The Garmin InReach SE+ satellite communication device (UCSC Sat Device) is intended to serve as an emergency communication tool and personal locator when engaged in university-related activities at remote areas with unreliable cell phone coverage. The UCSC Sat Device operates via the Iridium satellite network with global coverage when given a clear view of the sky.

All users must agree to the following terms prior to using a UC Sat Device:

* Review the manufacturer’s manual and attend a short in person training
* Keep the SOS button in the locked position
* Only activate the SOS button in a life threatening situation or other serious incident – activation triggers emergency response action via the International Emergency Response Coordination Center and will report your GPS coordinates to local emergency services
* Limit texting and transmission of GPS location pings to critical needs
* Use the preset texts (quick texts) saved in the device. The option for custom texts should be used for unique situations. Custom texts are more expensive. Excessive charges may be billed to your department.
* The device is intended for emergency communication, not posts on social media (Facebook, Tweeter and etc.)
* For first time users or short trips pairing the device with a smart phone is not encouraged
* The Iridium Satellite network provides near 100% global coverage, however some countries prohibit the importation of satellite communications equipment (including Chad, Cuba, India, Iran and North Korea) or require registration prior to entry (for example China, Russia, Sri Lanka). Prior to using the UCSC Sat Device internationally, check the applicable import/travel laws for your destination country or consult with EH&S.
* Contact fieldsafety@ucsc.edu, 831-502-7738 with any questions or to report a damaged, defective or lost unit. Your department may be charged a replacement fee for lost or damaged units.
* Provide the required contact information on the next page:

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| Destination |  |
| Trip Dates |  |
| Supervisor | |
| Name |  |
| Email |  |
| Phone |  |
| Alternate Contact Number |  |
| Emergency Contact - 1 | |
| Name |  |
| Email |  |
| Phone |  |
| Alternate Contact Number |  |
| Relation |  |
| Emergency Contact - 2 | |
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Please sign to indicate that you understand and accept the terms of this Use Agreement:

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