

ASSU Executive Cabinet Sexual Violence Prevention & Title IX

The Sexual Violence Prevention & Title IX Issue Area exists to work with students, administration, and faculty to advocate for and improve sexual violence prevention at Stanford and to provide opportunities for students to engage with the topic. We have two co-leads, Lauren Schlansky, a junior, and Rachel Green, a first-year law student.

Previous students in this position have worked to institute the Stanford Anti-Violence Educators (SAVE) program. This program includes peer-led workshop designed to teach students about sexual health, consent, interpersonal violence prevention by giving them the tools for navigating sexual relationships. This program is 90-minutes and is directed at new undergraduates. Previous students also created a mini-grant program run through the ASSU that gives students the opportunity to spearhead their own project related to sexual violence prevention and receive up to \$1K in funding for it.

This year, we have four primary focuses:

1. We are working to purchase and stock a vending machine with Plan B products available for all students.
2. We are working with various offices to better understand and improve the training provided to faculty and students on sexual violence prevention and consent, and the training provided to the panelists who determine Title IX cases of sexual violence.
3. We are hoping to offer at least one event open to all students to engage with the topic of sexual violence prevention.
4. In general, we are hoping to continue speaking with and working with administration and staff to address student concerns about the adjudication process, the Campus Climate Survey, and other aspects of sexual violence prevention and response at Stanford.