The University of Colorado Boulder (CU Boulder) is a public university with an enrollment of more than 31,000 undergraduate and graduate students. The university has three primary dining centers and more than 10 retail markets, grab-n-gos and cafes.

The Need

The high-volume kitchens required equipment that would meet rigorous quality and performance specifications, so CU Boulder selected T&S Brass.

“T&S Brass products are used throughout our dining centers and food service areas — faucets, pre-rinse units and hose reels,” said Juergen Friese, associate director for CU Boulder Housing & Dining Services. “They’ve proven to be really reliable products, and we appreciate how the company stands behind what it makes.”

The university chooses T&S products for new installations and converts older equipment to T&S as renovations are performed.

In particular, the university selected T&S’ Cerama cartridges, with integral check valves, to protect against dangerous cross flow – the cross over of water from one temperature line into the other.

The Results

The standardization of products across facilities, coupled with the interchangeability of T&S parts, has made maintenance simpler and faster for school staff.

“The products are easy to install and work on, and they’re reliable,” Friese said. “That’s what we needed and what we got from T&S.”

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