

# NEW MEXICO STATE FACT SHEET

Each year, New Mexico 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 New Mexico.

## Economic Impact of Summer Work Travel Participants:

\$1.7 million

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

## Economic Impact of Intern and Trainee Participants:

\$1 million

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

## Prominent Host Communities:

Red River, Taos Ski Valley

## Prominent Host Employers:

Columbine Inn, All Seasons Inc

## International Students in the State:

3,426

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



## American Students Abroad:

1,158

\*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**  
28
- **Camp Counselor**  
20
- **Intern**  
54
- **Summer Work Travel**  
328
- **Trainee**  
5

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

