





“Safety is far more than Campus Protection officers on patrol. It’s about community connection, looking out for each other, vigilance and awareness. It’s about knowing the people who live, work and study around you. When we say ‘take care’, we don’t just mean take care of yourself or be cautious. It’s about taking the time to take care of the people around you. It’s about knowing your surroundings and taking active steps towards making them safe. Report any suspicious activity, alert your community, avoid unsafe areas and travel in numbers. That’s how we keep UCT as safe as possible.”

**ROLAND SEPTEMBER**

Director: Risk Services



**Did you know?**

The UCT Shuttle offers a scheduled service during the week from 07:30 to 18:00. After hours, it runs a service to and from the residences every half hour (Monday to Thursday from 18:30 to 01:00 and on Fridays from 18:30 to 22:00). When the UCT Shuttle stops running at night, CPS will escort staff and students on foot to their residences if requested. Keep in mind that there may be delays in this service if CPS officers are attending to other issues.



**UCT Disability Service**

If you have a disability and need help getting around campus safely, contact the Disability Service on 021 650 2427 or Cedric.Williams@uct.ac.za [students.uct.ac.za/students/support/disability-service](https://students.uct.ac.za/students/support/disability-service)

**Your safety**

**CALL 080 650 2222**

Your safety matters. Protect yourself and those around you by familiarising yourself with the safety and wellness services at UCT and asking for help when you need it.

**Campus Protection Services**

At any one time, 80 Campus Protection officers are on duty and can help you, no matter where you are on campus. Officers operate on foot, in marked cars, on bicycles and on two-wheeler scooters around the clock. They are also trained to deal with the practical and legal aspects of any situation that may arise.



CPS monitors 300 cameras on campus at all times and runs seven mobile kiosks and six permanent security centres at strategic points. CPS offices can be found at:

- 1 Burnage House (adjacent to Leo Marquard Hall) 021 650 2222/3
- 2 Upper campus (Robert Leslie Social Sciences Building) 021 650 2121
- 3 Middle campus (Kramer Building) 021 650 5759 / 021 650 3022
- 4 Medical campus (Barnard Fuller Building) 021 406 6690 / 021 406 6100
- 5 Forest Hill residence (Main Road, Mowbray) 021 650 3856
- 6 Hiddingh campus (Orange Street, Cape Town) 021 406 7101



**Important numbers**



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**Emergency number**

CPS 24-hour hotline 080 650 2222

**UCT services**

UCT Student Careline 0800 24 25 26  
(free from Telkom lines)  
SMS (for a callback) 31393  
Disability Service 021 650 2427  
Student Wellness Service 021 650 1017/1020  
Survivor Support (OIC) 072 393 7824  
24-hour hotline

**Cape Town emergency hotlines**

From a Telkom landline 107  
From a cellphone 021 480 7700

**Police**

Flying squad 10111  
Rondebosch 021 685 7345  
Mowbray 021 680 9580  
Woodstock 021 442 3117/21  
Cape Town Central 021 467 8000/1/2

**Rape Crisis hotline**

021 447 9762

**Rescue**

Mountain 021 948 9900  
Sea 021 449 3500

\*Information last updated in January 2022