

Important Upcoming Deadlines



[Apply Here](#)

Scholarship Deadlines Close in 3 Days!

The Department of Geological Sciences and CU scholarships deadline is **March 15th**, 2026. These awards are for the 2026–2027 academic year, and this is the only time each year departmental scholarships are awarded through the CU Scholarship system.

Geology Graduate Program Intranet on SharePoint!

Sign in below with your identikey to access Graduate Program Guidelines documents & Department forms for Committee Meetings. Everything you need in a one-stop-shop.



[SharePoint Website](#)



Upload Completed Committee Docs

Use [this link](#) to submit proof of Committee Form completion.

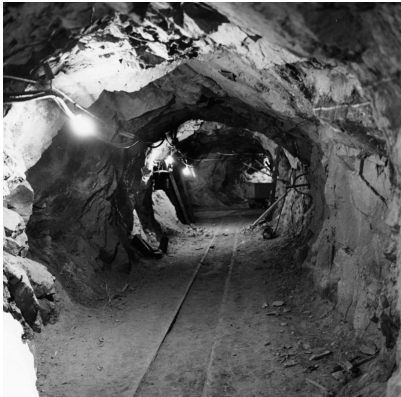
Colloquium & Happenings



Spring Break Next Week: No Colloquium or Coffee Social!

Due to spring break **next week**, there will be **no coffee social or colloquium**. They will resume the following week during the normal scheduled time and place.

GEOL Electives & Field Classes



Explore the Historic Edgar Experimental Mine

Department alumnus Sean Sundermann is offering a unique opportunity for students to join a mine tour on **Monday, April 6**. The trip departs from CU at 8 am and returns by noon. interested students can contact Sean [here](#) to reserve one of the few extra seats.

Scholarships and Stipends

March Funding Repository

Click the link below for current Funding and Scholarship Opportunities! This folder is **updated continuously**. Check back soon as opportunities come in!

- Spruce Gulch Summer Funding
- 2026-27 T. Keith Marks Scholarship
- The Colorado Mountain Club Foundation



View **March** repository with [this link](#)!

View **February** repository with [this link](#)!

Jobs and Internships



March Job Repository

Click the link below for all Job and Internship Opportunities! This folder is **updated continuously with new positions**. Check back soon as opportunities come in!

- Dahrouge Geology Job Opportunity
- Assistant Professor: Critical Mineral Resources
- Geochronology Laboratory Manager

View **March** repository with [this link](#)

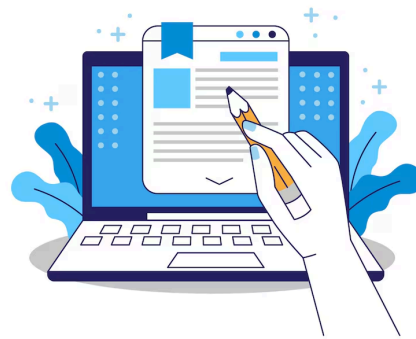
View **February** repository with [this link](#).

University Events & Happenings

Grad+ Spring Break Writing Boost

Join fellow graduate students on **March 19** from **9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in UMC Room 247** for a focused one-day session featuring guided goal setting, structured writing time, and free meals. This event is designed to help you make meaningful progress on your dissertation, articles, or coursework, and you can **RSVP** below to save your spot.

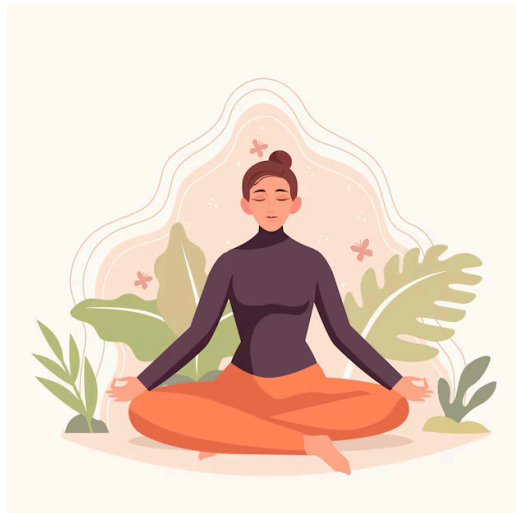
[RSVP Here](#)



Meditation and Mindfulness

Join Mindfulness Educator Kim Stephens for a journey into meditation practices designed to reduce stress, improve concentration, and boost emotional balance. This series runs **March 31, April 3, 7, 10, 14, and 17** from **12:00 – 12:45 p.m.** via Zoom. Attending the full series is recommended for the best experience, but students are welcome to drop in for individual sessions as their schedules allow.

[More Info Here](#)



CUriosity: Why Does CU have so many hot springs, and are they at



cpr-msakas_glenwood-quarry-fight_IMG_0385 image

risk?

Colorado has many hot springs because of its unique geological setting, where heat from the Earth's interior rises close to the surface, heating groundwater that then emerges as hot springs. However, the development of geothermal energy as a clean power source could pose risks to these hot springs by altering their natural flow and temperature. Continue reading [here](#).



Art & Environments Field School

Join an intensive, off-campus creative journey this May to explore the intersection of social, cultural, and ecological landscapes through the **Art & Environments Field School**. Interested students are invited to an informational meeting on **March 24th at noon in Room 287** to learn about this 6-credit course and enjoy some free pizza.

External Opportunities Outside CU

Wrangell Mountains Field Studies 2026

Earn six semester credits in Earth and Climate Sciences through the University of Maine by joining this field research program in the heart of Alaska's Wrangell-St. Elias National Park. From **June 22 to August 10**, students gain hands-on experience in glacier dynamics and ecology. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis.



[Apply Here](#)



Apply-To-Sail: Marine Geophysical Research Cruise

Join a National Science Foundation-funded research mission from **July 17 – September 1, 2026**, to gain hands-on experience in seismic data acquisition and mantle dynamics. Open to U.S.-based students, this requires no prior sea-going experience. simply submit your CV and Statement of Interest via the **online application form** by the **March 31, 2026** deadline.

[Apply Here](#)

2026 New Zealand Ocean Bottom Seismometer Funded Cruise!

Graduate students and post-docs are invited to apply for an **NSF-funded** research cruise deploying ocean bottom seismometers around New Zealand's North Island this September. Gain hands-on experience with OBS deployment, geophysical data collection, and collaborative science aboard the R/V Thomas G. Thompson. **Applications close March 16, 2026.**

[Apply Here](#)



Save the Date: Ackland Lecture in Environmental Journalism

Join us Tuesday, **March 24th at 5:30pm** for the 5th Ackland Lecture, featuring a panel of distinguished journalists discussing "Environment, Politics, and the Press: Reporting in Unprecedented Times." Hear from Sadie Babits, Sunnie R. Clahchischiligi, and Jimmy Tobias on environmental journalism today.



Miss a Newsletter?

Check out past newsletters at [this link!](#)

Just So You Know...

The graduate newsletter will be sent out each Thursday, so check back weekly for news, job and funding opportunities, and messages from your faculty. If you have something you would like to share in a future edition of the newsletter, please email geoloffice@colorado.edu.



[Our Company](#) | [Contact Us](#) | [FAQs](#) | [Privacy Policy](#)

Benson Earth Sciences | 2200 Colorado Ave | Boulder, CO 80309 US

[Unsubscribe](#) | [Update Profile](#) | [Constant Contact Data Notice](#)



Try email marketing for free today!