

As part of the *Journal of College and University Law*'s symposium on campus violence, this article explores the changing landscape of gun control legislation, specifically the nuances of concealed carry laws and their impact on the higher education environment. Varying perspectives and rationales concerning campus violence and gun control are discussed, and campus-based best practices are outlined. College and university initiatives related to policy development and interventions are shared in order to assist higher education leaders to prepare their campuses for legislative changes that shape the contours of campus safety and security.