



## Legislator of the Year Award

The Colorado Community College System's **Legislator of the Year Award** is presented annually to distinguished legislators who have made outstanding efforts to champion the needs of community colleges and the students we serve. Through their dedication, leadership, and commitment to higher education, these legislators have helped strengthen access to affordable education, expanded opportunities for students across the state, and enhanced Colorado's workforce training system. Their support has made a lasting impact on the future of education and economic mobility in Colorado.

### Our 2024 Awardees



Senator

**Byron  
Pelton**



Representative

**Rose  
Pugliese**

House Minority  
Leader



Representative

**Julie  
McCluskie**

Speaker of the  
House



Senator

**Janet  
Buckner**

Majority Caucus  
Chair



Senator

**Paul  
Lundeen**

Senate Minority  
Leader

***Together, we are changing the way Colorado goes to college.***

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