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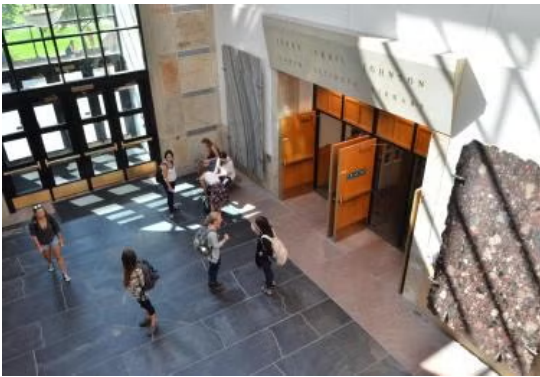
### GEOL Faculty Steve Jacobsen Featured on Geology Podcast

Explore the hidden depths of Earth and beyond, where extreme pressure and heat shape rocks and minerals in ways we're only beginning to understand. Steve Jacobsen, a mineral physicist at CU Boulder, reveals what happens at the core-mantle boundary, in the mantle transition zone, and even on the Moon's surface. Listen to Podcast below!

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## Important Upcoming Deadlines



### Your Vision for New Benson Earth Sciences Library

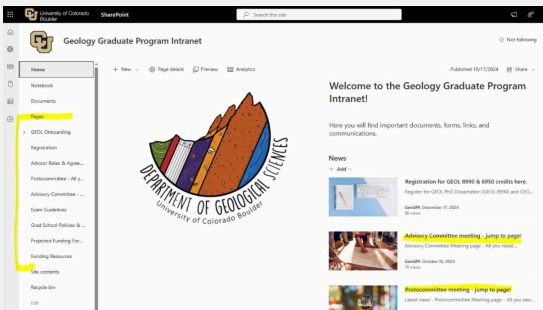
We're re-visioning the Earth Sciences & Map Library and want your ideas. This short survey asks what you want to see in the future, as well as what's important for us to preserve. **Your feedback will help inform what comes next!**

[Form Here](#)

### 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



### End of Year Picnic!

The Geology Department is excited to invite you to our upcoming department picnic! Join us for food and fun on **Today, April 23rd**, from **5:00 PM to 7:30 PM**. We will be gathering at North Boulder Park, located at the intersection of 9th Street and Dellwood Avenue.

### Looking for Grad Students for Colloquium Committee!

The Colloquium Committee is a faculty-led committee that organizes the GEOL colloquium program, including **inviting and scheduling speakers** and managing their **campus logistics**, and providing a **post-colloquium social hour**. GSGA sends two student delegates to represent the graduate students on the Colloquium Committee. The student representatives solicit feedback from the graduate students on topics and speakers to invite for the weekly Colloquium talk, attend Colloquium Committee meetings, help send out relevant weekly information about Colloquiums.



If you are interested, please contact [geocolloquium@colorado.edu](mailto:geocolloquium@colorado.edu)



### No Colloquium Next Week

Unfortunately there will be no colloquium until next school year, have a fantastic summer!

## 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!

- ARCS Scholarships - **Deadline: April 24**
- Core Facility Shared Instrumentation Voucher



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

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## 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!

- Big Rock Exploration Hiring
- Assistant Professor: Critical Mineral Resources
- Golden/Albuquerque Seasonal Field Assistant

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### Teach for America Ignite Fellowship Opportunity

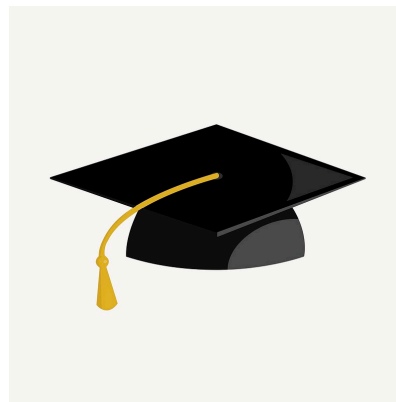
Teach for America is offering a paid, part-time, virtual K-12 tutor position for CU graduate students to support underserved communities. Fellows commit 3-5 hours weekly from September to December 2026, **tutoring 2-3 students** while developing leadership skills. Apply by **April 29, 2026**, for the Fall cohort and earn a financial award upon completion.



## CU Events

## GEOL Graduation Volunteers Needed!

Commencement is just around the corner with many grads walking on Saturday, **May 2nd**. We're looking for **2 volunteers** to help after the ceremony with cleanup. If you are able to assist, please **email [geogpa@colorado.edu](mailto:geogpa@colorado.edu) by April 24th**. Your support would mean a lot to us!



## PhD Defense

Join Bri Hibner's PhD Defense on **April 27, 2026**, at 12:00 pm MT for an in-person or virtual exploration of how microbial mats and mangroves shape coastal resilience. Tune in via **Zoom** or visit Benson Earth Sciences, Room 380. Discover how her research uncovers natural sediment solutions for rising seas.

## External Opportunities Outside CU

### Author Talk: Climate Wayfinding with Katharine K. Wilkinson

Join Katharine K. Wilkinson for a discussion and book signing of *Climate Wayfinding*, in conversation with Megha Sood, on **May 14** at **6:30 PM** at **Boulder Bookstore**. This special event will explore pathways toward climate action and personal resilience in an engaging community setting. Register below.

[Register Here](#)





## Volunteer with Emerging Investigators!

Help middle and high school students publish their research while gaining valuable editorial experience. As a volunteer editor or reviewer, you'll mentor young scientists, refine their work, and contribute to a growing movement in science communication. Whether you're a graduate student, post-doc, or have equivalent experience, your expertise is needed!

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## 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](mailto:geoloffice@colorado.edu).



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