

# MASSACHUSETTS STATE FACT SHEET



Each year, Massachusetts 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 Massachusetts.

## Higher Education



### American Students Abroad

**15,327**

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



### International Students

**71,098**

**\$3.2 billion**

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

## Federally Funded

### International Leaders

**1,074**

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

### Fulbright

**104**

US Grant Recipients

**218**

Foreign Grant Recipients

\*Source: Fulbright Grantee Directory, 2019

### Gilman Scholarship

**58**

\*Source: Gilman Scholar Directory, 2019

### Secondary School Students

**128**

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



## BridgeUSA

## Privately Funded



Participants



Economic Impact

### Au Pair

1,460

\$7,790,560

### Camp Counselor

1,539

\$3,652,047

### Intern/Trainee

1,238

\$22,070,028

### Summer Work Travel (SWT)

6,985

\$37,431,593

### Total

11,222

\$70,944,228

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



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