

State Facts and Figures 2023

District of Columbia



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS, 2022/23



11,457

International Students



22

Rank in the United States*



8.2

% Change from Previous Year



\$525,543,651

Estimated International Student Expenditure**

LEADING PLACES OF ORIGIN

| Place of Origin | % Total |
|-----------------|---------|
| China | 33.5 |
| India | 11.7 |
| South Korea | 4.8 |
| Saudi Arabia | 3.4 |
| Nigeria | 2.5 |

LEADING INSTITUTIONS

| Institution | Total |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| George Washington University | 4,266 |
| Georgetown University | 3,650 |
| American University | 1,872 |
| Howard University | 956 |
| Catholic University of America | 417 |

U.S. STUDENTS STUDYING ABROAD, 2021/22



2,997

U.S. Students Studying Abroad



24

Rank in the United States*



851.4

% Change from Previous Year



Business

Leading Major of Study Abroad Students

LEADING DESTINATIONS

| Destination | % Total |
|----------------|---------|
| United Kingdom | 16.2 |
| Italy | 13.7 |
| Spain | 9.5 |
| France | 7.5 |
| Germany | 4.2 |

LEADING INSTITUTIONS

| Institution | Total |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Georgetown University | 1,333 |
| American University | 834 |
| George Washington University | 608 |
| Catholic University of America | 151 |
| Howard University | 71 |

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE FUNDED PROGRAMS

The Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship program data includes students who participated in virtual and in-person programs. The Critical Language Scholarship program data includes students who participated in virtual and in-person programs.

| Exchange Program | Fulbright Program 2022/23 | Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship 2022/23 | Critical Language Scholarship 2022/23 |
|--|------------------------------|---|--|
| U.S. students from colleges and universities in the state | 64 | 57 | 8 |
| International students at colleges and universities in the state | 111 | | |

*Rankings include all 50 U.S. states in addition to Washington, D.C., Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

**Economic analysis produced by NAFSA: Association of International Educators based on enrollment data from *Open Doors 2023*. www.nafsa.org/eis

Note: Leading institutions with ten or more international or study abroad students.

Source: *Open Doors Report on International Educational Exchange*. For more information, visit www.opendoorsdata.org.

