

# Mission Statement

The mission of the Bowdoin College Office of Safety and Security is to **Serve the Common Good** by *doing for people* – with fairness, dignity and respect – and to foster a safe and secure campus community that supports the educational, personal, and professional goals of all students, employees, and visitors.

## Values and Philosophy

**Excellence:** We value and encourage innovation and creativity in achieving and sustaining uncompromising personalized and responsive service through continuous improvement, teamwork, and partnerships.

**Inclusiveness:** We value others and ourselves as unique individuals and celebrate both our commonalities and differences. We promote open communication, ongoing collaboration, and the free exchange of ideas.

**Integrity and Empathy:** We value and honor each person with FAIRNESS, DIGNITY, and RESPECT.

**Diversity:** We respect and embrace strength, power, and understanding that comes from diversity. We recognize and delight in the beautiful differences between people and cultures.

**Learning:** We value learning as a lifelong process, striving to adapt and be responsive to new challenges, opportunities, and approaches to better protect and serve the campus community.

**Philosophy:** *Do for people, not to people.*