

## Information about Sex Offenders

In accordance to the Campus Sex Crimes Prevention Act of 2000, which amends the Jacob Wetterling Crimes Against Children and Sexually Violent Offender Registration Act, the Jeanne Clery Act and the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, Missouri Baptist University is providing a link to the Missouri State Sex Offender Registry. All sex offenders are required to register in the State of Missouri and to provide notice to each institution of higher education in Missouri at which the person is employed, carries a vocation, or is a student.

The Missouri Public Sexual Offender Registry can be found here:

<https://www.mshp.dps.missouri.gov/MSHPWeb/PatrolDivisions/CRID/SOR/SORPage.html>.

Students are encouraged to check their local addresses to familiarize themselves with the location and identity of any sex offenders in their vicinity.

In addition to the above notice to the State of Missouri, all sex offenders are required to deliver written notice of their status as a sex offender to the university no later than ninety (90) calendar days prior to their enrollment in, employment with, volunteering at, attending public programs at, or residence at Calvin University.

For students, notice of sex offender status must be directed to: Dr. Benjamin Lion, Vice President & Dean of Students at [Benjamin.lion@mobap.edu](mailto:Benjamin.lion@mobap.edu).

For university employees, vendors, or guests of the university, notice of sex offender status must be directed to: Steve Heidke, Director of Public Safety at [Steven.Heidke@mobap.edu](mailto:Steven.Heidke@mobap.edu).

Such notification may be disseminated by Missouri Baptist University to, and for the safety and well-being of, the Missouri Baptist University community, and may be considered by Missouri Baptist University in decisions regarding a student's continued enrollment or residence on campus, and the University may decide to refer the student for University student conduct action. Upon notice of sex offender status, the University will review the facts in evidence and make a decision on a case by case basis regarding the student's status, matriculation, enrollment, or residence on campus. The University may impose appropriate limitations upon a registered sex offender enrolled or employed on campus.