# OPEN DOORS FACT SHEET: **Colorado**

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

| | Rank in U.S. | Total |
|---|---|---|
| **FOREIGN STUDENTS IN THE STATE** | **#26*** | **8,445 (up 9.8%)** |
| **ESTIMATED FOREIGN STUDENTS EXPENDITURE IN THE STATE (in millions of dollars)** | | **$253.3**** |

** Rankings include all 50 U.S. states in addition to Washington, D.C.*
** Economic analysis produced by NAFSA: Association of International Educators based on enrollment data from *Open Doors 2012*. www.nafsa.org/eis

**INSTITUTIONS WITH THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF FOREIGN STUDENTS**

| Institution | City | Total |
|---|---|---|
| University of Colorado - Boulder | Boulder | 1,681 |
| University of Denver | Denver | 1,430 |
| Colorado State University | Fort Collins | 1,352 |
| University of Colorado Denver | Denver | 1,116 |
| Colorado School of Mines | Golden | 652 |

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

| Rank | Place of Origin | % Total |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | China | 25 |
| 2 | Saudi Arabia | 13.7 |
| 3 | India | 8.9 |
| 4 | South Korea | 5.1 |
| 5 | Libya/Qatar | 2.9 |

**AMERICAN STUDENTS ABROAD**

| TOTAL NUMBER OF U.S. STUDY ABROAD STUDENTS ENROLLED THROUGH INSTITUTIONS IN THE STATE | 2009/10 | 2010/11 |
|---|---|---|
| | 4,467 | 4,745 |

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

| Exchange Program | Fulbright Program | | Gilman Program 2011/12 |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 2011/12 | 2012/13 | |
| U.S. Students from colleges and universities in the state | 38 | 23 | 40 |
| Foreign Students at colleges and universities in the state | 37 | 62 | 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.