Department Social Events



Colorado Scientific Society Poster Night

The Colorado Scientific Society is hosting a Poster Night for students and early career scientists on Thursday, November 21st at 7:00 pm at the Calvary Church in Golden. Many of their members will be there to engage with the presenters, which provides a really nice platform for scientific discussions, feedback, and networking opportunities for young scientists. Plus, pizza and drinks will be provided!

Learn More

ATOC Poster Conference

The annual ATOC Earth System and Space Science (ESSS) Poster conference is coming up! It will take place on Thursday, December 5th, from 12:30 PM to 4:00 PM in the SEEC auditorium (C120) on CU's East Campus. This free conference highlights work by students and early-career researchers in Earth System & Planetary Sciences, Space Physics and Engineering. Participation from other CU departments as well as other Front Range organizations and schools is welcome! Please register below if you would like to attend or present a poster, as lunch will be provided.



Register

Learn More

After Hours Game Night

Join us today, November 14 in the BioLounge in the Natural History Museum from 5:30 – 8:30pm for a game night! Bring your own or enjoy the variety of games available. Snacks will also be provided. Take



time to de-stress with friends old and new as we head toward the end of the semester!

Talks and Colloquium



Geological Sciences Colloquium Speaker

On Wednesday, November 20th, Dr. Kate French will be visiting as a colloquium speaker. Her topic is: Using sedimentary organic matter for depositional models of organic carbon burial, reconstructions of Earth's past, and the search for life on other planets. As always, snacks and drinks will be available at 12:00 and the talk will begin at 12:30. Stop by Benson 380 to listen in!

View Colloquium Schedule

Scholarships and Stipends

SEG Scholarships

The Society of Exploration Geophysicists (SEG) Scholarships encourage the study of geophysics and related geosciences in universities around the world. Focused on attracting the best and brightest high school and college students, they are intended to recognize those students who have demonstrated outstanding academic merit and commitment to the study of a career in geophysics and related geosciences. All application deadlines for these scholarships are **March 1st, 2025**.



Explore Scholarships

2025-26 Scholarships Applications Open Now

Scholarship applications for the 2025-26 Academic Year are open now. Completing the general application will apply you to all scholarships in Geological Sciences as well as



hundreds of other scholarships in A&S and across campus. It is well worth a few minutes of your time.

Don't sleep on other opportunities! There may be additional scholarships you are eligible for but require that you answer a couple additional questions. You can find those scholarships on your recommended opportunities page.

Step-by-step Application Instructions

Student Jobs and Internships

Geological Sciences Department



WANTED: An undergraduate student to help with updating GEOL 3050 – GIS for Geologists. This labbased course has been taught with ArcGIS' ArcMap software for many years and now it needs to transition to the newer version of ArcGIS Pro. The hired student will help update the instructions from the existing labs to the new version. Experience with one or both of these versions of ArcGIS is highly desired. The work could commence immediately and needs to be completed by spring semester.

Estimated hours: 60 hours.

Pay: \$16/hour.

Please contact Brian Hynek (hynek@colorado.edu)

if interested!



Ormat Geothermal Energy

Ormat, a leading geothermal energy company, is looking for interns in geology, geochemistry, geophysics and numerical modeling. They are hiring for the summer but can also hire a recent winter grad if they have availability. Two scientists from Ormat, including CU Geophysics graduate Danny Feucht, attended our department's recent 'New Frontiers' symposium and reached out after to encourage CU students to apply!

Explore Jobs

Reclamation

The USBR's Technical Service Center is seeking interns for Summer 2025. The TSC seeks motivated, hard-working, resourceful individuals for its Summer Intern Program. Candidates must be enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program in engineering or related science fields. Limited spots may be available for other disciplines. A virtual informational session is coming up on November 20th. Applications are due January 7th, 2025.



Learn More and Apply

Summer Programs

SAGE Geophysics Program

Summer of Applied Geophysical Experience (SAGE) is an award-winning summer geophysics education and research program for undergraduate students, graduate students and working professionals. Based in Northern New Mexico, USA, participants meet and work with industry professionals, academics and government research scientists while using modern geophysical methods to solve complex geologic problems. SAGE participants acquire, process and interpret geophysical data at different scales using a variety of geophysical methods.



The upcoming field program will run from 16 June - 2 July 2025. Successful applicants have a strong background in math and physics and will have completed at least their sophomore year of undergraduate studies. Applications for the upcoming field program are being accepted from **December 1st, 2024 to February 14th of 2025**. Apply to learn geophysics by doing geophysics!

Apply Here

Department News and Features

Snowball Earth Research

The research being done in department member Dr. Rebecca Flowers' lab was recently featured in CU Boulder Today! Read the article to learn about their research, led by



Geological Sciences postdoctoral researcher Liam Courtney-Davies.

Read the Article

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