



CU at a glance

Fall 11 Enrollment

Boulder	30,417
Colorado Springs	9,321
Denver	14,445
Anschutz	3,556

Fall 11 Faculty

Instructional Faculty

Tenured & Tenure Track

Boulder	1,062
Colorado Springs	225
Denver	363
Anschutz	1,391

Non-Tenure Track

Boulder	945
Colorado Springs	487
Denver	694
Anschutz	964

Research Faculty/

Academic Research Staff &

Boulder	1,782
Colorado Springs	33
Anschutz	2,080
Denver/Anschutz	15

FY 11 Degrees Awarded

Boulder	8,046
Colorado Springs	1,889
Denver	3,637
Anschutz	953

FY 11 Research Awards

Boulder	\$359.1M
Colorado Springs	\$12.4M
Denver	\$21.8M
Anschutz	\$400.1M

Undergraduate Leadership Programs

Student Leadership Development

As stated by the *Council for the Advancement of Standards in Higher Education* (2009), "Leadership is an inherently relational process of working with others to accomplish a goal or to promote change." The University of Colorado, like many other institutions of higher learning, offers programs designed to help students become effective leaders. CU's leadership development programs benefit students by providing a platform to enhance their capabilities through curricular, co-curricular, and extracurricular components. CU student leadership programs are typically funded through: general funding, grants, student fees and/or private donations. Program participants experience various teaching approaches and learning formats, and have access to resources that help them acquire valuable skills applicable to many different professions, industries, and life endeavors.

University of Colorado Programs

CU-Boulder

CU-Boulder implements eleven undergraduate leadership programs. The campus offers a certificate program, *The Study and Practice of Leadership*, available to all undergraduates. Students earn the certificate via one of four programs: President's Leadership Class (PLC), Chancellor's Leadership Residential Academic Program (Leadership RAP), Reserved Officers' Training Corps (ROTC), and the INVST Community Studies program. All of the foregoing programs have major academic requirements, alongside a campus and community project – direct experiential education.

The **PLC** awards participants merit-based scholarships. The academic curriculum is structured for student participation in experiential and service learning projects. Approximately 150 to 175 students participate in PLC every year. PLC's campus engagement, networking, and community involvement promote leadership development and complement the rigorous academic coursework. All participants who successfully complete the program earn a PLC Scholar designation, and the certificate.

The **Chancellor's Leadership Studies Program (CLSP)** and **Ethnic Living and Learning Community Leadership Studies (ELLC)** program are under the scope of the Leadership RAP. First-year students select CLSP or ELLC via housing contracts and reside in dormitories with a cohort. The curricular component for CLSP is focused on civic responsibility and community service, while ELLC implements a multicultural and global-based curriculum. The Program typically serves 125 students per academic year.

The two-year, **INVST** curriculum focuses on engagement and social responsibility. Service learning elements (e.g., community engagement, domestic/international immersion trips) allow the 160 student participants to collaborate with and serve various communities. Students directly apply service-based experiences garnered in the first academic year and in a service project the second year. INVST financial aid available for award includes: an *Americorps* stipend, a competitive scholarship, and/or need-based funding.



The **Army, Navy/Marines, and Air Force ROTC program** awards a certificate in *The Study and Practice of Leadership* to students who successfully complete coursework and the summer field training program(s), and also meet GPA requirements.

*More information regarding CU campus ROTC programs to follow in an upcoming Academic Affairs highlight.

UCCS

The **Chancellor's Leadership Class (CLC)** is a selective undergraduate honors program that utilizes a leadership curriculum. Scholarships are available to students on a yearly basis for four academic years. The program components ranging from community service to mentorships allow students to develop internal and external leadership abilities. Students who successfully complete the program receive honors and are also eligible to attain a minor in Leadership Studies by successfully completing additional academic courses. CLC served 39 students in the 2011-2012 academic year.

CU Denver

The **University Honors & Leadership Program (UHL)** challenges students to develop intellectual, analytical and leadership abilities through rigorous coursework. Faculty members from across CU Denver "team-teach" seminar courses that satisfy core curriculum requirements. There are currently 120 program participants. Students who complete the Leadership Studies track earn a Leadership Studies minor; those who complete the Academic Honors track earn a minor in Multidisciplinary Research Methods. Students who graduate from the program and earn a 3.5+ GPA receive an honors designation on their diploma/transcript.

