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INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ENROLLMENT REPORT

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LEHIGH UNIVERSITY
INTRODUCTION

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to share this report on the university’s international student community. The Office of International Students & Scholars (OISS) serves our rapidly growing international community of students and scholars. We track, report, and provide services for over 1434 enrolled and graduated international students.

This report serves as a statistical resource about our international students. Lehigh’s international community includes degree seeking and non-degree seeking non-immigrant visa holders and exchange students.

This report does not include international scholars who serve as researchers, faculty members, or short-term lecturers at the university, nor does it include immigrants such as green card holders, asylees or refugees.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at sad416@lehigh.edu.

Sincerely,

Samba Dieng
Director, International Students & Scholars
Office of International Affairs
Lehigh University
TOTAL INTERNATIONAL POPULATION

1,144
Total International Population

434
Undergraduate

710
Graduate

316
New International Undergraduate & Graduate Enrollment

107
Undergraduate

198
Graduate

11
Exchange

* Optional Practical Training (OPT) is a benefit for international students allowing them to work in the U.S. for one year or more in their field of study after completion of their degree.


Students by Level

Gender Distribution

Visa Types

F1 94%

Other 1%

Female 38%

Male 62%
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

434
Total International Undergraduates

107
New Degree Seeking

11
Non Degree Seeking

61
Countries Represented
GRADUATE STUDENTS

Top Programs Recruiting Fall 2017
Industrial & Sys Engineering (25 students)
Analytical Finance (23 students)
Mechanical Engineering (16 students)

Top Programs
Total Enrollment
Mechanical Engineering (98 students)
Industrial & Sys Engineering (92 students)
Electrical Engineering (68 students)
Analytical Finance (59 students)

Total International Graduate Students
710
New International Graduate Students
198
Countries Represented
60

Field of Study

Education 8%
Arts & Sciences 12%
Business 18%
Engineering 62%
Top Countries
China: 674 (59%)
India: 82 (7%)
Iran: 40 (3%)

AFRICA: 41

East Africa
Ethiopia
Kenya
Rwanda
Tanzania
Uganda

North Africa
Egypt

Southern Africa
Angola
Botswana
Malawi
Mauritius
South Africa
Zimbabwe

West Africa
Ghana
Nigeria
Sierra Leone
Togo

ASIA: 886

East Asia
China
Hong Kong
South Korea
Taiwan

South & Central Asia
Afghanistan
Azerbaijan
Bangladesh
India
Kazakhstan
Nepal
Pakistan
Sri Lanka
Turkmenistan

Southeast Asia
Cambodia
Indonesia
Malaysia
Myanmar
Philippines
Singapore
Thailand
Vietnam

MIDDLE EAST: 91

Iran
Iraq
Jordan
Kuwait
Lebanon
Oman
Saudi Arabia
Syria
Yemen

EUROPE: 74

Eastern Europe
Albania
Armenia
Bosnia
Bulgaria
Czech Republic
Georgia
Macedonia
Poland
Romania
Russia
Slovakia
Slovenia

Western Europe
France
Germany
Greece
Italy
Netherlands
Norway
Portugal
Spain
Turkey
United Kingdom

AMERICAS: 49

Caribbean
Bahamas
Dominican Republic
Jamaica
Central America
El Salvador
Guatemala
Honduras
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama

South America
Argentina
Brazil
Venezuela
Colombia

North America
Canada

OCEANIA: 3

Australia
New Zealand

85 Countries Represented
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