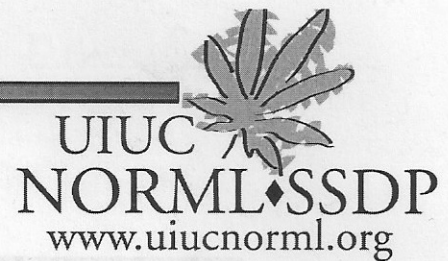


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Film Teaches Students and Community How To Interact With Police

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On October 27 at 8 pm in Room 112 Chemistry Annex of the University of Illinois, the University chapters of Students for Sensible Drug Policy and the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws will hold a screening of the film *Busted!: A Citizens' Guide to Surviving Police Encounters*, and host defense attorney Mark D. Lipton. Mr. Lipton, of the law firm of Meyer Capel, will answer questions from the audience following the film.

As tensions increase between areas of the Champaign-Urbana community and the police department, it is critical that citizens' fully understand their rights, so as to avoid any further conflict with the police. *Busted!: A Citizens' Guide to Surviving Police Encounters* takes the viewer through different scenarios that any citizen might find themselves in, from a traffic stop to waiting at a bus stop, and demonstrates how to successfully protect their rights when confronted by a police officer.

Mark Lipton is an accomplished local defense attorney, serving the local community at the law firm of Meyer Capel for over 20 years. Prior to his private practice, Mr. Lipton worked for the State's Attorney's Office for Champaign County from May 1975 until June 1982. Following the film, he will answer questions from the audience to provide a complete picture of how citizens' can employ their rights.

Busted!: A Citizens' Guide to Surviving Police Encounters and Mark Lipton can be seen in **112 Chemistry Annex, October 27 at 8 pm.**

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