

# Personal Transportation Policy

## I. Introduction

Subject to this policy and while exercising common sense and prudent judgment, Students, faculty, staff and visitors may use personal transportation, such as skateboards, bicycles, self-propelled scooters, motorized scooters and in-line skates on campus. Campus community members, visitors and personal transportation users (“riders”) must recognize and understand that the LMU campus is in an urban setting and those who choose to ride personal transportation always do so at their own risk. Riders are expected and required to adhere to the following policy and to exercise due care and caution at all times for their safety and the safety of others.

## II. Policy

### General Use

**A.** Riding personal transportation is prohibited inside all campus buildings, parking structures and in designated dismount zones.

**B.** The use of personal transportation for tricks, jumps, rail slides, grinds, etc., is prohibited.

**C.** Riders must always give pedestrians the right of way.

**D.** Riders are expected to obey all campus traffic signs, including stop signs.

**E.** Riders are to remain in designated bike lanes whenever possible and refrain from riding in or traversing traffic lanes. Care must be taken at all intersections.

**F.** Hitching onto another moving vehicle is strictly prohibited.

**G.** Riders may not impede or interfere with pedestrian traffic or the flow of motorized vehicles throughout campus.

**H.** Riders are expected to exercise care and courtesy at all times.

**I.** Motorized scooters, skateboards or similar motorized modes of transportation must be used on streets in designated bike lanes, and are not permitted on Regent’s Terrace, sidewalks, stairs, pool areas, athletic fields, amphitheater seating, within parking structures and in designated dismount zones.

**J.** Modes of personal transportation designed specifically for persons with disabilities (e.g. motorized wheelchairs) are permitted in the dismount zones.

**K.** Use of hoverboards (self-balancing scooterboards) is not permitted on campus.

**L.** Third-party shared scooters, including, but not limited to, Bird and Lime units, are not permitted on campus.

### Dismount Zones

In order to minimize risks to the safety of all community members, riders must dismount all forms of personal transportation in designated zones at all times. Please see a campus map for more details. There are five designated dismount zones:

Life Sciences Building (LSB) Arc of Time and LSB Courtyard – The entire area between Seaver Science Hall and the Life Sciences Building

Palm Walk – Ignatian Circle at Malone/Foley Annex to the William H. Hannon Library

Alumni Mall – Flagpoles to Palm Walk

Leavey Campus Promenade – William H. Hannon Library to the fourth-floor entrance to University Hall

LMU Drive Hill – (Bikes excepted) LMU Drive and sidewalk from the stop sign at the Southwest end of Rains Hall to the East end of University Hall

## III. Enforcement

Violators of this policy may be subject to the following sanctions:

### A. First Violation:

1. Citation and \$50 fine;
2. The mode of transportation may be confiscated;
3. Restitution for damages.

### B. Second and subsequent violations:

1. Citation and \$50 fine;
2. The mode of transportation may be confiscated;
3. Rider may be referred to Office of Student Conduct & Community Responsibility for Student Conduct Code proceedings.