

THE MIDWEST *campus safety summit*



Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit Report

On April 5th & 6th, 2017, Jana's Campaign hosted the Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit (MCSS) on the campus of Ball State University in Muncie, IN. Nearly 100 participants representing 9 states and 34 universities and organizations attended the Summit, departing with expanded knowledge, inspiration, and resolve to incorporate what they learned into their daily lives on their campuses.

Concept

The Midwest Campus Safety Summit was conceived as a regional and affordable two-day workshop for college and university administrators, faculty, staff and students for the purpose of providing guidance and important knowledge about preventing and responding to gender and relationship violence. The Midwest Campus Safety Summit was designed to host national experts, and encourage the sharing of best practices among participants. The Summit recruited key campus stakeholders from the states of Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, and West Virginia



Anne Munch, J.D, keynote speaker, former prosecutor, and gender-based violence subject matter expert, speaks to MCSS attendees about sexual assault.

Desired Outcomes

At the Summit, campus leaders were encouraged to develop a team of key campus stakeholders to create a comprehensive and integrated approach to preventing and responding to gender-based violence at their institutions. The Summit's ultimate goal is to transform area colleges and universities to:

- prevent abusive behaviors by engaging faculty, staff and students in promoting healthy relationships;
- ensure that the institution is prepared to respond promptly and effectively to incidents and reports of violence when they do occur; and
- ultimately to change campus norms so that campus members hold themselves and each other to respectful and non-violent standards of interpersonal behavior.



Dr. Kimberly Dickman delivers a keynote address on working together as a campus to reduce gender and relationship violence

Speakers and Topics

The Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit hosted two nationally-renowned keynote speakers along with 23 other experts and practitioners in the realm of campus safety. See the chart below for a full list of presenters and topics.

Speakers	Topics
Anne Munch, J.D, Former Prosecutor and Gender-Based Violence Subject Matter Expert	Keynote: Sexual Assault; Naming the Unnamed Conspirator
Kimberly Dickman, PhD, Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Analyst, United States Air Force Academy	Keynote: It Takes a Campus
Mellisa Holtzman, Professor of Sociology, Ball State University	<i>Elemental: An Evidence-Based Sexual Assault Protection Program</i>
Hayley Hanson, Partner, Husch Blackwell	<i>Clery Compliance: How Your Institution Can Avoid the Most Common Clery Fines</i>
Curt Brungardt, Co-Founder Jana’s Campaign, Inc.	<i>The Campus Men’s Action Network: Engaging Men to Prevent Gender Violence</i>
Caryn Burton, Training Coordinator, Indiana Coalition Against Domestic Violence	<i>Creating Collaboration with Local Advocates</i>
Mellisa Holtzman, Professor of Sociology, Ball State University	<i>New Developments in Sexual Assault Prevention Efforts: Why Primary Prevention and Risk Reduction Matter</i>
Tiffany Peters, Assistant Dean of Students/Title IX Investigator, Katie Slabaugh, Associate Dean of Students/Title IX Coordinator, Chief Jim Duckham, University Police, Detective Ryan Pokorny, University Police, Allison Wynbissinger, Victim Advocate, Ball State University	<i>A Collaborative Institutional Mode for Investigating Campus Sexual Violence</i>
Shane Gibbons and Elisabeth Romines Latino, Staff Therapists, University of Cincinnati	<i>Same Goal, Different Methods: What Campus Mental Health Professionals Want You to Know About Supporting Survivors of Sexual Assault.</i>
Kimberly Dickman, Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Analyst, United States Air Force Academy	<i>Deep Dive with Keynote Speaker Kimberly Dickman</i>
Matt Lahey, General Counsel; Heather Ryan, Deputy Title IX Coordinator; Ryan Willerton, Office of Community Standards; Christine Caron Gebhardt, Director of Gender Relations Center, University of Notre Dame	<i>Beyond Compliance: Doing the Right Thing by Our Students</i>
Bailee Weaver, Bailey Loughlin and Thomas Lucas, Students, Ball State University	<i>Peer Victim Advocate Team- Students Supporting Survivors of Trauma</i>
Maria D. Moreno, Advocate for the Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program, U.S Air Force Academy	<i>Sexual Assault Victim Advocacy at Military Service Academy: A Delicate Balance</i>
Curt Brungardt, Jana’s Campaign Inc.	<i>Man2Man: A Conversation with Men About Gender Violence</i>

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Assessment Data

Jana's Campaign collected and reviewed thorough evaluations of the Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit from attendees. The "Summit Overall" rating averaged at 4.4/5 points. A small selection of comments from participants on initial thoughts and reactions after the Summit include the following:

"Lots of work to do – but energized!"

"Very well done. Great Value"

"Meets me where I'm at; acknowledges expertise then pushes it forward"

"I have definitely gained valuable information to take back to my college"

"The Keynotes were phenomenal and so inspiring, especially regarding heavy topics"

"Great opportunity for professional development and connecting with schools in our region"

Additionally, comments from participants in response to the question, "What actions do you plan on taking as a result of this conference?" include the following:

"One thing for sure is that I will reconsider the way prevention work is handled on my campus"

"Strengthen programs within my university and build peer advocates"

"Assessing what we do on our campus to see what more I can do from my role"

"Redefining our process and policies for Title IX"

Jana’s Campaign is proud that attendees had overwhelmingly positive experiences at the Summit, and even prouder that participants are returning to their daily lives on their college campuses with new information and jumpstarted resolve to create safer campuses.

Universities and Organizations in Attendance

A total of 83 Summit participants came from an astounding diversity of location: 9 states and 34 organizations were represented, averaging 2-3 people from each institution. Represented university constituencies include: campus safety officers, law enforcement officers, residential life coordinators, academic department professors, and Title IX coordinators, to name a few.

Schools, Offices, and Organizations Represented at the Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit by State

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Colorado	Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College	Missouri
Anne Munch Consulting	STANLEY Security	Husch Blackwell
Jana’s Campaign, Colorado Office	University of Notre Dame	Ohio
US Air Force Academy	University of Southern Indiana	Bowling Green State University
Illinois	Kansas	Central State University
Concordia University Chicago	Fort Hays State University	Franciscan University of Steubenville
Indiana	Kentucky	Mercy College of Ohio
Anderson University	Berea College	Miami University
Ball State University	Midway University	Oberlin College
Hanover College	Morehead State University	University of Cincinnati
Indiana Coalition against Domestic Violence	Michigan	Wisconsin
Indiana State University	Baker College of Owosso	Edgewood College
Indiana Wesleyan University	Grand Valley State University	Marquette University
Ivy Tech Community College Northeast	Lake Superior State University	

Summary

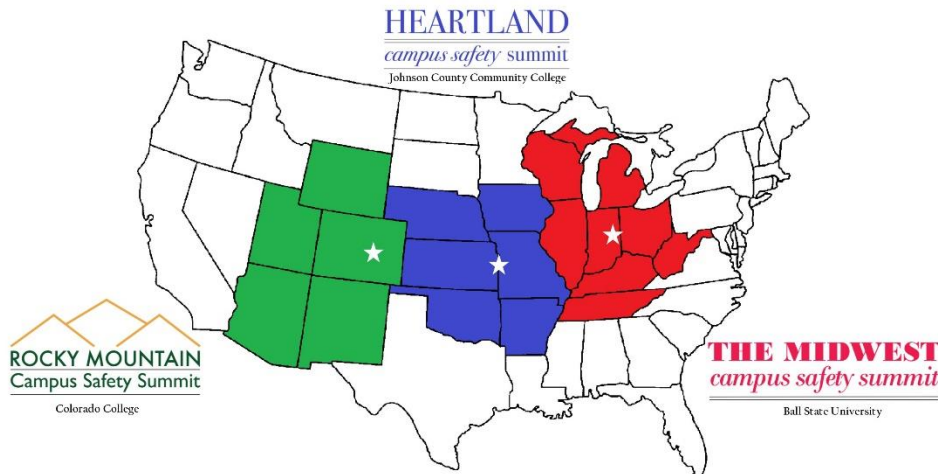
Jana's Campaign believes that the impact of the Midwest Campus Safety Summit on college campuses in the region will only increase as partnerships within the region grow stronger and the positive reputation of the Summit expands. Jana's Campaign looks forward to hosting the Midwest Campus Safety Summit for years to come and to witnessing the measured impact of the Summit as our nation's college campuses become safer environments for all students.



States represented at the Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit

Regional Campus Safety Summits

Jana's Campaign has expanded the model of the Heartland Campus Safety Summit to include both the Rocky Mountain and Midwest Campus Safety Summits. The Inaugural Midwest Campus Safety Summit, along with four Heartland Campus Safety Summits and our inaugural Rocky Mountain Safety Summit, have welcomed a total of 1,066 participants from 252 colleges, universities, and organizations in 34 states. The second annual Rocky Mountain Campus Safety Summit will be held on June 7-8, 2017 and the fifth annual Heartland Campus Safety Summit will be held on November 15-16, 2017.



States targeted by each Jana's Campaign Regional Campus Safety Summit

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