



## President's Message



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The UWC Scholarship Luncheon is April 13 and we look forward to meeting this year's scholars. We recently learned that it will cost a CU resident (undergrad) \$20,000 for tuition, fees, room/board and books for the 2010-11 academic year. Let's take a look at CU, its students, and what \$20,000 will buy.

- ✦ 47% women, 53% men
- ✦ 84% undergraduates, 16% graduate students
- ✦ 66% Colorado residents, 34% non residents
- ✦ 1,228 international students representing more than 80 countries

The top five most popular undergraduate majors are psychology, integrative physiology, international affairs, English, and economics.

#### The Value of a College Degree.

The U. S. Census Bureau reports that workers over the age of 18 with a high school degree earn an average of \$27,915 annually, a bachelor's degree \$51,206, and those with an advanced degree \$74,602. **Education provides a big payoff!**

#### A Best Buy.

CU is one of only 14 U.S. public institutions recognized as a "Best Buy" in the 2009 edition of the Fiske Guide to Colleges. CU has earned a global reputation for high-quality teaching, research, service, and providing Colorado students with an excellent education at a bargain price. Hard to believe that \$20,000 is a bargain price!

The UWC has received 45 applications this year for our scholarship - please join me April 13 to honor our 2010-11 scholars who are looking for **the big payoff!**

Karon Johnson, President

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### CU-Boulder – 133 Year History of Educating Students from Colorado.

CU is a Tier 1 research institution that received more than \$289 million in sponsored research awards for 2008, placing it 13<sup>th</sup> nationally and 6<sup>th</sup> among all public universities. It is one of only 34 U.S. public research universities in the prestigious Association of American Universities, and U.S. News & World Report ranked it 34th among the nation's top 50 public universities offering doctoral programs in its 2010 America's Best Colleges issue.

CU employees—1,075 tenure/tenure track faculty members, 40% of whom are women and 13% minority. It offers 3,400 courses in 150 fields of study; 80 majors at the bachelor's level, 70 at the master's and 52 at the doctoral level.

CU-Boulder is one of Colorado's primary economic engines. One of the largest employers in Boulder County, it provided 6,730 jobs in 2009 and directly impacted the state's professional workforce, new business development, and overall financial outlook. In the past five years, 27 new companies – from biotechnology to renewable energy – have been formed based on CU technologies.

### CU Students – Some Statistics.

During the 2008-09 academic year, 6,526 degrees were granted and more than 30,000 students were enrolled:

## MESSAGES

**Did you know that current and old Messages are available at the UWC website?**

**[BoulderUWC.org](http://BoulderUWC.org)**



*The University Women's Club Of the  
University of Colorado at Boulder*

**Cordially Invites You to Attend  
The Honors Reception  
and Margaret Willard Award Presentation**

tuesday  
may 11<sup>th</sup>, 2010

*3:00pm*

Koenig Alumni Center  
1202 University Avenue  
(Corner of Broadway & University)  
Boulder, Colorado  
3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Please RSVP  
No Later than Monday May 3, 2010  
To Judy Minger  
303 444 3944  
jrminger@netzero.com

**University Women's Club cordially invites you to the  
53rd Annual Spring Scholarship Luncheon.**

Fashions by Barbara and Co.

Boulder Country Club  
7350 Clubhouse Road  
Tuesday, April 13, 2010  
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



**Soaring to New Heights**

Checks payable to UWC. Please observe the RSVP deadline of Friday, April 9, 2010. Mail to: UWC c/o Connie Pringle, 2205 Table Mesa Dr., Boulder, CO 80305 (303-499-2354; [conlou1976@aol.com](mailto:conlou1976@aol.com))

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Guest \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Luncheons at \$37 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Additional donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total enclosed** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please select your entrée:

- Rosemary Herb Chicken \_\_\_\_\_
- Vegetable Wellington \_\_\_\_\_
- Special Needs Meal? \_\_\_\_\_

(includes a tax deductible  
donation of \$10 to the  
UWC scholarship fund)

# When, What, Who?



## Remember!

Dues are collected in accordance with the University of Colorado academic year. We will collect for the 2010-11 year in August. Contact Karen Diamond (303-939-8656; [karen.diamond@mac.com](mailto:karen.diamond@mac.com)) for questions.

## Activity Calendar 2009-10

EVENT	DAY & TIME	DATE
Board Meeting	Tuesday; 11 a.m.	April 6
MESSAGES Deadline	Saturday	April 10
Scholarship Luncheon	Tuesday; 11:30 a.m.	April 13
Honor's Reception	Tuesday	May 11
Tri-Board Meeting	Tuesday	May 18

## Member Benefits

There are two benefits for dues-paying members: 1) an e-mail account through CU, which will provide a CU e-mail address and give you internet access to CU Library electronic resources; and 2) a CU guest Buff Card, which provides patron privileges at Norlin Library. To take advantage of the e-mail account, you must first contract with an Internet Service Provider. CU no longer provides free dial-up service. If interested in either of these two benefits, please contact Kathleen Salzberg (303-499-3128; [Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu](mailto:Kathleen.Salzberg@colorado.edu)).

## UWC Executive Board

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## Interest Groups — Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; [jillgrubb44@yahoo.com](mailto:jillgrubb44@yahoo.com))

**Afternoon Book Group:** This group meets at 2 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of the month. The March 23 meeting will be at the home of Shirley Deeter, 3902 Promontory Ct., Boulder (720-564-1509; [ssdeeter@comcast.net](mailto:ssdeeter@comcast.net)). The group will discuss *Genghis Khan and the Making of the Modern World* by Jack Weatherford. The April 27 meeting will be at the home of Nicki Haller, 1600 Yellow Pine Ave., Boulder, (303-339-0458; [nickichaller@q.com](mailto:nickichaller@q.com)). We will discuss *The Elegance of the Hedgehog* by Muriel Barbery. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. For questions, please contact chair Toddy Patoff (720-890-5969; [btpatoff@msn.com](mailto:btpatoff@msn.com)).

**Evening Book Group:** We meet the second Thursday of the month. On April 8 at 7:15 p.m., will meet at the home of Virginia Stringi, 935 Gillaspie (at Yale), Boulder (303-955-1860; [vstringi@comcast.net](mailto:vstringi@comcast.net)). The book will be *Made in Hungary* by Maria Krenz, to be introduced by Jill Grubb. Co-hostess will be Linda Toomre. Books are available at the Boulder Bookstore. Co-chairs are Judy Reid (303-440-6040; [judy.reid@comcast.net](mailto:judy.reid@comcast.net)) and Christy Sweet Baggett (303-443-5680; [christycsweet@msn.com](mailto:christycsweet@msn.com)).

**Bicycling Group:** The Biking Group will meet on Thursday's on a "Weather Permitting" basis beginning in April. Please watch your e-mail for meeting times and places. If you want to be on the list, please contact Mary Greenwald (303-443-6478, [m.b.greenwald@comcast.net](mailto:m.b.greenwald@comcast.net)). We are a recreational riding group, using the bike trails and lightly traveled roads around Boulder County.

**Afternoon Bridge Group:** The Afternoon Bridge Group meets regularly the first Wednesday and third Thursday of each month. We have added a new group on the second Thursday of the month at the Olive Garden for lunch and bridge. Come join us! Contact Barbara Turner (303-417-9778; [golferB7@aol.com](mailto:golferB7@aol.com)).

**French Conversation:** Currently this group is full. If interested in forming a new group, contact Interest Group Chair Jill Grubb (614-440-5585; [jillgrubb44@yahoo.com](mailto:jillgrubb44@yahoo.com)).

**Garden Group:** We meet monthly, usually 3rd Tuesday or Wednesday; 10 a.m.—noon. Tour gardens (member, public, & commercial), exchange seeds, and garden galore. Contact Liz Schmidt (303-652-1495; [ears44@comcast.net](mailto:ears44@comcast.net)) for information.

**Hiking Group:** This group meets on Fridays at 9 a.m. September through May. Most hikes are of moderate difficulty and end just before noon. Hiking places vary depending on the weather. Currently we are meeting at the east end of the lower level of Macy's parking garage off 30th Street; however, meeting places may also vary. Contact Nurit Wolf (303-443-7958; [nwolf@colorado.edu](mailto:nwolf@colorado.edu)) or Heidi Lynch (303-499-5779; [hslynch@comcast.net](mailto:hslynch@comcast.net)) for information.

**Investment Group:** We meet once a month on the second Wednesday of the month at 9 a.m. at a member's home. After a business meeting, we report on the stocks we follow, discuss these stocks, and report on any new stock we have studied. Please contact Mareike Ludkewycz (720-890-5802; [mareike1875@yahoo.com](mailto:mareike1875@yahoo.com)) for more information.

**Italian Conversation Group:** The group meets each Wednesday from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dairy Center for the Performing Arts, 2590 Walnut Street, Boulder. For further information, please call Maxene Wilson (303-530-4619, [maxene@earthlink.net](mailto:maxene@earthlink.net)).

**Music Group:** The group is open to all performers and listeners. The Music Group will have a performance on Monday, March 22 at 7:15 p.m. at Golden West. April's meeting will be held at the home of Sue Peterson, 4135 Caddo Parkway, Boulder (303-443-6657; [courtpeterson@comcast.net](mailto:courtpeterson@comcast.net)) on Monday, April 12 at 7:30 pm. For more information, contact Brenda Hutchinson (303-527-0380; [brenda1231@comcast.net](mailto:brenda1231@comcast.net)) or Linda Levy (303-443-2119; [lindalevy3@comcast.net](mailto:lindalevy3@comcast.net)).

**Out to Lunch:** This group will meet at 12 noon on the last Wednesday of each month. We get together to sample the Boulder area restaurants and socialize over lunch. We meet for lunch on Wednesday, March 31 at 12 noon at the Thai restaurant 'Elephant Hut' located at 2500 30th St., between Valmont and Pearl. RSVP to Jyotsna Raj (303-447-8831; [jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu](mailto:jyotsna.raj@colorado.edu)).

**Reader's Theater:** Membership of this group is presently full. Please join Reader's Theater 2 if interested.

**Reader's Theatre 2:** This group meets at 6:45 p.m. on the first or second Monday of the month at a member's home. We take roles and read and discuss a play that we've selected previously. No memorization is necessary. On April 12 we will meet at the home of Carol Saunders, 1076 Westview Dr, Boulder (303-499-3731; [carol.saunders@comcast.net](mailto:carol.saunders@comcast.net)) to read *Our Town*. On April 22, we'll attend CU's production of *Our Town* as a group. Please contact Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; [pattycake.21@juno.com](mailto:pattycake.21@juno.com)) or Kathy Randall (303-530-1095; [katherineran@gmail.com](mailto:katherineran@gmail.com)).

**Beginning Spanish Conversation:** Come join our fun group of 12 women as we learn Spanish enough to travel and keep up with our changing world. Meets Tuesdays at 12:45 p.m. at Sherry Bruff's home at 1245 Old Tale Road, Boulder off Cherryvale between Baseline and Arapahoe (303-415-9970, [sherry.bruff@colorado.edu](mailto:sherry.bruff@colorado.edu)). Classes with Professor Olson are \$12/week; pay only for those sessions you can attend.

**Conversational Spanish Conversation:** If you'd like to join us at a local restaurant once or twice a month on Mondays from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. for Spanish conversation over tea or coffee, please contact Diana King (303 530-1860; [diana\\_s\\_king@yahoo.com](mailto:diana_s_king@yahoo.com)). We've been fortunate to have UWC member, Gloria Garcia de Miller from Venezuela, serve as our mentor.

**Sunday Afternoon at the Movies & More:** The group meets each month on the fourth Sunday to see a movie followed by refreshments and discussion. The choice of movie, meeting time and place are sent to all group members the week before the movie. Contact co-chairs Peggy Burrell (303-439-9533; [peggyb80020@yahoo.com](mailto:peggyb80020@yahoo.com)) or Patty Ludke (303-440-9590; [pattycake.21@juno.com](mailto:pattycake.21@juno.com)).

**Tea and Travel:** Tea and Travel will meet at 1 p.m., April 27, when Linda Hansen will present a program about Patagonia at her home, 420 Terrace Ave, Boulder. Anyone interested in attending should contact Linda (721-938-8494; [hansenco420@msn.com](mailto:hansenco420@msn.com)).



Thomas Andrews, Lecture Luncheon speaker, and proud mother Martha



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*Invite Your Friends to Join!*

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**MESSAGES deadline**

Deadline for the May 2010 issue is April 10  
E-mail articles to [5etges@comcast.net](mailto:5etges@comcast.net) or mail to:  
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Any questions, call Carol at 720-207-3980