

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Benefits from International Students



International students studying at U.S. colleges and universities contribute **33.8 billion** to the U.S. economy and support **335,423 jobs***. For every three international students, **one U.S. job is created** and supported by spending occurring in the higher education, accommodation, dining, retail, transportation, telecommunications and health insurance sectors.

The economic contributions of international students are in addition to the immeasurable academic and cultural value these students bring to our campuses and local communities. For a more detailed analysis by state and congressional district level, access NAFSA's International Student Economic Value Tool at www.nafsa.org/economicvalue.

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NOTE: Enrollment and dollars total includes data from Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. They are not listed, as the U.S. Department of Commerce does not include them in the datasets used for our jobs analysis.

State	Int'l Students	U.S. Dollars	Jobs
Alabama	8,138	\$262.3 million	2,190
Alaska	301	\$9.7 million	62
Arizona	25,677	\$778.1 million	8,449
Arkansas	4,579	\$110.2 million	836
California	134,043	\$5.4 billion	54,023
Colorado	9,355	\$322 million	3,456
Connecticut	12,352	\$496 million	5,038
Delaware	3,046	\$86.6 million	916
District of Columbia	10,587	\$468million	4,096
Florida	39,622	\$1.2 billion	11,602
Georgia	25,057	\$835 million	8,276
Hawaii	3,422	\$104 million	751
Idaho	3,230	\$63.8 million	455
Illinois	46,599	\$1.6 billion	18,163
Indiana	24,628	\$785.1 million	7,837
lowa	8,246	\$240.6 million	1,827
Kansas	8,272	\$214.3 million	1,661
Kentucky	8,891	\$252.3 million	1,716
Louisiana	6,062	\$212.6 million	2,079
Maine	1,492	\$61 million	417
Maryland	19,651	\$773.5 million	8,570
Massachusetts	71,026	\$3.1 billion	31,420
Michigan	27,657	\$695.5 million	9,699
Minnesota	13,503	\$392.7 million	3,128
Mississippi	2,733	\$62.7 million	545
Missouri	19,167	\$621.3 million	6,416
Montana	1,200	\$36.2 million	312
Nebraska	3,984	\$111.3 million	889
Nevada	1,943	\$52.7 million	489
New Hampshire	2,942	\$121.2 million	1,314
New Jersey	18,946	\$700.1 million	7,161
New Mexico	2,369	\$59.6 million	497
New York	113,666	\$4.9 billion	45,482
North Carolina	20,278	\$653 million	7,023
North Dakota	1,869	\$38.3 million	263
Ohio	31,146	\$1 billion	9,835
Oklahoma	6,125	\$165.9 million	1,383
Oregon	7,613	\$249.6 million	2,173
Pennsylvania	44,370	\$1.7 billion	19,635
Rhode Island	4,401	\$232.1 million	2,135
South Carolina	5,907	\$159.3 million	1,345
South Dakota	1,670	\$33.4 million	205
Tennessee	7,270	\$260.2 million	2,799
Texas	70,223	\$1.8 billion	18,391
Utah	9,233	\$251.7 million	2,380
Vermont	1,292	\$60.4 million	389
Virginia	17,841	\$604.5 million	6,553
Washington	21,144	\$739.2 million	6,354
West Virginia	2,480	\$71.8 million	579
Wisconsin	11,949	\$399.4 million	4,092
Wyoming	780	\$16.4 million	117
Total	948,519	\$33.8 billion	335,423