

## **Safety and Security Department Message**

Pace University Safety and Security Department (sometimes referred to as "Safety and Security" or "Campus Security") works diligently to create and maintain a safe campus environment for students, faculty, staff and visitors.

The University provides 24 hours a day, 365 day per year security presence on each campus. All uniformed security personnel are independently contracted through experienced third-party security providers and receive mandatory pre-employment training in accordance with state laws. They also receive additional in-service training on a monthly basis.

In addition to the contracted security officers, there is a full-time cadre of Pace personnel. This Safety and Security staff consists of the University Executive Director, Director (NYC), Assistant Director (Westchester), five Security Managers, five Security Coordinators, Administrative Assistant and two Locksmiths.

Safety protocols on all campuses include, but are not limited to; security patrols, card access readers, closed circuit cameras, emergency call boxes, security escorts and the PaceSafe app. In addition, we work closely with the department of Emergency Management and Environmental Health and Safety, which is responsible for the coordination of emergency response and continuity planning. We have established a cross campus Safety Advisory Committee composed of representatives from the student, faculty and staff councils, along with administrative staff. The Safety Advisory Committee, which meets monthly, was created to guide the development and implementation of new initiatives, hear community concerns regarding safety and security, and review current campus security policies and procedures and make recommendations for their improvement.

All members of the Safety and Security team are committed to our students' success and take great pride in their accomplishments while at Pace and upon graduation.

For more information on the Safety and Security Department and the services offered, visit our website at [www.pace.edu/security-emergency-management](http://www.pace.edu/security-emergency-management). We also invite you to contact us with questions, concerns and suggestions at (914) 773-3700 or [security@pace.edu](mailto:security@pace.edu).

Sincerely,

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