Crime Bulletin

UCPD Crime Alert Update: Suspect Posing as a Maintenance Worker Arrested

Last night, at about 10:30 p.m., an observant student who saw the crime alert about the suspect posing as a maintenance worker reported seeing the him at the Grand Marc Apartments. UCPD officers responded and arrested the suspect. Stolen property, including the clipboard and yellow construction vest, were recovered.

The suspect was identified as Isaiah Wright, 20 years old, of Riverside. Wright is not a UCR student or staff member. Wright was booked in Riverside County Jail on the following charges and his arraignment date is set for 10/3/19:

- Possession of drug paraphernalia
- Possession of narcotics
- Burglary

UCPD has had previous contact with Wright. On 9/24/19, at 3:30 p.m., Wright was contacted by UCPD in the A&I Residence Hall wearing UCR clothing and posing as an instructor. Wright was advised to leave or be subject to arrest for trespassing. Wright returned to campus on 9/26/19 at 1:00 a.m. and UCPD arrested him for trespassing. Wright wears UCR clothing and attempts to blend in to the campus community. A safety bulletin with Wright's picture and more details is posted on the UCPD website at this link: https://police.ucr.edu/document/safety-bulletin-isaiah-michael-wright

As always, UCPD asks our community to call us if you see anyone acting suspiciously or engaged in criminal activity.