to sexual violence, reporting and responding.
  - d. It's On Us-This campaign is continuing and student body government is really taking the reins on this campaign. SBG already has many ideas brainstormed and will continue working with Lindsay, Amanda, and numerous other groups to be visual on campus. An upcoming workshop, combines bystander intervention and It's on Us. The first of these workshops is scheduled for Oct 7th at 6pm in the Martinsville room.
  - e. There has been some contact with fraternity/sorority program graduate advisors, encouraging consideration of receiving such presentations/education, but also on becoming involved or assisting with such efforts.
  - f. Last year, Anne Thibault, assisted in putting together a play/skit regarding sexual assault as another means at raising awareness. Anne and Lindsay have been in contact as this may be possible for Spring.
  - g. Bystander intervention has three upcoming workshops scheduled. The first one is the bystander and "It's on Us," combination that will be presented by Lindsay and Amanda. It is Oct 7<sup>th</sup> at 6pm in Martinsville room. The other two are Oct 20<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Effingham room and Nov 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:30 in the Martinsville Room.
- II. SACIS-Take back the Day 5K is Sept 26th 8am
- III. Opening Night- What went well and what changes could be beneficial were explored. Likes: the changes to the content and how it was more focused, those that had access to a computer/projector liked to be able to show the video, those that had classroom settings or auditoriums felt audience was more attentive

Continued Improvement Suggestions/Ideas: try to coordinate across campus so that other mandatory meetings aren't scheduled at the same time; could turn into workshops; offer to summer institute at beginning of summer so they have it from the beginning of their time here; capture other groups that come earlier such as band, athletes, gateway; could it be turned workshops scheduled at various times that students sign up for, while tracking to make certain all new students attend;

could this workshop also be mandatory for spring semester too; offer this to graduate students and international students as well; Could it be a part of the life skills programming for athletics and could PanHellenic assist to reach Greek

IV. Opening night will continue to be on the agenda to continue these conversations. April will also be added to the upcoming agenda so planning can begin now.

Next meeting is Oct 16th 11am in the Martinsville Room