Position: Conference on World Affairs Board Member
Number of Seats: 9 (5 University including a student and 4 community)
Process for Filling Position: Complete and submit application, Program Committee reviews nominations and makes appointments
Eligibility Requirements: Boulder area Residents

Mission of Conference on World Affairs:

Through a collaboration that strengthens the relationship between CU-Boulder and the Boulder community, continue to provide a high quality, financially sustainable opportunity to interact with experts in a wide array of subjects related to world affairs. We aim to foster a deeper understanding of issues to benefit students, faculty, staff, the Boulder community, and the people of Colorado.

Board Description:

The Board has authority to make determinations with respect to policy and strategy, consistent with the Conference Strategic Plan and policies and procedures of the University. The full CWA governance structure, and details regarding the role of the Board in CWA governance, can be found on the CWA website. The full CWA Strategic Plan also can be found on the CWA website.

Preferred Qualifications for Membership:

- Served in leadership roles
- Works well in a collaborative team environment
- Worked with or attended the Conference on World Affairs

Board Responsibilities:

- At least quarterly, review progress toward meeting the strategic aims and objectives as proposed in the Strategic Plan.
- Ensure that the CWA vision, values and mission are reflected in its programs, policies and activities.
- Decide policies and procedures that support the Strategic Plan.
- Monitor the CWA fiscal status.
- Approve and monitor the annual business plan.
- Perform an annual program assessment.
- Work with the Fundraising Committee to develop fundraising activities and strategies.

Term of Appointment:

Three years with the opportunity for one reappointment. The rotation of appointments will be staggered the first year to prevent all positions from renewing at once.

Expected Time Commitments:

The Board will meet no less frequently than quarterly but it is anticipated that meetings will be monthly during the first year.