One in five women will experience sexual assault during their college career. In less than 5% of incidents the attack will be reported to law enforcement. Most frequently victims choose not to report believing the crime will not be taken seriously by authorities. Despite federal and state laws that require specific prevention education, reporting, and response activities, there are critical questions about whether campuses are doing enough to protect students. This roundtable discussion will examine efforts at UC Santa Barbara (UCSB) to improve the handling of sexual assault complaints, and to strengthen education and prevention programs.

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Introduction of Roundtable Participants
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Part 1: Complaint Process and Disciplinary Policies
Part 2: Sexual Assault Education and Prevention Programs

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