

University Ombuds

Office of Advocacy

Yes	Student concerns	Yes
Yes	Employee concerns	No
Yes	Informal	Yes
No	Formal	Yes
No	Advocates for visitors	Yes
Yes	Advocates for fair process	Yes
Yes	Neutral/Impartial mediation services	No
Yes	Conflict management education	No

The Office of Advocacy protects and supports Oregon State University students' rights and empowers their voices. The responsibility of our office is to research issues prominent in student life at Oregon State University. The Office of Advocacy collaborates with Oregon State administration, various OSU departments, student-led groups, and within ASOSU itself to offer support and guidance for every student. The Office of Advocacy functions as a member of ASOSU. We are a Safe Space. We are confidential. We advocate.



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The University Ombuds Office promotes a civil and inclusive campus community by providing informal, impartial, and confidential* conflict management services to all members of the Oregon State University community. The responsibility of our office is to listen to your concerns, value diverse perspectives, help you explore options for resolution, provide facilitation or mediation services when appropriate, and remain impartial to all parties involved. The University Ombuds Office functions independently and provides a safe place to share your concerns.

**Confidentiality cannot be promised in matters relating to serious crime or child abuse, if there is imminent risk of serious harm or if compelled by a court of law. Speaking with an Ombuds does not constitute legal notice to the University of any problem, concern or complaint. You must pursue alternative complaint avenues if you wish to obligate the University to respond in any way. The Ombuds has no duty or responsibility to report incidents to any person or authority, other than as described above.*

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