**T@M Weekly: September 6th**

**Teach@Mines News**

**Teach@Mines Career Fair:**
Please join us for a Teach@Mines Career Fair! No matter where you are in your thinking about teaching, this event is for you! You can sit back and learn about the profession or bring your resume and interview with districts. It's set up for everyone! We will have HR directors from the local school districts listed below (and maybe more!) at the event to answer all your questions about teaching in their district and the hiring process. You will be able to talk one-on-one with the districts you are interested in and if you’re looking for a teaching job soon, bring your resume!

The following districts will be attending:

- St. Vrain Valley School District
- Cherry Creek School District
- Denver Schools of Science and Technology
- Adams 14
- Jeffco Public Schools
- Boulder Valley Schools District
- Douglas County School District

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**DID YOU KNOW...**

Teachers in the United States rate their lives better than all other occupation groups, trailing only physicians

Survey of 172,000 working Adults by Gallup – Healthways

Get the Facts Out
If you have any interest in teaching, this will also be a great chance to learn more!

**What:** Teach@Mines Career Fair  
**When:** Friday, September 15th, from 5p-6:30pm  
**Where:** CK140/150  
**RSVP:** [https://forms.gle/4CUbg1aRpScprJCM8](https://forms.gle/4CUbg1aRpScprJCM8)  
(please RSVP so we have enough food)

**TEA Meeting 9/12 - Career Fair Prep:**  
Join TEA at their next meeting on **Tuesday, September 12th in CK282 from 4:00 - 5:00PM.**  
Attend to learn how to tailor your applications, resumes, and job fair prep to the K-12 education industry. Learn about the K-12 education industry and a myriad of job search tips and tricks. We will cover how applications, resumes, and job fairs differ from the engineering industry.

Mines welcomes individuals with disabilities. If you require an accommodation in order to participate in this event, please contact Elizabeth Ruzicka at elizabethruzicka@mines.edu. Advance notice may be necessary to arrange for some accessibility needs.

**Double Your Career Options - Become A Licensed Teacher!**  
Teach@Mines offers teacher licensure in Secondary Science (grades 7-12), Secondary Mathematics (grades 7-12), Middle Grades Mathematics (grades 6-8), and K-12 Computer Science. Licensure can be pursued through one of three pathways: by adding our minor, pursuing a Bachelor of Science with a focus on STEM teaching, or through our new Master in STEM Education. Read more about how you can add a teaching license to your degree [here](#).

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**Job Opportunities**

**Looking for a Job? Check Out Our Job Search Tips Page:**  
Teach@Mines has a page with current tips and advice for those seeking a teaching position ([check it out here](#)). One of the resources there is the Colorado Association of School Executives (CASE) job search - [use it here](#).

**Harrison School District 2 Job Openings:**  
The Harrison School District 2 in Colorado Springs has multiple job openings for the ‘23-’24 school year. The link to their online application portal is [here](#), and the link to their Facebook page where they post job openings weekly is [here](#).  
- HR Generalist - Benefits, Wellness and Professional Development  
- Special Education Paraprofessionals
College and Career Counselors
3rd, 4th, and 5th Grade Teachers
Middle School Language Arts Teachers
Moderate Needs Special Education Teachers

Scholarship Opportunities

Praxis Test Stipends:
We have funds available for students who will be taking the Praxis exam this year. If you are thinking about getting a teaching license and your degree is in engineering, for example, then you'll need to take a Praxis exam in the area that you plan to teach.

For example if your degree is in Electrical Engineering and you plan to teach Math, you'll need to take the math Praxis. If your degree is in Chemistry and you plan to teach science, then you DO NOT need to take a praxis exam.

Please let Dr. Adams wkadams@Mines.edu know this week if you think you might want to take a Praxis between now and Summer ‘24. We need to let the state know how much money to set aside for us.

Colorado Department of Education Residency Stipend
- Must be pursuing licensure through Teach@Mines
- Available to both undergraduates and graduate students
- Must have 300% Pell need to qualify – as determined by the FAFSA
- $11,000 wages during the student teaching/Capstone Curriculum Design II semester.
  Does not affect financial aid eligibility.
- No commitment or payback provisions

Please notify Dr. Adams by December (WKAdams@Mines.edu) if you anticipate using this stipend in Spring 2023.

Opportunities

Budapest Semesters in Mathematics Education (BSME):
A study abroad program in Budapest, Hungary designed for undergraduates and recent graduates interested in the learning and teaching of secondary mathematics. BSME participants explore Hungarian pedagogy, in which a strong and explicit emphasis is placed on problem-solving, mathematical creativity, and communication.
Current programs and deadlines include:

- **Spring 2024**: October 15, 2023 ([here](#))

To learn more and apply, visit their website [here](#).