## TEXAS STATE FACT SHEET



## **Higher Education**

| During the 2022/23 academic year                       | <b>80,757</b> international students attended colleges and universities in Texas, |  |
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| contributing <b>\$2.2 billion</b> to the state economy | and supporting 21,568 jobs.*  |  |

During the 2021/22 academic year...

...**11,560** Texas students studied abroad.\*\*

\*Source: NAFSA International Student Economic Value Tool, 2023

\*\*Source: Open Doors, 2023

## **U.S. Department of State BridgeUSA Programs**

Each year, businesses host international college students, graduates, and visitors participating in BridgeUSA programs. These programs support national security benefits, strengthen the U.S. economy, and increase mutual understanding.

In 2022...

| 1,118        | <b>426</b> Camp | 1,535          | <b>1,891</b> Summer | <b>610</b> Teacher |
|--------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Au Pair      | Counselor       | Intern/Trainee | Work Travel         | participants       |
| participants | participants    | participants   | participants        |                    |

...from countries around the world contributed culturally and economically to communities across Texas.\*

\*Source: U.S. Department of State, 2022

## **U.S. Department of State Funded Programs**

Each year, the U.S. Department of State funds educational and cultural exchange programs that engage youth, students, educators, artists, athletes, and rising leaders in the United States and more than 160 countries.

| OUTBOUND PROGRAMS                              |                    | INBOUND PROGRAMS             |                                  |
|--|--------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Fulbright Program (2022/23)*                   | <b>81</b> students | Fulbright Program (2022/23)* | 189 students                     |
| Gilman Scholarship<br>(2022/2023)*             | 312 students       | IVLP (FY22)***               | <b>728</b> international leaders |
| Critical Language<br>Scholarship<br>(2022/23)* | 37 students        |                              |                                  |
| FLEX Program<br>(2022/2023)*                   | 1 student          | FLEX Program<br>(2022/2023)* | 68 students                      |
| YES Program<br>(2022/23)*                      | 3 students         | YES Program<br>(2022/23)*    | <b>51</b> students               |

\*Source: Open Doors, 2023

\*\*Source: U.S. Department of State, 2022

\*\*\*Source: GlobalTiesUS.org, 2022