



# McNeill Academic Program

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO **BOULDER**

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Dear,

We are delighted to welcome you to CU Boulder and to the McNeill Academic Program. In these letter and flyers, we'll introduce you to the **benefits** of the McNeill Academic Program.

**The McNeill Academic Program is a learning community of highly motivated students.** McNeill is a multicultural learning community in the Student Academic Success Center (SASC). We are a dynamic program that supports student's transition to academic, cultural and social demands of the university. Academic excellence is encouraged and expected from all students. We have a long and rich history in developing top scholars and campus leaders. *The value of the benefits offered in McNeill depends upon your initiative to engage in these opportunities with purpose.*

**We are dedicated to student success.** We offer students the opportunity to hone their academic, research and leadership skills in a small inviting environment where all students are respected and valued. Through courses, academic coaching, and community events, our goal is to know who you are individually and to work in partnership with you to support your academic and career interests. We understand the challenges of the CU Boulder experience and will connect you with valuable campus resources and opportunities. Below are some highlights of what current McNeill students and alumni say about us:

- *"The McNeill Academic Program instructors are the most dedicated and intellectual people I have met."*
- *"McNeill has helped me become a writer that I couldn't imagine I'd become."*
- *"The McNeill community means a lot to me. CU Boulder is such a large university but because of McNeill I feel more at home here."*

**We look forward to meeting you.** There are four upcoming events where you can meet with McNeill staff, faculty and students.

- **Denver Area Visit, Information Fair** – Wed., March 6, 1pm-1:45pm
- **CU Admitted Student Day McNeill Reception** – Sat., April 6<sup>th</sup>, 12:30pm
- **Shadow a McNeill Student for the Day** – Tuesday, April 16, 8:30am-3pm
- **McNeill Summer Launch Program** - A one-day event over the summer to meet McNeill staff, faculty and students, learn about the program, and gain guidance to register for your fall courses at CU. Attendance Required. Details about dates will be sent in April.

**For students admitted to the McNeill Academic Program through the CU Boulder Office of Admissions, scholarship awards in the amount of \$1000 for the 2019-2020 academic year are available.** Scholarship details will be available during our summer sessions with incoming students.

Please read the enclosed material and see our website <https://www.colorado.edu/mcneill/> for more information about our program.

You are welcome to contact us anytime Monday through Friday between 8:00am and 5:00pm at (303) 492-3730. We look forward to talking with you in the near future.

Sincerely,

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McNeill Academic Program