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Smart phones, social media & new forms of victimisation

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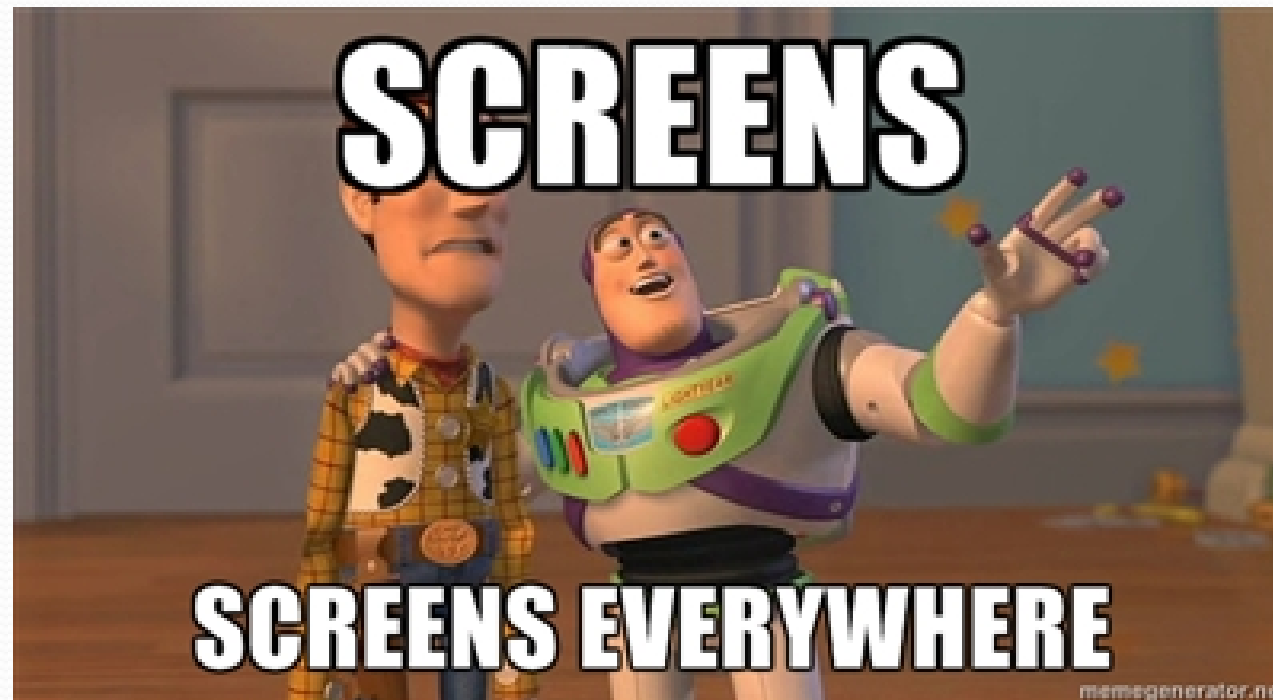
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“Get off the internet, I need to use the phone!”
Jenny Laughton (My mum)







Technology-facilitated crime

83% of our staff who have direct contact with clients reported that they have helped a victim of crime facilitated by technology.



Sexual violence Stalking Fraud

Revenge porn

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Hundreds of stolen photos of Australian women have ended up on a US 'revenge porn' website

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Intimate photos of around 400 Adelaide women have been posted on a US site in revenge porn

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Police investigate 'revenge porn' website allegedly showing South Australian woman

Updated 17 Jun 2015, 6:04pm

A international website sharing "intimate images" of women believed to be from South Australia is under investigation by SA Police.

The website is reportedly displaying risqué and revealing photos of hundreds of women whose images are being shared online without their consent.

SA Attorney-General John Rau said anyone in the state connected with the website could face jail.

The images, which may have originally been taken with consent, were allegedly stolen and used on the website, or posted without consent, in some cases as revenge porn by the women's ex-partners.

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(Henry & Powell, 2015)

"I've never heard of anyone responding to financial hacking by saying, Just don't use online banking. That's what you get for using credit cards".
(Farhad Manjoo, 2015)

“Due to there being few empirical prevalence studies internationally, the precise nature and extent of this problem is unclear”

(Henry & Powell, 2015)

Widespread
Text messages, Facebook
GPS tracker apps
Revenge porn
(Domestic Violence Research Centre Victoria, 2015)

Cyber stalking

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**"We can only see a short distance ahead,
but we can see plenty there that needs to be done."**

Alan Turing, (Computer scientist & mathematician)

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