

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS, 2024/25



**10,370**

International Students



**25**

Rank in the United States\*



**3.0**

% Change from Previous Year



**\$339,462,155**

Estimated International Student Expenditure\*\*

## LEADING PLACES OF ORIGIN

Place of Origin	% Total
India	41.1
China	9.5
Nigeria	4.9
Bangladesh	4.6
Nepal	3.5

## LEADING INSTITUTIONS

Institution	Total
University of Alabama - Birmingham	2,322
Auburn University - Montgomery	1,901
Auburn University - Auburn	1,757
University of Alabama - Tuscaloosa	1,391
Troy University	620

## U.S. STUDENTS STUDYING ABROAD, 2023/24



**4,123**

U.S. Students Studying Abroad



**27**

Rank in the United States\*



**7.6**

% Change from Previous Year



**Business**

Leading Major of Study Abroad Students

## LEADING DESTINATIONS

Destination	% Total
Italy	18.7
Spain	15.3
United Kingdom	15.2
France	4.1
Costa Rica	3.6

## LEADING INSTITUTIONS

Institution	Total
University of Alabama - Tuscaloosa	1,429
Auburn University - Auburn	1,420
Samford University	347
Troy University	340
University of South Alabama	230

## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE FUNDED PROGRAMS

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

Exchange Program	Fulbright Program 2024/25	Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship 2024/25	Critical Language Scholarship 2024/25
U.S. students from colleges and universities in the state	19	50	10
International students at colleges and universities in the state	29		

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

\*\*Economic analysis produced by NAFSA: Association of International Educators based on enrollment data from Open Doors 2025. <https://www.nafsa.org/economicvalue>

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

Source: Open Doors Report on International Educational Exchange. For more information, visit <https://opendoorsdata.org/>.

