

**Excellence in Leadership Program
Agenda
November 19^h, 2021
8:30am to 12:00 pm**

Virtual Session Zoom information: https://cusystem.zoom.us/j/95141517683 Meeting ID: 951 4151 7683	
8:30 to 8:45	Welcome and Introductions Janet Lowe Director, Learning and Development, CU System
8:45 to 11:45	Workshop - <i>“Communication: A Preferences Model and Tool to Lead”</i> Presenter: Nicole Jenkins Assistant Director, Communications & Training Office of Contracts & Grants University of Colorado Boulder *with 2 breaks as needed
11:45 – 12:00	Closing Janet Lowe

Nicole Jenkins Biography



Nicole Jenkins is an alum of ELP (2016-17 cohort) and the Assistant Director of Communication & Training for the Office of Contracts and Grants on the Boulder campus. Nicole wears many hats within OCG to advance strategic initiatives through project and change management, including stakeholder engagement and organizational readiness. She has developed a comprehensive communication and training program to address leadership development, team effectiveness, employee engagement and creating a high trust office culture. Nicole willingly and often shares her ideas and collaborates across the CU campuses formally and informally to support leadership development. Nicole considers herself a thought partner and thrives in navigating the mountains and valleys of leadership with others. In her words, “Being a thought partner is this fabulous space where creativity and order, agreement and disagreement, clarity and confusion can thrive.”