

Student Mobility Facts and Figures 2023

Kuwait



3,103,580

Total Population¹



15.0%

Population Aged
15-24¹



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International Student
Place of Origin
Ranking, 2022/23



N/A

U.S. Study Abroad
Destination Ranking,
2021/22



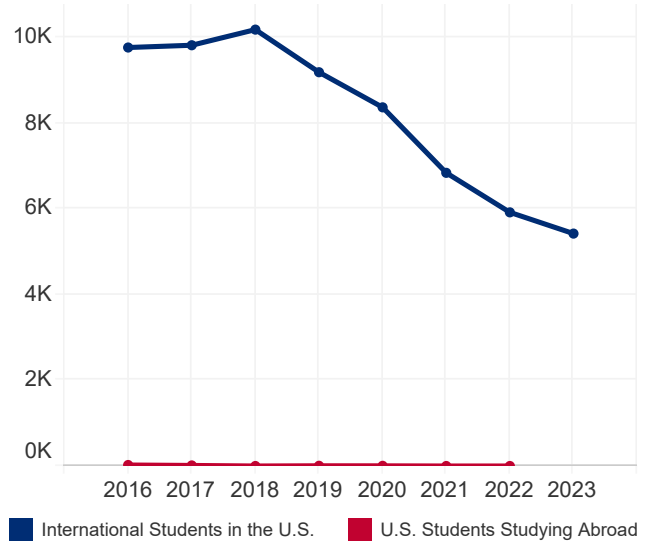
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International Student
Economic Impact,
2022²

STUDENT MOBILITY TOTALS

| Year | International Students | U.S. Study Abroad |
|---------|------------------------|-------------------|
| 2022/23 | 5,427 | N/A |
| 2021/22 | 5,923 | 0 |
| 2020/21 | 6,846 | 0 |
| 2019/20 | 8,375 | 4 |
| 2018/19 | 9,195 | 5 |
| 2017/18 | 10,190 | 0 |
| 2016/17 | 9,825 | 13 |
| 2015/16 | 9,772 | 23 |

2015/16-2022/23



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY ACADEMIC LEVEL

| Academic Level | 2021/22 | 2022/23 | Total | Change |
|----------------|---------|---------|-------|--------|
| Undergraduate | 4,037 | 3,616 | 66.6% | -10.4% |
| Graduate | 956 | 1,004 | 18.5% | 5.0% |
| Non-Degree | 705 | 550 | 10.1% | -22.0% |
| OPT | 225 | 257 | 4.7% | 14.2% |

STUDENT VISAS ISSUED

| Visa | Change 2021-2022 ³ |
|------|-------------------------------|
| F | -30.5% |
| J | 165.7% |
| M | 16.7% |

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY INSTITUTION TYPE

| Institution | Total |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Associate's Colleges | 1.9% |
| Baccalaureate Colleges | 0.3% |
| Doctoral Universities | 88.7% |
| Master's Colleges and Universities | 7.9% |
| Special Focus Institutions | 1.3% |
| Private Institutions | 28.7% |
| Public Institutions | 71.3% |

TOP RECEIVING STATES

- California
- Colorado
- Arizona
- Florida
- Pennsylvania

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

Other sources: ¹The World Fact Book, ²U.S. Department of Commerce, ³travel.state.gov (Fiscal year October 1 - September 30).

Note: N/A reflects information that is not available or not applicable. Open Doors does not publish rankings for totals of less than ten students.

