Reported annual earnings of CU graduates (early career - first ten years after graduation) compared to average CU student loan debt. This comparison is one way to illustrate whether or not a CU degree has value.

6% Annual Student Loan Payment of Average Annual Earnings

Source: CU System Office of Budget & Finance; Survey of 9,785 CU Alumni May 2018; limited to bachelor recipients; employed full-time, excluding those enrolled in graduate school;

*Per CU System wide Alumni Survey FY 2009 - FY 2018
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***Assumes Standard 10 year repayment at 4.39%