

OHIO STATE FACT SHEET

Each year, Ohio 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 Ohio.

Economic Impact of Summer Work Travel Participants:

\$17.7 million

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

Economic Impact of Intern and Trainee Participants:

\$5.9 million

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

Prominent Host Communities:

Mason, Put-in-Bay, Sandusky

Prominent Host Employers:

Cedar Point Amusement Park a Cedar Fair Park
Kings Island a Cedar Fair Park
Xanterra Deer Creek Lodge Conference Center
Xanterra Salt Fork Lodge

International Students in the State:

37,583

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

American Students Abroad:

13,991

*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**
267
- **Camp Counselor**
319
- **Intern**
200
- **Summer Work Travel**
3332
- **Trainee**
130

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

