

USA

A STUDY DESTINATION



Twelve Educational State Consortia at NAFSA 2017

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Dear NAFSA 2017 Participants and Study State Consortia:

Welcome to “**USA: A Study Destination**” the official U.S. pavilion at NAFSA 2017, featuring educational state consortia from 12 U.S. states. This space has been coordinated by the U.S. Commercial Service, U.S. Department of Commerce, in collaboration with the EducationUSA network of the U.S. State Department. We are excited to have such a plethora of educational state consortia exhibiting with us again this year.

In this area, you will find twelve of the most dynamic state educational consortia, each showcasing diverse educational programs. These consortia are ready to meet with potential partners and receive international students on their members’ campuses.

Participating Consortia Include:

Study California

Study Colorado

Study Florida

Study Massachusetts

Study Missouri

Study New Hampshire

Study New York

**The University of North Carolina International
Recruitment Consortium (UNC International)**

Study Oregon

Study Tennessee

Study Virginia

Study Washington

Education is a growing service export for the United States that supports American jobs, sustains universities and communities, and builds relationships between nations. The USA booth space at NAFSA provides a unique opportunity to learn about the universities, lifestyles, and amenities offered in each state represented here, and provides a resource for students from abroad to connect with leading U.S. schools.

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Warm regards,

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Dear Colleagues,

We are delighted to join the U.S. Department of Commerce and so many distinguished representatives of the U.S. and international higher education communities at the 2017 NAFSA Annual Meeting. In the 2015/16 academic year over one million international students from around the world chose to study in the United States. We are committed to increasing this number and to ensuring that these students have positive, transformational academic experiences. To help achieve this goal, the Department of State's EducationUSA network, consisting of over 400 advising centers across the globe, provides accurate, current, and comprehensive information about opportunities to study in the United States to prospective international students around the world. EducationUSA also seeks to promote U.S. higher education generally and to support the more than 4,500 accredited American colleges and universities in achieving their international student recruitment and retention goals.

We know that international educational experiences equip a new generation of citizens from diverse backgrounds with the skills they need to address the 21st century's most pressing global challenges. These educational opportunities also serve to foster mutual understanding between the people of the United States and nations across the globe. The bonds established between individual students today become the foundation of stronger relations between entire nations tomorrow. The U.S. Department of State's EducationUSA network is eager to collaborate with, and support, the global higher education community to deepen these people-to-people ties.

I invite you to visit the EducationUSA booth adjacent to the "USA: A Study Destination" pavilion to learn more about our network. We look forward to engaging with you throughout this event and into the future.

Sincerely,

Alfred Boll

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Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs

U.S. Department of State

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WELCOME TO CALIFORNIA.

California, the third largest state in the United States, is a land famous for its exceptional opportunities.

Often referred to as “The Golden State,” California is truly the place where you can have it all – you can earn a degree at the school of your dreams, bask in dreamy weather, and spend your weekends at the beach, desert, forest or a snow-capped mountain.

Welcome to California, where the sun shines and dreams come true.

WHO WE ARE

Study California is a membership-driven non-profit public benefit corporation of the State of California formed to bring talented international students to California’s institutions of higher education and English language programs.

Because the demand is so high for education in the United States, and because California offers such a diversity of quality programs, Study California was formed to offer students and advisors one place where individuals could search for programs.

Study California strives to increase the number of international students enrolling in California’s schools and universities, as well as to facilitate partnerships between California’s schools and schools abroad. It is an important mission of the organization to embrace other cultures and further cross-cultural understanding globally. We hope to make the state of California a top study destination worldwide!

LIFE IN CALIFORNIA

It’s not called ‘The Golden State’ for nothing – California is bursting with golden sunshine and golden opportunities of many kinds.

Home to the eighth largest economy in the world, Silicon Valley and a myriad of top-ranking universities, California is not only beautiful, but a smart place to build your future. Silicon Valley – the hub of revolutionary technology companies such as Apple and Google – and the state’s aggressive renewable energy goals make the Golden State a golden opportunity for potential residents.

Whether you dream of studying at a hot beach or a cool mountain; at an enormous public research university or a modest smaller college; in the bustling city or the humble countryside – with so many schools to choose from, you’re sure to find your academic home in our state. With its unique three tiered higher education system, as well as hundreds of other private universities, California has a school to match your needs.

With world renowned national parks and recreation within California’s borders you can enrich your education with infinite activities – art museums, beaches, golfing, hiking, nightlife, ski resorts, Hollywood, theme parks, wineries, and more!

Study, explore, and learn why so many choose California!

LIST OF MEMBERS

Alliant International University
Antioch University
California Lutheran University
California State Polytechnic University,
Pomona (Cal Poly Pomona)
California State University, Bakersfield
California State University, Channel Islands
California State University, Chico
California State University, Dominguez Hills
California State University, East Bay
California State University, Long Beach
California State University, Los Angeles
California State University, Monterey Bay
California State University, Northridge
California State University, San Marcos
California State University, Stanislaus
College of Marin
College of the Canyons
College of the Desert
Dominican University of California

East Los Angeles College
El Camino College
Foothill and De Anza Colleges
Golden Gate University
Humboldt State University
John F. Kennedy University
Loyola Marymount University
Menlo College
Middlebury Institute of International
Studies at Monterey
MiraCosta College
Mission College
National University
Riverside Community College
Sacramento State
Saint Mary’s College of California
San Bernardino Community
College District
San Francisco State University
San Jose City College

San Jose State University
San Mateo Colleges of Silicon Valley
Santa Barbara City College
Santa Clara University
Santa Rosa Junior College
Solano Community College
Sonoma State University
Stanford University
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Irvine
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, Merced
University of California, Riverside
University of California, San Diego
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of California, Santa Cruz
University of Redlands
University of Southern California
West Hills Community College
Woodbury University

STUDY CALIFORNIA

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Advance and grow.



The **largest** consortium of colleges and universities representing the diverse offering of California's higher education institutions.



DESCRIPTION

StudyColorado, formed in 2012, is an initiative of the State of Colorado, its institutions of higher education and the Colorado business community. StudyColorado's primary purpose is to promote the internationalization of Colorado's campuses.

Our member colleges and universities are all accredited by the Higher Learning Commission and our language school members are accredited by the Commission on English Language Accreditation (CEA) or the Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training (ACCET).

StudyColorado has participated in various international conferences, including NAFSA and the EducationUSA Forum. It has also led member delegations to Japan, Mexico and UAE in partnership with city and state officials. StudyColorado was selected to host two cohorts of higher education professionals through the EducationUSA Leadership Institutes.

CONSORTIA WEBSITE

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DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Colorado, located in the center of the country, is known for its outdoor lifestyle, world-class recreational activities, and rich cultural heritage. Over 300 days of sunshine a year help to make Colorado among the top states in which to live, offering a healthy and well-balanced lifestyle.

With the second most highly-educated population, third highest concentration of high tech employment and a collaborative business climate, Colorado attracts young technical and entrepreneurial workers who are interested in opportunities in emerging industries including aerospace, bioscience, energy and information technology. The state has one of the highest per capita concentrations of federal science, research and engineering facilities in the nation, including the National Renewable Energy Laboratory and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, along with 22 other federally funded research laboratories.

Colorado offers many higher education options, from small mountain colleges to large urban universities, from two-year community colleges and English language schools to graduate programs and research opportunities – in a state that is friendly and welcoming to students from all countries.

ADDITIONALLY, COLORADO IS...

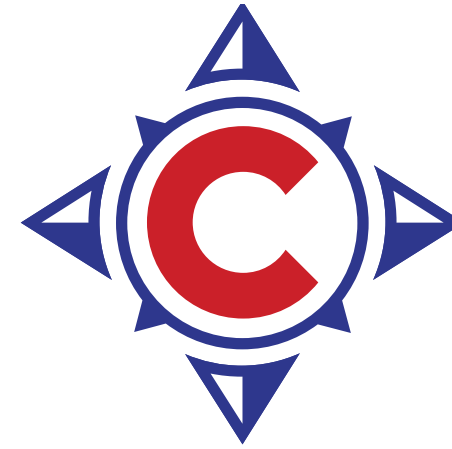
- home to 26 ski resorts
- home to 42 state parks and 13 national parks
- first for arts participation in the nation
- home to 7 professional sports teams
- the fastest growing economy in the U.S. and the most economically competitive state

LIST OF MEMBERS

Adams State University
Aims Community College
BridgeEnglish Denver
Colorado Christian University
Colorado College
Colorado Community College System
Colorado Mesa University
Colorado Mountain College
Colorado School of Mines

Colorado State University
Colorado State University-Pueblo
Fort Lewis College
Metropolitan State University of Denver
Naropa University
Regis University
Rocky Mountain College of Art and Design
Spring International Language Center
University of Colorado Boulder

University of Colorado Colorado Springs
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University of Denver
University of Northern Colorado
Western State Colorado University



STUDY COLORADO

WHY CHOOSE COLORADO?

- ▶ **Academic Excellence**
- ▶ **Foundation for Success**
- ▶ **Affordability**
- ▶ **Safety**

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DESCRIPTION

Study Florida is a not-for-profit professional association comprised of public and private, 2-year and 4-year, regionally accredited, non-profit higher education institutions in the state of Florida. The purpose of this consortium is to connect international students with excellent opportunities in Florida. Since 2013, Study Florida has helped connect member institutions with prospective students and resources to promote their academic offerings. Over the past year, Study Florida has participated in the International Association for College Admission Counseling conference, Global Student Mobility USA Roadshow, ICEF North American Workshop, and now at the NAFSA Conference, plus two international education associations in Florida.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Besides the fun and sun, Florida is built for business, innovation and entrepreneurship, with 300+ regional and hemispheric headquarters for international companies and the fourth largest economy in the United States. There are many reasons that Florida is ranked as the seventh most popular study destination in the United States:

1) Quality Education: Florida's colleges and universities are among the nation's top performers, and our graduates are successful throughout the global job market.

2) Academic Diversity: Florida's 28 state colleges, 13 public universities, and numerous private institutions range in size, structure, setting, and offerings: small or large, private or public, rural or urban, with 150+ undergraduate program and 200+ graduate and professional programs.

3) Smooth Transitions: Florida's network of colleges and universities enables students to easily transfer from 2 year states community colleges to 4 year universities.

4) Affordability: Florida has the 6th lowest tuition in the United States and no state income tax.

5) Culture: Florida offers a broad spectrum of arts, history and culture. In addition to hosting numerous international festivals, high-profile art exhibitions, and well-known entertainers, Florida is home to white sandy beaches, unique shopping experiences, thousands of lakes and parks – plus world famous theme parks!



Study Florida



Florida is a **TOP CHOICE** for international students attending higher education in the United States. Learn why at www.StudyFlorida.net.

Study Florida Members

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| • Broward College | • Lynn University | • Stetson University |
| • Eckerd College | • Nova Southeastern University | • Tallahassee Community College |
| • Florida Gulf Coast University | • Rollins College | • University of South Florida Sarasota-Manatee |
| • Florida Institute of Technology | • Santa Fe College | • University of Tampa |
| • Florida Southern College | • Saint Leo University | |
| • Hillsborough Community College | • St. Petersburg College | |



LIST OF MEMBERS

Broward College
Eckerd College
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida Institute of Technology
Florida International University
Florida Southern College

Hillsborough Community College
Lynn University
Nova Southeastern University
Rollins College
Saint Leo University
Santa Fe College

St. Petersburg College
Stetson University
Tallahassee Community College
University of South Florida Sarasota-Manatee
University of Tampa





DESCRIPTION

Study Massachusetts started as Study Western Massachusetts in 2009 and transitioned into Study Massachusetts in July of 2014. Our members include both private and public universities as well as ESL providers who are all interested in promoting the idea of international students coming to the state to study. We work together to market jointly to EducationUSA advisors, various product vendors, agents, and students about the educational and cultural opportunities within the state.

CONSORTIA WEBSITE

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DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Massachusetts is home to the country's oldest high school, the first public library, oldest boarding school, oldest college, and the first women's college. Official landmarks and historical sites can be found throughout the state. Massachusetts has 12% of the top research universities and 15% of the top 40 liberal arts colleges. Several of the world's best medical and technology facilities are located here as well as numerous multinational corporations. You can get almost anywhere in the state in less than three and half hours from Boston's Logan International Airport. There are mountains, rocky coastlines, and sandy beaches as well as forests, lakes, farms, and urban centers.



View our list of member schools and learn more about us at:

www.studymassachusetts.us



LIST OF MEMBERS

Assumption College
Bay Path University
Becker College
Curry College
Elms College
Emmanuel College
International Language Institute
Mass College of Arts and Design

Massachusetts College of
Pharmacy and Health Science
Merrimack College
Nichols College
Regis College
Simmons College
Springfield College
Stafford House

Suffolk University
Wentworth Institute of Technology
Western New England University
Westfield State University
Worcester Polytechnic Institute
Worcester State University



**Several of the
world's best
medical and
technology facilities**



**More than 25
foreign
consulates**



**Top research
universities and
liberal arts colleges**



**Numerous
multinational
corporations**



**Mountains, rocky
coastlines, sandy
beaches, urban
centers – all close by**



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DESCRIPTION

The Study Missouri Consortium is a grassroots organization of colleges and universities across Missouri dedicated to promoting international education. The Study Missouri Consortium is an association open to all independent and public institutions of higher education with main campuses in Missouri (two-year, four-year, comprehensive and research institutions). The Mission of Study Missouri is to support and enhance the capacity of member institutions, individually and collectively, to foster international experiences and cross-cultural competence among students, faculty and citizens in Missouri and to facilitate communication, cooperation, and expansion of international educational activities and exchanges in the State of Missouri. Study Missouri was formally organized in Jefferson City, Missouri in June 2009 by educators committed to cooperative efforts in support of international education in the State of Missouri. Since then we have organized the International Education Day at the State Capitol event attended by over 300 international and study abroad students annually who learn about the

Missouri legislative process and democracy. We are present at the NAFSA annual conference with a booth and reception where we initiate new international partnerships. We partner with USAdvisors and other organizations to achieve our goals.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

The State of Missouri is ranked 12th in the US by the growing number of international students. Studying in Missouri has many advantages: excellent academic programs, low cost of living, welcoming communities, and beautiful campuses.



LIST OF MEMBERS

Central Methodist University
Columbia College
Culver-Stockton College
Fontbonne University
Kansas City Art Institute
Lincoln University
Lindenwood University
Maryville University
Metropolitan Community College
Mineral Area College
Missouri Southern State University
Missouri State University

Missouri University of
Science & Technology
Missouri Western State University
Moberly Area Community College
North Central Missouri College
Northwest Missouri State University
Ozarks Technical Community College
Park University
Saint Louis University
Southeast Missouri State University
St. Charles Community College
St. Louis Community College

State Fair Community College
State Technical College of Missouri
Truman State University
University of Central Missouri
University of Missouri - Columbia
University of Missouri - Kansas City
University of Missouri - St. Louis
Washington University
Webster University
Wentworth Military Academy and College



- **Excellent academic programs**
- **Low cost of living**
- **Welcoming communities**
- **Beautiful campuses and state of the art facilities**
- **12th in the US by the growing number of international students**

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DESCRIPTION

Study New Hampshire is a non-profit consortium of 21, public and private institutions of higher education in the state of New Hampshire. These institutions are recognized for their outstanding teaching, research, and community service activities. They serve as major centers of activity that are vital to the economic development of the community and the state. Since 1966, the consortium’s mission is the advancement of public and private higher education in the state. Through collaborative efforts between the member colleges and universities, high schools and businesses, the consortium enhances educational opportunities for nearly 70,000 students currently attending our member institutions. Study New Hampshire members participate in NAFSA Annual Conferences, Education USA, trade missions, and ESL programming.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Located in the beautiful New England region, New Hampshire offers top academics in one of the most economically dynamic areas of the world. The diversity of our institutions, comprehensive choice of degree programs, and proximity to metropolitan areas make New Hampshire one of the most exciting and attractive educational destinations in the world. New Hampshire will prepare you for the global economy in unique ways. You'll learn to be innovative and work in teams at the same time. Our low student-to-faculty ratios can give you direct access to your instructor and unique leadership opportunities. New Hampshire will expose you to American history, American values and the American business model and way of life.

New Hampshire is ranked as the safest state in the nation. It offers a strong economy, jobs and a vibrant high-tech industry. Students are close to major urban centers. New Hampshire is proud to offer a vast selection of academic offerings amongst our 21 higher education institutions. With nearly 400 undergraduate degree programs and another 200 graduate programs, students have plenty to choose from. Whichever major you might be looking for is bound to be offered here.

CONSORTIA WEBSITE
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The diversity of our institutions, comprehensive choice of degree programs, and proximity to metropolitan areas make New Hampshire one of the most exciting and attractive education destinations in the country.



LIST OF MEMBERS

UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Granite State College
Keene State College
Plymouth State University
University of New Hampshire

PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS
Antioch University New England
Colby-Sawyer College
Franklin Pierce University
Hellenic American University
MCPHS University
New England College
New Hampshire Institute of Art
Rivier University
Saint Anselm College
Southern NH University

COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM OF NH
Great Bay Community College
Lakes Region Community College
Manchester Community College
NHTI-Concord's Community College
Nashua Community College
River Valley Community College
White Mountains Community College

www.studynewhampshire.us

- World class education
- Safest state in the nation
- Close proximity to major urban centers
- Strong economy, jobs and a vibrant high tech industry





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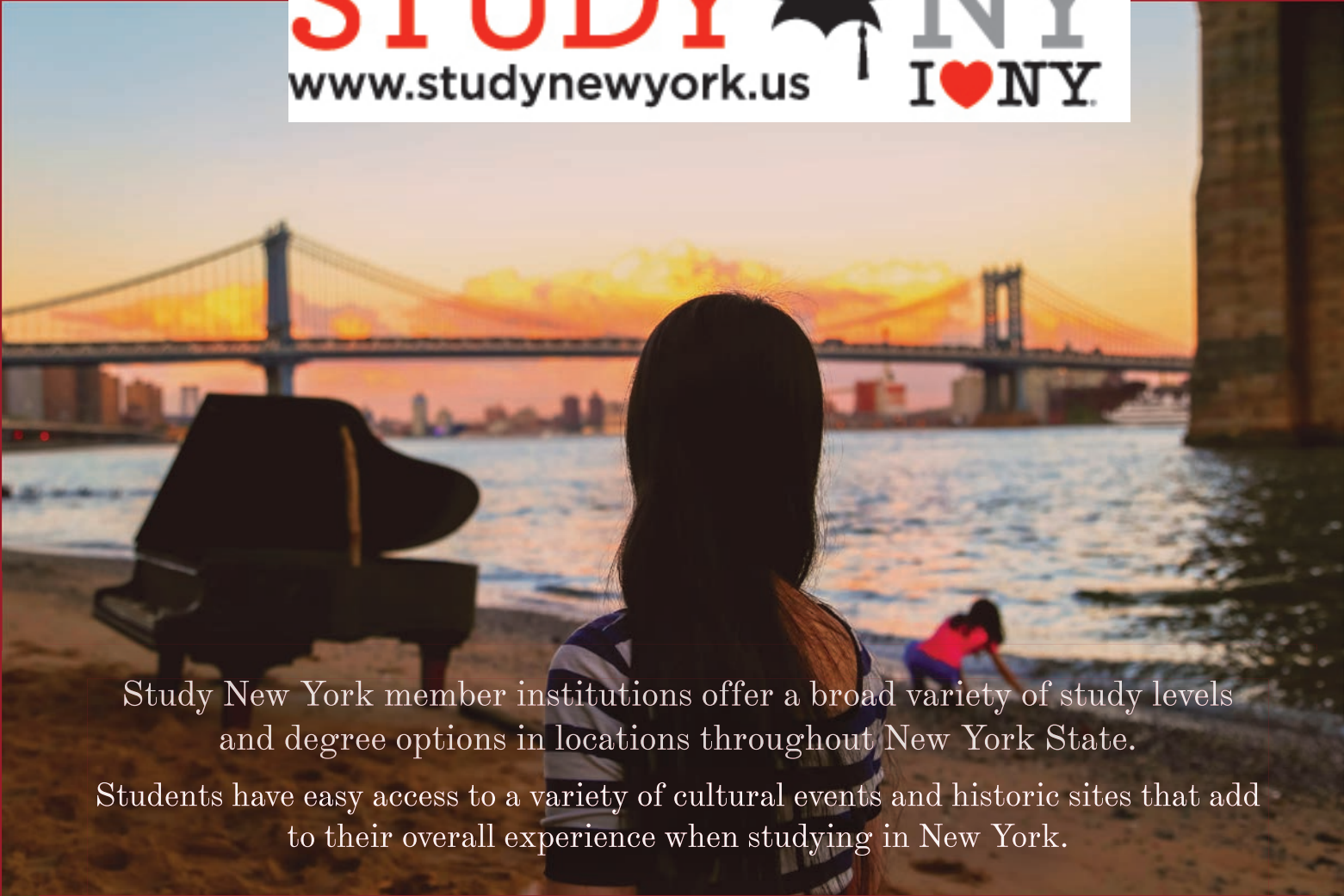
DESCRIPTION

The mission of the Study New York consortium is to work collaboratively with its member colleges, universities and partners through special programs and global outreach to promote New York State internationally as the premier education destination for students, researchers, visiting professors and other exchange visitors.

Study New York was founded in 2009 and is one of the largest consortium (50+ institutions) of colleges and universities in the U.S., comprised of independent (private, non-profit), SUNY (State University of New York), and CUNY (City University of New York) colleges and universities.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

New York State has always been a destination of choice for the best and brightest international students and researchers from around the world. In fact, New York ranks at the top in the number of international students who choose to study in the United States. Each year more than 75,000 students from countries around the world choose New York State to pursue their education. These international students discover that New York is one of the most beautiful states in the U.S., offering a superior quality of life, a wealth of cultural and recreational opportunities and some of the most beautiful and diverse landscapes in the world. You'll also find more than 268 degree-granting universities and colleges, from world-renowned research universities to small single-focus institutions located in small towns and cities, in rural communities as well as in urban areas such as New York City, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse and Albany. Whether you're seeking innovative career skills, cutting-edge research opportunities, a deeper understanding of the world, or customized academic pursuits, New York State offers you extraordinary educational opportunities.



Study New York member institutions offer a broad variety of study levels and degree options in locations throughout New York State.

Students have easy access to a variety of cultural events and historic sites that add to their overall experience when studying in New York.

LIST OF MEMBERS

Adelphi University
Bank Street College of Education
Borough of Manhattan Community College
City College
College of Saint Rose
CUNY Baruch
CUNY Staten Island
Culinary Institute of America
D'Youville College
Daemen College
Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT)
Fordham University
Fulton-Montgomery Community College
Herkimer County Community College
Hofstra University
John Jay College of Criminal Justice
Long Island University
Manhattan College
Manhattanville College
Marist College

Marymount Manhattan College
Metropolitan College of New York
Mercy College
Nassau Community College
Niagara University
New York Institute of Technology
New York Medical College
Pace University
Purchase College
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rockland Community College
Schenectady County Community College
St. Bonaventure University
St. John Fisher College
St. Johns University
St. Thomas Aquinas College
SUNY Albany
SUNY Alfred State College
SUNY Brockport
SUNY Buffalo State

SUNY University at Buffalo
SUNY Broome
SUNY Cortland
SUNY Farmingdale
SUNY New Paltz
SUNY Old Westbury
SUNY Oneonta
SUNY Oswego
SUNY Plattsburgh
SUNY Potsdam
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DESCRIPTION

We represent 10 highly regarded universities within the University of North Carolina System that are committed to drawing top international students to their campuses. Our programs range from small and personal with 3,500 students, to large and research-intensive with 35,000+ students. With teaching and learning programs for the undergraduate to post-doctoral programs, we truly offer something for every student.

There are numerous options available to international students, and we understand that choosing the right university and program of study can feel overwhelming. Our goal is to streamline the process. UNC International does this by serving as a hub for students interested in studying at one of our member schools – 10 excellent universities, one stop!

We are here to support students throughout the process, and ultimately connect them to the UNC International universities that best match their professional and personal goals.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Chartered in 1789 as America's first public university, the Consolidated University of North Carolina is well known as one America's top university systems. In addition to a solid reputation for world-class teaching, research and scholarship, the UNC System maintains a strong commitment to accessibility. Its universities consistently rank among the nation's best values in public higher education. In addition to a solid reputation for world-class teaching, research and scholarship,

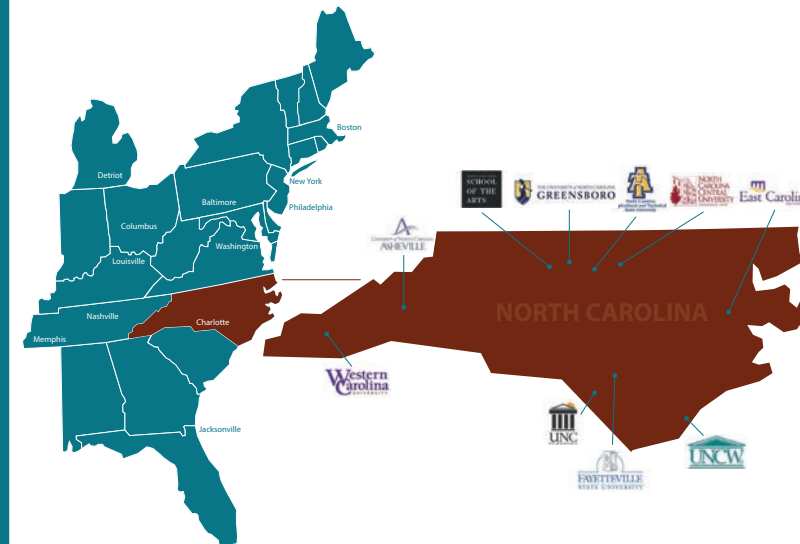
the UNC System maintains a strong commitment to accessibility. Its universities consistently rank among the nation's best values in public higher education.

The UNC International Recruiting Consortium provides business students with 10 attractive options, as all of our universities offer AACSB accredited business programs. Many of our campuses are also known for highly-ranked engineering and STEM programs. Students looking to study liberal or performing arts have a wealth of opportunities as well; our schools include a dedicated liberal arts university, as well the United States' first public arts conservatory.

Prospective students already looking ahead to graduation will be lured by North Carolina's excellent business climate – ranked #2 on Forbes' 2016 "Best States for Business" list. The state's famed Research Triangle Park (RTP) – home to innovative companies including IBM, Cisco Systems, SAS Institute, Biogen Idec and GlaxoSmithKline – provides cutting edge internship and professional opportunities to ambitious students and recent graduates.

North Carolina also offers international students a wealth of opportunity in terms of geographic diversity. Our universities span the state, from the Great Smoky Mountains in the West to the bustling cities of the Piedmont to the pristine coastline. When combined with a moderate climate, all of this natural beauty creates a haven for outdoor enthusiasts. In addition to scenic natural landscapes, North Carolina boasts several vibrant cities with thriving arts scenes, contemporary and classical music venues, excellent restaurants and shopping, and myriad sporting events.

YOU SHOULD BE HERE



LET US SHOW YOU WHY!

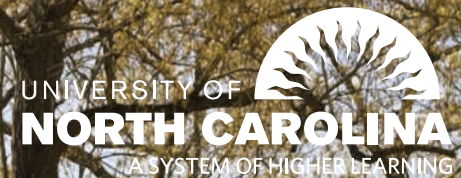
- We offer ten outstanding universities working together to welcome international students and make you feel at home
- Our highly qualified faculty is recognized as leaders in a wide range of disciplines from Marine Sciences & Engineering to Business and Fine Arts
- State of the art research facilities – including the Joint School of Nanoscience & Nanoengineering
- Easy access to the world-famous Research Triangle Park, as well as Washington D.C., New York City, Atlanta, and Miami for curricular practical training such as internships and optional practical training post-graduation
- North Carolina is a golfer's dream with white water kayaking, rock climbing, mountain bike riding, and surfing easily accessible.

You ought to be here!

LIST OF MEMBERS

East Carolina University
Fayetteville State University
North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University
North Carolina Central University
The University of North Carolina – Asheville

The University of North Carolina – Greensboro
The University of North Carolina – Pembroke
The University of North Carolina School of the Arts
The University of North Carolina – Wilmington
Western Carolina University





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DESCRIPTION

Study Oregon was founded in 1999 with the goal of promoting collaboration between education and training institutions, with the shared goal of connecting international students with quality services in the state of Oregon. Within Oregon we have an education or training institution that fits the needs of many different students. Member institutions come from public and private colleges and universities, community colleges and language schools.

Each year Study Oregon's activities vary but include things like hosting Education USA Advisors, attending conferences like NAFA and professional development seminars for our members.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Whether you are looking for a large bustling city or a quaint town on the coast, Oregon is the ideal place to study. Oregon is world renowned for its natural beauty and green open spaces, and is home to Portland, where food, art and music thrive. No matter what you are looking for, Oregon has an area that fits the mold. You can be in an urban environment and see a concert every night or observe endangered birds in rural Oregon without the sound of traffic in the distance. If you are interested in business, Oregon provides a welcoming atmosphere for students to experience commerce in action. Oregon is home to the Silicon Forrest where many large businesses have set up their headquarters. Finally, what really sets Oregon apart is the state's dedication to service and community. Whether you attend a large research institution or a small liberal arts college, you will find kind people around you, waiting to get you involved in creating a better community.



LIST OF MEMBERS

Chemeketa Community College
Lane Community College
Portland Community College
Clackamas Community College
Linn Benton Community College
ELCI Albany

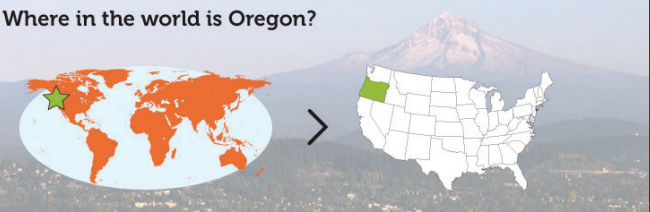
Travel Portland
Concordia University
Corban University
Lewis & Clark
Northwest Christian University
Oregon Institute of Technology

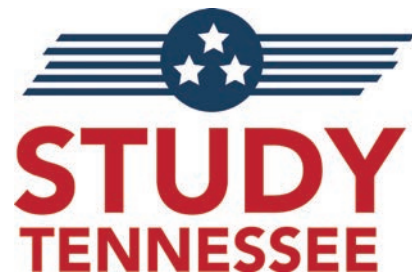
Oregon State University
Pacific University
Portland State University
Southern Oregon University
University of Oregon
Willamette University



6 Resasons to Study in Oregon

- > Beautiful and clean environment
- > Low-cost of living compared to other states on the west coast
- >No sales tax
- > Oregon has a wide range of academic programs at all levels
- > Friendly and safe place to learn
- > Career opportunities with many famous companies such as Nike, Intel, Columbia Sportswear and many more!





CONSORTIA WEBSITE

<http://www.studytennessee.us/>

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DESCRIPTION

Study Tennessee is an international student recruiting consortium for Tennessee higher education institutions and organizations. We are operated by the Tennessee Association of International Educators, a non-profit organization for Tennessee international student advisers, recruiters, educators, and those who advocate for international education and cultural exchange. Launched in 2015, membership consists of community colleges, universities and colleges, ESL programs, and affiliate members offering support to international student populations.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Tennessee is a beautiful state in the Southeastern United States. It is 440 miles long, covering several different kinds of geography, which are represented by three stars in the Tennessee state flag. East Tennessee boasts the mystic Blue Ridge Mountains. Nashville, the capital, is located on the plateau in Middle Tennessee. The Mississippi River forms the border of West Tennessee. Despite the distance and the differences, Tennesseans share an independent, can-do spirit and a love of music. Home to approximately 6.6 million people, we have large cities and small towns, vast forests and historic homesteads. We also have a few famous characters in our history. Whether you are looking for a great shopping experience or a quiet trail, Tennessee has many places--and friendly people--for you to visit. From Dollywood to the Memphis Zoo; from hiking on the Volunteer Trail to riding Chattanooga's historic steamboat, the "Southern Belle;" Tennessee offers a variety of fun activities for everyone. All across the state, Tennesseans are proud of their culture. Each area of the state is famous for its distinct music and cuisine. Come experience why these cultural aspects make Tennessee a place millions of people call home.



LIST OF MEMBERS

FULL MEMBERS

Aquinas College
Austin Peay State University
Carson-Newman University
Cleveland State Community College
East Tennessee State University
International English Institute
Johnson University
King University
Lee University

LeMoyné-Owen College
Lincoln Memorial University
Lipscomb University
Lipscomb University, EAP Program
Maryville College
Rhodes College
Roane State Community College
Southwest Tennessee Community College
Tennessee State University
Tennessee Tech University

Trevecca Nazarene University
University of Memphis, Intensive English for Internationals
University of Tennessee, Chattanooga
University of Tennessee, Knoxville
University of Tennessee, Martin
Volunteer State Community College

AFFILIATE MEMBERS

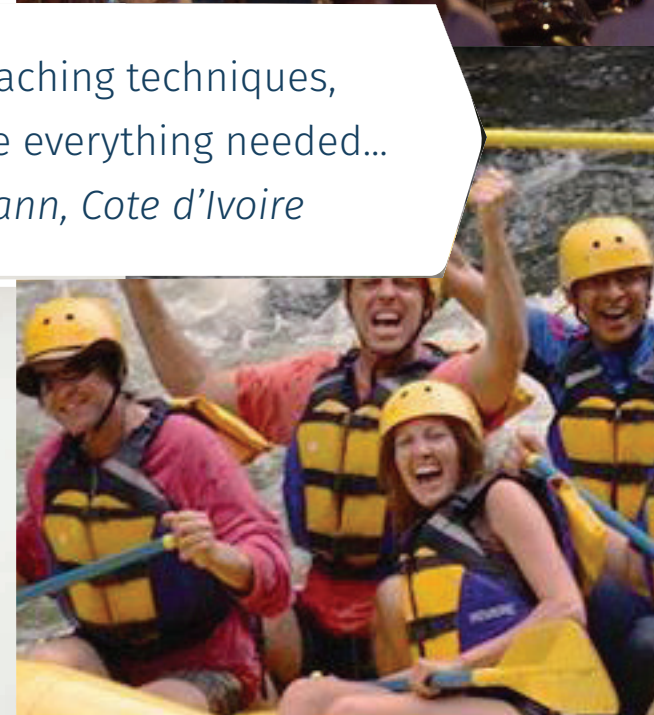
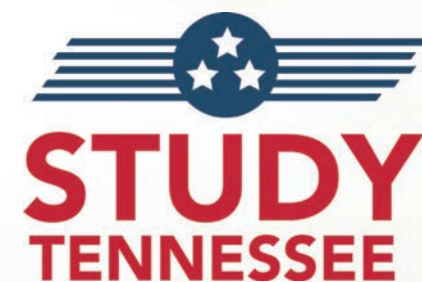
Aequo International
InterFACE (iFace) Ministries

OVER 10,000 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS HAVE MADE **TENNESSEE** THEIR ACADEMIC HOME.

From large research universities and ESL programs, to small private and community colleges, there is a Tennessee institution that is perfect for you.

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From the warm people to the efficient teaching techniques, I believe that international students have everything needed... I firmly encourage you all to come! - Yohann, Cote d'Ivoire





CONSORTIA WEBSITE

<http://www.studyvirginia.us>

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DESCRIPTION

Started in 2016, Study Virginia is a membership driven 501(c)(3) non-profit organization formed for the purpose of bringing talented international students to diverse educational programs offered by Virginia's institutions of higher education (which offer undergraduate and graduate degree programs) and English language programs. Membership is open to SACSCOC-accredited colleges and universities across Virginia.

Study Virginia strives to increase the number of international students enrolling in Virginia's schools and universities, as well as to facilitate partnerships between Virginia's schools and schools abroad. It will participate in international conferences, study fairs, and other educational and commercial events.

DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Just south of Washington, D.C., and nicknamed "Mother of Presidents," Virginia is centrally located on the East Coast and has a little bit of everything – a mild climate and an increasingly-developing economy, the rolling Blue Ridge Mountains and the stunning Shenandoah Valley, the glistening Atlantic Ocean and the less widely known gem of the Eastern Shore, the political hub and the museums and memorials of nearby District of Columbia, bustling Virginia Beach and the natural beauty of the Chesapeake Bay, pristine lakes and beautiful national parks, big cities and charming small towns, delicious food and lively music festivals. What's more, its friendly people, rich history, and quality educational institutions make it a terrific place both to live and to study. Increasingly diverse, Virginia's population of about 8 million people represents all regions of the world – more than 19,000 of whom are international students enrolled in Virginia institutions.

Come join us!



LIST OF MEMBERS

Christopher Newport University
George Mason University
Hampden-Sydney College
Hollins University
Liberty University
Longwood University

Lynchburg College
Mary Baldwin University
Northern Virginia Community College
Old Dominion University
Radford University
Randolph-Macon College

Sweet Briar College
Tidewater Community College
University of Mary Washington
Virginia State University
Virginia Tech

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Wide range of quality
universities and colleges

Research opportunities
for graduate and
undergraduate students

Over 19,000
international students

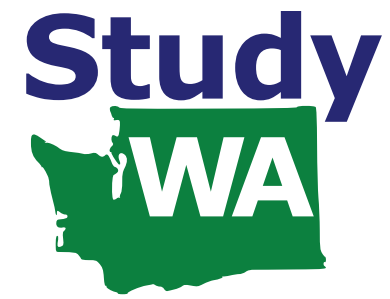


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Washington DC

Historic and beautiful
state



www.studyvirginia.us



DESCRIPTION

Study Washington was one of the first statewide study consortiums in the United States. Its mission is to promote international education in the state of Washington. Study Washington consists of more than 50 institutions, including public and private universities and colleges, an extensive community college network (many of which offer bachelor's degrees), and intensive English language schools. Study Washington aims to not only promote educational opportunities for international students coming to the U.S., but also increase the network and global reach of our member schools through partnerships and exchanges.

CONSORTIA WEBSITE

www.studywashington.net

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DESCRIPTION OF STATE

Washington is a diverse and exciting place, both in terms of its population and environment. The physical landscape ranges from wet, green rainforest to drier, warm areas, with some amazing mountains and ski areas in between. Opportunities for education in Washington State are abundant. You can find a wide range of community colleges, technical colleges, four-year colleges, and universities. Many of the community colleges offer the unique opportunity to complete high school and earn an associate degree simultaneously. Some also offer bachelor's degrees. Schools are located throughout the state, allowing students the option of studying in a college town, urban center or rural area. In addition, Washington offers many chances to learn outside the classroom, with some of the world's top companies operating in the state. Microsoft, Amazon, Boeing, Paccar and Expedia are just a few of the notable companies with operations in Washington. These global companies provide opportunities for students to learn in the real world through internships and partnerships with Washington State schools.

LIST OF MEMBERS

FOUR-YEAR SCHOOLS

Bastyr University
Central Washington University
City University Of Seattle
Eastern Washington University
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
Gonzaga University
Northeastern University
Northwest University
Pacific Lutheran University
Saint Martin's University
Seattle Pacific University
Seattle University
The Art Institute Of Seattle
The Evergreen State College
University Of Puget Sound
University Of Washington
Washington State University
Western Washington University
Whitworth University

TWO-YEAR SCHOOLS

Bates Technical College
Bellevue College
Big Bend Community College
Cascadia College
Centralia College
Clark College
Clover Park Technical College
Columbia Basin College
Edmonds Community College
Everett Community College
Grays Harbor College
Green River College
Highline College
Lake Washington Institute Of Technology
North Seattle College
Olympic College
Pierce College
Seattle Central College
Shoreline Community College

Skagit Valley College
South Puget Sound Community College
South Seattle College
Spokane Community College
Spokane Falls Community College
Tacoma Community College
Wenatchee Valley College
Whatcom Community College
Yakima Valley Community College

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

A.C.E. Language Institutes
Alps Language School
University Of Washington - International & English Language Programs
Washington Academy Of Languages
Western Washington University — Intensive English Program

27,000+ International Students

Which comprise 7.4% of the state's higher education enrollment

28 Community Colleges

With high school completion, university transfer, and bachelor's degrees

19 Public and Private Universities

More than 50% of Seattle's population holds a bachelor's degree

10 Fortune 500 companies

Including Microsoft, Amazon, and Starbucks

Endless Opportunities



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New Hampshire
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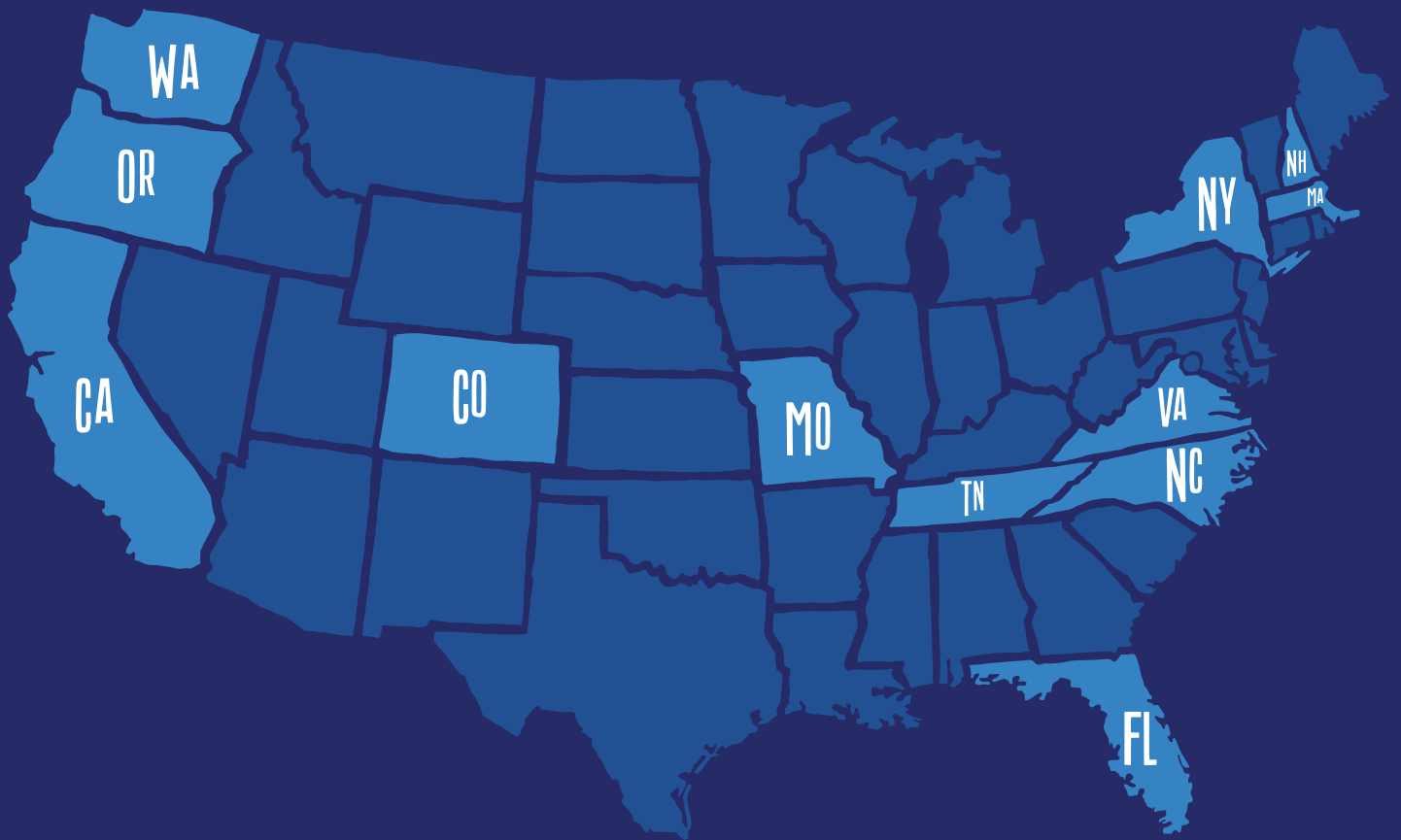


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