

Economics of the Earth, Energy & Environment

GRADUATE STUDIES

Mineral & Energy Economics



Founded in 1969, the *Colorado School of Mines Mineral and Energy Economics program* attracts students from all over the world. Our alumni are known globally for their achievements and qualifications and our facility are recognized worldwide for creating an exciting and challenging learning environment.

- Focused curriculum on the economics of the Earth, Energy and the Environment
- Located at the base of the Colorado Rocky Mountains in a vibrant community that provides fabulous lifestyle and recreational opportunities.
- Impactful research on Climate Policy, Rare Earths and Critical Materials, Environmental Regulation, Renewable and Conventional Energy Policy, and Resources and Economic Development.
- Collaborative programs and interdisciplinary activities with other Mines programs and institutions.
- Excellent employment opportunities in both the public and private sectors











Degrees Offered

MS Mineral & Energy Economics

The M.S. degree in Mineral and Energy Economics is the Division's most popular program. The program is typically completed in two years: 12 courses with a recommended 3 courses per semester.

Ph.D. Mineral and Energy Economics

The Ph.D. program is designed for students who deisre to contribute economic research on mineral or energy topics through a Ph.D. thesis. Students take 48 credit hours (16 courses) in the classroom and an additional 24 credit hours of research under the supervision of a thesis advisor.

Dual Degree in Petroleum Economics and Management and Mineral & Energy Economics

The M.S. degree may be combined with a second degree from the IFP School (Paris, France) in *Petroleum Economics & Management*. This unique, dual-degree program provides a small, elite group of students with a solid economics foundation combined with quantitative business skills, historical and institutional background, and interpersonal and intercultural abilities needed in the fast-paced, global world of oil and gas.

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