KANSAS STATE FACT SHEET

Each year, Kansas 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 Kansas.

Economic Impact of Summer Work Travel Participants:

$230,000

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

Economic Impact of Intern and Trainee Participants:

$1.2 million

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

Prominent Host Communities:

Kansas City, Lenexa

Prominent Host Employers:

Challenger Sports Corp

American Students Abroad:

2,783

*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
  45
- Camp Counselor
  34
- Intern
  42
- Summer Work Travel
  44
- Trainee
  28

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

International Students in the State:

9,571

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