

[CU Connections shifts to summer publication schedule in July](#)^[1]

CU Connections will begin its summer publication schedule after the June 24 issue, when issues will appear biweekly.

No new issues are scheduled to appear on the following dates (subject to change):

July 1 July 15 July 29 Aug. 12

Weekly publication will resume with the Aug. 19 issue.

Throughout the season, the site will be updated with news should events warrant.

CU Connections always welcomes Letters to the Editor on topics of interest to current and retired CU faculty and staff. Please send submissions to newsletter@cu.edu^[2]. And if you have a news item or story suggestion you'd like to pass along, please send it to Jay.Dedrick@cu.edu^[3].

Deadline for submissions is noon Friday prior to the Thursday publication.

[COLTT Conference to feature revolutionary micro-credentialing, badging tech](#)^[4]

[Juneteenth webinar to examine 'Liberatory Love and Freedom'](#)^[5]

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The University of Colorado system Office of Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) invites you to attend a Juneteenth keynote, "Liberatory Love and Freedom: Radical Reenvisionings."

The virtual webinar via Zoom is set for 2 p.m. June 16, and features speaker [Danielle Hodge](#)^[7], an assistant professor in the Department of Communication at CU Boulder.

From the event website: Hodge will "critically rethink and reimagine the possibilities of freedom and what it means to love Blackness in a white supremacist and anti-Black society. Building on African American intellectual traditions, Dr. Hodge will re-envision the relationship between freedom and love in the struggle for liberation."

A critical race scholar, Hodge is concerned with how systems of oppression and marginalization inform the identities, discursive practices, and experiences of African Americans and employs a critical race theoretical approach to identity, culture, and language.

CU faculty, staff, students and community members are encouraged to attend. Please [register here](#)^[8] if you are interested and share with others.

Spanish interpretation, Closed Captioning in English and ASL interpretation will be available.

Questions: systemdei@cu.edu^[9]

[Strategic transformation team to lead next phase of Financial Futures](#) ^[10]

[Smaller, faster, stronger: NSF grant will help Tvrdy develop the electronics of the future](#)^[11]

[Juneteenth history: Why doesn't everyone know about Texas?](#) ^[12]

[New CU program tackles medicine's tough realities before they matter](#) ^[13]

[Marcy and Bruce Benson launch full-ride geology graduate fellowships](#)^[14]

[College celebrates 12 NSF CAREER award winners in 2021](#) ^[15]

[Johnson to be featured in ombuds webinar Tuesday](#) ^[16]

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