

**UCI** Police
Department**CRIME ALERT****ATTEMPTED KIDNAPPING**

At approximately 5:40am, this morning, a UCI student was walking in the area of the 200 Block of Arroyo Drive when she was approached by a male, light complexion, (no further description provided) who was driving an older model, blue, Toyota Rav 4, 4-door, with an unknown object hanging from the rearview mirror. The male suspect asked the student if she needed a ride and she told him she did not. The male suspect then told the student he had a gun and the female student refused to get in the vehicle. The male suspect then drove off going West on Arroyo Drive towards California Avenue.

If you have information that could be helpful in this investigation, please contact UCI Police Department at (949) 824-5223.

Safety Tips:

- If you feel you are being followed, cross the street, yell, run and look for a well-lit area or occupied building. Dial 9-1-1.
- Tell someone where you are going, who you will be with and when you will be back.
- The UCI Police Department Safety Escort Program is available to anyone by calling (949) 824-SAFE (7233).

Sincerely,**Jorge Cisneros, Chief**

UCI Crime Alerts are released by the UCI Police Department when certain crimes are reported on or near UCI property, in compliance with federal law. These Crime Alerts provide information about campus safety situations and allow campus community members to take precautions for personal safety.