



## OPEN DOORS FACT SHEET: INDONESIA

### INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION Educational Exchange Data from *Open Doors 2011*

In the 2010/11 academic year, **6,942** students from Indonesia were studying in the United States. Indonesia is the nineteenth leading place of origin for students coming to the United States.

**Academic Level:** The majority of Indonesian students study at the undergraduate level. In 2010/11, their breakdown was as follows:

64.5%	undergraduate
22.2%	graduate students
2.9%	other
10.4%	OPT (Optional Practical Training)

**Historical trends:** The number of Indonesian students studying in the U.S. grew steadily in the 1980s and 1990s, peaking at 13,282 students in 1997/98. It then declined through 2006/07, rebounded slightly in 2007/08, and again fell by 2% in 2008/09 and 8% in 2009/10. In 2010/11, the number of Indonesian students remained relatively flat. Indonesia remains a top 20 places of origin for international students in the United States.

Year	# of Students From Indonesia	% Change from Previous Year	# of U.S. Study Abroad Students Going to Indonesia
2010/11	6,942	0%	n/a
2009/10	6,943	-7.5%	221 (up 25.6%)
2008/09	7,509	-2.4%	176
2007/08	7,692	4.8%	74
2006/07	7,338	-3.1%	132
2005/06	7,575	-2.4%	57
2004/05	7,760	-12.6%	28
2003/04	8,880	-14.9%	24
2002/03	10,432	-10.2%	26
2001/02	11,614	-0.1%	52
2000/01	11,625	2.9%	213
1999/00	11,300	-6.9%	189
1998/99	12,142	-8.6%	201
1997/98	13,282	6.6%	182
1996/97	12,461	-2.8%	209
1995/96	12,820	8.0%	170
1994/95	11,872	-	215

Note: Study abroad figures from *Open Doors* reflect credit given by U.S. campuses during the survey year to their students who studied abroad in the academic year just completed, including the summer term. Study abroad in 2010/11 will be reported in *Open Doors 2012*, once credit is awarded by the home campus.

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