

Hello UO community!

My name is Jozie, the photo editor for Ethos magazine. Ethos is an autonomous, student-run publication on campus that focuses on amplifying voices from marginalized communities.

As our next publication comes out two weeks before Sexual Assault Awareness month in April, Ethos wanted to extend the opportunity to any sexual assault, harassment or violence survivor who would like to tell their story in our upcoming printed or online issue. Take Back the Night may not happen in its usual capacity this year and it's our hope to provide an additional platform for survivors to feel empowered to tell their stories as a form of protest, support and comradery.

As a sexual assault survivor myself who will also be publishing my story for this project, I understand this task can be difficult. I encourage any survivor to submit their written story in any way they can or that feels comfortable, just as you would if you took the mic at Take Back the Night. Because I am also writing for this project, I know writing about your experience can feel daunting, and can assist in writing or can interview you to ghost write your piece as well.

Submissions will be edited for grammar and style, but not for content. All survivors that submit a story have control of whether that story is published and have the option to pull their submission from the project at any time up until March 20 when our magazine goes to print. Ethos is committed to empowering survivors by giving options, control and support/assistance throughout this process.

The preliminary interest survey is due by **March 1**. If you are interested in submitting a piece, please complete this quick survey and I will reach out to you soon for next steps: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfcwnz2T1kQcWIWMwSXn9hwUP9TS1Q3AwC6MCgo0BX36a6vKg/viewform?usp=sf_link

When we as survivors come together and refuse to be silent by telling our stories, we take back power and create safe spaces that empower others to come forward. I encourage any survivor that can to join me in sharing their stories and continuing to grow the #metoo movement.

You can also directly contact me at photo@ethosmagonline.edu with any questions!