

# Creating Futures

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO BOULDER

## Supporting the Washington D.C. Internship Program

### Exceptional Beginning

In just two years, the University of Colorado Washington, D.C., Internship Program (CU in D.C.) has provided new opportunities for CU-Boulder students and shown remarkable potential for growth. From just five students during a summer 2010 pilot program, enrollment grew to 18 students in summer 2011. These students have been able to work with representatives from our new Colorado congressional delegation, and at organizations such as the World Bank, International Trade Commission, the American Red Cross, and the National Parks Foundation.

This strong momentum has sparked the establishment of two scholarship endowments: the **Maskus Global Scholars Fund** and the **Hank Brown CU in D.C. Scholars Fund**. The first was established by a CU professor who is actively engaged in international policy analysis, and aims to provide learning experiences for economics and political science students interested in global policy and policymaking. The latter pays tribute to the career of Hank Brown (Bus '61, JD '69), former U.S. senator, CU president, and professor emeritus.

### Expanding Our Vision

The CU in D.C. initiative will grow in 2013 from a summer program to a year-round academic program, in which students spend a semester or year in residence in Washington D.C. while fully enrolled in CU-Boulder coursework on-site and online. A CU-Boulder faculty member in residence will supervise a central site where CU in D.C. participants will assemble for common coursework and social events.

This experience will allow CU students to integrate the cultural, political, and economic assets of the nation's capital into their education, build important relationships, and prepare them for an amazing breadth of careers.

### You can help us expand student opportunities by supporting...

- **Scholarships** that allow CU-Boulder students to experience this program, regardless of financial circumstances. *Endowed (minimum \$25,000) or current*
- **A program directorship** to support leadership with a passion for experiential learning, and a strong working knowledge of Washington D.C. *\$2 million, endowed*
- **Naming of the CU in D.C. program** to cast a resounding vote for the importance of this initiative, and strengthen its foundation in perpetuity. *\$2.5 million, endowed*

### Please support this worthwhile endeavor!



To learn about the many ways you can make a gift, contact:

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