Information for Assignment #3

NEWS CONFERENCE: Monday, March 28, 11 a.m.

PARTICIPANTS: Abby Cook, junior

RE: QU Sexual Assault Awareness Month

WHAT IS REQUIRED:

* Students are required to conduct a group interview in news conference format
* Students must research documents, handouts and information pertaining to the news conference participant to prepare for an informative interview
* Students must ask questions
* Students must be on time

DUE Friday, April 1, 11:59 p.m.

*To get an A, you must:*

* Have a typed, double-spaced 500-700-word article
* Have clean, edited copy: AP style, spelling, grammar, and agreement count!
* Start with a strong, news-style lead
* Back up the lead in an organized manner that emphasizes the “news” (think of those news values and elements) – Also, read the NYT/Washington Post stories to help you organize this story
* Choose strong quotes and attribute them correctly
* Use the news conference as the primary source, but use DIRECT QUOTES from at least two other human sources
* Be on time