

NEXT GEN PANIC BUTTONS ENHANCE SCHOOL SAFETY



In K-12 schools and universities, security personnel and first responders need to react more quickly, communicate more effectively, and cover increasingly dynamic spaces faster. Students and faculty are constantly on the move throughout the day amongst multiple buildings and outdoor areas. Maintaining safety and security in these spaces demands more robust and mobile solutions beyond conventional panic buttons and alarms.

Modern **mobile duress technology** addresses many of the longstanding challenges of conventional panic notification systems. Wireless duress cards and location beacons paired with cloud-based software allow staff members and responders to quickly and easily identify the zone, floor, or room where help is needed.

Publisher Mark McCourt spoke with **Eric Banghart, Vice President at Inovonics**, about how new mobile duress, wireless sensors, and system integrations can better support school safety initiatives while complementing broader campus and perimeter security strategies. He shared proven techniques and processes to improve school safety and security.

- +** SP: HOW DOES YOUR COMPANY AND ITS OFFERINGS ADDRESS THE NEEDS OF K-12 SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES?
- +** SP: WHAT'S NEW FROM INOVONICS TO HELP IMPROVE SAFETY AND SECURITY IN EDUCATION ENVIRONMENTS?
- +** SP: WHAT OTHER NOTIFICATION SOLUTIONS CAN BE INTEGRATED INTO INOVONICS' WIRELESS ECOSYSTEM THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO HIGHLIGHT FOR SCHOOLS AND OTHER CAMPUS APPLICATIONS?
- +** SP: WHAT ELSE IS NEW OR NOTEWORTHY ABOUT YOUR COMPANY FOR 2026?
- +** SP: WHAT IS YOUR COMPANY'S OVERALL VALUE PROPOSITION TO K-12 SCHOOLS AND UNIVERSITIES?
- +** SP: IS THERE ANYTHING ELSE YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD?

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