

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA)

KANSAS

FAST FACTS

International students at colleges and universities contributed an estimated **\$204.2 million** to the Kansas economy in the 2011–12 academic year.

1,872 citizens of foreign countries participated in ECA's academic, youth, professional, and cultural exchange programs in Kansas.

194 Kansans and foreign visitors participated in ECA's academic, youth, professional, and cultural exchange programs in foreign countries.

Notable ECA Alumni

Mark Parkinson

45th Governor of Kansas, 2009–11 (*American Council of Young Political Leaders*)

Ivory V. Nelson

12th President of Lincoln University (Pennsylvania), 1999–2011; (*Fulbright Scholar*, 1966)

Lynn Jenkins

U.S. Representative for Kansas's 2nd Congressional District, 2009–Present (*American Council of Young Political Leaders*, 1999)

Kevin Yoder

U.S. Representative for Kansas's 3rd Congressional District, 2011–Present (*American Council of Young Political Leaders*, 2004)

Derek Schmidt

Attorney General, State of Kansas, 2011–Present (*American Council of Young Political Leaders*, 1996)

Higher Learning

Kansas universities with the most foreign students

1. University of Kansas
2. Kansas State University
3. Wichita State University
4. Pittsburg State University
5. Emporia State University

Leading places of origin for foreign students in Kansas during 2011–12

1. China
2. India
3. Saudi Arabia
4. South Korea
5. Japan



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