COLORADO STATE FACT SHEET

Each year, Colorado businesses host international college students and graduates participating in the Department of State’s J-1 visa Summer Work Travel, Intern, Trainee, Au Pair, and Camp Counselor programs. This collaboration offers myriad diplomacy and national security benefits to our country, and significant economic benefits – including vital tax revenue – to communities across Colorado.

**Economic Impact of Summer Work Travel Participants:**
- $32.2 million

*Source: Summer Work Travel (SWT) Program Review by EurekaFacts, August 2018*

**Economic Impact of Intern and Trainee Participants:**
- $19 million

*Source: Intern and Trainee Exchange Program Review by EurekaFacts, June 2017*

**Prominent Host Communities:**
- Breckenridge, Denver, Estes Park, Vail

**Prominent Host Employers:**
- Albertsons Companies
- Aramark Mesa Verde Far View Lodge
- Four Seasons Resort and Residence Vail
- Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park
- The Broadmoor Hotel
- Vail Resorts Keystone Rental Property
- Xanterra Trail Ridge Gift Store

**International Students in the State:**
- 11,639

*Number of international students enrolled at colleges/universities in the state. Source: Open Doors 2018*

**American Students Abroad:**
- 6,036

*Total number of U.S. Study Abroad Students enrolled through institutions in the state, 2016/2017. Source: Open Doors 2018*

**Total Number of Participants:**
- **Au Pair**
  - 744
- **Camp Counselor**
  - 201
- **Intern**
  - 781
- **Summer Work Travel**
  - 6084
- **Trainee**
  - 285

*Source: U.S. Department of State, 2018*