

PLANO CAMPUS AWARE

May 21, 2013

An SMU student reported that at about 9:55 p.m. Thursday, May 16, 2013, she was followed from the SMU-in-Plano campus by a man in an older model gray-blue Ford pickup truck. He followed her from the campus to the North Dallas Tollway, where she was able to lose him.

She reported that she had previously seen the man with two other males as she was leaving Building 3 after her class. She said she left the building alone and when they saw her, one male went one way toward the pickup and the other two males went in another direction. She described the men as Hispanic, in their early 30s, clean-cut and each about 5-feet, 8-inches tall.

Anyone with information about this matter is asked to contact the SMU Police Department at 214-768-3333. Information also may be reported anonymously through the SMU Police Department's Silent Witness Program at 214-SMU-2TIP or online at <http://www.smu.edu/2tip>

Safety Tips

- Always be aware of your surroundings.
- Avoid walking alone, especially at night.
- If you see or hear anything suspicious, call 911 immediately.
- If you want an escort to your car from a campus building, call the Plano Campus Security Guard* at 972-880-5087.
- If you are the victim of a crime, call 911 or the Plano Police Department at 972-424-5678. Time is of the essence in such situations.

*NOTE: The Plano Campus Security Guard is typically on duty weekdays (Mon-Fri) from 12 noon to 1:00 am; on most Saturdays from 2:00 pm to 1:00 am; and on selected Sundays from 7:30 am to 5:15 pm when classes are held.