

UC Irvine

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BICYCLIST & PEDESTRIAN SAFETY

Ride Respectfully in Shared Spaces

With the start of the new academic year and an increase in campus activity, it is essential to maintain a safe environment in shared spaces for everyone. To help prevent collisions and injuries, **e-scooters, e-unicycles, hoverboards, skateboards, and skate devices** are **not permitted** to be ridden on the campus.

Non-motorized bicycles or scooters, and pedal-assist e-bikes are permitted, but riders must follow the 8MPH speed limit and dismount in designated zones, including [Ring Mall](#). Our [Bicycle Education & Enforcement Program \(B.E.E.P.\)](#) team will be actively patrolling these areas to remind riders of campus rules and promote safe riding habits.

Riding responsibly is not only about personal safety but also about considering the well-being of others and making shared spaces safe for everyone.

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Celebrate Cycling at uciRIDEtoberfest: Oct. 8 & 9

UC Irvine Transportation invites students, faculty, staff, and campus affiliates to join us for our annual festival of bikes, [uciRIDEtoberfest](#), taking place on October 8 and 9 at the Aldrich Hall flagpoles! This two-day event is your chance to explore hands-on demos, meet fellow cyclists, and pick up tips for safe and confident riding on campus. Attendees will also have the chance to purchase a bike during our reCycle bike fair.

uciRIDEtoberfest is all about celebrating biking as a healthy, sustainable, and convenient way to get around campus. Whether you ride every day or are just starting out, there is something here for you. Come by, have fun, and get inspired to make biking part of your routine!



[Learn More About uciRIDEtoberfest »](#)

October Events: Bike Safety & Sustainable Commutes

This October, take part in events and programs that boost your biking skills and encourage new ways to commute more sustainably:

- [National Rideshare Week](#)**
 October 6-10
[Take the pledge](#) to commute sustainably by biking, walking, taking transit, or carpooling, and be entered to win a Commuter Essentials Kit.
- [Smart Cycling Online Course](#)**
 October 14 & 15, 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
 Learn safe riding techniques, rules of the road, and how to navigate campus bike paths.
- [Bike Lock Demonstration](#)**
 October 22, 12:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m., Ring Mall
 Get tips on how to lock and secure your bike properly to prevent theft.

Participating in these programs is a simple way to try sustainable transportation options and support a safe campus for everyone.

Ride, Lead, & Inspire: Join the BikeUCI Ambassadors

The [BikeUCI Ambassador program](#) is a great way to combine your love for biking with safety and education. Ambassadors support fellow Anteaters by sharing bike safety tips, helping navigate the campus, and promoting cycling as a fun, sustainable way to get around. Participants connect with other students and staff, take part in events and workshops, and gain valuable experience in leadership and community engagement while earning points and exclusive prizes for their involvement. Join our [BikeUCI Ambassadors](#) and help shape a more bike-friendly future at UC Irvine.

[Learn More About BikeUCI Ambassadors »](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS & DEMONSTRATIONS

UC Irvine Transportation hosts regular events and demonstrations so you can be more knowledgeable about safety, bike care, and bike security.

OCTOBER 2025 BIKE EVENTS						
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5	National Rideshare Week Oct. 6-10		uciRIDEtoberfest		10	11
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19	Smart Cycling Online Training		Bike Lock Demo		24	25
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Visit our [Bike Website](#) to learn more and stay updated on upcoming events.