

# U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

A strategic, cost-effective investment in our economy and national security.

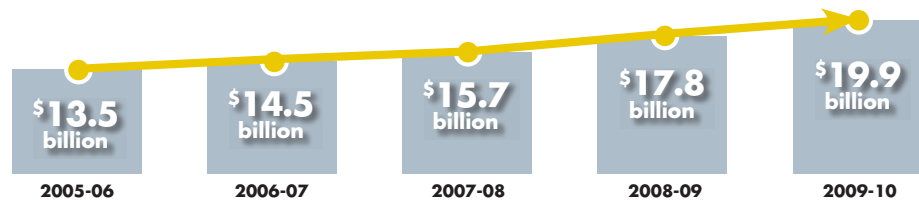
## THE EXCHANGES BUDGET IN CONTEXT

● 2010 International Affairs Budget:  
**\$56.2 billion (1.5%)**

2010 Federal Budget:  
**\$3.6 trillion**

● 2010 State Department Exchanges Budget:  
**\$635 million (0.018%)**

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CONTRIBUTIONS TO U.S. ECONOMY\*



\*According to IIE Open Doors data, the U.S. Department of Commerce, and NAWSA

## THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE EXCHANGES BUDGET ANNUALLY SUPPORTS:

- **400+ EducationUSA Advising Centers** around the world, which fostered a flow of **690,923 international students** to the U.S. in 2009-10.
- **8,000 Americans studying languages critical to national security**, such as Arabic, Chinese, Hindi, Korean, Persian, Russian, and Turkish
- **2,000 Sister City connections worldwide** (including 600 U.S. cities in 49 states, 36 countries, and 100 connections between U.S. and Muslim communities)

## ● Nearly 50,000 exchange participants\*:

**International students, scholars, and young professionals** studying, teaching, and conducting research on U.S. campuses

**American students, scholars, and young professionals** studying, teaching, and conducting research on foreign campuses

**Future leaders** (ages 15-19) from Muslim world, Eurasia, and other key countries attending American high schools

American teachers and scholars teaching abroad, **reaching nearly 120,000 students**

**Emerging leaders worldwide** interacting with both U.S. counterparts and 80,000 American citizen diplomats (alumni include 326 current and former heads of state)

\*According to FY 2010 Annual Report, Interagency Working Group on U.S. Government-Sponsored International Exchanges and Training

# THE ALLIANCE FOR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE

is home to the collective voice of the U.S. exchange community.

Our membership comprises 76 American nongovernmental organizations, with more than 8,000 staff and 1.25 million volunteers across the United States.

Through our members, the Alliance supports the international interests of 3,300 American institutions of higher education, as well as high schools throughout the United States.

Academic Year in America

AED

AFS Intercultural Programs, USA

AIIESEC United States

AIFS (American Institute for Foreign Study)

AIFS Foundation

AIPT-CDS International

Alliance Abroad Group (AAG)

American Association of Community Colleges (AACCC)

American Association of Intensive English Programs

American Council for International Studies

American Council on Education (ACE)

American Council on International Personnel (ACIP)

American Councils for International Education: ACTR/ACCELS

American Immigration Council

The American-Scandinavian Foundation

American Secondary Schools for International Students and Teachers (ASSIST)

AMIDEAST

Amity Institute

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs

ASSE Work Experience Programs

Association of International Education Administrators (AIEA)

Au Pair in America

AuPairCare

AYUSA International

British Universities North America Club (BUNAC)

Camp America

CAORC: Council of American Overseas Research Centers

CCUSA

Center for Cultural Interchange (CCI)

CIEE: Council on International Educational Exchange

The College Board

Communicating for Agriculture

Concordia Language Villages (CLV)

Council for Educational Travel, USA (CETUSA)

Council of Graduate Schools (CGS)

Council of International Programs USA (CIPUSA)

Council on Standards for International Educational Travel (CSIET)

Cultural Care Au Pair

Cultural Exchange Network (CENET)

Cultural Homestay International (CHI)

Educational and Cultural Interactions (ECI)

Educational Testing Service

EF Foundation for Foreign Study

EurAupair Intercultural Child Care Programs

French-American Chamber of Commerce (FACC)

The Fulbright Association

GeoVisions

German American Chamber of Commerce (GACCNY)

goAUPAIR

iEARN-USA

Institute of International Education (IIE)

InterExchange

International Cultural Exchange Organization (ICEO)

International Cultural Exchange Services (ICES)

International Exchange of North America (IENA)

Intrax Cultural Exchange

IREX

LASPAU: Academic and Professional Programs for the Americas

MAST International

Meridian International Center

NAFSA: Association of International Educators

National Council for Eurasian and East European Research (NCEEER)

National Council for International Visitors (NCIV)

The Ohio Program (TOP)

Pacific Intercultural Exchange (P.I.E.)

PAX – Program of Academic Exchange

People to People International (PTPI)

Sister Cities International (SCI)

Summer Institute for the Gifted

University and College Intensive English Programs (UCIEP)

World Education Services (WES)

World Heritage

World Learning

YMCA International

Youth For Understanding USA (YFU USA)

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