



September 2022

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## Meet the Staff: Jennifer Gimbel receives prestigious award!



The Colorado Water Congress presents the prestigious Wayne N. Aspinall “Water Leader of the Year” Award annually to an individual Coloradan who has long demonstrated courage, dedication, knowledge and strong leadership in the development, protection and preservation of Colorado water.

Honorees reflect those attributes so clearly possessed by the award’s namesake, Wayne N. Aspinall. The late Mr. Aspinall, a lawyer and former longtime member of the U. S. House of Representatives, remains one of the most influential water leaders in Colorado history.

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# COLORADO WATER CENTER STUDENT FELLOWSHIP

The Colorado Water Center Student Fellowship program invites students of color to apply for the 2022 cohort.

## Do you want to...

- Build your resume and give back to local communities?
- Network with leaders in Colorado's water community?
- Be a part of the next generation of water leaders?

## Fellowship Perks

- Mentorship with CSU's water experts
- Earn a \$1000 stipend
- Free registrations to Colorado Water Conferences
- Community building with like-minded peers

## Apply by Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>

Applications can be found at: [www.watercenter.colostate.edu/studentfellows](http://www.watercenter.colostate.edu/studentfellows)  
Questions? email [aditi.bhaskar@colostate.edu](mailto:aditi.bhaskar@colostate.edu)

Apply NOW in 5 minutes!



**SYMPOSIUM:**  
**Living with the Colorado River Compact**  
 Past, Present and Future

**WHERE?**  
 CSU Lory Student Center  
 Fort Collins, CO

**WHEN?**  
 September 26, 2022  
 8 am—4 pm

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER:**

- Jim Lochhead, Denver Water

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- Northern Water
- Colorado River District
- Southwestern Water Conservation District

**REGISTER TODAY:**



[WATERCENTER.COLOSTATE.EDU/](http://WATERCENTER.COLOSTATE.EDU/)

***Join us for the Symposium of the Year!***

The Colorado River supplies have significantly been reduced over the last two decades and is the subject of many news articles. This symposium is to inform attendees interested in learning more about the Colorado River and the Colorado River Compact.

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Attendance is free and lunch will be provided. Make sure to register as spots are limited!

[Register HERE](#)



### Save the Date for Water in the West 2022!

The 5th Annual CSU Spur Water in the West Symposium will be hosted Nov. 2-3 in downtown Denver.

As in past years, the Water in the West Symposium will bring together speakers and audiences from across sectors — from utilities and government agencies, to businesses and agriculture. The conference is back in a hybrid format this year, sharing best practices and connecting professionals — both inside and outside the water sector — in pursuit of multi-sector, non-partisan solutions to water challenges.

The 2022 theme is ***Global Water: Successes and Solutions***, which will focus on solutions to water challenges around the world. The CSU Spur team is excited to be drawing speakers from around the world this year — check back as additional speakers are announced!

The Symposium will be hosted at the Seawell Ballroom in downtown Denver over two days: the afternoon of Wednesday, Nov. 2 (lunch provided) and the morning of Thursday, Nov. 3 (breakfast provided).

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conservationists, land managers, scientists, and thought leaders to share knowledge, build community, and create a culture of resilience and regeneration.

View the [line-up of speakers here](#) and view the [projected agenda here!](#)

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## Join the Salazar Center for their 2022 Symposium on Conservation Impact!

This year, the symposium will focus on transboundary conservation, specifically across the US-Mexico border, which spans nearly 2,000 miles across six distinct ecoregions and shapes a landscape that is home to more than 15 million people. The region represents a unique opportunity to explore how to improve conservation outcomes for both people and ecosystems – and how to do so in the context of multinational, transboundary collaboration. The symposium will explore such topics as:

- Opportunities for, and barriers to, effective conservation in Mexico and the border region
- Climate change impacts on ecological and human communities
- How to balance cultural needs, sustainable economic development, security, and the health of natural systems
- The role of Indigenous leadership in conservation
- How the region's distinct history and biogeography offer insights and learnings for other parts of North America

*We anticipate holding the 2022 symposium in a hybrid format, with options for both in-person attendance in Denver, CO, as well as virtual participation.*

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## Job Highlights

### [Castle Rock Water Assistant Director](#)

The Town of Castle Rock's future and the quality of that depend on the choices we make today. Do you want to be part of a team that make decisions that work now while preserving and protecting Castle Rock's identity and quality of life for the future? [Open until filled.](#)

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