Per the Policy on Harassment at the University of Tulsa Section J, Duty to Act, I wish to file a formal complaint against George Trey Barnett for repeated acts that have been humiliating, demeaning and damaging to the reputations of two faculty (Kimberly Powers and Machele Dill) and a student theatre major — and also damaging to their morale and relationships with others.

I have two postings, claimed by Trey to have been written by Chris Mangum, Trey's partner, posted under the name Chris Blackstone, with Chris' picture attached – posted to Trey's personal Facebook page last spring in March when Trey was in Ireland. These postings falsely accused Machele Dill and personally attached posting, supposedly written by Chris under the same last name "Blackstone" attacking Kimberly Powers late last spring in April during a community service project that she directed at Ziegler Art & Frame for Kendall Whittier. On the same page below this posting, wrote, "you realize that you can send personal messages to people. Lol" Chris'/Trey's response was "Yeah but I Didn't Want that to be a personal message. They are idiots." Another posting was made on the KTUL website concerning the Kendall Whittier project under the name "John" around the same time. I believe Trey and/or Chris wrote this posting attacking Kimberly Powers because it uses the same language and same accusations as the March postings from Ireland. The latest attacks began last weekend on a website called TU Confessions, attacking Kimberly Powers and about incidents involving Trey in the TU production, The Glass Menagerie.

In all postings Trey has been the common factor. He was present in Ireland, he was part of the Kendall Whittier project at Ziegler's, and he was the Lighting Designer for *The Glass Menagerie*. These postings contain vicious personal attacks and specific details of events involving Trey. It is claimed that Chris is the author, but the accusations are all against faculty and students involved with Trey in various incidents.

When I was notified about the TU Confessions post early Sunday morning, I contacted Trey immediately and urged him to stop this latest attack. During our conversation, I inadvertently informed him that the posting was no longer on the TU Confessions Website. Thirty-eight minutes after I finished speaking with Trey, I was shocked to find the TU Confessions posting now up on Trey's personal Facebook page with the comment, "we were both surprised it was taken down." The "we" makes it clear that Trey and Chris are working together.

I spoke with Trey by phone as soon as I was aware of the attacks from Ireland urging him to take the postings down and in person again when he returned to Tulsa from Ireland. In both instances, I warned him that these kinds of derogatory public attacks must cease. I spoke with Trey, following the Kendal Whittier posting urging him to take down it down and again warned him to cease all forms of this activity. Looking back, I guess he never really took my warnings seriously.

Trey seems to think that, as long as he can claim, "Chris did it," he can hide behind Chris and avoid responsibility for these attacks on our faculty and students. The only reason I can think of

for posting these attacks is to make sure that Theatre faculty and students receive their "nessage." The message has been received loud and clear; these attacks have had their desired effect. Morale and relationships in our Department have been harmed. These postings have damaged reputations; undermined and disrupted the faculty's ability to offer academic programs and co-curricular activities. These attacks have disrupted other students as well as Ms.

right to participate without fear, in class, on productions, and in co-curricular activities in our Theatre Department and for the College.

Jusan Barrett



Christopher Blackstone

Yesterday near Dublin, Ireland - Edited ② 🎎

Trey Barnett...first I am sorry to you for not being able to stay quiet... But I think when there is an allegation of corruption and an affair TU needs to investigate it. (Everyone knows about the affair and I'm glad TU has launched and investigation and HR is involved) Secondly...I Dont care what says about me. I've always been nice to her. She is simply miserable... And deflects in an attempt to hide her own insecurities. When all the fat comments I've heard others make towards her i was always the one to tell them to stfu. Her loss. Not mine. I hope TU fires your corrupt professor...

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Christopher Blackstone I just sent an email to the Tulsa US Attorneys office asking them to open a formal investigation for possible criminal wrong doing. Racketeering comes to mind. That is the statute they used to put the last guy in prison for 9 months. When I saw how many people were being steered to one person in Ireland by one professor from TU it set off too many alarms.



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Trey Barnett

In March from Ireland on Barnett's Faceboook page







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Dave

2 hours ago

The project and all involved did a nice job. It's very attractive and will make the neighborhood even nicer. Everyone should be commended, sponsors, instructors and students for what was accomplished. Other commenters obviously have a "whats in it for me?" mentality. The sponsors paid for supplies and the project was administered by a professional (ie. paid) instructor. Sure some gift cards would be nice - but it's not a requirement. Students are students. Those who were involved got an opportunity to learn, participate and be a part of the project. Eventually they too can take what they learned and try to make it as professionals themselves. Again - kudos to everyone who helped create this nice work of art.

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John

13 hours ago

Zigglers didn't even give the students gift cards as thank yous or anything. Kim is one of the biggest jokes at TU. She really needs to go back to where she came from. She just bounces around the country taking any job she can. How we ended up with her in our department I'll never know.





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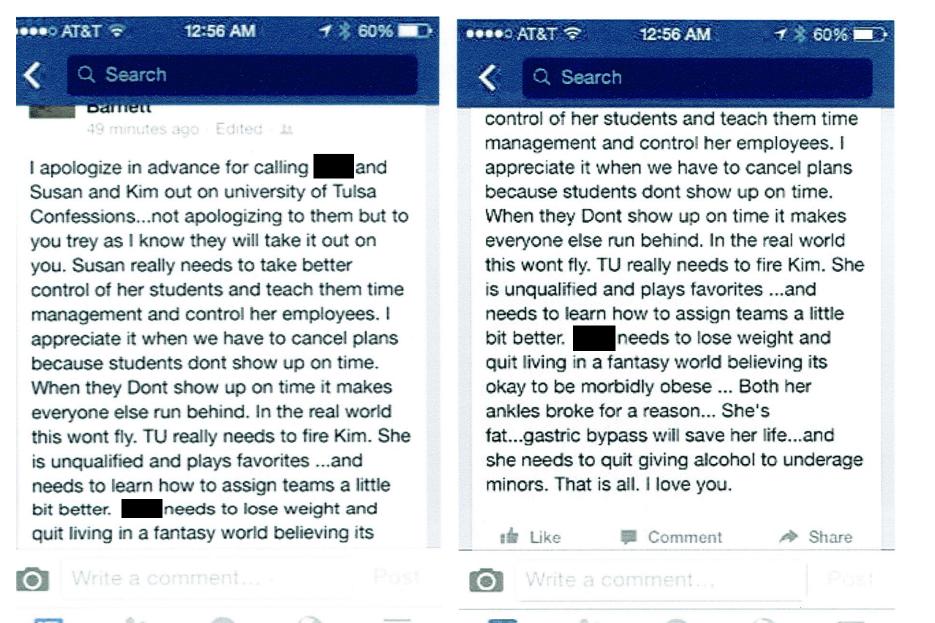
John 13 hours ago

This project was a huge Joke. Kim took a pay off and made her students do the work for free, mean while, she profited. Shame on TU.



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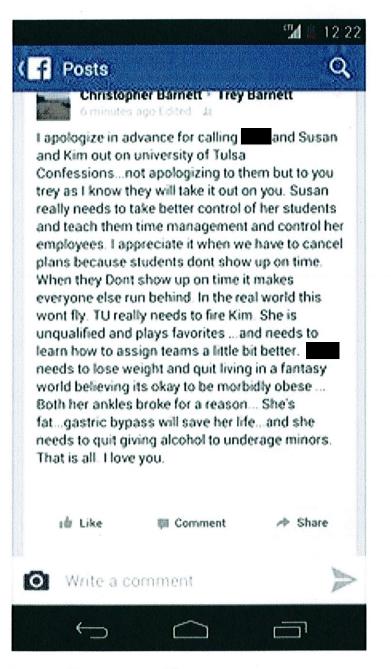
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Kim Powers sent to me via text 9/28/14 7:54 AM



We're both curious how it disappeared last night.



Screen shot
Barnett's personal page
TU Confessions posting
re-submitted to facebook
10/28/14

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since it some how disappeared, I'll post a screen shot of it trey.

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Christopher Barnett Firey Barnett

6 minutes ago Edited &

and Susan I apologize in advance for calling and Kim out on university of Tulsa Confessions...not apologizing to them but to you trey as I know they will take it out on you. Susan really needs to take better control of her students and teach them time management and control her employees. I appreciate it when we have to cancel plans because students dont show up on time. When they Dont show up on time it makes everyone else run behind. In the real world this wont fly. TU really needs to fire Kim. She is unqualified and plays favorites ...and needs to learn how to assign teams a little bit better. needs to lose weight and quit living in a fantasy world believing its okay to be morbidly obese ... Both her ankles broke for a reason... She's fat...gastric bypass will save her life...and she needs to quit giving alcohol to underage minors. That is all. I love you.

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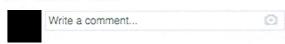
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Larger picture of same posting from Trey Barnett's personal page as I accessed it Sunday 9/28 after call to Trey.

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