**Excellence in Leadership Award**

**Description of the Award**

The Excellence in Leadership Award honors a graduate of the Excellence in Leadership Program (ELP) who has shown exemplary leadership at the university. Nominations are accepted from any University of Colorado employee who has worked or is working with the nominee.

**Award Nomination and Submission Process**

All graduates of ELP who are currently working at the University of Colorado are eligible to be nominated. Self-nominations will not be accepted. Nominations should include:

* Completed 2016 Nomination Form
* Minimum of three letters of support, including a letter or email from the dean or direct supervisor, confirming his or her support of the nomination
* Supporting materials reflecting the nominee’s accomplishments (e.g., vita/resume, periodicals, fundraising initiatives, demonstration of a global or national reach)
* Please limit the nomination to 10 pages, excluding the vita/resume. (Nominators may provide electronic links to additional supporting material.)

Nominations will be evaluated and an award recipient selected by a committee comprised of campus liaisons and coordinators.

Nominees should demonstrate excellence, in one or more areas:

* Leadership of organizations, departments, or teams
* Leadership of projects, programs, and/or research
* Fiscal management and/or fund raising
* Student instruction

Submit nominations and supporting material by email to Erin Russell ([erin.russell@cu.edu](mailto:erin.russell@cu.edu)), Employee Learning and Development. **Nominations will be accepted until 5:00 pm, September 21, 2016.**

**Presentation of Award**

Presentation of the award will take place on Friday, November 4, 2016 at the Excellence in Leadership Luncheon and Lecture at the Brown Palace Hotel.

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**Nomination Form**

University of Colorado staff and faculty who have worked with the nominee may nominate an Excellence in Leadership Program (ELP) alumnus/alumna for the Excellence in Leadership Award. A list of ELP Alumni is available on the Employee Learning and Development website: <https://www.cu.edu/eld/leadership/elp>

Submit nominations and supporting material to Employee Learning and Development by email to Erin Russell ([erin.russell@cu.edu](mailto:erin.russell@cu.edu)). **Nominations are due September 21, 2016, 5:00 pm.**

**Nominee Information**

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| Name: |  | Department: |  |
| Title: |  | Campus: |  |
| Email address: |  | Office phone: |  |
| What year did the nominee attend the program? (if known) | | |  |

**Nominator Information**

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| Name: |  | Department: |  |
| Title: |  | Campus: |  |
| Email address: |  | Office phone: |  |

**Nomination Directions**

Provide a detailed description of the accomplishments that support this nomination. Attach relevant documentation which may include awards, publications, and/or anecdotes from employees or students. Limit supporting material to ten pages or provide electronic links.