

# Inclusive Higher Education Opportunities

## Grant Awardees



Total awarded funds as of June 2024: \$1,452,636

---

### Round 4: Western Slope Initiative

Based upon a thorough needs analysis and statewide stakeholder feedback, the remaining legislative funding from HB22-1107, totaling \$267,000, has been reserved for a Western Slope college or university to develop an inclusive higher education pathway. IN! is actively working with the Western Slope community to identify next steps in providing grant funding to the appropriate institution.

---

### Round 3: New Inclusive Higher Education Proposals in Rural & Community College Settings

- **RFP open:** January 17, 2024 - April 15, 2024
  - **Awards (duration June 2024-June 2029):**
    - **Pikes Peak State College (PPSC)** - PPSC has been awarded \$303,000 to fund the 5-year development of their Inclusive Higher Education Certificate (IHEC) program.
    - **Lamar Community College (LCC)** - LCC has been awarded \$250,000 to fund the 5-year development of the Cultivate@LCC program.
- 

### Round 2: Existing Inclusive Higher Education Equity & Expansion Proposals

- **RFP open:** July 17, 2023 - September 1, 2023
  - **Awards (duration November 2023-October 2024):**
    - **University of Colorado Colorado Springs, Office of Inclusive Services (OIS)** - OIS has been awarded \$40,000 to fund 1 year of program expansion and diversification efforts.
    - **University of Northern Colorado, Go On And Learn program (GOAL)** - GOAL has been awarded \$40,000 to fund 1 year of program expansion and diversification efforts.
- 

### Round 1: New Inclusive Higher Education Proposals

- **RFP open:** March 15, 2023 - May 1, 2023
- **Awards (duration June 2023-June 2028):**
  - **Colorado State University (CSU)** - CSU has been awarded \$449,636 to fund the 5-year development of the Ram Scholars program.
  - **Metropolitan State University of Denver (MSU Denver)** - MSU Denver has been awarded \$370,000 to fund the 5-year development of Inclusive Higher Education Solutions (IHES).