



# International Affairs Program

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO **BOULDER**

## **IAFS Alumni Newsletter**

### **October 2025**

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### **IAFS Mentorship Program**

Dear IAFS Alumni and Friends,

My name is [Nancy Covey](#), and I serve as the Mentorship Program Coordinator for the IAFS Advisory Board at CU Boulder. Now entering its fifth year, the [IAFS Mentorship Program](#) continues to grow and thrive—connecting alumni like you with current juniors and seniors majoring in international affairs.

We're excited to invite you to be part of this meaningful experience as a mentor for the 2025–2026 academic year. Your professional and personal experiences can make a lasting difference in the lives of our students as they prepare for life beyond graduation. Even if you've never mentored before, your perspective and guidance are incredibly valuable.

### **How To Get Involved**

[Applications](#) are open from October 1–31. Pairings will be finalized by November 21.

- Learn more about the program and sign up via the [IAFS Mentorship Program](#) website.
- If you've served as a mentor in the past, we encourage you to [apply again!](#)

We are committed to making thoughtful and intentional mentor-mentee matches, aligning students with mentors based on their academic interests and career aspirations. Your support can help them navigate critical decisions, build confidence, and take steps toward their future goals.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to give back to the IAFS community. Together, we can continue to strengthen the bonds between current students and our incredible network of alumni.

Please contact me directly with any questions you may have about serving as a mentor in our upcoming 2025-2026 program!

Warm regards,

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## Career Support for CU Boulder Alumni

**CU Boulder Alumni Career Services** offers lifelong support to help Buffs at every stage of their career. Services include:

- **Career Advising**: Recent grads receive free career advising for one year after graduation and all alumni are eligible for two free counseling appointments per calendar year.
  - **Events & Webinars**: Ongoing programs designed to support professional growth and networking.
  - **Job Search Tools**: Create a **Handshake** account to search and apply for jobs, connect with employers, and explore upcoming career fairs and events. Access **Quinnia** for AI-powered résumé reviews and virtual mock interviews.
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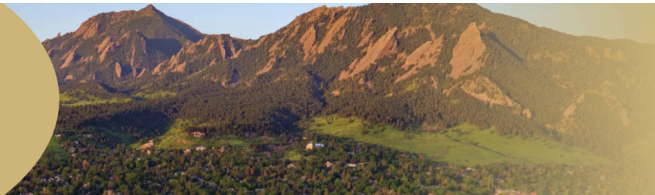
### IAFS Faculty Spotlight: Benjamin Teitelbaum

The Office for Public and Community-Engaged Scholarship (PACES) has named Associate Professor Benjamin Teitelbaum, a member of the IAFS Faculty Committee, as the new faculty director for strategic events and public discourse. In this role, he will focus on planning the Conference on World Affairs (CWA) in collaboration with Strategic Relations and Communications and the committees of volunteers who shape the conference program.

Learn more about Professor Teitelbaum's new role and how to get involved with CWA 2026.



## JOIN US FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS



### Disrupting the Cycle of Genocide

**Date:** Thursday, October 9

**Time:** 6-8 pm

**Location:** RMPBS Buell Public Media Center

### Arts, History and Culture Virtual Career & Internship Fair

**Date:** Thursday, October 9

**Time:** 3:00-6:00 pm

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## Have news to share?

Do you have stories to share or know of internships, jobs or events that may interest IAFS alumni or students? Email [iafs@colorado.edu](mailto:iafs@colorado.edu) and let us know!

Check out our Alumni Spotlight and Internship and Job Opportunities pages for updates.

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