



January 10, 2004

**Re: Reference For Mike Domitz**

To Whom It May Concern:

On September 25, 2003 Mike Domitz travelled to the University of Alberta to present his "Can I Kiss You?" program for the first time ever in Canada. His presentation was fantastic and received rave reviews from our students, staff, and members of our campus Sexual Assault Centre. He really connected with the students through sharing his personal stories, the use of humour and hits home with the message that we need to ask for permission. Some students were apprehensive about attending this program fearing that it was a "lecture" type session. However, they were thoroughly impressed with Mike's fresh and unique approach to the topic of dating and sexual assault.

This program was a huge success from our perspective. Over 600 students attended this presentation and we were able to raise over \$500 for our Sexual Assault Centre and over 200 items of food for the Campus Food Bank. The real success was the powerful message that Mike was able to convey to the students. They came away from it with positive comments and everyone who returned comments cards said they would recommend his session for orientation week (please see attached summary of evaluations received). As a result of this feedback our Residence Life Team is trying to book Mike for our Orientation Week 2004.

After seeing Mike's presentation and observing the impact that it had on those that attended, I would **strongly recommend** Mike's "Can I Kiss You?" program to any campus or school looking for speakers on Sexual Assault. It is truly an amazing program!

If you have any questions about Mike's program, please do not hesitate to contact me at [clint@ualberta.ca](mailto:clint@ualberta.ca).

Sincerely,

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