



## Xavier University of Louisiana

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### *University Police*

Hello, I'm Jacques S. Battiste, the Chief of Police for Xavier University of Louisiana.

Whether you are faculty, staff, student or a visitor, you play a vital role in shaping the character of the community. The Xavier University Department of Police & Public Safety is dedicated to providing this Xavier and New Orleans community with a safe and secure environment that impels the educational goals of this institution by maintaining order, enforcing laws, and providing professional police, emergency management, parking, and access services.

The Xavier University Police Department (XUPD) is a full-service, professional law enforcement agency that believes strongly in collaboration, and have excellent working partnerships with the New Orleans Police Department, Louisiana State Police, Orleans Parish Sheriff's Office and other university and college police departments throughout the City of New Orleans.

It is my expectation that the experienced, trained officers of our department are guided by integrity in ensuring the safety of our community. We maintain our commitment to progressive, proactive and professional law enforcement services that are courteous and service-driven.

At Xavier University, we believe that a truly safe campus is achieved through shared responsibility among the police department, students, staff and faculty. I urge you to take the time to review the information provided on this website to inform, advise and alert the community of the current programs, policies and procedures for crime prevention, awareness and reporting at Xavier University.

The Xavier University Police Department operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, year round. Trained emergency dispatchers answer phones at all times, and there is always a police officer on duty who will respond to calls for assistance. Please feel free to visit the police station located on 3801 S. Carrollton Ave, or contact our department at (504) 520-7490 to speak with a representative or to access our services.

Best Regards,

*Jacques S. Battiste*  
Chief of Police, Xavier University of Louisiana