**Event Information**

- **Title:** Working with Distressed and Distressing Individuals (for faculty)
- **Date:** 2011-09-06
- **Time:** 02:00PM - 03:30PM
- **Location:** L147
- **Instructor:** Kirsten Gabriel Olson, Ph.D.
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**Description:**

It is now widely acknowledged that potential for incidents of violence on any college campus exists and thus efforts are focused on increasing campus safety. This workshop is designed to assist faculty as they develop their knowledge and skills regarding distressed students and include facilitating participants' understanding of factors that can contribute to disruptive and potentially dangerous behavior. Useful information about how to handle these types of dynamic situations will be emphasized. The presentation will include both didactic and interactive components intended to review realistic scenarios. Written materials and recommendations will be provided for immediate use and application. (All employees are welcomed to attend but in order to provide more focused dialogue, examples and discussion will be focused on scenarios more commonly encountered by faculty.)