

The Tuck Business Bridge Program at Colorado College, offered in partnership with Dartmouth's Tuck School of Business and the Colorado College Career Center, prepares liberal arts students for internships and careers in business. The program features a comprehensive curriculum taught by Tuck's MBA faculty, along with a capstone team project and career exploration modules.

The Colorado College Career Center invites you to apply for the program, which will be held remotely and on campus January 1–15, 2027. Space is limited to 20 students. Please review the eligibility requirements below:

To be eligible, students must meet all of the following requirements:

1. Be enrolled as a sophomore (class of 2029), junior (class of 2028), or senior (class of 2027) in good academic standing.
2. Be enrolled in classes on campus for Block 5. Students studying away or abroad for the entire spring 2027 semester are not eligible to participate.
3. Make an appointment to have your resume reviewed by the Career Center by October 12, 2026
4. Have a GPA above 3.0, preferably above 3.5.
5. Possess demonstrably strong time management skills through balancing academic and co-curricular commitments.
6. Possess demonstrable strength in quantitative ability.
7. Be available to participate as follows:
 - a. Complete asynchronous pre-work for the class (approximately nine hours of assignments by December 31.
 - b. Full day, remote class participation starting at 2:30 PM MT January 1st **consider travel carefully as in-person attendance on CC's campus will be required starting January 2.*
 - c. Attend full days of class and programming, in-person, from January 2 - 15, including evenings and weekends.
8. Submit this application by 11:59 PM MT (Colorado Springs time) on Monday, October 12, 2026.

Schedule:

- December 19, 2026 – December 31, 2026: Asynchronous course work, entailing an estimated nine hours.
- January 1, 2027: Remote course participation 2:30 PM - 4 PM MT
- January 2 - January 15, 2027: In-person 8 AM - 4 PM MT class time and evening coursework, including weekends

Cost:

The cost to participate is \$8,650. Please note that there may be additional charges regarding meals for the duration of the program.

Through the generosity of our donors, students who are selected for this program are eligible for financial aid on a graduated scale.

All students will be responsible to cover the cost of their travel to campus for the spring semester.

Questions regarding the program or application process may be directed to msalsbury2025@coloradocollege.edu.

Question 1:

Describe the strategies that you use to demonstrate strong time management skills to balance your academic and non-academic commitments at Colorado College and the impact those strategies have had on your success. Please do not answer this question by simply enumerating your campus commitments.

Question 2:

List all the quantitatively-focused CC classes you have taken (e.g., math, statistics, economics). Include the name of the course and the grade. If you are currently in a class, list the grade as “current”.

Question 3:

If you took the SAT and/or the ACT, please list your highest math score for each.

Question 4:

Describe any extracurricular experiences that have best prepared you to succeed in this program.

Question 5:

What drew you to participate in this experience?

Question 6:

What elements of this experience might challenge you, and how do you see yourself approaching these?

Question 7:

Have you had your resume reviewed by the Career Center this academic year? This step must be completed by October 12 to be eligible. Reviews from the last academic year do not carry over.

- Yes, my resume has been reviewed this academic year
- Not yet, but I am committed to having it reviewed by October 12

Question 8:

Have you updated your Handshake profile? Including updated resume, school year, major and interests.

- Yes, I have updated my Handshake profile to include my resume, school year, majors and interests.
- Not yet, but I am committed to having it updated by October 12

Question 9:

We are excited to support students at all stages of career development. Please select the option that best reflects your current thinking:

- I'm in exploring mode - I'm not yet sure of my career path.
- I'm in deciding mode - I have a good sense of the general career field I'm excited to pursue and am working to figure out my specific path.
- I'm in preparing mode – I'm pretty sure of the direction I want to go professionally and I'm actively working to deepen my skills or knowledge in that area.

Question 10:

What do you hope to gain from this experience? (Skills, connections, confidence, cultural awareness, etc.)

Question 11:

Is there anything else you would like us to know about your candidacy that might not have been represented in the previous questions?

Question 12:

What sources of information about this program were most influential in your decision to apply? (select all that apply)

- Information Session
- Career Center staff
- Faculty Members
- Peers
- Alumnus/a or professional connection
- Other

Question 13:

Do you receive any form of financial aid through Colorado College?

- Yes, I receive financial aid through CC's Student Financial Services Office
- I receive a scholarship, but otherwise would have received need-based financial aid to attend Colorado College.
- No, I do not receive any financial assistance from Colorado College.

Agreement:

Please read the following agreement carefully before signing. Any questions should be directed to msalsbury2025@coloradocollege.edu before submitting this form:

By entering my name below, I agree:

- to allow Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth and Colorado College to exchange information regarding the status of my application and enrollment in the Program.

- that I will adhere to the course schedule:
 - December 19, 2026 – December 31, 2026: Asynchronous course work, entailing an estimated nine hours.
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- that I will abide by the student code of conduct and will choose to represent myself and the CC cohort positively throughout the duration of the Program.
- that if I do not complete the program, Colorado College will charge my student account for the amount of any financial aid I received toward the program cost.

Enter name: