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## **Riding the Waves at UCSB**

Surfing has always been popular at UC Santa Barbara, especially since we have our own beach. But it's been HUGE this week, with big waves pounding Campus Point Beach, attracting hundreds of surfers to the area. The waves were produced by Hurricane Marie to the south, a late-summer gift for surfing Gauchos. Videographer Spencer Bruttig went for a swim to meet the surfers and document the action.

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The University of California, Santa Barbara is a leading research institution that also provides a comprehensive liberal arts learning experience. Our academic community of faculty, students, and staff is characterized by a culture of interdisciplinary collaboration that is responsive to the needs of our multicultural and global society. All of this takes place within a living and learning environment like no other, as we draw inspiration from the beauty and resources of our extraordinary location at the edge of the Pacific Ocean.