

(Planner) UBC Nightlife/Party/Event Safe Spaces Survey

Hi there!

My name is Michaela Basciano, and I am the Internal Director for The Calendar at UBC. I am also a student consultant and advocate for the Sexual Violence Prevention & Response Office (SVPRO).

I am conducting this survey for two primary reasons:

- 1) I'm doing a research report for one of my summer courses on a topic I'm very passionate about, and
- 2) I'm hoping to use some of this data as a part of my work at The Calendar and SVPRO to make tangible changes at our university in regard to nightlife / party / event safety.

This survey is for those of you who may be a part of a group that plans large events or parties on campus. Some examples include, but are not limited to: The Calendar, The Plug, AMS Events, UBC Ski & Board, the Greek System. The survey is 4 sections, all multiple choice and check boxes with the exception of optional elaboration questions. Your responses are voluntary and anonymous.

If you would like to answer the survey as a non-planner, you can find that survey here: [\[Link\]](#).

For the purposes of breaking down education summaries, if you are affiliated with more than one group, you can either answer this survey more than once, or answer the first question with the group where you devote most of your time.

I appreciate and thank you for your participation.

If you have any questions, concerns, or would like to read up on my research proposal before answering this survey, please do not hesitate to contact me at michbasc@gmail.com, or message me on Facebook if you know me personally.

Section 1 – General Information

1.1. I am a part of... (Multiple Choice)

- The Calendar
- The Plug
- AMS Events
- The Greek System
- UBC Ski & Board
- CVC

UBC BSU
Generocksity
Another AMS Affiliated Club
Prefer not to say
Other...

1.2. I am going into my... (Multiple Choice)

Second Year
Third Year
Fourth Year
Fifth Year
Other...

1.3. I identify as... (Multiple Choice)

Female
Male
Non-binary
Prefer not to say
Other...

1.4. A majority of our events are hosted at... (Checkboxes)

Koerner's Pub
The Pit
The Great Hall
The ESC
The Fraternity Village
Off campus
Other...

1.5. If you answered, "Off campus", please briefly elaborate. (Checkboxes)

We are unable to book space on campus because of our group status.
We are unable to book space on campus for financial reasons.
We just prefer off campus venues & vibes.
Other...

Section 2 – Events & Parties

2.1. The majority of our events have the presence of alcohol. (Multiple Choice)

Yes
Yes, but not sure I would say the majority.
No
We never have alcohol present at our events.
Other...

2.2. Our events, on average, have the following number of attendees (team included):
(Multiple Choice)

- 1-50
- 50-100
- 100-200
- 200-300
- 300+

2.3. I believe that students feel safe at our events. (Multiple Choice)

- Strongly disagree
- Disagree
- Neutral
- Agree
- Strongly agree
- Prefer not to say

2.4. I believe that students feel welcome at our events. (Multiple Choice)

- Strongly disagree
- Disagree
- Neutral
- Agree
- Strongly agree
- Prefer not to say

2.5. Our team is actively looking for ways to improve in order to ensure the safety, wellness, and happiness of all our attendees. (Multiple Choice)

- Strongly disagree
- Disagree
- Neutral
- Agree
- Strongly agree
- Prefer not to say

Section 3 – Training & Education

3.1. Since being a part of my team, I have received the following education/training/workshops... (Checkboxes)

- Sexual Assault Intervention & Prevention Training (by GNO or SVPRO & The Wellness Centre)
- Sexual Assault Prevention & Awareness Training (by SASC)
- Sexual Assault Disclosure Training (by SASC or SVPRO)
- CPR & First Aid Training
- Naloxone Training
- Healthier Masculinities Workshop

None
Other...

3.2. I have learned about the following topics in some sort of capacity.... (Checkboxes)

Consent culture
Rape culture
Safe & inclusive spaces
Substance use safety
Bystander intervention
Harm reduction
Internalized myths & privileges
Tools & strategies for safe events
None

3.3. Would you be able to describe the topics you checked off to another person if asked?
(Multiple Choice)

Yes, confidently
Yes, but not in great detail
Some of them, but not all
No
Other...

3.4. On which topics do you think your team could benefit from more education? Where would you like to see your team improve? (Checkboxes)

Consent culture
Rape culture
Safe & inclusive spaces
Substance use safety
Bystander intervention
Harm reduction
Internalized myths & privileges
Tools & strategies for safe events
Nowhere; we're good
Other...

3.5. Our team already actively does the following to promote and execute safe events.
(Checkboxes)

- Has a Code of Conduct and/or Sexual Assault & Safety Policy for our team and all events.
- Has security present at all events.
- Has the First Aid Student Team (FAST) or St. John's Ambulance present at events.
- Gender neutral washrooms at venue.
- Prohibits music created by known perpetrators of harm and/or assault (e.g. R. Kelly).
- Prohibits performing artists (DJs included) known for perpetrating harm.
- Prohibits music with lyrics that trivializes consent (e.g. "Blurred Lines")

- Yearly training and education from SVPRO, SASC, and/or Wellness Centre, etc.
- Prohibits sexualized, suggestive, and harmful messaging in our marketing material (this includes branding, event descriptions & themes, and all other forms of public relations).
- Has an active feedback email, box, or function on our website or social media for people to leave anonymous feedback.
- Has a designated person or group from our team at each event to assist in any situations.
- Our team currently doesn't do any of the above listed.

3.6. Add anything we may have been missed... (Short Answer)

3.7. Which of the following would you like to see your team carry out (i.e. we don't currently do this, but I'd like us to)... (Checkboxes)

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- Have a designated person or group from our team at each event to assist in any situations.
- Our team already does all of the above listed.
- Other...

3.8. If your team has a Code of Conduct and/or Sexual Assault & Safety Policy, is it available to the public? (Multiple Choice)

Yes

No

Unsure

N/A – we do not have one.

N/A – we are in the middle of crafting one.

Section 4 – The Final Section

4.1. Do you think it's a good idea for event and party planning groups on campus to receive mandatory yearly training on the topics discussed in this survey? **(Multiple Choice)**

Yes

No

Maybe

Unsure

4.2. If you answered anything but "Yes", please elaborate. **(Long Answer)**

4.3. Would you be in favour of a mandatory training for these groups in order to have events on campus? **(Multiple Choice)**

Yes

No

Maybe

Unsure

4.4. If you answered anything but "Yes", please elaborate. **(Long Answer)**

4.5. Do you think your team would be willing to pay for yearly training? **(Multiple Choice)**

Yes

Yes, but there is a limit we would need to consider

No, training should be provided for free

Maybe; it depends on the training/workshop in question

Maybe; it depends on who is giving the training/workshop in question

Other...

4.6. Additional comments? **(Short Answer)**