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Community Announcements
A publication for students, alumnae, and friends of Colorado Women's College at the University of Denver

New This Week

**Charleston Massacre Open Forum**
**Saturday June 27 | 12 pm - 1:20 pm | Chambers Center Room 260**

Dear CWC Students, Staff, and Faculty,
The hate-filled massacre of nine people last week at an evening prayer meeting at Emmanuel AME Church in Charleston, South Carolina has left that community, and communities across the country, reeling. Many folks at CWC and in the wider DU campus have been looking for an opportunity to process their feelings about this horrific event.

Associate Dean Arthur Jones has been discussing this with Dean Olson, the Chancellor, and the staff at the Center for Multicultural Excellence, and has organized an opportunity this week for anyone in the CWC community who would like a safe place to share feelings about what happened in Charleston. Everyone from the CWC community is invited to take part in the discussion facilitated by the Associate Dean.

**NHLI: Journey to Leadership Women's Conference**
**Saturday June 27 | 9 am - 3 pm | Iliff School of Theology**

You are invited to a statewide conference sponsored by the Colorado Women's Circle of Influence at the Iliff School of Theology. See the full agenda and more information [here](#).
We have excellent topics and key Colorado women as panelists/presenters. Feel free to send this invitation to other interested individuals. Look forward to seeing you - don’t forget to RSVP to ckboller@comcast.net.

**Catalyst Series: Preparing, Recruiting, & Retaining Women and Girls in STEM**
**Wednesday July 8 | 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm | The Posner Center for International Development | 1031 33rd St. Denver CO 80205**
Real community conversations about making tangible changes to help women and girls in Colorado reach their full potential. Did you know that women in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) fields earn, on average, 33% more than those in other fields, yet women account for only 25% of the STEM workforce.
Join The Women's Foundation of Colorado and a featured panel of experts to get real about gender bias in STEM and how it affects the preparation, recruitment, and retention of women in STEM fields. This event is open to the public, and there is no cost to attend. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, see the event flyer. RSVP to Shayna Braunstein at EC@wfco.org by July 2, 2015.

**Women Powering Change**
**Thursday July 9 | 4 pm - 7 pm | Exdo Events | 1399 35th St. Denver CO**
Around the world, there is a steady pulse of women working passionately to create change. We have a wealth of these women leaders and social change-makers right here in Colorado. Come join the conversation and find your place in accelerating social change, locally and globally. This expo offers you the opportunity to come meet the leaders of these social change-maker organizations and hear about their plans and programs for creating a better world.
Come join in celebration of Women Powering Change, and see keynote speaker **Ambassador Swanee Hunt**, a visionary, philanthropist, and co-founder of The Women's Foundation of Colorado. This event is free and open to the public, but space is limited, so register ASAP here.

Want more information? Check out this flyer!

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**Coming Up**

**Event Photos!**
Check out photos on our Flickr site from the following recent CWC events:
See photos from the Hanging of the Greens 2014 here.
See photos from the Graduate Tea with the Dean 2015 here.

**Summer Graduation Information Meetings**
We are hosting two informational meetings for summer graduates to get important updates and information on the August commencement ceremony. If you are graduating this summer, please plan to attend one of the following meetings:
**Wednesday, July 8, 5-6pm | Garden Room**
**Saturday, July 11, 12:15-1:15pm | Garden Room**
Calling all Recent Grads! Graduate Study Opportunity at DU

Are you a recent graduate who is interested in pursuing a master’s degree? A new program at the Daniels College of Business allows DU students of all majors who have demonstrated academic excellence with a 3.5 GPA or higher to enroll through automatic admission for select master's degrees at Daniels (accountancy, business analytics, finance, real estate and the built environment, marketing, and management). The application takes less than one minute to complete and requires no test scores, essays, or letters of recommendation. Start dates available in fall and spring quarters. Students graduating this August or who have already graduated in the last two quarters may apply at http://daniels.du.edu/maapapp.

To learn more about these graduate programs, visit http://daniels.du.edu/masters-degrees/ or contact Jessica Hanna, Assistant Director of Admissions at Daniels (jessica.hanna@du.edu; 303.871.2204). You can also check out this flyer for more information.

Women Powering Change

July 9 | 4 pm - 7 pm | Exdo Event Center, 1399 35th st, Denver CO 80205

Around the world there is a steady pulse of women working passionately to create change. In every country these women are stepping up and speaking out against our world’s most pressing problems - including human rights, environmental sustainability, and social justice. In the space between their actions lies an opportunity for collective impact.

This July, step into that space and join more than 100 organizations at Women Powering Change 2015 to connect with innovative leaders, inspire collective impact and accelerate action for social change. This free event is designed to catalyze collaboration between women working to create a better world, locally and globally.

More information and online registration.

__Campus Happenings__

**Sixth Annual Carillon Summer Recital Series on Campus**

Select Sundays | 7 p.m. | Ritchie Center Lawn | Rain or Shine

Enjoy the sounds of our bells on a beautiful Colorado summer evening! Concerts continue on alternate Sundays through Aug. 16; see the full schedule.

**Campus Perceptions of Unwanted Sexual Experiences**
Last week, you received an email inviting you to take a survey regarding "Campus Perceptions of Unwanted Sexual Experiences." Please take 15 minutes out of your day to take this important survey: [http://bit.ly/1ccbg6v](http://bit.ly/1ccbg6v).

Over this academic year, the University has been providing a series of updates about its ongoing efforts to both address sexual misconduct and create a more compassionate and supportive community at DU. They are taking steps to assess our current environment and understand which areas need improvement, and this anonymous survey is a key part of the process.

**Hyatt Regency Discounted Rates for Students**

Seniors, do you have friends and family coming into town for graduation? Or, are your parents coming in to visit? The Hyatt Regency in the Denver Tech Center offers University of Denver students premium rates. Amenities at the hotel include: pool, hot tub and sauna facilities, access to over 20 restaurants, and just a 10-minute light rail trip to campus. To book, go to [www.techcenter.hyatt.com](http://www.techcenter.hyatt.com) and enter code 49674, or call at 1-800-233-1234 and ask for "DU rate."

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**Colorado Happenings**

**Explore Denver**

Explore Denver is a program in which DU students, faculty and staff can receive free or deeply discounted tickets to attend local events and attractions such as Denver museums, theatrical and sporting events, cultural events and many others. Visit [du.edu/exploredenver](http://du.edu/exploredenver) to see what’s coming up.

**5th Annual Women Veterans of Colorado Save the Date**

**September 12 | Inverness Hotel and Conference Center, Englewood**

The 5th Annual women Veterans of Colorado Conference will be held on September 12, 2015 at The Inverness Hotel & Conference Center, Englewood, Colorado. More information can be found [here](http://www.coloradoveteran.org).

**The Women's Foundation of Colorado's Annual Denver Luncheon**

**October 15 | 11:30 am -1 pm | Colorado Convention Center**

The Women's Foundation of Colorado’s Annual Denver Luncheon is one of the state’s largest annual gatherings for diverse sectors and communities who support women and girls on their paths to economic self-sufficiency. The luncheon carries a long-standing tradition of hosting well-known keynote speakers who bring current messages that inspire shared understanding and collective action among attendees. The keynote speaker for this event will be Soledad O'Brien. O'Brien is an award-winning journalist and documentarian who is dedicated to uncovering and producing provocative stories that look at the intersecting issues of gender, race, class, wealth, opportunity, and poverty. For more information on this event and to purchase tickets please visit their [website](http://www.coloradosfound.org).
Community Announcement Submissions

Have an announcement you would like to display in CWC's Community Announcements? Please email announcements in the same format as follows to communicationscwc@gmail.com. All submissions should be submitted by 10 am MT on Thursdays. Late submissions will be placed in the following week's announcements.

- **Event/Announcement Title:**
- **Event Date:** (Only for Events)
- **Start Date/Time:**
- **End Date/Time:**
- **Location:**
- **Event Description:** (In three lines or less)

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