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At CU, we believe in driving global change together, and the Presidential Innovation & Entrepreneurship Initiative aims to align and optimize resources—in an inclusive, multidisciplinary understanding—to reach across traditional silos and facilitate collaboration. Explore resources available by campus below:

CU Boulder Innovation & Entrepreneurship Initiative

Explore the many entrepreneurship and innovation programs and resources in our interactive guided at CU Boulder at colorado.edu/innovate ^[2]

- [ASSETT Innovation Incubator](#) ^[3]—Engaging teams of faculty, undergraduate students and staff from the College of Arts and Sciences in cycles of design thinking to develop innovative education technology projects
- [Atlas Institute](#) ^[4]—Home to research and academic programs transcending disciplinary structures of engineering, design, science and art to inspire new realms of invention
- [Creative Distillation Research Podcast](#) ^[5] — Creative Distillation is co-hosted by the Deming Center for Entrepreneurship's Research Director Jeff York and Faculty Director Brad Werner. Each episode distills entrepreneurship research into actionable insights
- [Deming Center for Entrepreneurship](#) ^[6]—A one-stop shop for students, staff, faculty and community members interested in entrepreneurship
- [Entrepreneurship Center for Music](#) ^[7]—Equipping today's music students with the skills and tools they need to create sustainable careers in the arts
- [Idea Forge](#) ^[8]— A cross-disciplinary prototyping facility where students can design, build and test solutions to meet societal needs
- [Integrated Teaching & Learning Program](#) ^[9]—A workspace offering workshops, resources and high-end equipment open to engineering and non-engineering students, staff and faculty use
- [Innovation and Entrepreneurship Mentor Network](#) ^[10]—CU Boulder's entrepreneurial mentor network supports innovative activity on campus led by students, faculty and staff
- [New Venture Challenge \(NVC\)](#) ^[11]—Connecting the CU Boulder campus with the Boulder community to develop innovative ideas and pitch for up to \$50,000 in venture funding
- [Silicon Flatirons](#) ^[12] — Propelling the future of technology policy and innovation
- [Startups2Students](#) ^[13]— A mini job fair that brings entrepreneurially-minded CU Boulder students and local Front Range startups together with a twist
- [Venture Partners at CU Boulder](#) ^[14]—The commercialization arm of CU Boulder, Colorado Springs and Denver (Physical Sciences) campuses with support for beginning through growing ventures based on university-owned IP

Undergraduate, Graduate, and Faculty

- Bachelor of Innovation ^[15] — An interdisciplinary undergraduate program that combines the traditional degree curriculum with practical innovation and entrepreneurship training
- EPIIC Community Events ^[16] — Incubator to support economic development of Colorado Springs
- Venture AttractorTM ^[17] — Incubator for early-stage startups in the sports and outdoors, health innovation, and human performance sectors

Undergraduate & Graduate

- Center for Entrepreneurship ^[18] — Promotes entrepreneurship in the Southern Colorado region through its research, teaching and service activities
- Student Research Center ^[18] — Prepare and support undergraduate and graduate student researchers and faculty mentors
- The Garage ^[19] — A student entrepreneurship center

CU Denver

Undergraduate, Graduate, and Faculty

- Bioengineering ^[20] — Academic department that provides opportunities for engineering students and researchers to work directly on a world-class medical campus
- Grand Challenges ^[21] — Interdisciplinary, applied research competition
- Inworks Innovation Initiative ^[22] — Two state-of-the-art prototyping labs and a collaborative community for creators, thinkers, designers, and makers
- Imaginator Academy ^[23] — Projects and research focused on reimagining the future of work
- Jake Jobs Center for Entrepreneurship ^[24] — Entrepreneurship-focused resource center and academic department at the CU Denver Business School that offers an MS, BSBA, MBA specialization, and certificates in entrepreneurship; extracurricular programs; events; workshops; and more
- Open Innovation District ^[25] — Serving as the anchor institution in downtown Denver to fuel inclusive innovation, collaboration, sustainability, and economic growth for Denver and Colorado

Undergraduate & Graduate

- Grand Challenges ^[21] — Interdisciplinary, applied research competition
- Smart Cities Future Lab ^[26] — Incubator and accelerator focused on inclusive solutions for smart cities
- Student Research Center ^[27] — Providing jobs, resources, and grants for CU Denver and CU Anschutz Medical Campus, undergraduate researchers
- THE CLIMB ^[28] — An annual pitch competition and event series open to Colorado collegiate teams competing for a \$10,000 first-prize
- The Rutt Bridges Venture Fund ^[29] — An early stage, micro-investment fund operated by a cross-disciplinary team of CU Denver students

CU Anschutz Medical Campus

Graduate, and Faculty

- [Academia Industry Alliance](#) [30] — Strives to foster connections among entrepreneurs, scientists, technology professionals, and businesses
- [Ask the Expert](#) [31] — Monthly luncheon interviews with innovation experts
- [Brews and Biotech](#) [32] — Informal networking with local business leaders
- [Center for BioEngineering](#) [33] — The Center uniquely offers engineering students and researchers direct opportunities on a world-class medical campus
- [Center for Innovation](#) [34] — Children's Hospital Colorado (Resources and services supporting innovators and entrepreneurs)
- [Chancellor's Discovery and Innovation Fund](#) [35] — Milestone-based funding program supporting healthcare technologies
- [Colorado Clinical and Translational Sciences Institute](#) [36] - [37] [CCTSI](#) [38] [37] — Facilitates the formation of future-focused research teams, accelerates the development of new treatments and enhances human health
- [CU Healthcare Innovation Fund](#) [39] — Venture capital fund investing in series A & B companies out of CU Anschutz
- [CU Innovations](#) [40] — Unites industry partners, entrepreneurs, and investors to support CU Researchers in creating global biomedical technology for enhanced quality of life
- [Entrepreneurs in Residence \(EIR\)](#) [41] — Healthcare Advisors are experienced entrepreneurs, executives, and healthcare experts who can mentor campus innovators
- [Fitzsimmons Innovation Community](#) [42] — Cutting-edge lab space where health and life sciences companies elevate their research to cure diseases, save lives and enhance care
- [Gates Grubstake Award](#) [43] — Funding supported by CU Innovations and Gates Institute offered to CU Anschutz investigators or external collaborators to advance cell and gene therapies along with regenerative medicine technologies
- [ICorps@CCTSI](#) [44] — 3-week course guiding researchers through idea generation to market application
- [Innovation Hub](#) [45] — A database of preferred service providers offered to researchers to help support their startup
- [mHealth Impact Lab](#) [46] — An incubator for cutting-edge health technology and disease management initiatives within the Colorado School of Public Health
- [Mental Health Innovation Center](#) [47] — Exploring bold, scalable solutions beyond today's mental healthcare system
- [Research Studio](#) [48] — Roundtable clinical and translational research discussions
- [SPARK/REACH](#) [49] — Funding and educational program supporting inventors in the commercialization process
- [Startup Toolbox](#) [50] — Microgrant program providing startup services guidance
- [The CARE Innovation Center](#) [51] — Provides a comprehensive suite of resources and services aimed at transforming healthcare through collaboration with industry leaders and startups
- [Center for Drug Discovery](#) [52] — Exclusively dedicated to minimizing the time and cost of screening new drugs and therapies
- [360 Podcast](#) [53] — Features stories about the innovative, and often ground-breaking, work being conducted by the faculty, staff, and students at the University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus

CU Systems Wide Programs

Undergraduate, Graduate, and Faculty

- AB Nexus ^[54] — Research collaborations between the University of Colorado Anschutz and Boulder

Faculty

- CU Innovation & Efficiency Awards ^[55] — Acknowledging the innovative ideas from CU employees that contribute to saving the University time, money, and minimizing hassles.

Groups audience:

Innovation & Entrepreneurship

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