Campus Safety Department Public Safety Advisory:
Suspicious Person: Bennink Residence Hall on 1-15-2017

Incident Information:

At 2:45 a.m. on Sunday, January 15, 2017, the Campus Safety Department was notified of a suspicious male who had been knocking on a female student’s residence hall door in Bennink Hall at 2:00 a.m. on the same date. According to the complainant, the suspect had attempted to enter her room in an effort to locate an unknown friend to the suspect. When the complainant opened their door, the suspect attempted to push his way into the room. The complainant along with another student pushed the suspect out of the doorway, and convinced them their friend did not live in the room. The suspect left the floor. The complainant did not know the suspect or where he went once he left.

Suspect Information:

The suspect is described as a white male in his early 20's. He was at least 6 feet tall and had a muscular build. His face had defined, prominent cheek bones. He also had light blond hair that was short on the sides and spiked up the middle on the top front of his head. The suspect was wearing sneakers of unknown color and possibly blue jeans. He was also possibly wearing a sweatshirt of unknown color. He was carrying a cellphone with a green case. The complainant described the suspect as appearing to be intoxicated in some way as he had a blank stare, slurred speech and seemed very distracted.

Recommendation:

Be sure to lock the doors to your residence hall room and encourage roommates and suitemates to do the same when you leave your room or when you are sleeping. If you see anyone walking on the floor or attempting to enter a room who does not belong there, contact Campus Safety immediately at 526-6751. If you wish to report suspicious activity by an individual and want to remain anonymous, you can contact Silent Observer at 774-2345 or by e-mail at http://www.silentobserver.org/ or by texting to CRIMES (274637) include keyword Tip138 in the message.