

Frequently Asked Questions

- **How many hours do CSAs typically work?**

On average, a CSA will work between 15-20 hours per week. During academic breaks, a CSA can work up to 39.5 hours per week.

- **Is work scheduled around my classes?**

Yes, work hours revolve around class schedules, including midterms and finals. Since the majority of shifts occur during the evening time, it's the perfect on-campus job as it will seldom conflict with your daytime activities.

- **Do I need to have police experience to work in this job?**

Students are hired from all kinds of backgrounds which creates a fun and diverse team. If you are assertive, confident, and possess a positive attitude, come apply!

- **How can the CSA Program relate to my career goals?**

Experience from the CSA Program will benefit any career goal you have because the job will train you in the areas of discipline, leadership, patience, teamwork, and communication in addition to many other skills.

For those looking to pursue a career in law enforcement after graduation, the CSA Program is an outstanding way to experience and explore the facets of the industry. Take a look at our alumni list on the back of this brochure!

CSA ALUMNI

UCIPD CSAs have gone on to join some of the most prestigious departments in our country!

UC Irvine Police Department	Police Officer, Dispatcher, Administrative Personnel
UCLA Police Department	Police Officer
Irvine Police Department	Police Officer
Orange County Sheriff's Department	Deputy
Los Angeles Police Department	Police Officer
U.S. Postal Inspection Service	Postal Inspector
Anaheim Police Department	Dispatcher
Huntington Beach Police Department	Police Officer
San Diego Police Department	Police Officer
FBI	Police Officer; Analyst
Coronado Police Department	Police Officer
Ventura County Sheriff's Department	Deputy
San Jose Police Department	Police Officer
U.S. Customs and Border Protection	Officer
Chino Police Department	Police Officer



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CSA PROGRAM

COMMUNITY SAFETY AMBASSADOR



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What is a CSA?

Community Safety Ambassadors (CSAs) are student employees who serve as the “eyes and ears” for the UCI Police Department.

CSAs perform various tasks, including the following:

- ▶ Safety Escorts
- ▶ Campus Patrols
- ▶ Patrol and close down University Hills Community Center
- ▶ Building Unlock and Lock-Ups
- ▶ Special Events Security (i.e. conferences, dances, athletic events, etc.)
- ▶ Test campus emergency blue phones
- ▶ Work with UCIPD Police Officers, Dispatchers, and Administrative Staff on special assignments

Shift times typically occur after 5pm on weekdays and throughout the day on weekends.

Join Our Team

UCIPD is dedicated to adding a diverse group of students to our team who will represent the goals of the CSA program. We seek friendly, responsible, and outgoing individuals committed to serving their peers at UCI and the surrounding Irvine community.

Why this opportunity is great for you!

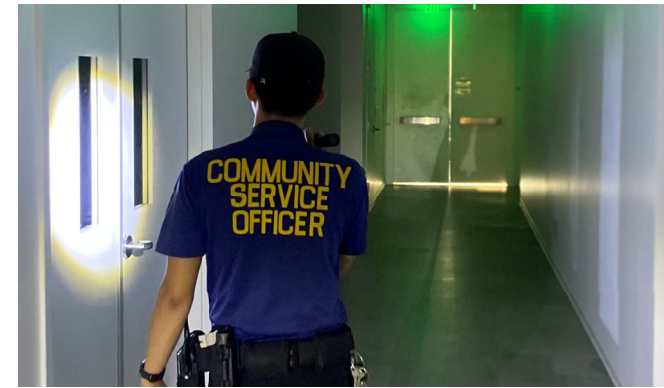
- ◇ On-campus job that’s open to all majors
- ◇ Starting pay of \$15.00 per hour (\$15.50 upon completion of probationary period)
- ◇ No previous law enforcement experience required
- ◇ Opportunities to promote within the program

Requirements

- ◇ Full-time UCI undergraduate student
- ◇ Must maintain a 2.4 GPA or higher (cumulative and quarterly)
- ◇ Have at least 1 academic year remaining at UCI
- ◇ A valid Class C California driver’s license (has not been previously suspended or revoked)
- ◇ Ability to work 15-20 hours per week
- ◇ Availability on weekends
- ◇ Successfully pass a background check

Think you got what it takes to join our team?

APPLY TODAY!
police.uci.edu/about-us/csa.php



Leadership Opportunities

The CSA Program strives to build camaraderie among its staff and team while also providing great leadership opportunities with our promotional pathways as well as special teams and assignments.

Special Assignments;

Hiring Team: Conduct interviews and background investigations. Attend recruiting events on behalf of the program.

Community Engagement Team: Organize bonding events with CSAs and coordinate community-oriented events in support of the department's values and mission.

Front Desk: Operate campus lost & found services. Conduct LiveScan and ink fingerprinting. General administrative duties and responsibilities.

Promotional Pathway;

Field Training Officers: Training Recruit and Level 1 CSAs. Complete various unlocks and lockups around campus. Act as shift leads during large events and Officer in Charge (OIC) during safety escort shifts.

Lead Positions: Serve as coordinator for each subdivision of the program. Work directly with CSA Program Manager to ensure program runs smoothly.

- ◇ Front Desk Operations Lead
- ◇ Hiring & On-Boarding Lead
- ◇ Scheduling & Administration Lead
- ◇ Training & Administrative Lead
- ◇ Vehicle & Equipment Lead