

# TUITION

Tuition cost for the MENV program is determined by your residency.

## COLORADO RESIDENT TUITION

Estimated \$56,484 (including tuition, fees, and books) for 48 credits

**\$1,062 for tuition per credit hour plus mandatory fees**

Tuition is \$13,806 per semester for 13 credit hours, \$25,488 per year (24 credit hours)

Estimated one-year cost is \$28,242 (including tuition, fees, and books)

Student Fees are \$777 per semester, \$1,554 per year

## NON-COLORADO RESIDENT AND INTERNATIONAL TUITION

Estimated \$76,692 (including tuition, fees, and books) for 48 credits

**\$1,483 for tuition per credit hour plus mandatory fees**

Tuition is \$19,279 per semester for 13 credit hours, \$35,592 per year (24 credit hours)

Estimated one-year cost is \$38,346 (including tuition, fees, and books)

Student Fees are \$777 per semester, \$1,554 per year

### **YOU'RE PROBABLY A RESIDENT IF...**

- You attended a Colorado high school for at least one year preceding the date of your graduation and you've lived in Colorado for at least 12 consecutive months before enrolling at CU Boulder.
- You (if you're 23 or older) or your parents (if you're under 23) have been domiciled in Colorado for one or more years.
- You're a member of an American Indian tribe with historical ties to Colorado.
- You're a dependent of or are yourself a qualifying member of the military (aid restrictions apply).

### **YOU'RE PROBABLY NOT A RESIDENT IF...**

- You're under 23 and your parents haven't been domiciled in Colorado for one or more years.
- You're 23 or older and you haven't been domiciled in Colorado for one or more years.
- You're in possession of a nonimmigrant visa (F-1, F-2, H-3, M-1, M-2 or J-1).

### **IN-STATE RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS**

Tuition classification is governed by state law (Title 23, Article 7, of the Colorado Revised Statutes of 1973, as amended) and by judicial decisions that apply to all public institutions of higher education in Colorado, and is subject to change at any time.

### **ESTABLISHING RESIDENCY**

To qualify to be classified as a Colorado resident for tuition purposes, a qualified individual must have been domiciled in Colorado for at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the beginning of the semester for which resident status is sought. You can find more about the requirements [here](#).

### **OTHER MENV RESOURCES**

- [Financial Aid Page](#)
- [International Student Page](#)
- [Student Support Page](#)



# COURSE SELECTION

## BASIC INFORMATION

- MENV is a 48-credit program;
- You are required to work 300 hours over the summer between your first and second year as part of your capstone project, resulting in a 5-credit course; and
- The default program length is 21-months.

## CURRICULUM BREAK DOWN

<b>18 CORE CREDITS</b> MENV Core Courses + Capstone	<b>12 SPECIALIZATION CORE CREDITS</b> <u>ENRP</u> <u>RSE</u> <u>SOI</u> <u>SFS</u> <u>URS</u>	<b>18 ELECTIVE CREDITS</b> 12 to be taken within MENV; 6 can be taken either in MENV or anywhere on campus
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## SAMPLE PROGRAM BREAKDOWN

FALL 2023	SPRING 2024	SUMMER 2024	FALL 2024	SPRING 2025
13	11 or 14	5	10	6 or 9 (depends on course load in Spring 2024)

## WHO TO TALK TO

Brendan Park  
Academic Advisor

Michelle Cadena  
Assistant Director of Diversity  
Affairs and Student Success

Bobbie Bryant  
Administrative Advising

Disability Services

## SPEC LEADS

There is no required advisement needed with Spec Leads. However, Spec Leads (+ other faculty) serve as great guides to figure out which courses to take.

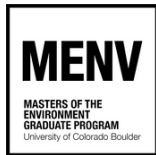
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Josh Radoff, RSE  
Natalie Ooi, SOI  
Damien Thompson, SFS  
William Shutkin, URS

## OTHER STUFF

Capstone Project

MENV/MBA Dual Program

Once you have accepted your admission, you will be invited to create an IdentiKey. With this personal login, you will then be able to access BuffPortal, an online student portal used for registration and much more.



# HOUSING

## Basic Information

The MENV Program is located at the University of Colorado's East Campus in Boulder, in the university's Sustainability, Energy and Environment Community (SEEC) Building.

**SEEC Address: 4001 Discovery Dr, Boulder, CO 80303**

SEEC is accessible via roadway (Foothills Parkway and Colorado Ave.), bike/walking trail (Boulder Creek Path), and public transport (Buff Bus Campus Routes).

## Boulder

### On-Campus

- Athens Court
- Athens North (first-year graduate students only)
- Expansion Units
- Marine Court Apartments
- Newton Court Apartments
- Smiley Court Apartments

Apply for on-campus housing accommodations here through Disability Services.

### Off-Campus

- Ralphie's List (CU off-campus housing list)
- Apartments.com
- Verdant Apartments
- Parc Mosaic
- University Heights Apartments
- Boulder Creative Housing
- Craigslist
- Boulder Property Management
- Kensington Apartments
- Flatiron Views
- Apex 5510
- Coronado Apartments



\*Note: The Hill is primarily undergraduate housing.

## SURROUNDING AREAS TO LIVE IN

Mileage determined as if someone was driving a motor vehicle from SEEC:

- |                           |                            |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| • Denver (26.5 miles)     | • Gunbarrel (7.8 miles)    |
| • Broomfield (12.2 miles) | • Westminster (19.4 miles) |
| • Lafayette (10.7 miles)  | • Arvada (19.5 miles)      |
| • Louisville (8.2 miles)  | • Golden (20.1 miles)      |
| • Superior (6.9 miles)    | • Nederland (18.8 miles)   |





# BEST OF BOULDER

A student curated resource for all things Boulder and surrounding areas.

## FOOD

- [A Cup of Peace](#) (Korean, gluten-free)
- [Aloy Thai](#) (Thai)
- [Alpine Modern](#) (coffee shop)
- [Ash'Kara](#) (Middle Eastern/Mediterranean/North African)
- [Avanti](#) (collective eatery with rooftop)
- [Barchetta](#) (pizza)
- [Basta](#) (Italian)
- [Black Cat](#) (farm-to-table)
- [Boss Lady Pizza](#) (woman-owned/pizza)
- [Boulder Baked](#) (bakery)
- [Boulder Pho](#) (Vietnamese)
- [Bovas](#) (American)
- [Bramble and Hare](#) (farmhouse kitchen)
- [Buddha Thai](#) (Thai)
- [Cafe Mexicali](#) (Mexican)
- [Chimera](#) (ramen)
- [Dish](#) (sandwiches)
- [Dushanbe Tea House](#) (Tajikistani)
- [Efrain's](#) (Mexican)
- [Folsom Thai](#) (Thai)
- [Foolish Craig's](#) (brunch)
- [Gelato Boy](#) (gelato)
- [January Coffee](#) (coffee shop)
- [Japango](#) (sushi)
- [Jin Chan Zhang](#)
- [Laughing Goat](#) (coffee/outdoor workspace)
- [Leaf](#) (vegan/gluten-free friendly)
- [Lucile's Creole Cafe](#) (Southern brunch)
- [Mountain Sun Pub and Brewery](#) (brewery)
- [Oak at Fourteenth](#) (American)
- [Ozo West Pearl](#) (coffee shop)
- [Pica's](#) (Mexican Taqueria)
- [Rincon Argentino](#) (empanadas)
- [River and Woods](#) (Colorado cuisine)
- [Rosetta Hall](#) (collective eatery with rooftop)
- [Salt](#) (medium/upscale fine dining)
- [Santo](#) (Northern New Mexico cuisine)
- [Sherpa Kitchen](#) (Indian)
- [Sherpa's Adventure Restaurant and Bar](#) (Nepalese/ Indian)
- [Sweet Cow](#) (dairy/non-dairy ice cream)
- [T/aco](#) (Mexican)
- [Tibet Kitchen](#) (Indian/Nepalese/Tibetan)
- [Thrive](#) (raw vegan/juice)
- [Trident](#) (coffee/outdoor workspace)
- [Wonder](#) (juices)
- [Zoe Ma Ma](#) (ramen)

## PLACES FOR AN EVENING OUT

- [Avery Brewing Company](#) (brewery)
- [Bitter Bar](#) (cocktails)
- [Bohemian Biergarten](#) (live music/beers)
- [Dark Horse](#) (karaoke)
- [Finkel & Garf Brewing Co](#) (brewery)
- [Jungle](#) (tropical drinks)
- [License No. 1](#) (speakeasy)
- [Pearl Street Pub and Cellar](#) (dive bar)
- [Press Play](#) (arcade games/DJ's/)
- [Rayback](#) (outdoor/food trucks)
- [Rosetta Hall](#) (DJ's/dancing)
- [Sanitas Brewing Co](#) (brewery)
- [The Spotted James](#) (DJs/dancing)
- [The Sundown Saloon](#) (pool/\$8 pitchers)
- [Supermoon](#) (unique/funky DJ's)
- [Sushi Zanmai](#) (karaoke)
- [Twisted Pine](#) (trivia/brewery)
- [Wild Provisions](#) (brewery)

## SHOP

- [Apocalypse](#) (thrift shop)
- [Art Mart on Pearl](#) (stickers/gifts)
- [Art Parts Creative Reuse](#) (used arts and crafts supplies for really cheap prices)
- [Boulder Book Store](#)
- [Boulder Sports Recyclers](#) (used, high-quality outdoor gear)
- [Common Threads Boulder](#) (consignment)
- [Heady Bauer](#) (thrift store)
- [McGuckin's](#) (hardware and home goods)
- [Peppercorn](#) (hardware and gifts)
- [Rags Consignment](#) (well-curated secondhand clothes)
- [Rebecca's Apothecary](#) (supply)
- [Resource Central](#) (recycled housewares and materials)
- [Stio](#) (outdoor gear)
- [Two Hands Paperie on Pearl](#) (postcards, birthday cards, craft supplies, calendars, journals, etc.)

## GROCERIES/MARKETS

- [Boulder Farmers Market](#) (April-November)
- [Cured](#) (specialty grocer)
- [Lucky's Market](#) (specialty grocer)
- [Lolita's Meat and Deli](#) (specialty grocer)
- [Nude Foods Market](#) (zero-waste groceries)

## VENUES/ART

- [Boulder Theater](#) (music/movies)
- [Fox Theatre](#) (music)
- [Gold Hill Inn](#) (live music)
- [License No. 1](#) (live music/comedy)
- [Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art](#)

## AUTO CARE

- [Big O Tires](#)
- [ABC Auto Body of Boulder](#)
- [Haglin Automotive](#)
- [Hoshi Motors](#)
- [Boulder Valley Automotive](#)

## BIKE CARE

- [Community Cycles](#)

## HIKE

- [Anne U White Trail](#)
- [Bear Peak](#)
- [Continental Divide Overlook](#)
- [Dakota Ridge](#)
- [Green Mountain](#)
- [Gregory Canyon](#)
- [Mt. Sanitas](#)
- [NCAR Mesa](#)
- [Royal Arch](#)
- [Sugarloaf](#)
- [Walker Ranch](#)

## CLIMB

- [Boulder Canyon](#)
- [Boulder Rock Club](#) (gym)
- [Clear Creek](#)
- [The CU Rec Center](#) (gym)
- [Eldorado State Park](#)
- [The Flatirons](#)
- [Movement](#) (gym)
- [The Spot](#) (gym)

## BIKE

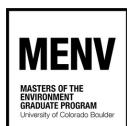
- [Betasso Preserve](#)
- [Boulder Canyon Trail](#)
- [Boulder Creek Path](#)
- [Doudy Draw](#)
- [Goose Creek Path](#)
- [Hall Ranch](#)
- [Olde Stage Road](#)
- [South Boulder Creek](#)
- [Walker Ranch](#)
- [Wonderland Lakes](#)

## SKI

- [Arapahoe Basin](#) (resort)
- [Copper Mountain](#) (resort)
- [East Portal Moffat Tunnel](#) (back country)
- [Eldora](#) (resort)
- [Rocky Mountain National Park](#) (backcountry)
- [Winter Park](#) (resort)

# SURROUNDING AREAS

- [Allumen Yoga](#) (Denver)
- [The Arc](#) (Louisville; thrift shop)
- [American Bonded](#) (Denver; fancy dive bar)
- [Bluebird Theater](#) (Denver)
- [Bonfire Burrito](#) (Golden; burritos)
- [British Bulldog](#) (Denver; soccer bar)
- [Cheesman Park](#) (Denver)
- [City O' City](#) (Denver; vegan)
- [City Park](#) (Denver)
- [Clyfford Still Museum](#) (Denver)
- [Coors Field](#) (Denver)
- [Curtis Park Deli](#) (Denver; sandwiches)
- [The Cruise Room](#) (Denver; Prohibition-era speakeasy)
- [Death & Co](#) (Denver; fancy cocktails)
- [Denver Art Museum](#) (Denver)
- [Denver Botanic Gardens](#) (Denver)
- [Denver Central Market](#) (Denver; food hall)
- [Denver Museum of Contemporary Art](#) (Denver)
- [Denver Museum of Nature and Science](#) (Denver)
- [Empower Field at Mile High Stadium](#) (Denver)
- [Gothic Theater](#) (Denver; live music)
- [Highland Tavern](#) (Denver; comfort food)
- [Hop Alley](#) (Denver; Chinese food)
- [Larimer Lounge](#) (Denver; live music)
- [Linger](#) (Denver)
- [Kirkland Museum of Fine and Decorative Art](#) (Denver)
- [Mercury Care](#) (Denver; classic bar)
- [MEOW WOLF \(immersive art space\)](#) (Denver)
- [The Mission Ballroom](#) (Denver)
- [Mister Oso](#) (Denver; Peruvian food)
- [Ned's Restaurant](#) (Nederland; comfort food)
- [Pepper Asian Bistro](#) (Denver; Chinese and Thai food)
- [River North Art District \(RiNO\)](#) (Denver)
- [Safta](#) (Denver; Israeli food)
- [Oriental Theater](#) (Denver)
- [Ophelias](#) (Denver; food and live music)
- [Pony Bar](#) (Denver, food and bar)
- [Q House](#) (Denver; Chinese cuisine)
- [Red Rocks Amphitheater](#) (Morrison)
- [Rocky Mountain Arsenal Wildlife Refuge](#) (Commerce City)
- [Sante Fe Art District](#) (Denver)
- [Sassafras](#) (Denver; brunch)
- [Señor Bear](#) (Denver; Latin-inspired food)
- [Simply Bulk Market](#) (Longmont)
- [Sputnik](#) (Denver; really good mac and cheese)
- [Stanley Marketplace](#) (Denver-Aurora)
- [Super Mega Bien](#) (Denver)
- [Sushi-Rama](#) (Denver; sushi)
- [Tamale Kitchen](#) (multiple locations; Mexican food)
- [Uchi](#) (Denver; sushi)
- [Watercourse Food](#) (Denver; vegan)



# **CAREER SERVICES AND STUDENT SUPPORT**

## **CAREER DEVELOPMENT ADVISORS**

### **Molly Thompson**

*Assistant Director of Career and Professional Development*

Talk to Molly about: Career planning, career preparation, industry engagement, and power networking

### **Mara Rose**

*Career Advisor*

Talk to Mara about: sustainable food systems, social entrepreneurship, networking, interview preparation, and job search

### **Brian Kennedy**

*Career Advisor*

Talk to Brian about: Your interests and career objectives, matching employer and job options, associated environmental industry details, and immediate strategies to position yourself to be the one who is hired for the position you seek

## **OFFERINGS**

- 1 on 1 support
- resume review
- cover letter review
- networking support
- negotiation support
- in-class training
- career service repository (with sample cover letters, resumes, interview questions and much more)
- career data collection

## **PAST WORKSHOPS**

- **Grant Writing** with Alison Pearks, Assistant Director of Research and Development for the College of Engineering, Design and Computing at the University of Colorado Denver
- **Imposter Syndrome** with Meena Krishnan, Director of Global Corporate Marketing at TIBCO
- **Effective Allyship Part 1 and 2** with Founder and Chief Catalyst at The Equity Project, Dr. Dwinita Mosby Tyler
- **Introduction to GIS** with geographer Joseph Kerski
- **Salary Negotiation** with Molly Thompson, Assistant Director of Career Development at MENV, and Brooke Nelson, Career Advisor from Engineering at CU Boulder

## **STUDENT SUPPORT**

### **Michelle Cadena**

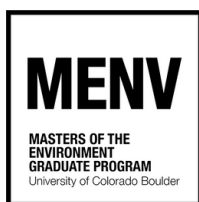
*Assistant Director of Diversity Affairs and Student Success*

Talk to Michelle about: Support with navigating transitioning to MENV, Boulder or Colorado as well as support with navigating student resources and referrals to other services like financial aid, housing, medical or mental health resources, amongst other resources and tools that can support your transition and success during your stay at CU and MENV and beyond graduation. Diversity, equity and inclusion issues (liaison between the Student DEI Committee and Student Council).

### **Brendan Park**

*Academic Advisor*

Talk to Brendan about: coursework planning and strategy; enrollment questions; academic petitions, processes, & procedures; degree and graduation requirements; and relevant tools and resources related to academic planning



# GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANT CONTACT SHEET 2023

Environmental and Natural Resource Policy = ENRP  
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Sustainability in the Outdoor Industry = SOI  
Sustainable Food Systems = SFS  
Urban Resilience and Sustainability = URS  
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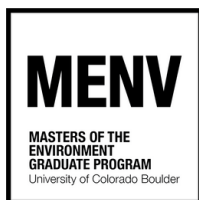
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# HEALTH & WELLNESS

## HEALTH

### CU Counseling and Psychiatric Services (CAPS)

\*Students who have paid the mental health fee

Services: confidential, on-campus mental health + psychiatric services for a variety of concerns, such as academics, anxiety, body image, depression, relationships, substance use + more

### Medical Services/Wardenburg Health Center

Services: primary care, sexual and reproductive health, lab services, physical therapy, shot/vaccinations + more

### Collegiate Recovery Center (CUCRC)

Services: community, support, and connection for students, faculty, and staff in recovery or seeking recovery from a wide range of behaviors

### Disability Services

Services: testing accommodations, note-taking accommodations, flexibility w/ attendance and assignment deadline plans, communication/interpretation services, service animals + more

### Office of Victim Assistance

Services: free + confidential info, consultation, support, advocacy + short-term counseling services to those who have experienced a traumatic, disturbing, or life-disruptive event

### Ombuds Office

Services: a good place to surface, voice, clarify, and discuss university-related issues

### Student Support and Case

Management (SSCM)

Services: helps students identify issues and appropriate resources and works collaboratively with them to develop an action plan

## INSURANCE

Those taking one or more graduate credit hours are required to complete the health insurance requirement process. If you do not take action to waive or enroll by the deadline, you will be automatically enrolled in the CU Gold SHIP and responsible for the insurance charge. There will be no refunds granted following the deadline.

## IF YOU NEED INSURANCE

CU Gold Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP)

Health First Colorado (Medicaid)

If you have private insurance:

BuffCare Supplemental Coverage Program

## WELLNESS

### GYMS

- Alpine Training Center
- Anytime Fitness
- Boulder Athletics
- Crossfit Sanitas
- Crunch Gym
- CU Recreation Center
- F45 Training
- Mountain's Edge Fitness

### YOGA

- Avita Yoga
- Corepower Yoga
- Kaiut Yoga
- The Little Yoga Studio
- Radiance Power Yoga
- Yoga Pod
- Yoga Pearl

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