

The [University of Colorado Denver](#) (CU Denver) invites inquiries, nominations and applications for the position of dean of the School of Education and Human Development.

The School of Education and Human Development is a statewide and national leader for educational quality, access and equity across the education and human development lifespan, birth through higher education. Offering 14 areas of studies, the school is the largest graduate school of its kind in Colorado, serving students seeking degrees/licensure and offering many options for continuing education. With approximately 172 faculty and lecturers, 59 staff and serving 1,400 students, the school is committed to educating for a more just and compassionate world. Through innovative research and partnerships, the school strives to be a passionate agent of change, inspiring upcoming generations to learn from the past and shape the future.

Reporting to the Provost and Executive Vice Chancellor for Academic and Student Affairs, [Constancio Nakuma](#), the dean will join the university at a time of great momentum and change as CU Denver has prioritized reaching its fullest potential as a public urban research university by 2030. Part of the University of Colorado System, CU Denver is home to nearly 15,000 students (over 10,000 undergraduate and 4,700 graduate), has over 1,100 faculty members across eight schools and colleges and offers 117 degree programs both in-person and online.

The incoming dean will be expected to lead, support and galvanize the School of Education and Human Development around a distinctive vision that highlights and strengthens the school's culture of care, respect, community and collaboration. The dean must foster an environment where creativity and innovation can thrive, and lend their personal leadership and character to cultivating a more diverse, equitable, just and inclusive community. In addition, the dean will build deep relationships with community partners to leverage the tremendous support and opportunities afforded by this vibrant, entrepreneurial school.

The current vision for this position include candidates who have an outstanding record of scholarly and educational achievement; a nuanced understanding of the fields of education and human development; a history of successful administrative leadership; a commitment to the university's and college's mission and values; demonstrated impact in advancing diversity, equity and inclusion; experience building community partnerships; a record of supporting excellence in teaching, scholarship and service; and the capacity to be a skilled fundraiser and advocate. Preferred candidates must be eligible at the rank of full professor within the School of Education and Human Development.

A CV or resume and a letter of interest addressing the themes in the [leadership profile](#) should be submitted using WittKieffer's [candidate portal](#) by January 17, 2022. Submit nominations or inquiries to [CUDenverSEHD@wittkieffer.com](mailto:CUDenverSEHD@wittkieffer.com).

### **Compensation and Benefit Information**

Compensation range: \$220,000 - \$260,000

Benefits: The University of Colorado offers a full benefits package. Information on university benefits programs, including eligibility, is available at [www.cu.edu/employee-services](http://www.cu.edu/employee-services).

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