**University of Canberra**

1,494 students participated in the survey.

### Prevalence in a University Context

**Sexual harassment**

- **17.5%** since starting university
- **10.2%** in the past 12 months

**Sexual assault**

- **4.9%** since starting university
- **1.7%** in the past 12 months

#### Experiences of sexual harassment in the past 12 months:

- **Female**: 12.9%
- **Male**: 5.9%
- **Differently-described gender**: 16.2%*

#### Experiences of sexual assault in the past 12 months:

- **Female**: 2.7%
- **Male****:
- **Differently-described gender****:

Relative standard errors (RSE) were calculated for survey estimates. If the RSE was between 25% and 50% an * appears next to the estimate that indicates caution should be used with the associated estimate. If the RSE was above 50% an ** appears meaning the estimate is unreliable and not reportable. Differently described gender includes students whose gender identity was not classified as female or male. Gender identity was derived using the 'two-step method' of cross-classifying responses to sex assigned at birth and current gender. Context of most impactful incident. Students who had been sexually harassed in a university context were asked questions about the context of the most impactful (or significant) incident they had experienced. This incident was self-identified by the student.

### Context of Most Impactful Incident

#### Location

- General campus areas: 44.5%
- University library: 24.6%
- University lecture theatres, computer labs: 15.6%

#### Perpetrator

- Knew some or all of the perpetrators involved: 46.4%

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### Reporting and Support Seeking

#### Formal complaints made to the university:

- 2.8%*

#### Seeking support from the university:

- 16.9%

Know nothing or very little about where to go:

- 47.0%
- 41.6%

Know nothing or very little about assistance:

- 49.6%
- 40.0%

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*Asked of students who experienced sexual harassment in an Australian university context.

**Asked of all students.*