

# CALIFORNIA STATE FACT SHEET



Each year, California businesses host international college students, graduates, and visitors participating in the Department of State's **BridgeUSA** programs. These programs offer diplomacy and national security benefits to our country, as well as significant economic benefits – including vital tax revenue – to communities across California.

## Higher Education



### American Students Abroad

**33,456**

\*Total number of U.S. Study Abroad Students enrolled through institutions in the state. Source: Open Doors, 2018-2019



### International Students

**161,693**

**\$6.8 billion**

\*Number of international students enrolled at colleges/universities in the state and their economic contribution. Source: NAFSA, 2018-2019

## Federally Funded

### International Leaders

**3,200**

\*Total number of international leaders from federally funded programs in CA. Source: GlobalTiesUS.org, 2019

### Fulbright

**228**

US Grant Recipients

**231**

Foreign Grant Recipients

\*Source: Fulbright Grantee Directory, 2019

### Gilman Scholarship

**463**

\*Source: Gilman Scholar Directory, 2019

### Secondary School Students

**1,332**

\*Source: U.S. Department of State, 2019



## BridgeUSA

## Privately Funded



Participants



Economic Impact

### Au Pair

3,095

\$16,514,920

### Camp Counselor

1,509

\$3,580,857

### Intern/Trainee

8,549

\$152,404,418

### Summer Work Travel (SWT)

5,680

\$30,438,289

### Total

**18,833**

**\$202,938,484**

\*Source: U.S. Department of State, 2019 and EurekaFacts Program Reviews, 2017-2018



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