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Press Release

Case #: 09-16044

On Thursday October 22, 2009 at approximately 9:25 PM a female UW Madison student was the victim of a strong arm robbery in the 200 block of N. Lake Street, near Witte Hall. The suspect grabbed the victim by the shoulders, shook her and demanded money. The suspect then fled the area on foot. The victim was not injured during the incident. UW Madison Police are investigating the incident.

Anyone who was in the area at this time that may have information, are asked to contact UW Police at 262-2957 or 264-COPS (262-2677).

The UW Police and the University remind students in the downtown, campus area to utilize the services of SafeWalk/SafeRide and to practice personal safety strategies by walking in groups, and staying in lighted areas. Avoid conflicts by staying attentive to your surroundings. Use of Ipods or other devices that block the natural sound around you are discouraged.

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