

CATEGORY: Reporting of abuse by the student herself	Case Study # 8
TITLE: Report arrives 11 years after graduation	DATE: 12-28-2014
SUB-TITLE: teacher has moved to another school/country	
LOCATION: Eastern Europe	
<p>A former international school student, now in her late-20's wrote confidentially for the first time - that she was abused by a teacher eleven years ago. She wrote to the Council of International Schools about this complaint.</p> <p>She wrote,</p> <p>“It was my last year of high school, I was 16-17, and I never had the courage to report him. I am aware that he is still teaching in international schools. I believe that he is currently at XXX School, and I wanted the Council of International Schools to know in order to safeguard the well-being of future students.”</p> <p>The alleged abuser/teacher, she reports, is still teaching in international schools – now at an international expatriate school in an African country. The alleged abuse took place at an international school in Eastern Europe. The teacher is French. The former student appears to be Spanish, and she is now working in the UK.</p> <p>With her letter, she sent copies of what appeared to be email and Facebook correspondence between her and her former teacher. Some of the correspondence was written just after the alleged abuse, the rest was written during the past year.</p> <p>CIS as an accrediting body secured permission from the complainant to share copies of the correspondence between her and her former teacher with the head of the school where her former teacher now works. CIS confirms that she was a student at the Eastern European School and also that the teacher in question worked there at the time. CIS then writes to the head of the school where the teacher now works to inform him of the allegations.</p>	
<p>QUESTIONS-COMMENTS-CAVEATS: See the 30 Guiding Questions</p>	