

UCI Public Safety
Advisory Committee

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Message from CFO & Vice Chancellor

Shortly after joining UCI in July 2022, I met with members of the Public Safety Advisory Committee (PSAC) and was impressed by their commitment representing the university community and providing advice and counsel on issues that impact the safety and quality of life of UCI students, faculty, staff, and visitors. Their work and dedication make a positive impact on the stakeholders they serve.



I want to thank Professor Kelli Sharp for her leadership by serving as acting chair of PSAC from January to August 2022, and then taking on the role of vice chair in partnership with Professor Katie Tinto who serves as chair. Additionally, my sincere appreciation goes to Associate Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon who served as Interim CFO & Vice Chancellor of the Division of Finance and Administration and oversaw PSAC from December 2021 to July 2022.

Many community safety improvements have been made since PSAC was founded in 2018, and details can be found beginning on page seven of this annual report. Progress made during the 2021-22 academic year focused on the implementation of **Recommendations for the Transformation of Public Safety in the UCI Community** in PSAC's 2021 report which align with the actions outlined in the UC Community Safety Plan. A description on the progress thus far is described in this annual report.

Progress has also been made on a UC systemwide level. Jody Stiger was [appointed](#) as UC's first Systemwide Director of Community Safety in July 2022. He will work with campuses to promote ongoing community engagement, implement a tiered response model, build consistent and transparent data processes, and establish and sustain independent, civilian campus police accountability bodies. In addition, the [Community Safety Data Dashboards](#) have been rolled out and published on the UCOP website.

I look forward to building upon the important community safety work achieved in the new academic year. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me or any member of PSAC with ideas on how we can better serve the community.

Sincerely,

Mary Lou D. Ortiz

Chief Financial Officer

Vice Chancellor, Division of Finance and Administration

Message from PSAC Chair and Vice Chair

This past year has been a year of work, implementation, and progress. In late 2020, PSAC conducted an extensive evaluation of the UCI Police Department and in February 2021 issued its report, *Recommendations for the Transformation of Public Safety in the UCI Community*. Chancellor Gilman then appointed former Vice Chancellor for Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Doug Haynes to implement PSAC's recommendations. At the same time, the University of California Office of the President (UCOP) issued its recommendations and plans for change across the entire UC system: the [UC Community Safety Plan](#).

As a result, PSAC's work during the past year has been focused on ensuring the implementation of both PSAC's UCI-specific recommendations and UCOP's systemwide plan. Although still a work-in-progress and far from complete, there have been many accomplishments to date: 1) the development and implementation of the [data dashboard](#) on police encounters; 2) the implementation of [enhanced training programs](#) for all UCIPD staff members on topics including implicit bias, cultural diversity, de-escalation, and non-violent crisis management; 3) the enactment of policies to ensure all sworn officers and Public Safety Officers proactively provide their name, contact information, the reason for contact, and provide business cards with a QR code and URL which links to a [customer satisfaction survey](#); 4) the implementation of survey distribution to collect feedback from all individuals who contact UCIPD's dispatch, and 5) the development of the [Community Safety Survey](#) by the Office of Inclusive Excellence (OIE) which focused on collecting perceptions and experiences around campus policing and strategies for reform. PSAC was also an active and independent voice in the development of the Police Accountability Board (PAB). The PAB will be an independent accountability board composed of students, staff, and faculty from the UCI community. The PAB will independently review police-related complaints, and its creation was a mandate of the UC Community Safety Plan. More information on this work-to-date can be found here: [UC Community Safety Plan: Campus Report](#).

PSAC recognizes that our work is far from over. PSAC continues to strive for both short-term changes and long-term transformation in the policing of our campus community. PSAC invites all community members to be a part of our collective efforts. We invite you to view our work on www.pfac.edu. In addition, if you have particular issues or suggestions related to policing and public safety at UCI that you would like to share with PSAC, please contact us at PSAC@uci.edu.

Sincerely,



Kelli Sharp
PSAC Vice Chair, Associate Professor
Claire Trevor School of the Arts, Dance
Department



Katie Tinto
PSAC Chair, Clinical Professor of Law
School of Law

Background

The Public Safety Advisory Committee (PSAC) was established in February 2018, created thanks to recommendations put forward by then UCI Academic Senate Chair William Parker in June 2017. The Senate Cabinet endorsed recommendations from the report produced by the ad hoc UCIPD-UCI Community Relations Committee convened by the Academic Senate in fall 2016.

Description and Charge

The Public Safety Advisory Committee proactively seeks the advice and counsel from a diverse group of community members regarding issues that impact the safety and quality of life of students, faculty, staff, and visitors of the UCI campus and UCI Medical Center.

Public Safety Advisory Committee serves as a link between the campus community and the UCI Police Department. PSAC provides a forum to discuss and make recommendations on public policies, community outreach, and may participate on hiring panels for key UCI Police Department personnel. The advisory committee produces an annual report which summarizes its activities and includes key data of interest to the campus community, including the number and types of complaints the UCI Police Department receives.

PSAC Membership

The Public Safety Advisory Committee members represent the diversity of campus stakeholders, including students, faculty, and staff of UCI. Members are appointed by the CFO and Vice Chancellor of the Division of Finance and Administration from nominations provided by representative groups. Current membership can be found on the PSAC website:

psac.uci.edu/membership.

Committee Leadership

- Katie Tinto, Chair – Clinical Professor, School of Law
- Kelli Sharp, Vice Chair – Associate Professor, Claire Trevor School of the Arts, Department of Dance¹

Committee Members

- Adisa Ajamu – Director, Center for Black Cultures, Resources, and Research
- Kabria Allen-Ziaee – Residence Life Coordinator, Student Housing
- Karen Andrews – Director, Disability Services Center²
- Davidian Bishop – Director, LGBT Resource Center
- Gwen Black – Director of Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action, Office of Equal Opportunity & Diversity
- John Bodenschatz – Director of Finance, School of Humanities & Vice Chair, UCI Staff Assembly
- Joe Brothman – Director, EH&S, UCI Medical Center
- Angela Chen – Director, DREAM Center
- Paul Cooper – Assistant Chief of Police, UCI Police Department (ex officio member)
- Reginald Gardner – President, Associated Graduate Students
- Yoseph Ghazal – President, Associated Students³
- Adam Kasarda – Director, Disability Services Center⁴
- Kerry Kimble, Assistant Director, Disability Services Center⁵
- Joseph Morales – Associate Director, Office of Inclusive Excellence
- Sarah Semaan – President, Associated Students⁶
- Carroll Seron – Professor Emerita, School of Social Ecology⁷
- Hobart Taylor – Chairman, Homeowner Representative Board (HRB), University Hills
- Michelle Wei – President, Associated Students⁸

Committee Staff

- Mary Clark – Chief of Staff, Division of Finance and Administration

¹Served as Acting Chair January – July 2022

²Served through February 2022

³Replaced Michelle Wei in February 2022

⁴Replaced Kerry Kimble in September 2022

⁵Replaced Karen Andrews in March 2022

⁶Replaced Yoseph Ghazal in June 2022

⁷Served through June 2022

⁸Served June 2021 – January 2022

UCI Community Safety Timeline



Community Safety and UCI

In late 2020, PSAC oversaw an independent evaluation of the police department by a third-party expert which culminated in [Recommendations for the Transformation of Public Safety in the UCI Community](#). With four central recommendations, each of which includes short-term action items and long-term goals, the recommendations reflect foundational, sustainable change. Endorsed by Chancellor Gillman in February 2021, Doug Haynes, vice chancellor for Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion, was appointed to oversee development of an exemplary new model for ensuring a vision of safety campus where every member can thrive.

Under the leadership of UC President Drake, the two-part [Campus Safety Symposium](#) for members of the systemwide UC community were held in early 2021. Each campus was charged with convening its own Campus Safety Task Force, and PSAC served in that capacity. The discussions and work that followed resulted in the [UC Community Safety Plan](#) announced in Summer 2021. The plan includes four guidelines and associated actions.

The results of these two important UCI and UC systemwide initiatives were significantly aligned, as indicated by the guidelines and recommendations below:



GUIDELINE 1	RECOMMENDATION 1
<p>Community and Service-Driven Safety</p> <p>Campus safety policies and practices must reflect the needs and values of our diverse community and be in service to them. This fundamental ideal is reflected throughout the plan.</p>	<p>Mission Statement and Set of Core Values Underlying Public Safety</p> <p>Develop and adopt a mission statement and set of core values underlying public safety as desired and envisioned by the UCI community.</p>
GUIDELINE 2	RECOMMENDATIONS 4 & ADDITIONAL
<p>Holistic, Inclusive, and Tiered Response Services</p> <p>Campuses will integrate policing with mental health, wellness, basic needs, and bias/hate response through inter-departmental partnerships and cross-trainings. Multi-disciplinary teams will triage behavioral health crises, conduct wellness checks, and safely connect individuals to coordinated care, including health and social support resources.</p>	<p>Holistic Campus Safety Framework</p> <p>Align performance standards with campus safety standards and values as determined by UCI Community. Expand the roles of non-police entities for certain types of calls, especially related to mental health crises.</p>

GUIDELINE 3

RECOMMENDATION 2

Transparency and Continuous Improvement Through Data

Campuses will collect and publicly share uniform campus safety data on a UC-wide dashboard to empower the UC community and inform change.

Data Collection and Management

Improve data collection and management to enhance assessment and evaluation of the efficacy and practices of the police department and to determine what type of public safety services are needed.

GUIDELINE 4

RECOMMENDATIONS 3 & ADDITIONAL

Accountability and Independent Oversight

Police accountability boards on every campus will provide a robust complaint investigation process to ensure that officers are acting consistently with the rules, policies, and the law.

Complaint Investigative Process and Feedback Mechanism

Construct a more responsive complaint investigative process and feedback mechanism that prompts campus safety expectations and community standards. Develop a new accountability mechanism to increase community oversight.

Implementation Progress Highlights:

- In early 2022, the inaugural [Community Safety Survey](#) was launched under the leadership of the Office of Inclusive Excellence. Developed with significant input from PSAC, the purpose of the 2022 Community Safety Survey was to provide the UCI community the opportunity to share their experiences and perceptions of the UCI Police Department and to hear suggestions on ways to improve campus safety.



- A tiered response model for community safety has been developed with a holistic approach that matches a call for service with the appropriate type of response and responder(s). UCI's **Community Safety Partners Group (CSPG)** represents mental health, wellness, basic needs, bias/hate response, law enforcement, emergency response and other services through interdepartmental partnerships. In addition, UCI will partner with Be Well OC to serve members of the UCI community experiencing mental health and substance use challenges, and other non-medical emergency challenges.



- A subcommittee of PSAC members worked collaboratively with staff to develop a model for transparency and accountability regarding civilian complaints against sworn police officers. Plans for the UCI **Police Accountability Board (PAB)** based on the UC Davis model are well underway. The vice chancellor for Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion will provide oversight and administrative support to the PAB. Related to the PAB, UC Davis will be providing UCI and other UC campuses investigation services for community complaints filed against sworn members of the Police Department.
- The [PSAC town hall](#) took place on May 10, 2022 and accommodated both in-person and virtual attendees. The town hall served to provide an update and gather input from the UCI community regarding community safety. More than 150 people attended (74 in-person; 75+ virtually). After an opening statement from Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor Hal Stern, Vice Chancellor Douglas Haynes reviewed the framework for campus safety at UCI and a new campus safety module added to the Inclusive Excellence Certificate program. Vice Chancellor Haynes also provided initial results from the Community Safety Survey as a starting point to better inform and explore what public safety at UCI should entail. A panel followed where members of the in-person and virtual audiences posed questions that panel members answered.



Monthly Meetings

Meeting Summary – October 11, 2021

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Ron Cortez, CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	Debrief: Limited Access Protocol Functional Exercise on August 26, 2021	David Ott, Assistant Vice Chancellor, Support Services Karen Andrews, Director, Disability Services Center Kabria Allen-Ziaee, Residence Life Coordinator, Student Housing
4.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Katie Tinto
Davidian Bishop
Gwen Black
John Bodenschatz

Joe Brothman
Paul Cooper
Reginald Gardner

Carroll Seron
Kelli Sharp
Hobart Taylor

CFO and Vice Chancellor Ron Cortez announced that he will be leaving UCI in December. He provided an update on the implementation of the UC Community Safety Plan.

Chief Griffin shared about her role on the UC Community Safety Plan Data Dashboard sub-committee. She reminded PSAC that UCIPD is now utilizing the SPIDR Tech survey platform which provides an opportunity for any caller to give feedback on their experience. PD has also revised the survey on the UCIPD website for those not reached via SPIDR Tech. She touched on the role of the Public Safety Officers on campus and plans to permanently fill those positions.

Assistant Vice Chancellor David Ott discussed the Limited Access Protocol functional exercise held at Aldrich Hall on August 26 and shared the recommendations that came from it.

Meeting Summary – November 8, 2021

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Ron Cortez, CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	PSAC Card	Katie Tinto, Chair
4.	Update on implementation of UC Community Safety Plan	Mary Clark, Chief of Staff
5.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Katie Tinto
Kabria Allen-Ziaee
Karen Andrews
Davidian Bishop

Gwen Black
John Bodenschatz
Joe Brothman
Paul Cooper

Reginald Gardner
Joseph Morales
Carroll Seron
Kelli Sharp

CFO and Vice Chancellor Ron Cortez thanked members for their work in moving PSAC forward and noted their achievements during his tenure at UCI. This meeting was his last meeting with the group before leaving UCI.

Chief Griffin shared an overview of the first monthly report from SPIDR Tech survey platform, implemented at the end of September for people who call UCIPD.

PSAC members discussed various design options and the content to be included on a resource card for the community.

Chief of Staff Mary Clark provided an update on the implementation of the UC Community Safety Plan and the roles of campuses and the UC system for each required action.

Meeting Summary – January 10, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Rick Coulon, Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	Update on implementation of PSAC recommendations	Doug Haynes, Vice Chancellor for Equity, Diversity and Inclusion
4.	Town Hall	
5.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp
Kabria Allen-Ziaee
Karen Andrews
Davidian Bishop

Gwen Black
John Bodenschatz
Joe Brothman
Paul Cooper

Joseph Morales
Carroll Seron
Hobart Taylor
Michelle Wei

Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon introduced himself to PSAC. Each member shared background and involvement in public safety. He thanked Professor Kelli Sharp who is serving as Acting PSAC Chair through July in Professor Katie Tinto's absence during her sabbatical. Provided an update on UC Community Safety Plan which reinforces and complements the recommendations that emerged from the review led by PSAC in 2020. He recognized the work of Kelli Sharp and Katie Tinto serving on the Police Accountability Board (PAB) subcommittee.

Chief Griffin shared that the data dashboard on the UCIPD website has been expanded to include calls for service and budget information. She also provided an update on the agreement with Be Well OC to support the mental health crisis response on campus.

Vice Chancellor Doug Haynes presented the Campus Safety Framework, a product of the work by the UCI Campus Safety Workgroup charged with the directing the implementation of the recommendations associated with PSAC's report, "Transformation of Public Safety in the UCI Community." The framework is reimagining and articulating what safety means at UCI.

PSAC discussed format and logistics for the PSAC Town Hall to be held later in the academic year.

Meeting Summary – February 14, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Rick Coulon, Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	AGS Safety Subcommittee Update	Reginald Gardner, AGS Representative
4.	Climate and Whistleblower Update	Professor Kelli Sharp
5.	Town Hall <i>Please share your ideas on shared Google Doc</i>	All
6.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp
Kabria Allen-Ziaee
Karen Andrews
Gwen Black

John Bodenschatz
Joe Brothman
Angela Chen
Reginald Gardner

Yoseph Ghazal
Joseph Morales
Carroll Seron
Hobart Taylor

Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon introduced the new ASUCI President, Yoseph Ghazal, to PSAC. He also thanked Karen Andrews for her service and announced that Kerry Kimble will replace Karen on PSAC to represent the Disability Services Center.

Chief Griffin updated the group on the status of the agreement with Be Well OC to support the mental health crisis response on campus.

Reginald Gardner gave an update on safety goals for AGS.

Professor Kelli Sharp shared what she learned about the differences between Campus Climate and Whistleblower reporting and summarized the process after a complaint has been filed.

PSAC Town Hall planning ideas were discussed.

Meeting Summary – March 14, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Rick Coulon, CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	Proposed Justice Center	Yoseph Ghazal, President, ASUCI Dr Keramet Reiter, Professor and Vice Chair for Criminology, Law, and Society/Director of UCI Lifted Hector Cervantes, Associate Specialist for Underground Scholars Danielle Gurian, ASUCI Social Ecology Senator/Social Ecology Undergraduate Student
4.	Finalize PSAC Town Hall	
5.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp	John Bodenschatz	Yoseph Ghazal
Adisa Ajamu	Joe Brothman	Kerry Kimble
Kabria Allen-Ziaee	Angela Chen	Joseph Morales
Davidian Bishop	Paul Cooper	Carroll Seron
Gwen Black	Reginald Gardner	Hobart Taylor

Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon gave an update on the UC Community Safety Plan implementation and systemwide efforts. He also provided an update on UC Berkeley's community safety survey results which was conducted by The People Lab.

Chief Griffin reported on new police bicycles, along with uniforms consisting of shorts and polo shirts for officers. She gave updates on the UC Community Safety Plan as relates to the holistic tiered campus response model. UCIPD is collecting data for the data dashboard and RIPA's state mandate to include additional data.

Presenters discussed the proposal to establish a Justice Center and having a centralized space for all their programs. Discussed UCI LIFTED project.

Discussion on ideas for the upcoming Town Hall.

Meeting Summary – April 11, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Rick Coulon, Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">Update on SPIDR Tech Customer Service Platform for Public Safety	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	PSAC Town Hall Planning	
4.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp
Kabria Allen-Ziaee
Gwen Black

John Bodenschatz
Joe Brothman

Reginald Gardner
Hobart Taylor

Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon introduced Stephanie Damian from the Office of the CFO and Vice Chancellor to PSAC. Stephanie will assist in staffing PSAC. Regarding the UC Community Safety Plan implementation, the group of systemwide “responsible officers” continues to meet monthly to track progress on both systemwide actions, as well as progress on actions the campus is responsible for. Of note is the search for a systemwide director of community safety which will provide oversight, coordination, and monitoring of the implementation of the UC Community Safety Plan across the University of California system. Candidates have been identified for interview. The creation of this new role reflects UC’s commitment to community safety.

Chief Griffin shared an update on SPIDR Tech survey platform which assesses customer service for calls for service.

PSAC Town Hall Planning topics were discussed regarding the date, time, flyer details, goals, refreshments, photography, ASL interpreters, agenda, meet and greet table, communication, and marketing plans. PSAC will work with Provost Stern and the other speakers on messaging. Action items include sending out the flyer draft and agenda to members for feedback.

Meeting Summary – May 09, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Rick Coulon, Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	PSAC Town Hall	
4.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp
Davidian Bishop
Gwen Black
Joe Brothman

Angela Chen
Paul Cooper
Reginald Gardner
Kerry Kimble

Joseph Morales
Carroll Seron
Hobart Taylor

Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon recognized Carroll Seron for her four years of service to this committee and for serving as the inaugural PSAC Chair. He also provided an update on the systemwide implementation of the UC Community Safety Plan. He shared that that UC Davis has proposed conducting investigations of community complaints against sworn police officers for other police departments across the UC system.

Chief Griffin provided an update on Vehicles, Uniforms and Equipment (VUE) workgroup, one of the subgroups of the UC Community Safety Plan implementation. The ten UC Chiefs of Police met and discussed the recommendations and how they will be rolled out across the system.

PSAC Town Hall Planning topics were summarized regarding the date, time, refreshments, photography, ASL interpreters, presenters, panel, and agenda. PSAC presenters will include Provost Stern who will talk about the importance of community safety, Rick Coulon will discuss Community Safety Plan Implementation, and Doug Haynes will provide an update on implementation of PSAC recommendations and share initial data from the UCI Community Safety Survey.

Meeting Summary – June 13, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Rick Coulon, Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	Town Hall Debrief	All
4.	PAB Update	Prof. Kelli Sharp, Acting Chair
5.	Planning for 2022-23 Academic Year	Prof. Kelli Sharp, Acting Chair
6.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp
Gwen Black
John Bodenschatz

Joe Brothman
Paul Cooper

Carroll Seron
Hobart Taylor

Interim CFO and Vice Chancellor Rick Coulon provided an update on the UC Community Safety Plan and UCI's progress on implementation. Full updated status reports through June 30, 2022 from each campus will be posted to the UCOP website. <https://www.ucop.edu/community-safety-plan/reports/campus-progress-reports-july2022.html>

Chief Griffin updated PSAC that the Be Well OC agreement continues moving through the UCI contracting process. Feedback from the community gave UCIPD an overall SPIDR Tech experience score of 4 out of 5 stars, which equates to satisfied - very satisfied.

PSAC's Town Hall had 74 staff, faculty, PSAC members, and Police Officers in attendance. Additionally, there were more than 75 individuals who attended online, and the recorded event had 439 YouTube views.

PSAC members discussed having a big presence at the beginning of the 2022-2023 Academic Year and to implement listening sessions for students.

Police Accountability Board (PAB) update included the charge of the board, an overview of PAB roles, and where the PAB will be managed.

The next PSAC Town Hall date needs to be scheduled.

Meeting Summary – August 8, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	Introductions and CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Mary Lou Ortiz, CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Liz Griffin, Chief of Police
3.	Campus Climate Concerns	Bradford Chin, Campus Climate Director, AGS
4.	Planning for 2022-23 Academic Year	
5.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Kelli Sharp

Kabria Allen-Ziaee

Gwen Black

John Bodenschatz

Joe Brothman

Angela Chen

Bradford Chin

Reginald Gardner

Joseph Morales

Sarah Semaan

Hobart Taylor

Mary Lou D. Ortiz, UCI's new CFO and Vice Chancellor of DFA, introduced herself, and PSAC members introduced themselves. She provided an update on the UC Community Safety Plan. Jody Stiger is the new systemwide Director of Community Safety. His role will be to work with campus leadership to continue the full implementation of the systemwide plan. Additionally, the recommendations for Uniforms, Vehicles, and Equipment (VUE) have been finalized and are posted to the UC Community Safety website (<https://www.ucop.edu/community-safety-plan/index.html>). The UCI Police Department has begun implementation of the recommendations and is coordinating with Transportation & Distribution Services, as the VUE recommendations impact that department as well.

In her update, Chief Griffin shared that UCIPD is offering active shooter response training campuswide. She proposed to HR, the Academic Senate and Academic Personnel about making this training mandatory for new hires. UCIPD will also be informing students that this training is available.

Bradford Chin, Campus Climate Director from AGS, was a guest speaker. He spoke about the social media posts of the UCI College Republicans (a university-recognized student organization).

PSAC members discussed planning for the 2022-2023 Academic Year and potentially participating in the Anteatr Involvement Fair.

The next PSAC Town Hall date needs to be scheduled.

Meeting Summary – September 12, 2022

#	Agenda Topic	Presenter
1.	CFO and Vice Chancellor Update	Mary Lou D. Ortiz, CFO and Vice Chancellor
2.	Chief of Police Update	Paul Cooper, Assistant Chief of Police
3.	UC Community Safety Plan Vehicles, Uniforms and Equipment (VUE)	Paul Cooper, Assistant Chief of Police
4.	PSAC Annual Report	Mary Clark, DFA Chief of Staff
5.	Planning for 2022-23 Academic Year	All
6.	Executive Session	

PSAC Member Attendees:

Katie Tinto	Davidian Bishop	Reginald Gardner	Kelli Sharp
Kabria Allen-Ziaee	Gwen Black	Adam Kasarda	Hobart Taylor
	Paul Cooper	Sarah Semaan	

Mary Lou D. Ortiz welcomed back Professor Katie Tinto, PSAC Chair, and thanked Professor Kelli Sharp for serving as Acting Chair for the past eight months. She announced that she is naming Kelli Sharp Vice Chair of PSAC. She provided an update on PAB plans and thanked PSAC for their contributions and recommendations. The Office of Inclusive Excellence is holding its annual Institute on Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion on September 20, 2022 and will include a table discussion on community safety. Vice Chancellors Mary Lou Ortiz and Willie Banks will facilitate the discussion. The UCI community is invited to participate, and PSAC members are encouraged to attend.

Assistant Chief of Police Paul Cooper confirmed that UCIPD added a second K9 unit to UCIPD. K9 “Max” is an explosives and article search dog that works at the UCI Medical Center, and K9 “Cliff”, works at the UCI campus. He also shared that UCI will be implementing a new bicycle registration program, Project 529, in partnership with Transportation & Distribution Services which will streamline the bicycle registration process (<https://project529.com/garage/organizations/uci/landing>). He provided additional updates on the Community Safety Plan - Vehicle, Uniform and Equipment (VUE) recommendations.

Mary Clark shared the plan for developing the 2021-22 annual report and requested feedback. The draft report will be shared with PSAC.

PSAC members discussed planning for the 2022-2023 Academic Year and will gauge interest in participating in the Anteatr Involvement Fair. Discussion followed on ways to increase community outreach.

The next PSAC Town Hall date needs to be scheduled. The Office of Inclusive Excellence will be invited to a future PSAC meeting to provide an update on the Police Accountability Board (PAB) and Community Safety survey results.

Police Department Complaint Data

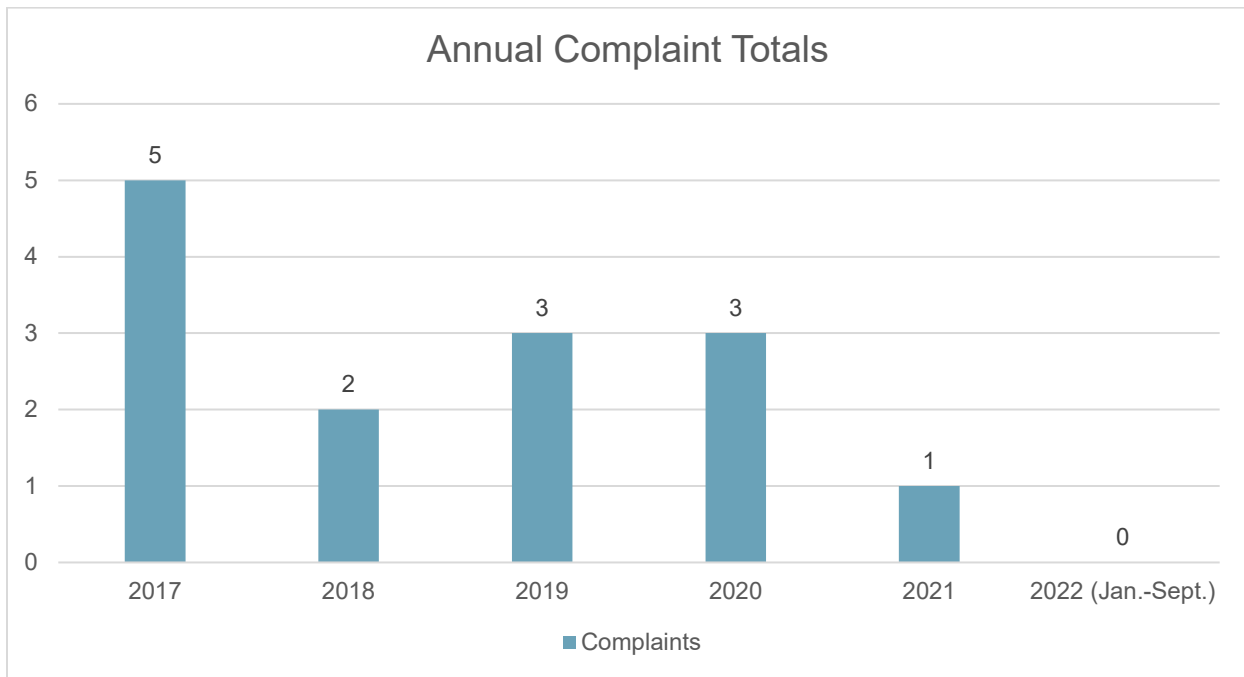
Formal complaints result in an investigation, and complainants are notified of the disposition. The average time it takes to process and investigate a complaint is between three and six months; however, each case is unique. Additional information regarding complaints can be found on the UCI Police Department website: police.uci.edu/commendations-complaints.

The possible findings are:

- **Unfounded:** When the investigation discloses that the alleged act(s) did not occur or did not involve Department personnel. Complaints, which are determined to be frivolous, will fall within the classification of unfounded.
- **Exonerated:** When the investigation discloses that the alleged act occurred, but that the act was justified, lawful and/or proper.
- **Not Sustained:** When the investigation discloses that, there is insufficient evidence to sustain the complaint or fully exonerate the employee.
- **Sustained:** When the investigation discloses sufficient evidence to establish that the act occurred and that it constituted misconduct.
- **No Finding:** The complainant failed to provide additional information needed to complete the investigation.
- **Complaint Withdrawn:** The complainant affirmatively indicates the desire to withdraw their complaint.
- **Mediation:** By mutual agreement with all involved parties the case was mediated and the complaint withdrawn.
- **Referred to Other Entity:** The investigation determined that persons other than UC Irvine Police employees were involved or the investigation falls within the jurisdiction of the UCI Office of Equal Opportunity and Diversion (OEOD).

UCI Campus & Medical Center Complaint Status Overview

The UCI Police Department launched their [data dashboard](#) in September 2021. Annual crime statistics, complaints, RIPA stop data and more can be found on the website at police.uci.edu.



Officer-Initiated stops, also referred to as “Stop Data”

Stop data is defined as any detention or search (including consensual searches). Reports are available at the following link: <https://police.uci.edu/how-do-i/contact-data.php>.

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