

Sierra Leone



9,121,049

Total Population¹



20.8%

Population Aged 15-24¹



115

International Student Place of Origin Ranking, 2023/24



118

U.S. Study Abroad Destination Ranking, 2022/23



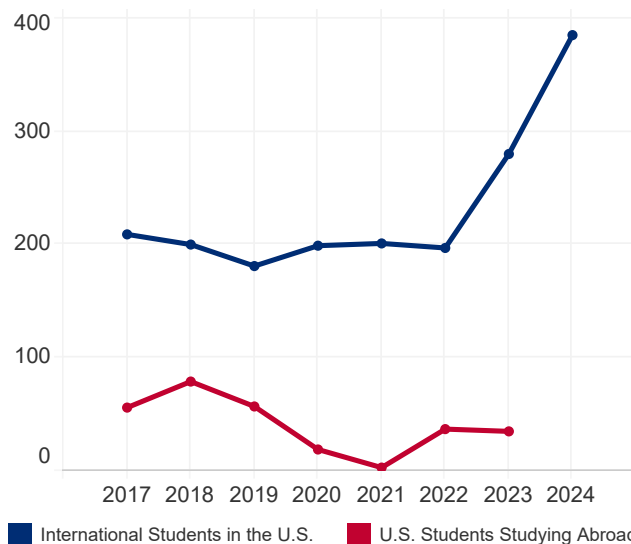
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International Student Economic Impact, 2023²

STUDENT MOBILITY TOTALS

Year	International Students	U.S. Study Abroad
2023/24	385	N/A
2022/23	280	35
2021/22	197	37
2020/21	201	3
2019/20	199	19
2018/19	181	57
2017/18	200	79
2016/17	209	56

2016/17-2023/24



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY ACADEMIC LEVEL

Academic Level	2022/23	2023/24	Total	Change
Undergraduate	129	166	43.1%	28.7%
Graduate	113	183	47.5%	61.9%
Non-Degree	5	6	1.6%	20.0%
OPT	33	30	7.8%	-9.1%

STUDENT VISAS ISSUED

Visa	Change 2022-2023 ³
F	61.2%
J	29.9%
M	0.0%

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS BY INSTITUTION TYPE

Institution	Total
Associate's Colleges	13.9%
Baccalaureate Colleges	7.6%
Doctoral Universities	51.6%
Master's Colleges and Universities	25.8%
Special Focus Institutions	1.1%
Private Institutions	42.2%
Public Institutions	57.8%

TOP RECEIVING STATES

- Ohio
- Minnesota
- Massachusetts
- Maryland
- Michigan

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.

