2023 PRE-BUSINESS MENTORS- all have completed the Leeds Pre-Business program

Brooks Allen

Hello! My name is Brooks Allen and I am a freshman from Marin County, California. I am pursuing a dual degree both in business and in philosophy through the Arts & Sciences department. I plan on exploring both the Finance and Real Estate emphases but am still open to anything. Here at CU I am a member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity. I enjoy anything outdoors, basketball, running, lifting and most other activities. I look forward to talking with you!



Rvan Cook

Hey everyone, my name is Ryan Cook. I am currently a junior at Leeds pursuing a Dual-Emphasis in Finance and Real Estate. Additionally, I have added minors in Economics and Leadership Studies. I am a now-former member of the Leeds Honors program... whoops. I grew up in Park City, Utah as an avid skier and with that, I try and get out to the mountains whenever I can. This year I started working part-time as a Baseball Coach for a local baseball team. I, along with a few other Leeds students coach a group of competitive 13 year-olds. Throughout my years at CU I have been involved in the Boulder Freeride Club and Leeds Investment Group. During my freshman year, which got cut short, I lived in Will Vil North as a member of the pre-business program. I look forward to meeting you all and good luck with everything.



Joaquin Cuevas

Hi! My name is Joaquin and i'm from the Chicagoland area. I am pursuing an emphasis in Personal Financial Planning along with a minor in Spanish and a certificate in Latin American Studies. During my freshman year, I was part of the Pre-Business program. Outside of school, I love anything that has to do with soccer and hanging out with friends. I am also part of the Beta Gamma Sigma honor society. Without a doubt, the first year of college can be challenging and hectic, but it is definitely manageable and a fun new experience. Everyone has a story, and I am beyond excited and looking forward to learning yours!



Jameson Davis

Hi my name is Jameson Davis and I am a current Leeds Business school student. I am from the small town of Evergreen, Colorado 45 minutes away from Boulder. I really believe that mentorship programs such as this are very important for the success of everyone. I know for a fact I have had a fair share of challenges, and it is helpful to have someone to talk to, and possibly relate to you. I enjoy being outside, playing basketball, and hanging out with friends. I will do everything in my power to improve your experience here at Boulder.



Nick Domek

Hey! I'm from the Chicago area originally but went to CU to study business and to ski. I also love hiking, mountain biking, and doing anything else I can outside. I am a double major in Business Analytics and Finance, and I plan to work in consulting or other finance roles when I graduate in 2024. I was a mentor last year and absolutely loved it. I'm excited to start another year!



Mary Foulke

Hey there. My name is Mary Grace Foulke and I am from Nashville, Tennessee. I came to Boulder without visiting the school or city and I could not ask for a better place to be. I love to snowboard, cook/bake for my roommates, watch the Bachelor/ette, and simply enjoy the outdoors. I prioritize my academics and my relationships with my friends and family. I am laid back and open-minded and I absolutely love meeting new people and helping them in any way I can! Overall, I can't wait to meet you guys and am excited to begin another school year at CU.



Stephanie Furst

Hi! My name is Stephanie Furst and my hometown is Marin County, California. I am a Sophomore going into my Junior year in Leeds and during my Freshman year I was in pre-biz! I am completing a dual major in finance and marketing. I am a member of Pi Beta Phi and am on the Philanthropy Committee. I'm super extroverted and love hanging out with friends. Being from California I love going to the beach and hiking. I



am a huge foody so I love experiencing new places to eat and cooking! Traveling is a huge passion of mine. In fact, I'm currently in the process of getting Portuguese citizenship to live there part time.

Haley Neely

Hi! My name is Haley Neely and I am from Fairfield, Connecticut. I am a sophomore majoring in finance and marketing. I love to travel, hike, camp, and listen to music. I am pretty extroverted and am all about having a good work-life balance. I was in pre-business myself, so I have a lot of helpful tips on how to meet those prerequisites. I'd say I'm pretty adventurous and hardworking while also having a lot of fun. As a business major it is very important to grow your network, so we could do that together! I want to be able to help you succeed and be there for you as much as I can!



Niamh Piffarerio

Hi! I'm Niamh Piffarerio and was a pre-business student now in my first year at Leeds. I am studying finance and real estate, as well as pursuing a minor in International Affairs. I am a CO native but have been traveling to Ireland to visit my family every year since I was born. I'm part of the Women in Business club run by Leeds and love taking care of my Pothos and ivy plants. My favorite flower is an orchid and my favorite color is pink:)



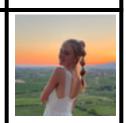
Edward Reynolds

Hello! My name is Edward Reynolds and I am currently pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with an emphasis in Finance. I am currently a sophomore, and I am from Los Angeles, California. I am involved in two finance-focused groups, Colorado Credit Capital and Leeds Investment and Trading Group, and I am developing my understanding of financial markets and investment strategies. I am involved in greek life and consider myself a very outgoing, social, and easy person to talk to. Outside of academics, I enjoy investing, surfing and surf photography, golfing, skiing, and hanging out with friends. I was interested in becoming a mentor because being a mentee is something I wish I didn't pass up. It is a great way to meet someone new, grow as a person and professional, and gain valuable insight from a more experienced individual!



Amalia Sanmillan

Hello!! My name is Amalia Sanmillan and I was born in Vitoria, Spain but grew up in Highlands Ranch, CO. I have lived in Colorado now for 12 years. I love to travel, ski, workout, and hang out with friends. I like working and interacting with others and helping in any way that I can. My ideal day is waking up around 9:30, eating a good breakfast and getting outside, then I would want to go hang out with friends and end up going out at night. Breakfast is my favorite meal of the day and pasta (especially spicy pasta) is my favorite food. My worst fear is moths, but I love horses.



Ashley Shepardson

As an out-of-state student, I know firsthand how nerve-wracking it can be to come to a new school. But I wanted to challenge myself, so I joined Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and became the financial director. I also joined Women and Business to broaden my horizons. Having gone through the experience of moving to a new place and adjusting to college life, I understand the challenges that students can face. That's why I'm passionate about helping other students. I've done well in school and have learned how to navigate the academic landscape. Whenever I'm on campus, I feel like I'm back in high school again because I know the majority of people there and in my classes. My area of emphasis is currently Operations Management, and I'm considering switching my minor to Accounting. During my freshman year, I lived in Will Vill and had an awesome time. I want to be a part of this mentorship program because I feel like I've gained valuable knowledge about campus life, the different classes in Leeds, and the social scene. I could be a huge asset to nervous freshmen by sharing my experience and helping them feel more comfortable on campus. I've learned the ins and outs of student life here, and I know all the cool spots around campus. I'm now so comfortable with the faculty and students that I feel confident reaching out for help whenever I need it. I want to pass on my knowledge and enthusiasm to other students, so they can see how many resources are available to help them succeed at Leeds.



Maddie Spaine

Hi! My name is Maddie Spaine and I am from Columbus Ohio. I have two sisters and two dogs. I am currently in pre-business and live in Williams Village North. I hope to get into the business school and my dream job is to be a human resource manager. In my free time, I am involved in my sorority, hang out with friends and family, spend time outdoors and travel.



Kristina Weber

Hi! I'm from San Diego California and am a current Sophomore in Leeds studying Accounting and Finance. I am a member of the Women in Business Club as well as a member of the business fraternity, Beta Alpha Psi, here on campus. A few things I enjoy doing are playing lacrosse, hiking, and sketching. I am super excited to be a mentor this year!



Saif Qubain

Hey! My name is Saif Qubain and I am heading into my Junior year at the Leeds School of Business, pursuing a dual emphasis in Finance and Accounting. As a foreigner, I choose to come to Boulder because of the beautiful outdoors and working out. During the summer I love to hike and run, however, when it gets colder I love to hit the slopes with my friends. Currently, I am serving as the Vice President of Beta Alpha Psi, an Honor Society for Accounting and Finance students. As well as, I am an active member of Alpha Kappa Psi and Leed Investing and Trading Group. I am extremely passionate about helping others improve, helps me improve, and as a prior Pre-Business student, I hope to help you have an easy transition into the Leeds School of Business. SKO BUFFS!!



Philip Schabarum

Hi! My name is Philip Schabarum and I am a student here at Leeds studying Finance and Real Estate. Growing up in San Diego I found a love for spending time outdoors hiking, running, and exploring. I enjoy listening to all types of music and also play the guitar and banjo myself! SKO BUFFS!

