This communication is prepared as part of the Timely Warning requirement of the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act of 1990. This federal law requires a general communication to the campus community of all crimes reported to campus or local police departments that may pose a threat to the campus community. Such reports shall be provided to students and employees in a manner that is timely and that may aid in the prevention of similar occurrences.

On 23 October 2007 at approximately 1:15 PM an anonymous report came to the University Police of a male engaging in suspicious and possibly alarming activity in the area of the Student Memorial Center. The original report indicated a white male, in his late 20’s or early 30’s, wearing a blue baseball hat, a blue plaid shirt, tan cargo pants, on a black bike, was riding around the building placing his finger and thumb in a manner to simulate a gun next to his head. University Police responded and searched the area with negative results.

Since the original report was received numerous contacts have been made with the University Police indicating the man entered the building and a computer lab, simulating a gun with his hand. Some reports have changed the race of the man to a black male; one report even indicated the unknown subject had a gun.

The purpose of this communication is to ask that any member of the campus community that actually saw the above noted individual contact the University Police at 872.3433 and ask to speak to an officer. Additionally, members of the campus community are urged to contact the police immediately when any suspicious acts are observed. Make sure you remember to program your cellular phone with the University Police emergency number of 717.872.3911.