Thank you for your interest in the SAHE Graduate Program at Colorado State University (CSU)! We would like to keep you up-to-date on the SAHE program by sending you our monthly eNewsletters. Be on the lookout for future issues, which will include more on cohorts, selection, placement, practica and more!

Application Deadline:
The application deadline for Fall 2011 is Wednesday, January 5, 2011. If you are interested in applying to CSU's Student Affairs in Higher Education Program, the application is available after September 1, 2010 at www.sahe.colostate.edu. If you have general questions about the SAHE Program, please email: SAHE@colostate.edu

STUDENT PROFILE: Jamie Ellis, Class of 2011

Hello! I am currently a second year student in the SAHE program and work as an Assistant Residence Director in Braiden Hall. I completed my undergraduate work at CSU in 2009 and was excited to be able to continue my education at CSU through SAHE. My bachelor's degree is in Human Development and Family Studies and Women's Studies, both of which have enhanced my understanding of the student affairs profession. I appreciate the interaction among the SAHE faculty and the cohorts to create dynamic learning experiences. SAHE offers many practical experiences both inside and outside the classroom. This past summer I was able to complete an ACUHO-I Summer Internship at a private women's college in Pennsylvania. This semester in addition to my assistantship in Residence Life, I am working with Case Management at CSU, a recently developed office assisting students navigate and utilize the many services and resources offered on the CSU campus and in the Fort Collins community. Additionally, I had the opportunity to travel to Vancouver, British Columbia in March with SAHE to experience student affairs outside of the United States. As I approach graduation from SAHE in May, I am so grateful of the many opportunities, lessons, and connections offered to me throughout this program. I am proud to become CSU Alum once again!

FACULTY PROFILE: Craig Chesson, Assistant Dean of Students

I relocated to Fort Collins in 1992 from New York City and fell in love with the Rocky Mountain region. I have worked in Colorado State University’s Division of Student Affairs with Upward Bound, Office of Admissions, Residence Life, and Conflict Resolution and Student Conduct Services. I recently earned my PhD in Educational Leadership from the School of Education at CSU and very excited to engage students in the classroom. I graduated from the Student Affairs in Higher Education (SAHE) program and have great memories of intellectual classroom conversations. I received my Bachelor’s of Science degree from the Rochester Institute of Technology in Hotel management and worked for Hyatt & Stouffers. I currently am the Assistant Dean of Students and co-teach the Capstone class with Lisa Miller. I have three beautiful children and an incredible wife.
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Joe Levy, Assistant Director, Student Voice
Claudia Rosty, Accepted admission to Doctoral Program
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Allie Auger, Residence Hall Director, University of New Hampshire
Brittany Dilling, Residence Hall Director, The Ohio State University
Kinsey Holloway, Resident Director, University of Northern Colorado
Chris Nicolas, Staff member, Americorps, Sacramento, California
Marti Fasteland, Residence Hall Director, SUNY – Oswego
Emily Ambrose, Coordinator, Leadership Development, SLICE, CSU
Kate Wormus, Retention Coordinator, Diversity Programs and Services, CSU
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Each year, the Student Affairs in Higher Education graduate students at Colorado State University produce the Journal of Student Affairs, a collection of articles from alumni, current students, faculty, and SAHE affiliates. CSU is one of two graduate programs that produces such a publication.

The board consists of eight Executive members, Content Reader Board, and Technical Reader Board. Articles are submitted in the Fall and the Journal is published mid-Spring. This year’s Journal will be the 20th edition.

There are various SAHE organizations to take part in. Each group has a different mission, which is described below:

GO SAHE - Helps students transition to SAHE, builds community & provides a voice for students to the faculty.
Students of Color Network - Provides a support network for graduate students of color.
Pride Alliance - Provides social and educational opportunities for GLBT students and allies.
iSAHE - Seeks to educate on international issues and create international opportunities for SAHE students.
The SAHE Application is now an online process. You can submit your Statement of Purpose, Resume, SAHE Application, and Letters of Recommendation online. To apply, visit our website at:

http://sahe.colostate.edu/apply.aspx

Please read the General Information section prior to applying online. First you must complete the online application to Graduate School. They will send you a CSU ID # via email. You will log into RAM-web to obtain your EID. Once you have your CSU and EID numbers, you will be able to submit your application materials to the SAHE program using the IApply Online link, on our website (address listed above). If you already have a CSU ID # (present or past student), you must still submit the online application to Graduate School first.

Please call Kathy Lucas at 970-491-1963 with any questions.

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Graduate assistantships provide students with the opportunity to combine theory and practice while offering financial assistance that includes remission of tuition and a stipend. At 25-30 hours per week, these assistantships allow students to focus on academic coursework and take advantage of other professional opportunities. Assistantships are offered for a 9-10 month period during the academic year (August-May). Some positions require summer employment, which will be compensated through a separate contract and remuneration. Please see the individual position descriptions for more detailed information. Compensation for assistantships includes tuition remission (for both in-state and out-of-state students) and a monthly stipend. To view a list of current SAHE Assistantships, please view our website:

http://sahe.colostate.edu/assistantship-descriptions.aspx

Transcripts:

Request one official transcript from each college or university attended to be sent to the department to which you are applying (Colorado State University transcripts are not required). Official transcripts will need to be mailed and cannot be submitted electronically (only item that cannot be submitted electronically). Please send to:

Colorado State University
Attention: Kathy Lucas
School of Education, Room 209
Fort Collins CO 80523-1588

Student Affairs in Higher Education Certificate:

Student Affairs in Higher Education is offering a new online certificate program. Build your skills and knowledge to design programs that help college students realize their learning and development potential through on-campus experiences with this four-course, online Student Affairs in Higher Education Certificate.

This certificate is a companion to an online master’s degree in Student Affairs in Higher Education that is planned to begin accepting applications in Fall 2011. All four courses in this certificate can be applied toward the online or on-campus graduate degrees, though earning the certificate does not guarantee acceptance into the degree program.