









# **OPEN DOORS FACT SHEET: Washington**

Educational Exchange Data from *Open Doors 2012* **INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION** 

	Rank in U.S.	Total
FOREIGN STUDENTS IN THE STATE	#11*	20,198 (up 13.4%)
ESTIMATED FOREIGN STUDENTS EXPENDITURE IN THE STATE (in millions of dollars)		\$533.8**

<sup>\*</sup> Rankings include all 50 U.S. states in addition to Washington, D.C.

## INSTITUTIONS WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF FOREIGN STUDENTS

Institution	City	Total	
University of Washington	Seattle	5,372	
Washington State University	Pullman	2,286	
Green River Community College	Aubum	1,407	
Seattle Central Community College	Seattle	1,347	
Edmonds Community College	Lynnwood	1,299	

## LEADING PLACES OF ORIGIN FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS IN THE STATE

Rank	Place of Origin	% Total
1	China	27.3
2	South Korea	12.5
3	Vietnam	8.2
4	Japan	7.5
5	Hong Kong	7

# AMERICAN STUDENTS ABROAD

TOTAL NUMBER OF U.S. STUDY ABROAD STUDENTS ENROLLED THROUGH INSTITUTIONS IN THE STATE	2009/10	2010/11
	6,647	5,997

## STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE FUNDED PROGRAMS

Exchange Program	Fulbright Program		Gilman Program	
Exchange 1 Togram	2011/12	2012/13	2011/12	
U.S. Students from colleges and universities in the state	66	37	67	
Foreign Students at colleges and universities in the state	56	82	N/A	

Source: Open Doors: Report on International Educational Exchange, published annually by IIE with support from the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. For more information, including press releases on foreign students in the U.S. and U.S. study abroad, and FAQs, including definitions of foreign students and foreign scholars, visit www.iie.org/opendoors or contact IIE's Public Affairs office at: +1(212) 984-5360.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Economic analysis produced by NAFSA: Association of International Educators based on enrollment data from *Open Doors 2012*. <a href="https://www.nafsa.org/eis">www.nafsa.org/eis</a>