



COLORADO SCHOOL OF  
**MINES**

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It may sound cliché, but at Colorado School of Mines, we mean it in so many ways.

You may have first envisioned our location in the foothills of the Colorado Rocky Mountains. This makes sense, after all, we do sit approximately 5800 feet above sea level, which is quite elevated.

When we say ELEVATE your event, though, we refer to the many ways that Mines provides the perfect location to design and host a successful event that will leave your attendees feeling that the experience was just what they needed.

**Come explore the many ways we help you ELEVATE your next conference, camp or retreat.**





# CONNECT with Colleagues, Contemporaries and Companions

Attending an annual conference or camp is a highly anticipated event by the millions of people who attend them. For many, this is the time they most look forward to - the opportunity to spend intentional and casual times with their friends, companions, teammates and colleagues. They look forward to learning, creating and playing together.

Whether you are planning a professional conference, retreat, workshop or camp, we invite you to use the beautiful backdrop of our campus as the stage for reuniting, competing, innovating, debating, creating and collaborating.

# An Ideal Location in the **CENTER OF EVERYTHING**

The Mines campus is located just west of Denver on the edge of the metropolitan area.

We know that that we are in the perfect location for groups that want access to the natural recreation of the Rocky Mountains and for those that prefer the advantages of a cosmopolitan city. Here, your guests can experience offsite activities that one day take them hiking and the next, to a Colorado Rockies game. Either way, there's something for everyone on and around the Mines campus and our hometown of Golden.

- 35 miles to Denver International Airport
- Just off I-70, one of the nation's longest east-west highways
- 15 minutes to downtown Denver attractions
- Near Colorado Mills Mall, Red Rocks Amphitheater and other cultural and retail attractions
- Recreational opportunities including hiking, rafting, and so much more. Use our Outdoor Recreation Center for equipment rentals and tours for your group and individuals
- Nearby hotel options for overflow lodging options



# GATHER in Great Spaces

Whether you need a large gathering space for hundreds of attendees, small spaces for small group discussions and breakouts, or athletic venues for competition, Mines has a place for you. Here's a sampling of the spaces that await you:

## Green Center

The Green Center houses some 85,000 square feet of event areas comprised of a Grand Lobby, which acts as an exhibit area, adjacent to the 1,400-seat Bunker Auditorium, two lecture halls, and our largest multipurpose venue, Friedhoff Hall.

## Ben H. Parker Student Center

The Grand Ballroom, centrally located on campus, offers seating for 300 and is ideal for plenary sessions, banquets and expos.

## Academic Spaces

With nearly 100 spaces in 12 campus buildings, there are spaces for every need.

Our academic spaces can accommodate groups ranging in size from 20 – 250 attendees.

## Sports and Competition Venues

Our Colorado summers make Mines the ideal spot for a wide range of sporting camps and competitions, including soccer, basketball, volleyball, football, baseball, lacrosse, band, cheerleading and many others.



# DELIGHT in Our Dining

With all the learning, playing or retreating you plan to do, your guests will definitely be hungry. At Mines, we offer two main dining opportunities for you to take advantage of:

## Mines Market

If you want an all-you-care-to-eat option, our centrally located Mines Market is the best option for groups up to 500 people. Here, your attendees can enjoy a variety of food options from a healthy salad bar to classic comfort foods and everything in between. There's not a palate that cannot be satisfied at Mines Market.

## Periodic Table

For groups on the go, our campus food court has several choices of cuisine including Qdoba, Starbucks and WOW Café and Wingery. There is also a campus convenience store filled with a variety of snacks, sushi, and other grab-and-go items.

## Catering

If your event includes special meals such as banquets, small group lunches, receptions and more, Flavours Catering at Mines is your "go to" for catered events for every taste and budget. The team of professionals at Flavours will guide you through our many options and work with you to customize a memorable experience. For more information on our catering selections, we invite you to visit Flavours' menu.



# RECHARGE Your Energy

After a long day of competing, meeting, researching and learning, it's nice to know there's a comfortable room waiting for you to rest and relax. At Mines, we offer a variety of residence hall spaces from which to choose. From tried-and-true traditional halls to modern suite-style accommodations, there's an option for every event and budget.

- 1000 overnight beds
- Linen Service Available
- Guest Services Available



# **ELEVATE** Your Gathering Today!

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO  
WELCOMING YOU  
TO COLORADO SCHOOL  
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Contact us today to speak with a Conference Services representative and begin to **ELEVATE** your gathering.

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