



"I am excited to be leading a law school that is at the cutting edge of **innovation** in legal education and scholarship. Colorado Law enjoys a reputation of **excellence** in areas of law concerning energy, natural resources, and the environment; entrepreneurship and technology; international law and human rights; and several other areas. Our **vibrant** community of students, alumni, faculty, and staff, and our focus on the practice of law in a **global** society, make Colorado Law an **ideal** institution for international lawyers seeking legal training in the United States."

#### S. James Anaya

Dean and Charles Inglis Thomson Professor United Nations Special Rapporteur on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples, 2008–2014

# Colorado Law's internationally recognized programs and LLM concentrations

## Natural Resources, Energy, and Environmental Law

Ranked No. 6 in environmental law in the 2018 law school rankings by U.S. News & World Report, Colorado Law gives students the tools to impact laws and policies in a range of fields, including: oil and gas; mining; ecosystem management; air and water quality; and public and private land management. Students take advantage of the programming of the school's flagship Getches-Wilkinson Center; multiple national laboratories in the area, including the National Renewable Energy Laboratory; and a diversified energy and mining economy featuring natural gas, renewable, and mining firms, from small startups to large multinational corporations.

## **Entrepreneurship and Business Law**

Colorado Law enjoys nationally recognized teachers and scholars in business law with significant experience in transactional practice and corporate and securities litigation. Our classes in traditional subjects such as corporations, securities law, and mergers & acquisitions are enhanced by the law school's focus on startup companies. The student experience is enriched by our location in Boulder, which *Forbes* ranked the No. 2 most innovative tech hub in the U.S. in 2015.

#### **Indigenous Peoples Law**

Colorado Law has a long history of research and teaching in the law of indigenous peoples. With the arrival of Dean Anaya, the law school is expanding its research and teaching in this area. Faculty and students are engaged in projects with indigenous groups, the United Nations, other intergovernmental bodies, national governments, NGOs, and companies throughout the Americas and the world. Research and teaching in this area connect with Colorado's strengths in other areas, such as international law, natural resources, and intellectual property.

#### Intellectual Property, Technology, and Telecommunications Law

Colorado Law students enjoy a broad range of courses and scholars active in a quickly evolving set of fields, including intellectual property, internet law, computer crime, cybersecurity, information privacy, telecommunications, fintech, and regtech. Boulder and the Denver metro area are technology and telecommunications hubs. The Silicon Flatirons Center connects students with leaders in intellectual property, telecommunications, and technology.

## International Law and Human Rights

Colorado Law continues to build on its tradition of public international law. Faculty have expansive research, course offerings, and projects in this field, with a particular emphasis on human rights. The dean and faculty are growing the law school's relationships with intergovernmental institutions, such as the United Nations and the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights.

#### **U.S. Law for Foreign Lawyers**

This general LLM concentration gives students the ability to choose from a wide range of Colorado Law courses. This is a common LLM concentration for students who need the curricular flexibility to qualify for a U.S. state bar examination.









#### An unparalleled location

Home to the University of Colorado Boulder (CU Boulder), the city is known as one of the best places to live in the United States. With about 100,000 residents, Boulder has a mild climate and more than 300 days of sunshine per year. The region offers countless ways to be active outside, including hiking, climbing, camping, cycling, backpacking, tubing, and more. The city is home to a thriving music, arts, and food scene. With the majestic Flatirons as its backdrop, Boulder is an excellent place to live, work, and play.

#### One of the nation's top metro areas

- #1 healthiest city in the United States (Niche, August 2016)
- #1 most active city in the United States (Trulia, February 2016)
- **#1** college town in the United States (American Institute for Economic Research, January 2017)
- Denver-Boulder metro area 6th safest region in the USA (Federal Bureau of Investigation, 2015)

#### **Thriving academics**

- #6 in environmental law (U.S. News and World Report, 2018)
- **#36** University of Colorado Law School national rank (U.S. News and World Report, 2018)
- #38 worldwide rank—CU Boulder (Academic Ranking of World Universities, 2016)

### **Off-campus life**

- **300+** days of sunshine annually
- 300+ miles of bikeways in Boulder
- **50+** independent coffee shops in Boulder and Denver
- 25+ world-class ski areas
- Music, theater, art, festivals, farmers markets, and boutique shopping
- Extensive cultural offerings from opera and theater to professional sports teams
- Downtown Boulder's Pearl Street named one of the 10 Best Foodie Streets in America









### **LLM Degree**

University of Colorado Law School Boulder, Colorado, U.S.A.

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