Campus Safety Day 2018

The Office of Emergency Management is excited to announce our 2018 Campus Safety Day schedule! This year, the Campus Safety Day for the Marietta Campus will be on Thursday September 6th, and the Kennesaw Campus will host a Campus Safety Day on October 9th. Both will be on the respective campus green, and lasting from 11 am to 2 pm. Please save the date for these exciting events, as we are looking forward to having you in attendance.
USSS Report on Active Shooters

In March of this year the United States Secret Service published an important document entitled, "Enhancing School Safety Using a Threat Assessment Model: An Operational Guide for Preventing Targeted School Violence." Highlights of the document include a background of the 2017 perpetrators:

- Nearly half were motivated by a personal grievance
- Over half had histories of criminal charges, mental health symptoms and/or illicit substance use or abuse
- All had at least one significant stressor within in the last five years, and over half had indications of financial instability in that time frame

PrepTalks are designed to spread new ideas, spark conversation, and promote innovative leadership for the issues confronting emergency managers now and over the next 20 years. Each PrepTalk release includes videos of the presentations and the question-and-answer (Q&A) sessions, a Discussion Guide to support local action, and additional resources. PrepTalks Discussion Guides are companion documents to the PrepTalk videos. When used together, these guides help translate the research and expertise showcased in each presentation into action steps to improve disaster preparedness. Approximately a dozen PrepTalks are now available at [https://www.fema.gov/preptalks](https://www.fema.gov/preptalks).
There are a lot of wonderful things happening at KSU, and as president and chief ambassador, it is my job to make sure that we are no longer the best kept secret in Georgia. But, we also have some challenges that we must face together. We must set our priorities and find the opportunities to transform Kennesaw State, and that starts with our students. So, I challenge each of you, before you make any decision, before you put forth any new idea, ask yourself, “how will it benefit our students?” (July 16, 2018).

Dr. Whitten
Welcome Shelby!

Shelby Deas is the new Fall Semester Public Health Intern in the Office of Emergency Management. In fact, she's the first public health intern OEM has ever sponsored! Typically OEM hosts communications and criminal justice interns, but during the Fall Semester the public health intern will gain experience in a wide range of areas, including: assisting with the Strategic National Stockpile Point of Dispensing (POD) planning, creating public health outreach materials, working with KSU Student Health Service flu clinics, assisting with the Stop the Bleed initiative, assisting with Campus Safety Days, researching public health issues relating to a university environment and inventoring public health equipment and supplies within the department. Simply providing OEM with the student perspective will be of great value. Shelby is scheduled to graduate with a Bachelor of Science degree in Public Health in December 2019. Please welcome Shelby when you see her!
## August OEM Calendar

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- **July 5**: Radio Check and Siren Test
- **July 7**: Vulcan Quarry Tour
- **July 12**: Basic Crisis Coordinator Class
- **July 19**: Bleeding Control Kennesaw Campus
- **July 26**: Bleeding Control Marietta Campus

### Additional Information:
- **Register on OwlTrain**: [Register on OwlTrain](#)
- **Email Andy if you have questions**: andy.alitzer@kennesaw.edu

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**Bleeding Control Training in August**

9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
Friday, August 3, Kennesaw Campus
Friday, August 10, Marietta Campus
Friday, August 17, Kennesaw Campus
Friday, August 24, Marietta Campus
Friday, August 31, Kennesaw Campus

**STOP THE BLEED**

**SAVE A LIFE**

Bleeding Control Basic (BCon) Course
Learn the Basics of Bleeding Control

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**Kennesaw State University**
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Office of Emergency Management
HOW WILL I KNOW IF CAMPUS IS OPEN, CLOSED OR DELAYED?

Check the following resources to determine whether the University is open, closed or delayed due to inclement weather.

**Web:**
www.kennesaw.edu
oem.kennesaw.edu

**The Campus Advisory Page**
www.kennesaw.edu/advisories

**Twitter**
www.twitter.com/kennesawstate
www.twitter.com/ksuoem

**Facebook**
www.facebook.com/KennesawStateUniversity
www.facebook.com/kennesawstateOEM

**Local Media Outlets**
www.cbs46.com
www.wsbtv.com

On Campus emergencies call: (470) 578-6666
Off Campus emergencies call: 911
Non-emergencies call: (470) 578-6206

*Personal safety should always be #1. If you do not feel safe to travel, don’t.*

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