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Dear City Council Members:

Two years ago I came to a public meeting to inform the council that I had been persecuted into homelessness by the faculty & administration of Pace University in New York. The persecution involved a large number of organizations and individuals in Washington, DC, Arlington, VA, and McLean, VA. Over the last two years a number of entities in Alexandria, VA have also become involved in the persecution. Here is a list of all the organizations and individuals that are obsessed with raping my privacy:

Giant Food (Old Town - First St. and Mark Center - Beauregard St.)

Dan Whittler (First St. - Store Manager)  
Lina Sopiene (First St. - Customer Service Manager)  
Linda Koch (First St. - Front End Manager)

David Posey (Mark Center - Store Manager)  
Haniff (Mark Center - Front End Manager)  
Denny (Mark Center - Assistant Front End Manager)

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Rev. Dennis Kleinmann  
Rev. John De Celles  
Rev. Robert L. Ruskamp  
Rev. Jean Claude Atusameso

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church

Rev. John C. Cregan

Mary Queen of Apostle Catholic Church

Rev. Thomas P. Vander Woude

Old Town School for Dogs

Carlos Mejias

Holiday Inn (Old Town - First St.)

Derwin  
Michael

I have included other documents for your review that will help explain why I was and am still being persecuted. Thank you for taking the time to listen to me and allowing me to file a complaint with the city of Alexandria.

Regards,



Christopher Koepfel

FYI

Please take the time to read the message below and then Contact Susan Smee at The American Association of University Professors at 202-737-5900. Urge the AAUP to permanently ban all the faculty and administration (from teaching) at Pace University, American University, Georgetown University, and George Washington University that persecuted me into homelessness for my political & religious beliefs (Conservative Republican, Roman Catholic, and Pro USA). The persecution was a deliberate attempt to destroy my livelihood, tarnish my identity, and thoroughly invade my privacy. To see just how insecure the Pace faculty & admin is about Pace's crappy reputation, check out the issue of Business Week (3<sup>rd</sup> Week of March 2006) where an article tries to make the case that a school's academic reputation doesn't matter (in regard to career success). If reputation didn't matter, there wouldn't be any prestige associated with certain schools!

The following message is directed at the following individuals:

Arthur Centonze (Pace University)

John Byrne (Pace University)

Randi Priluck (Pace University)

Mary Ellen Oliverio (Pace University)

David Caputo (Pace University)

Myron Roomkin (Case Western Reserve University-Former AU Dean of Kogod)

Ben Ladner (Former President of American University)

Neil Kerwin (Interim President of American University)

John DeGoia (President of Georgetown University)

Stephen Joel Trachtenberg (President of George Washington University)

I am still being harassed by you after more than four+ years. I know that all of you are behind the harassment. Because I complained about the harassment at American University, I have been banned from the campus. While I didn't see myself spending much time there in the future, it makes me really sick to see the lengths that all of you will go to to invade my privacy and take my life away from me. You are the most vindictive people I have ever met in my life!! I wish to take this opportunity to condemn you for your extremely unethical behavior. You are the essence of hypocrisy & dishonesty; the antithesis of the Roman Catholic faith. Someday if someone thoroughly invades your privacy, we will all know that you deserved every ounce of your personal violation. You are very sick and evil people!!

Chris

Dear Dir or Madam:

I am writing this letter to file a formal complaint of persecution against Ben Ladner, Neil Kerwin, Myron Roomkin, and the entire university senate. Since June of 2004, the individuals listed above have participated in blacklisting me from employment at American University, Georgetown University, and George Washington University. In addition, the aforementioned persons have literally followed me around the Washington, DC area by hiring a private investigator to track my whereabouts and talk about me behind my back to the staff and management of the various places I ventured (**formed a "NETWORK" of contacts with these people in order to constantly monitor me - ask**

other individuals to approach me, make various comments or engage in certain behavior, and then echo my responses back to Pace. Everything about my response (content, tone, body language) would be discussed and reviewed by Pace. Then another individual would approach me (react to the last encounter that I had) and the process would start all over again-day after day for nearly three years). As a result, my privacy has been thoroughly invaded at just about every place I have been to and my identity has been completely destroyed. Knowing that people are saying negative things of a personal nature about me to other people that I don't even know has left me feeling totally violated. Here is a list of all the businesses/organizations where I have had my privacy thoroughly invaded:

American University (all over campus including Bender Library, Bender Arena, Mary Graydon Student Center, Shuttle Bus Service, Campus Housing, Anderson Computer Lab, Law School library, Faculty in all schools/departments, All Administration)  
Ballston Common Mall (Food Court)  
Barnes & Noble Bookstores (Georgetown, Clarendon, Tysons Corner)  
Borders Books (Chevy Chase, L St., F St.)  
Bally's Fitness (Foggy Bottom, Pentagon Row)  
Booeymonger (Georgetown, Ballston)  
Arlington County Central Library  
Arlington County Library (Cherrydale, Columbia Pike, Crystal City, Shirlington)  
Arlington County Employment Center  
Arlington County 41 Bus Line  
Bertucci's Restaurant (Foggy Bottom, Clarendon, Dupont Circle)  
Staybridge Suites (McLean)  
Fairfax County Public Library (Tysons Pimmit Regional, Dolley Madison)  
Georgetown University (Lauinger Library)  
George Mason University (Arlington)  
George Washington University (Student Center)  
Marymount University (Reinsch Library, Campus Chapel)  
S. Jackson St. Residents (Dennis Boyle, Joe Stoner, Dusty Gulleson, Gutterman, Moplas)  
St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church  
St. Ann's Catholic Church  
St. Matthew's Cathedral  
St. Patrick's Church  
St. John's Church  
St. Thomas More Catholic Church  
Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church  
Church of the Annunciation  
Holy Trinity Catholic Church  
Church of the Blessed Sacrament (Chevy Chase, MD & Alexandria, VA)  
Church of the Epiphany  
Harris Teeter Supermarket (Pentagon Row, Glebe Rd.)  
Ireland's Four Courts Restaurant  
McLean Racquet & Health Club  
Safeway (Rosslyn, McLean, Watergate)  
Books A Million (McLean)  
Sport & Health Fitness (Ballston, Clarendon)  
Olsson's Books (Arlington)  
Boston Market (Arlington)  
Legal Seafoods (Foggy Bottom)  
Lindy's Red Lion Restaurant

AMC Movie Theater (Courthouse)  
Summers Restaurant  
Whitlow's on Wilson Restaurant  
Tyson's Corner Center Mall  
Lord & Taylor (Tyson's Corner)  
Coastal Flats Restaurant (Tyson's Corner)  
Gordon Biersch Brewery Restaurant (Tyson's Corner)  
Giant Supermarket (McLean)

The harassment has been so pervasive and persistent that I can no longer visit almost any of the above entities. The harassment mainly consists of the following types of behavior:

- Following me and talking about me behind my back all over Washington, DC and Northern Virginia.
- Monitoring Me (ask other individuals to approach me, make various comments or engage in certain behavior, and then echo my responses back to Pace. Everything about my response (content, tone, body language) would be discussed and reviewed by Pace. Then another individual would approach me and the process would start all over again-day after day for more than 4.5 years).
- Told individuals to engage in sexual/gay innuendo (staring, looking at me in a sexually suggestive manner, etc.) when they approached me.
- Thoroughly invaded my privacy all over the Washington, DC metropolitan area for more than 4.5 years.
- Contacted my employers and told my bosses to harass me and fire me (Bertucci's Ristorante - Dupont Circle, Staybridge Suites - McLean, Lord & Taylor - Tyson's Corner, Macerich/Tyson's Corner Center Mall, McLean Racquet & Health Club).
- Contacted potential employers and told them not to hire me (American University, Georgetown University, George Washington University).
- Contacted the management at Bally's Fitness (Foggy Bottom, Pentagon Row) and told the employees to harass me.
- Contacted Catholic priests in the Washington, DC area and told the priests to harass me to deter me from going to church.
- Contacted the staff at Fairfax County Public Library and told the staff to harass me and have me banned from Fairfax County Public Library.
- Contacted the staff at Arlington County Public Library, American University, Georgetown University, George Washington University, and Marymount University and told the staff to harass me and have me banned from those libraries.
- Contacted the American University administration and told the school to ban me from campus.

- Contacted Barnes & Noble in Georgetown and told the management to ban me from the store after I attempted to make a complaint to Yvonne, the then store manager, about the fact that I was being harassed. Yvonne literally told me that I had to leave the store and could not come back after I complained. Yvonne threatened to call 911 if I returned to the store.

My life has been turned upside down due to the fact that I have not been able to secure full time employment for more than five years after I graduated from business school due to the fact that I was blacklisted from employment at three Washington, DC universities in a bad job market, have had to change church's more than fifteen times, had to cancel my gym membership at Bally's, and have had my basic freedom and personal identity taken away from me due to other individuals being prejudiced against me. All of the above circumstances occurred because the AU administration decided that they needed to comply with the extremely vindictive behavior committed by the faculty and administration (namely Arthur Centonze, John Byrne, Randi Priluck, Mary Ellen Oliverio, and David Caputo) of Pace University in New York.

I am convinced that the American University administration is determined to sabotage my career, thoroughly invade my privacy, and destroy my Catholic faith. Thus, I find the behavior of the senior American University administration to be totally unconscionable. I now request that the Human Resources department at AU work with me to organize a campus wide Catholic protest against the senior AU administration. There is absolutely no doubt in my mind that the senior AU administration and the Pace University staff listed above are the essence of hypocrisy and the antithesis of the Roman Catholic faith. I'll bet anything NONE of the aforementioned people EVER go to church.

Here is some background information on the origin of the harassment carried out by AU administration:

In the spring of 2002 I decided that I wanted to write a case study on Coca-Cola. I had recently read an article in Fortune Magazine about the soft drink giant that inspired me to learn more about what was going on at Coke. In an attempt to get my professors to work with me on the paper I decided to send my teachers an e-mail describing the conditions at Coca-Cola. When I didn't receive a response from my professors, I decided to send a follow-up e-mail to try once again to get the attention of the Pace University faculty. After the second attempt failed, I then decided to write the case study on Coke on my own. Later on, through the grapevine, my professors found out about my plan to write the case and one of my teachers approached me and suggested that I sign up for the marketing research project (she was the faculty advisor) so that I could earn credit for writing the case. Because my other professors felt bad about not responding to my inquiry and may have felt a little negative toward me, I decided to send them another e-mail which said "Thanks for Being a Friend" to make my teachers feel better. I had the impression that my professors did feel much better after reading my "friendly" e-mail.

I then went on to write the case successfully and my professor (faculty advisor on the project) praised me for my work. Both during and after I wrote the case study, I sent my professors other e-mails

that related to current events, business news, developments in the international community, etc. Sometimes, in these e-mails, I would pose questions to my professors about certain related topics that I was studying in my classes or about an actual situation that was described in an article. Most of my professors didn't bother responding to my inquiries, but sometimes I did receive feedback from one or two faculty members. If the response from one of my professors contained either incorrect or a lack of information, I would then reply and provide the insight I was looking to obtain from my teachers. When I responded, I got the sense that my professors felt a little shown-up about receiving a "teaching" message from me. I would then send another "you're really great" follow-up e-mail to my professors to make them feel better. For example, when Anna Lindh, the former Swedish Foreign Minister, was murdered by a sociopath, I sent a news article about the event to my professors. In my e-mail, I had said that there were other famous European women including Jill Dando and Princess Diana that had been killed in recent years. I then asked my professors if they had any insights about the killings. When one of the Pace faculty responded by saying that she didn't have any insights, I then replied and suggested that there might be a pattern in the attacks if you looked at Monica Seles, Dando, and Lindh. I also made the suggestion that these women might be seen by the psycho as possessing a degree of vulnerability. Over time, my e-mailing resulted in me "managing" my professors.

While I was at Pace, the e-mail exchanges I had with Pace faculty were seen as harmless. I never received any complaints from my professors about my e-mails and was actually thanked by some faculty for forwarding on useful news articles. I should also say that while I was at Pace I made it very clear to my professors that I didn't like Pace (the students were the biggest bunch of misfits) and wasn't having a good time in NYC. I would often compare Pace with American University and tell the Pace faculty that there was a major difference between the two schools. In addition, I spoke highly of the Ivy League and said that going to Pace was the biggest mistake I had ever made in my life. My professors would simply counter that there was really no difference between prestigious schools and crappy schools like Pace. It should be noted that many of Pace's faculty used to teach at Columbia and NYU, but ended up going back to Pace when they were dropped from the faculty of the more prestigious schools due to a lack of publishing.

When speaking to my professors in class discussion, I also quickly came to the realization that my conservative political beliefs clashed with their liberal philosophies. I always made it clear that I was very happy about the fact that the United States was totally dominating the global environment. My professors tried to suggest that the USA was not as dominant as I claimed and would attempt to make a case for the strength of other countries. Due to the large number of international students at Pace, the faculty was particularly sensitive to the theme of American domination and didn't want to give the impression that other cultures weren't of value. I, however, was determined to pursue the truth relentlessly when it came to the enormous success of the USA and expected non-Americans to praise the United States for its amazing contributions to the rest of the world. In the summer of 2004 I sent some of my professors an e-mail which showed the distribution of the new Fortune Global 500. Due to the fact that the United States significantly increased its dominance from 1994, I titled the e-mail "USA Crushes Competition" and asked my teachers to

forward the e-mail to the rest of Pace faculty. To the best of my knowledge the e-mail was forwarded to the rest of the faculty with the same title listed above.

In March of 2004, shortly after I graduated with my MBA, I left NYC. Two months later I decided to go back to Washington, DC where I had done my undergraduate work at American University. I wasn't happy in New York and thought the job market and quality of life in DC would be more attractive to me. Because I was eager to get back to work, I decided to apply for jobs at my alma mater. Being an alumnus of AU, I thought it would be easy for me to get a job offer at American U. My plan was to work at AU for a year or two and then move on to a more challenging job when the labor market improved. Shortly after I applied for a job in AU's business school, I approached Myron Roomkin (then Dean of AU's Business School) to introduce myself and convey interest in AU. I had a pleasant conversation with Roomkin and expected to receive a favorable response in regard to my application. I also decided to e-mail the entire marketing & international business departments at AU for advice regarding the Washington job market. When I didn't hear anything from human resources or faculty at AU, I decided to apply for other positions at AU that suited my background and qualifications. In the meantime I began to notice how people all over AU's campus were giving me these weird, stupid looks when I made eye contact with them. Everywhere I went-the gym, student center, shuttle bus, campus security, library-people on AU's campus that I had never met before were approaching me with really annoying behavior.

I soon discovered that I wasn't getting any of the positions that I had applied for and then came to the realization that the Pace faculty & administration had spoken to Roomkin about me and told Roomkin not to hire me. In addition, Pace told Roomkin to have the AU community continually invade my privacy. Being that I didn't receive even one response from AU faculty, I also believe that Roomkin told his professors not to communicate with me. Here is a list of the positions that I applied for at AU:

Director of Marketing and Communications (Kogod Business School)  
Associate Director, Marketing (AU Abroad)  
Manager, Marketing and Recruitment (School of Public Affairs)  
Assistant to the Associate Dean (Kogod)  
Administrative Assistant (School of Communication)  
Administrative Assistant II (Communication)  
Research Assistant, Part-Time (Kogod)  
Study Abroad Advisor

I applied for positions at every level of management & non-management at AU and wasn't even considered for any position. I know that I didn't receive any consideration for employment at AU due to the fact that I was never even asked to interview for any position.

At the time, I felt really bad about the fact that my own alma mater had completely rejected me for employment-not just because AU was my school, but also because I had paid approximately \$90,000 to go to school at AU. I then decided to apply for jobs at other local schools including Georgetown University and George Washington University. Shortly after applying for a marketing position at the Georgetown University Press, I received an e-mail stating that I would be

contacted soon regarding an interview. When I didn't receive a phone call from GU Press, I decided to call and find out why I hadn't been contacted. When the GU Press didn't return my phone call, I then called the President of Georgetown U. (John DeGoia) to discuss the situation. DeGoia refused to speak to me and had his assistant, Mrs. Brody, "get rid of me." Shortly after I spoke to Mrs. Brody, I received a call from Gina \_\_\_\_ of the GU Press. At first, Gina stated that the position was filled and had been occupied for weeks. However, as the conversation progressed, Gina started crying and said "I hope there's no bad blood here." If nothing bad had occurred in regard to my applying for a position at GU Press, then why did Gina suggest that there was any "bad blood" between me at Georgetown University. I then realized that Pace had called up Georgetown and told DeGoia not to hire me for any positions at Georgetown. After applying for positions at George Washington U., I experienced the same fate again. I then realized that I had been blacklisted for employment at all the local schools in Washington, DC.

Unfortunately, the negativity that I experienced when returning to Washington, DC was not limited to employment in academia. I also had my privacy invaded everywhere I went-local restaurants, local schools, Bally's health club, St. Matthew's Cathedral, grocery stores, the Arlington County Employment Center, bookstores, etc. Pace had literally "followed" me around DC by calling up these entities and talking about me behind my back. My privacy has been so thoroughly invaded to the point that I can't go anywhere without people being prejudiced against me. I can't have a conversation with someone without knowing if that individual was specifically told by someone to have a "fake" conversation with me. Every time I enter the library at Georgetown U. the students and the security guard at the front desk talk about me behind my back. I consider all of the above behavior to be persecution.

I want the Case Western community to be aware of Roomkin's willingness to sabotage the careers of alumni after merely receiving a request to do so by another academic institution. The way Roomkin, DeGoia, GW admin, and the rest of AU and Georgetown administration handled the situation was very arbitrary. I was never even asked if I was in a bad situation financially or how badly I needed a job.

Dear Rev. Monsignor Michael Fisher,

I am a member of the Catholic community and am currently being persecuted by the faculty and administration of Pace University in New York for my political and religious beliefs. The individuals at Pace that are mainly behind the harassment are John Byrne, Arthur Centonze, Randi Priluck, Mary Ellen Oliverio, and David Caputo. The persecution has been going on since June 2004 and is intended to destroy my livelihood, my Catholic faith, my identity, and thoroughly invade my privacy. Other individuals that are very much involved in the persecution include:

Myron Roomkin (Case Western Reserve University-Former AU Dean of Kogod)  
Ben Ladner (Former President of American University)  
Neil Kerwin (Interim President of American University)  
Gwendolyn Reese (Librarian at American University)  
Justin Perillo (Lawyer at American University)

Stephen Joel Trachtenberg (President of George Washington University)

John DeGoia (President of Georgetown University)  
Beth Marhanka (Librarian at Georgetown University)  
Steve Feeney (Librarian at Georgetown University)  
Artemis Kirk (Librarian at Georgetown University)

Jim Ryerson (Professor at Marymount University)  
Gail Flatness (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Sinkineh Folla (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Nancy Lucchese (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Virginia McKenna, Sr. (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Zary Mostashari (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Lynn McLaughlin (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Steve Santelli (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Barbara Siller (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Vicky Adams (Librarian at Marymount University)  
David Killen (Librarian at Marymount University)  
Father Jack Peterson (Priest at Marymount University)  
Lauren Knutowicz (Campus Ministry at Marymount University)

Father Jim Shea (Holy Trinity Church-Georgetown)  
Father Kevin O'Brien (Holy Trinity Church-Georgetown)

Father Gary Selin (St. John's Church – McLean)  
Father Ronald Gripsover (St. John's Church – McLean)  
Father Christopher Beaudet (St. John's Church – McLean)  
Father Franklyn McAfee (St. John's Church – McLean)

Father Ronald Jameson (St. Matthew's Cathedral)

Ann Friedman (Former Director-Arlington County Public Library)  
Dottie Dake (Arlington County Public Library)  
Diane Kresh (Director-Arlington County Public Library)  
Chang Lui (Manager-Arlington County Central Library)  
Margaret Brown (Librarian at Arlington Country Central Library)

Carolyn Heyer (Librarian at Fairfax County Public Library)  
Aliya Parvez (Librarian at Fairfax County Public Library)  
Bonnie Fiori (Librarian at Fairfax County Public Library)  
Margerie Shoen (Librarian at Fairfax County Public Library)  
Jane Goodwin (Librarian at Fairfax County Public Library)  
Edwin Clay (Director-Fairfax County Public Library)

David Zepeda (Manager-Bally's Fitness)  
George Hernandez (Manager-Bally's Fitness)  
Scott McDermott (Manager-Bally's Fitness)

Valerie Dailey (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
Kim Hart (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
Ty Warner (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
LaKisha Dixon (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
Kathy Hannon (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
Christie Morgan (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
Yvonne Gordon (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)  
John Piccolo (Tyson's Corner Center Mall)

Brian Pence (Manager-Staybridge Suites-McLean)  
Bob Pence (Owner-Staybridge Suites-McLean)  
Justin Kehoe (Manager-Staybridge Suites-McLean)  
Mohammad Chareq (Former Manager-Staybridge Suites-McLean)  
Rod Aljrah (Former Manager-Staybridge Suites-McLean)  
Denise El Abidi (Employee-Staybridge Suites-McLean)

Gretchen Giorgiadis (Manager-Bertucci's Ristorante-Dupont Circle)  
Bob Shannon (Regional Manager-Bertucci's Ristorante)  
Tom O'Connor (Assistant Manager-Bertucci's Ristorante-Dupont Circle)

Yvonne (Former Manager-Barnes and Noble-Georgetown)  
"Yvonne" no longer works at Barnes & Noble, but is now employed by Border Books on  
F St. & 14 St. Yvonne's new boss is Mike Redmond and can be reached at 202-737-  
1385.  
Robert Kessler (Manager-Barnes and Noble-New York)  
Stephen Marshall (Former Manager-Barnes and Noble-Tyson's Corner)

Julio Pagan-Lopez (Employee-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Jamie Mason (Manager-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Crystal Jackson (Manager-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Diana King (Employee-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Karen Pangakis (Employee-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Leo Rodriguez (Employee-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Charlotte Walls (Manager-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)  
Sandi Marion (Manager-Lord & Taylor-Tyson's Corner)

There is currently an ongoing investigation at Georgetown University in relation to the persecution described above. If you need to verify my story, you can contact the psychology department at Catholic University. I urge the Catholic Church to condemn and permanently excommunicate the aforementioned individuals for their unprovoked acts of evil against a member of the Catholic laity. In addition, I request that I be given the opportunity to condemn the individuals listed above at the National Shrine.

During the time that I've suffered persecution there have been some individuals that have tried to help me survive. These individuals include:

Eileen Koepfel  
Ann Ullacuru  
Richard and Jean Boone  
Dept. of Psychology at Catholic University

I urge the Catholic Church to take the time to praise these individuals for their compassion, kindness, generosity, and commitment to the principals instilled in the Roman Catholic faith.

Thank you for taking the time to read my letter and address my concerns. Please forward a copy of my letter to the Vatican. Together, we can pursue the truth relentlessly and protect the integrity of the Catholic faith.

God Bless,

Chris

**UPDATE: I sent the above letter to Father Michael Fisher during holy week 2007. Father Fisher responded by turning a blind eye to the persecution and didn't even contact me to discuss the situation. In addition, the investigation at Georgetown University was sabotaged (no investigation ever took place-the department of public safety at Georgetown University lied to me when they told me they were going to**

**investigate the harassment. I had been harassed in the library and blacklisted from employment.) by John DeGoia, President of Georgetown University.**

July 10, 2007

Dear Dr. Bundschuh,

I am a member of the Catholic community and am writing you to file a formal complaint of persecution/harassment against Dr. Loretta Seigley and the library staff that have been harassing me since December 2005. The harassment consists of the following types of behavior:

- Talking about me behind my back to other library users on a regular basis
- Monitoring me (The librarians would ask other library users to approach me, make various comments or engage in certain behavior, and then echo my responses back to library staff. Everything about my response (content, tone, body language) would then be discussed and reviewed by the librarians. Then another patron would approach me and the process would start all over again-day after day.)
- Tell other library users to engage in gay/sexual innuendo (staring, looking at me in a sexually suggestive manner, lifting up shirt in a sexually suggestive manner, etc.) when they approached me.
- Following me around the library
- Thoroughly invading my privacy

After I informed Dr. Seigley about the harassment back in January, I expected the hostile behavior to stop, but it has continued despite my repeated conversations with Matthew (Dr. Seigley's assistant) over the past six months. It is obvious that Dr. Seigley is fully involved in the harassment (or the harassment would have stopped after I first contacted her in January) and should be held accountable for violating Marymount policy by allowing the persecution to continue for 1.5 years. I urge you to take disciplinary action against Dr. Seigley and all librarians that persecuted me up to and including termination, condemnation, and recommending to the Arlington Archdiocese that these individuals be permanently excommunicated from the Roman Catholic Church. I would also like to request the opportunity to formally condemn these individuals at mass on campus.

Thank you for taking the time to read my letter and address my concerns.

Regards,

Christopher Koeppel

**UPDATE: Less than two weeks after I sent the above letter to Dr. Bundschuh (President of Marymount University) I was banned from Marymount's campus. Based on the way that I was treated it is obvious to me that Marymount's administration firmly believes in engaging in retaliatory practices. I believe Dr. Bundschuh decided to play politics with Dr. Seigley and "get rid of me" in order to relieve himself of taking responsibility for the fact that I was persecuted at Marymount University for more than 1.5 years.**

January 26, 2007

Dear Dr. Loretta Seigley:

I am a member of the Catholic community and have been using Marymount University's Reinsch Library to assist me with my job hunt since December 2005. Shortly after I starting using the library, some of the librarians began harassing me. The harassment included the following:

- Talking about me behind my back to other library users on a regular basis
- Monitoring me (The librarians would ask other library users to approach me, make various comments or engage in certain behavior, and then echo my responses back to library staff. Everything about my response (content, tone, body language) would then be discussed and reviewed by the librarians. Then another patron would approach me and the process would start all over again-day after day.)
- Tell other library users to engage in gay/sexual innuendo (staring, looking at me in a sexually suggestive manner, lifting up shirt in a sexually suggestive manner, etc.) when they approached me.
- Following me around the library
- Thoroughly invading my privacy

In response, I called the library administration to complain about the fact that the librarians were going out of their way to thoroughly invade my privacy, make me feel uncomfortable, etc. However, after I complained, the librarians became very vindictive and decided to escalate the harassment to the point where I had no privacy at all. I responded again by confronting one of the librarians (Vicky Adams) and told Vicky that if the harassment didn't stop, I would file a complaint with the President of Marymount. I then returned to the computer I was using only to be approached by campus security (Eric Hols and Mark Tessmer) who then threatened to ban me from campus if I complained to the President of Marymount. In addition, Mr. Hols also denied me the right to communicate with other patrons when I used the library.

All of the librarians are involved in the harassment including and especially:

Flatness, Gail  
Folla, Sinkineh  
Lucchese, Nancy  
McKenna, Sr. Virginia  
Mostashari, Zary  
McLaughlin, Lynn  
Santelli, Steve  
Siller, Barbara  
Adams, Vicky

Other individuals at Marymount involved in the harassment include Eric Hols, Mark Tessmer, Father Jack Peterson, Lauren Knutowicz (campus ministry), and Dr. Jim Ryerson.

I came to Marymount University because I was being harassed at the other libraries in the Washington, DC area. The harassment began at American University in June 2004 and is still being carried out by the faculty and administration of Pace University. Due to the length, duration, and extreme nature of the harassment I now feel that I am being persecuted. I urge Marymount to take disciplinary action against the individuals listed above up to and including termination, condemnation, and recommending to the Arlington Archdiocese that these individuals be permanently excommunicated from the Roman Catholic Church. I would also like to request the opportunity to formally condemn these individuals at mass on campus.

Thank you for taking the time to read my letter and address my concerns.

Regards,

Christopher Koeppel

SPEAKER'S FORM

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1. NAME: Christopher Koepfel

2. ADDRESS: 5760 Dunster Ct. #172

TELEPHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

3. WHOM DO YOU REPRESENT, IF OTHER THAN YOURSELF? \_\_\_\_\_

4. WHAT IS YOUR POSITION ON THE ITEM?  
FOR: \_\_\_\_\_ AGAINST: \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

5. NATURE OF YOUR INTEREST IN ITEM (PROPERTY OWNER, ATTORNEY, LOBBYIST, CIVIC INTEREST, ETC.):  
Persecution Complaint

6. ARE YOU RECEIVING COMPENSATION FOR THIS APPEARANCE BEFORE COUNCIL?  
YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

This form shall be kept as a part of the permanent record in those instances where financial interest or compensation is indicated by the speaker.

A maximum of three minutes will be allowed for your presentation, except that one officer or other designated member speaking on behalf of each *bona fide* neighborhood civic association or unit owners' association desiring to be heard on a docket item shall be allowed five minutes. In order to obtain five minutes, you must identify yourself as a designated speaker, and identify the neighborhood civic association or unit owners' association you represent, at the start of your presentation. If you have a prepared statement, please leave a copy with the Clerk.

Additional time not to exceed 15 minutes may be obtained with the consent of the majority of the council present; provided notice requesting additional time with reasons stated is filed with the City Clerk in writing before 5:00 p.m. of the day preceding the meeting.

The public normally may speak on docket items only at public hearing meetings, and not at regular legislative meetings. Public hearing meetings are usually held on the Saturday following the second Tuesday in each month; regular legislative meetings on the second and fourth Tuesdays in each month. The rule with respect to when a person may speak to a docket item at a legislative meeting can be waived by a majority vote of council members present but such a waiver is not normal practice. When a speaker is recognized, the rules of procedures for speakers at public hearing meetings shall apply. If an item is docketed *for public hearing* at a regular legislative meeting, the public may speak to that item, and the rules of procedures for speakers at public hearing meetings shall apply.

In addition, the public may speak on matters which are not on the docket during the Public Discussion Period at public hearing meetings. The mayor may grant permission to a person, who is unable to participate in public discussion at a public hearing meeting for medical, religious, family emergency or other similarly substantial reasons, to speak at a regular legislative meeting. When such permission is granted, the rules of procedures for public discussion at public hearing meetings shall apply.

Guidelines for the Public Discussion Period

(a) All speaker request forms for the public discussion period must be submitted by the time the item is called by the city clerk.

(b) No speaker will be allowed more than three minutes; except that one officer or other designated member speaking on behalf of each *bona fide* neighborhood civic association or unit owners' association desiring to be heard during the public discussion period shall be allowed five minutes. In order to obtain five minutes, you must identify yourself as a designated speaker, and identify the neighborhood civic association or unit owners' association you represent, at the start of your presentation.

(c) If more speakers are signed up than would be allotted for in 30 minutes, the mayor will organize speaker requests by subject or position, and allocated appropriate times, trying to ensure that speakers on unrelated subjects will also be allowed to speak during the 30 minute public discussion period.

(d) If speakers seeking to address council on the same subject cannot agree on a particular order or method that they would like the speakers to be called on, the speakers shall be called in the chronological order of their request forms' submission.

(e) Any speakers not called during the public discussion period will have the option to speak at the conclusion of the meeting, after all docketed items have been heard.