

Harassment, Inappropriate Behavior, and Other Climate Concerns

Who to contact if you have witnessed or been subject to harassment or other inappropriate behavior

1. Reporting options - who can you ask for help?

- * Philosophy Department HIPPO (Helpful Interpersonal Point Person): Jessica Moss (jessica.moss@nyu.edu, room 305, 212 998-3830)
- * Department Chair, Rob Hopkins (robert.hopkins@nyu.edu, room 503, 212 992-8300)
- * Director of Graduate Studies, Anja Jauernig (anja.jauernig@nyu.edu, room 607, 212 998-3676)
- * Director of Undergraduate Studies, David Velleman (jdvelleman@nyu.edu, room 307, 212 992-9654)
- * Climate Committee Chairs or Members (info below)
- * NYU Public Safety: 212 998-2222
- * NYU Office of Equal Opportunity: Mary Signor (mary.signor@nyu.edu, 726 Broadway, 7th floor, 212 998-2352), specifically for issues of discrimination, sexual harassment, and sexual assault

The individuals and offices listed above will maintain your privacy to the extent reasonably possible, but if you tell them about an incident of discrimination or harassment, they are obligated to report it to Mary Signor, who is the OEO (Office of Equal Opportunity) Executive Director and NYU's Title IX Coordinator. Mary will then contact you (or the subject of harassment or discrimination) and ask if you (or that person) would like to file a formal complaint. There will be no obligation or pressure to do so. Typically, except in cases in which there may be a danger to the community or where there is a pattern of discriminatory conduct, the process can stop there if you choose: no further steps will be taken without your consent.

2. Confidential Resources

- * NYU Wellness Exchange (counseling): 212 443-9999

You can discuss an incident of harassment or discrimination confidentially with counselors at the Wellness Exchange. This means that the information you disclose will not be shared with others without your consent subject to limited exceptions including when there is an imminent threat of harm to self or others.

If you have other concerns, questions, or suggestions about the academic and social climate in the department, please contact any member of the Climate Committee:

Kwame Anthony Appiah, Jane Friedman, Jessica Moss, John Richardson (faculty members)
Banafsheh Beizaei, Caroline Bowman, Annette Martin, Heather Whitney (student members)