UCPD Crime Alert: Cell Phone Theft on Campus

On 8/8/16, at about 6:20 p.m., UCPD received a report of a theft of a cell phone on campus. A woman reported that at 6:00 p.m. she was walking in the area between the Sproul Hall buildings towards the Humanities building while viewing a video on her cell phone. A man ran up behind her, grabbed her phone out of her hand and continued running towards the Humanities building. The victim was not injured.

Suspect Description:
- Black male, 23 years old, thin build, wearing a black baseball cap, short sleeve green shirt and black pants.

UCPD officers checked the area, but could not find the suspect. UCPD will be investigating this crime. We want to remind everyone to be aware of their surroundings and exercise caution when using high value electronic devices in open areas.