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**INTERNATIONAL STUDENT  
STATISTICAL REPORT**

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## Introduction

### Why Study at Texas State University?

Texas State University is an International-student friendly institution. Education USA, which is a program of the U.S. Department of State Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, has defined international-friendly institutions as institutions that “recognize that in an increasingly interdependent world there is educational value in having international students on the campus”.

Texas State recognizes the value international students bring to our institution and it is committed to providing international students with an enriching education experience. The professional staff at the International Office maintains membership in appropriate international educational organizations and associations to be actively engaged in the many regulatory, educational, and cultural issues related to international students. Texas State also provides special programs for international students to assist them in achieving a successful transition into our University. Some of these programs include an international student orientation, a welcome social for new international students, monthly International Minds events and options for additional English instruction for non-native speakers.

Overall Texas State is a friendly campus that has a lot to offer international students: prestigious programs, beautiful parks and campus, artistic, cultural, political and athletic events, and a convenient location in close proximity to two of the most eclectic cities in Texas, Austin and San Antonio.

Here are some measures of excellence you will find here at Texas State

- Named U.S. News America’s Best Colleges 2009
- The Princeton Review named Texas State an America's Best Value College for 2006-2007.
- The 2017 Princeton Review lists Texas State as a Best College in the Western Region of the U.S. and Green College for its exceptional commitments to sustainability.
- Texas State business and mass communication students won their second National title at the American Advertising (AAF) 2005 National Student Advertising Competition (NSAC). Since 1990, the Texas State team has placed within the top four places eight times.
- Denise Smart, Dean of the McCoy College of Business Administration was named the most student-centered dean in a panel of Fortune 500 executives.
- The Mitte Laureate Scholarship is the largest four-year undergraduate scholarship offered by a public institution in the state of Texas.
- Texas State University’s [teacher preparation program](#) is the 1<sup>st</sup> largest university preparer in Texas and the 4<sup>th</sup> largest in the United States.
- The Criminal Justice Department is nationally recognized for its training program in hostage negotiation.
- Texas State is the only central Texas public university that offers a Bachelor's degree in Radiation Therapy.
- The Mitte Art-Technology-Physics building opened in the fall of 2003 and contains one of the first MicroFab Lab facilities in a U.S. academic institution.
- The Sound Technology Recording Program of the School of Music is the only four-year program in Texas and is also housed in a commercial recording studio.
- Texas State offers a [Ph.D. in materials science, engineering and commercialization](#) in the College of Science and Engineering, the only program of its kind in the United States.

- The Personalized Academic and Career Exploration (PACE) Center at Texas State University has been recognized with a 2016 Outstanding Institutional Advising Program Award by the National Academic Advising Association (NACADA).
- To see a complete list of accomplishments and achievements, please visit the Texas State University 2016 News Archive: <http://www.education.txstate.edu/oep/about-us/Highlights.html>.

University Information: Texas State University		
Student Body	Calendar	Highest Offering Classification
Coed	Semester	Postdoctoral Research Associate



## **Who is an International Student?**

An international student is a student who enrolls in a U.S. academic program and whose status is non-immigrant. Common non-immigrant statuses are A-1, A-2, B-1, B-2, E-1, E-2, F-1, F-2, H-1, H-4, J-1, J-2, L-1, L-2, M-1, R-1 R-2 and TN. F-1 is the most common status used by international students. A student who has applied for or received permanent residency, refugee status or asylum in the U.S. is not considered to be an international student by the U.S. Citizenship & Immigration Services (USCIS).

## **Your Second Home - Texas State University**

Texas State's original mission was to prepare Texas public school teachers, especially those of the south central area. It became renowned for carrying out this mission, but today it does far more. Texas State currently offers programs in the College of Applied Arts, McCoy College of Business Administration, College of Education, College of Fine Arts and Communication, College of Health Professions, College of Liberal Arts, College of Science, and University College. The University College also oversees the undergraduate general education core curriculum and undergraduate advising as well as the freshman year experience. The Graduate College provides opportunities for continued intellectual growth through advanced and specialized education that develops leaders in the professions and in research. As the university's student population has grown — from 303 in 1903 to 36,790 in 2015 — our San Marcos campus also has expanded. Today it consists of a 486-acre main campus and 5,038 additional acres in recreational, instructional, farm and ranch land. Overlooking the campus and serving as a landmark since 1903 is Old Main, a red-gabled Victorian building restored to its original grandeur.

Texas State's 38,808 students choose from 98 bachelor's, 90 master's and 12 doctoral degree programs offered by the following colleges: Applied Arts, McCoy College of Business Administration, Education, Fine Arts and Communication, Health Professions, Liberal Arts, Science and Engineering, University College and The Graduate College. As an Emerging Research University, Texas State offers opportunities for discovery and innovation to faculty and students.

Texas State students come from around the globe, and our student body is diverse. Forty-eight percent of Texas State students are ethnic minorities. Texas State ranks 14th in the nation for total bachelor's degrees awarded to Hispanic students. See the [Facts and Data page](#) for more information on our student body.

The Texas State University Round Rock Campus is located north of Austin. Students there can take upper-level courses leading to bachelor's degrees and complete master's degree and certificate programs. Students who complete their degree requirements at the Round Rock Campus earn their degrees from Texas State University.

## Location

Texas State's San Marcos campus is located in a growing community of 60,000 people in the Austin Metropolitan Area. Located in the Texas Hill Country, where blackland prairies roll into beautiful hills, Texas State enjoys a setting that is unique among Texas universities.



The beauty of the crystal-clear San Marcos River and the stately cypress, oak, and pecan trees on the campus add to the charm of the university's picturesque setting. Our location on the banks of the San Marcos River provides recreational activities for students throughout the year.

## History

Authorized by the Texas Legislature in 1899, Southwest Texas State Normal School opened its doors in 1903. Over the years, the Legislature broadened the institution's scope and changed its name, in succession, to Normal College, Teachers College, College, and in 1969, University. Each name change reflects the university's growth from a small teacher preparation institution to a major multipurpose university. In 2003, the Legislature renamed the school Texas State University-San Marcos. In 2013 the designation of "San Marcos" was dropped and the school is now simply called: Texas State University.

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## Colleges

The University offers programs in College of Applied Arts, McCoy College of Business Administration, College of Education, College of Fine Arts & Communication, College of Health Professions, College of Liberal Arts, and College of Science. In 1986 the University College was created to assure a broad general education for all students, regardless of major. In 1935 the Board of Regents authorized the formation of The Graduate College.

## Campus

As the university's student population has grown - from 303 in 1903 to 38,808 in 2016 — our San Marcos campus also has expanded. Today, the campus has grown to 495 acres. Texas State has an additional 4,000 acres of academic, agricultural, research and recreational areas. Overlooking the campus and serving as a landmark since 1903 is Old Main, a red-gabled Victorian building restored to its original grandeur. In 1979, after adding a number of classroom

buildings and residence halls, the university purchased the former San Marcos Baptist Academy adjacent to the original campus. In 1994 Texas State Purchased the 90-acre Aquarena Springs theme park, now known as The Meadows Center for Water and the Environment on the Texas State campus, you can see the second-largest springs in Texas through the floor of a glass-bottom boat or glass-bottom kayak. These springs feed the San Marcos River and are home to eight endangered species, including the Texas blind salamander. Our campus is one of the best places in the world to study aquatic ecosystems and species. Campus facilities encourage and foster research, learning, and a commitment to the environment.

## **University Highlights**

### **Campus Facts**

- 495 acres at the San Marcos campus
- About 4,000 additional acres of academic, agricultural, research and recreational areas
- 245 buildings in the San Marcos area
- 101 acres at the Texas State Round Rock Campus

### **Degree Programs**

- 98 bachelor's
- 90 master's
- 12 doctoral

### **Rankings by Public University Size**

- 1st in The Texas State University System
- 4th in Texas
- 31st in the United States

### **Alumni**

- more than 167,000 living alumni

## About Texas State International Office

### Our Mission is to...

Support the comprehensive internationalization goals of Texas State University and assist the university in developing and maintaining an internationally diverse student body, faculty, and staff by:

- Serving as immigration and cultural advisers to our international students and scholars, advocating on their behalf, and providing services and information that facilitate their cultural adjustment, social integration, retention and success.
- Assisting the university at large and our international students, scholars, alumni, faculty and staff in particular, in complying with various governmental policies and regulations.
- Contributing to the research and teaching mission of the university by assisting with employment authorization for distinguished international scholars, faculty and staff.
- Promoting global awareness and internationalization at the university by facilitating international agreements, and by administering international programming through hosting and sponsoring international events.



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### We provide services for...

- \* Pre-arrival information and support for international students and scholars
- \* F-1 student immigration advising
- \* Maintenance of student data in SEVIS (Student & Exchange Visitor Information System)
- \* SEVIS record transfer assistance
- \* Assistance with USCIS I-765 employment authorization applications
- \* Assistance with USCIS I-539 change of status and reinstatement applications
- \* Create enrollment verification letters to assist F-1 students with attaining Driver's Licenses, Social Security Numbers, and more
- \* Host workshops on curricular and optional practical training and other special topics
- \* Promote the Texas Public Education Grant (TPEG) to international students, process applications and award qualifying students each semester
- \* Assist with cross-cultural adjustment
- \* Advocate for unique needs of international students
- \* Coordinate the International Friendship Program which pairs families in the community with international students for monthly meetings



## **About Texas State International Office**

### **International Faculty and Staff**

- \* Assist with change of non-immigrant status to H-1 Status for Texas State professors
- \* Assist with Permanent Resident Applications for Texas State professors

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### **Texas State Departments**

- \* Advise academic departments about the type of non-immigrant status that is most appropriate for prospective professors and researchers.
- \* Assist with inviting J-1 research school and professors
- \* Assist with obtaining legal employment authorization for international faculty and staff

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### **Other Services/Activities**

- \* Encourage internationalization efforts through campus outreach
- \* Host International Student Resource Fair each semester to welcome new students by connecting them to campus, academic, and support resources
- \* Host International Student Welcome Social each semester to provide social engagement opportunities for new students
- \* Coordinate with the International Minds Planning Committee to co-sponsor International Education Week (IEW) each November
- \* Post statistical reports each Spring for the Institute of International Education Research (IIE) and university use
- \* Assist with campus and community requests for data pertaining to international student enrollment
- \* Act as liaisons with the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) for Texas State University

**Fall 2016 Semester – New Student Summary**

New Student Level	Applied	Admitted	Enrolled
Graduate	809	281	109
Undergraduate	195	161	66
TSIE Only	30	30	14
<b>Total</b>	1034	472	189

In Fall 2016, 1034 international students applied to Texas State and 472, or 46%, were admitted. Of the 472 students admitted, 189, or 40%, were enrolled in courses on the day after the census day (12<sup>th</sup> class day).

These 189 students joined our currently enrolled students and together brought the international student population to 562 total students, representing 70 countries.

1.45% of the total number of 38,808 students were international students.

International undergraduate students comprise 0.53% of the total undergraduate body, 186 from 34,244 total undergraduate students.

International graduate and professional students comprise 8.09% of the total graduate body, 350 from 4,499 total graduate students.

Fall 2016 Enrollment Totals			
Undergraduates	Graduates	TSIE Only	
186	350	26*	Total: 562**
33%	62%	5%	% of Total Students

\*1 undergraduate and 1 graduate student are enrolled in TSIE courses. The total TSIE enrollment is 28 students.

\*\*Includes only students enrolled at Texas State at the start of Fall 2016.

Fall 2016 International Student OPT Totals			
Approved	Pending	Requested	
125	44	11	Total: 180
70%	24%	6.0%	% of Total OPT

Fall 2016 New International Student Totals: Top 4 Visa Types			
F-1	H-4	H-1	J-1
163	16	2	2
85%	8.3%	1.0%	1.0%

192 new international students joined Texas State in Fall 2016. These 192 new students make up 34% of the total international student population enrolled in Fall 2016.

Of the 192 new students, 163 were F-1 students which represents 85% of the new international student population.

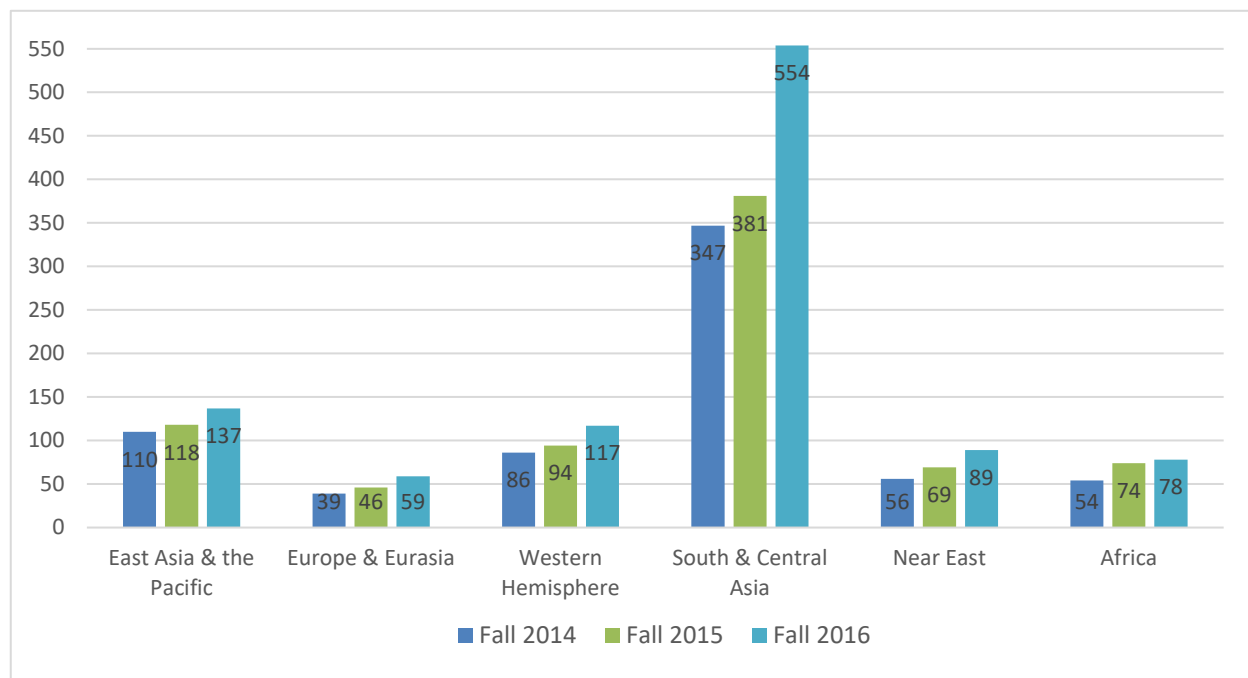
## Application Trends 2014 – 2016

### Applications by Region: Fall 2014 – 2016

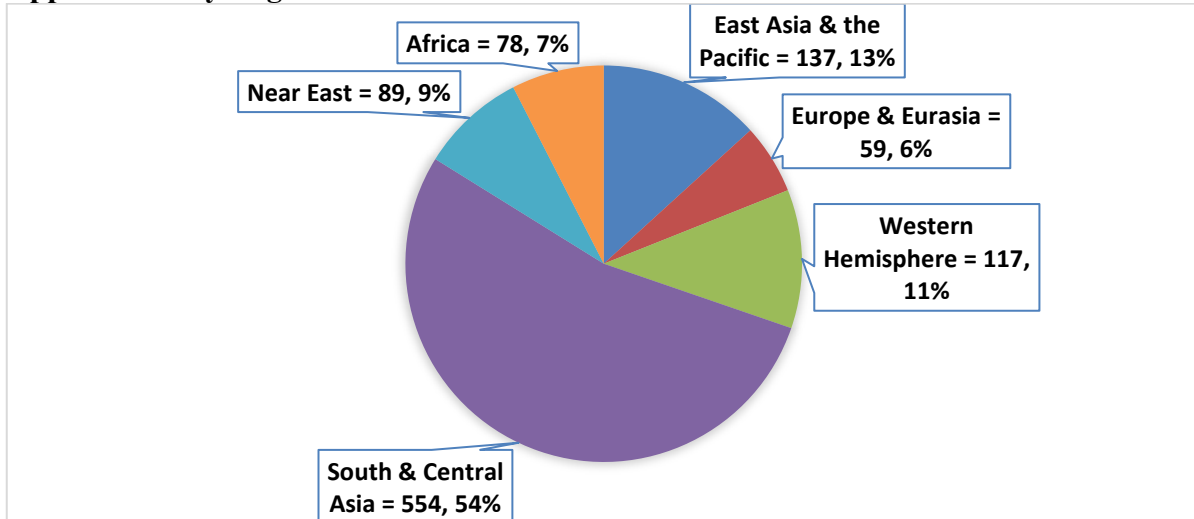
	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	2014 – 2015 % Change	Fall 2016	2015 – 2016 % Change
<b>East Asia &amp; the Pacific</b>	110	118	+7.3%	137	+16%
<b>Europe &amp; Eurasia</b>	39	46	+18%	59	+28%
<b>Western Hemisphere</b>	86	94	+9.3%	117	+24%
<b>South &amp; Central Asia</b>	347	381	+9.8%	554	+45%
<b>Near East</b>	56	69	+23%	89	+29%
<b>Africa</b>	54	74	+37%	78	+5.4%
<b>Totals</b>	692*	782*	+13%	1034	+32%

A total of 1034 applications from 80 different countries were included in the data table above.

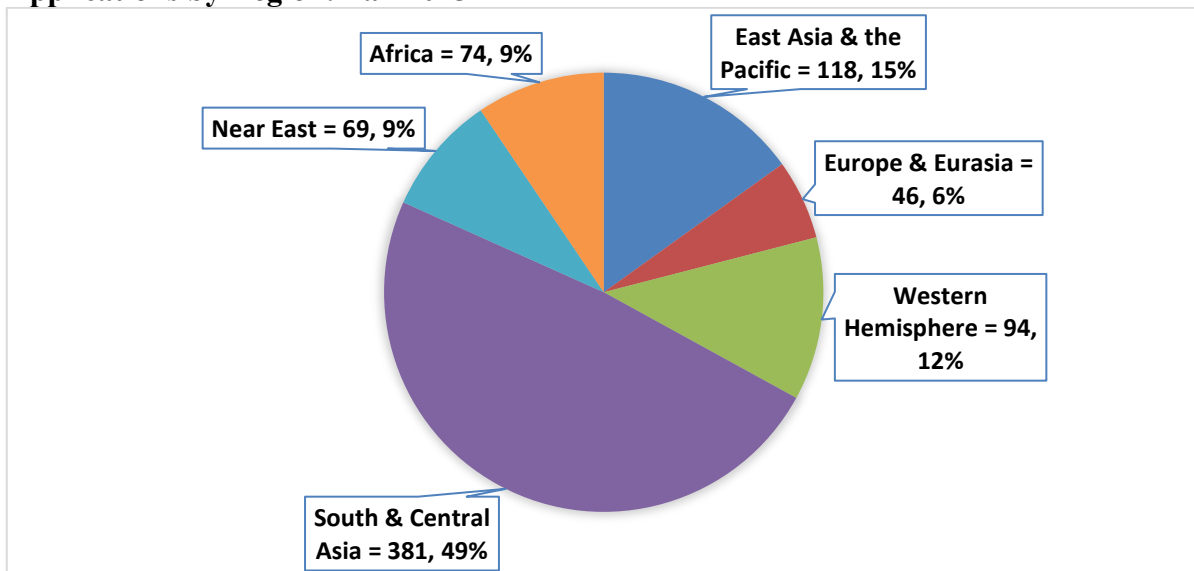
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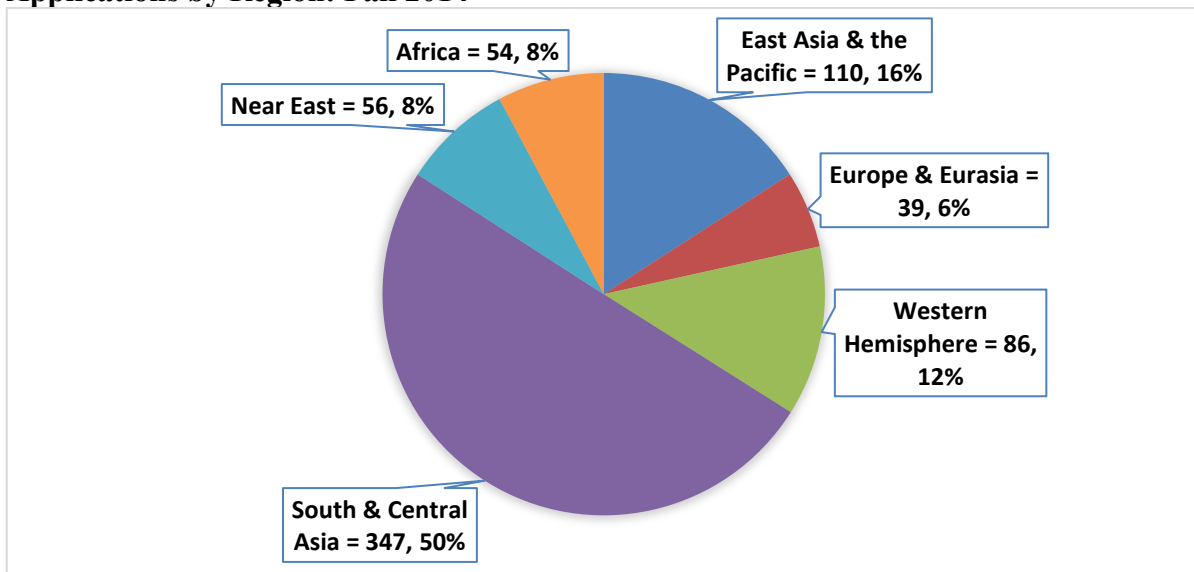
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**Applications by Region: Fall 2015**



**Applications by Region: Fall 2014**



## Applications by Country

### Top 10 Countries of Origin: All Students Fall 2016

Rank	Country	% International Applications	Number of Students	% Change 2015 to 2016
1	India	44%	457	+43%
2	China (Mainland)	5.9%	61	-3.2%
3	Mexico	5.6%	58	+38%
4	Bangladesh	5.4%	56	+75%
5	Nigeria	4.4%	45	+22%
6	Saudi Arabia	3.5%	36	+2.9%
7	Iran	3.4%	35	+46%
8	Nepal	2.4%	25	+92%
9	South Korea	1.6%	16	-11%
10-tied	China (Taiwan), Turkey, Vietnam	1.3%	13 (each)	160%, 0%, 0%
<b>Total number of students</b>			<b>802</b>	
<b>% of total international applications</b>			<b>77%</b>	

### Top 10 Countries of Origin: All Students Fall 2015

Rank	Country	% International Applications	Number of Students	% Change 2014 to 2015
1	India	41%	320	+5.6%
2	China (Mainland)	8.1%	63	+13%
3	Mexico	5.4%	42	-2.3%
4	Nigeria	4.7%	37	+68%
5	Saudi Arabia	4.5%	35	+21%
6	Bangladesh	4.1%	32	+45%
7	Iran	3.1%	24	+50%
8	South Korea	2.3%	18	-22%
9	Canada	1.9%	15	+25%
10-tied	Nepal, Turkey, Vietnam	1.7%	13 (each)	0%, -7.1%, +63%
<b>Total number of students</b>			<b>599</b>	
<b>% of total international applications</b>			<b>76%</b>	

A total of 782 applications from 76 different countries were included in the data table above.

Although 789 applications were received during fall 2015, 7 applications did not include country data.

### Top 10 Countries of Origin: All Students Fall 2014

Rank	Country	Number of Students	% International Applications
1	India	303	44%
2	China (Mainland)	56	8.1%
3	Mexico	43	6.2%
4	Saudi Arabia	29	4.2%
5	South Korea	23	3.3%
6	Bangladesh	22	3.2%
7	Nigeria	22	3.2%
8	Iran	16	2.3%
9	Turkey	14	2.0%
10	Nepal	13	1.9%
<b>Total number of students</b>		<b>541</b>	
<b>% of total international applications</b>		<b>78%</b>	

A total of 692 applications from 71 different countries were included in the data table above.

Although 694 applications were received during fall 2014, 2 applications did not include country data.

## Complete Country List: Fall 2016

#	Country Name	Total	TSIE	UG	GR	GP	DR
1	Angola	2	1	1			
2	Argentina	1			1		
3	Australia	4		2	2		
4	Azerbaijan	2	1	1			
5	Bahamas	5		4	1		
6	Bahrain	2			2		
7	Bangladesh	56		5	42	1	8
8	Benin	2			1		1
9	Bhutan	1					1
10	Brazil	6		2	3		1
11	Cambodia	1	1				
12	Cameroon	3		1	2		
13	Canada	12		7	5		
14	Chile	3		2	1		
15	China (Mainland)	61	3	13	38	1	6
16	China (Taiwan)	13	1	4	8		
17	Colombia	5		3	2		
18	Congo (Kinshasa)	1			1		
19	Costa Rica	1					1
20	Cuba	2		2			
21	Cyprus	1					1
22	Ecuador	1		1			
23	Egypt	4		3	1		
24	El Salvador	1		1			
25	Ethiopia	3		1	1		1
26	France	8		5	1	1	1
27	Germany	7		4	1	1	1
28	Ghana	8			6	1	1
29	Haiti	2	1	1			
30	Honduras	2		1	1		
31	Hong Kong	3		1	2		
32	Iceland	1		1			
33	India	457	1	13	441	2	
34	Indonesia	3		1	2		
35	Iran	35					
36	Iraq	4	1	1	1		1
37	Italy	2		1		1	
38	Jamaica	3		1	1		1
39	Japan	10	1	6	3		
40	Jordan	2		2			
41	Kazakhstan	1	1				
42	Kenya	5		2	3		
43	South Korea	16	2	11		1	2
44	Kuwait	4		1	2		1
45	Kyrgyzstan	1			1		
46	Laos	1		1			
47	Lebanon	1			1		

**Complete Country List: Fall 2016 (continued)**

#	Country Name	Total	TSIE	UG	GR	GP	DR
48	Malawi	2			1		1
49	Malaysia	2	1		1		
50	Mexico	58		34	20	4	
51	Moldova	1			1		
52	Nepal	25		5	19	1	
53	Netherlands	1		1			
54	New Zealand	2		2			
55	Nicaragua	1	1				
56	Nigeria	45	5	4	34		2
57	Pakistan	11		2	9		
58	Panama	1					1
59	Peru	2		1	1		
60	Philippines	3		2		1	
61	Portugal	1		1			
62	Russia	2		1	1		
63	Saudi Arabia	36	6	6	18	3	3
64	Senegal	1		1			
65	Sierra Leone	1		1			
66	Singapore	2		2			
67	South Africa	2		2			
68	Spain	6		3	3		
69	Sri Lanka	2			2		
70	Sudan	2			1		
71	Sweden	1			1		
72	Switzerland	1		1			
73	Thailand	3		2	1		
74	Tunisia	1		1			
75	Turkey	13		3	5		5
76	United Kingdom	12		9	2	1	
77	Uruguay	3			3		
78	Venezuela	8	1	5	1		1
79	Vietnam	13	2	9	2		
80	Zimbabwe	1			1		
<b>Total</b>		1034					

*Chart Legend:*

TSIE – Texas State Intensive English

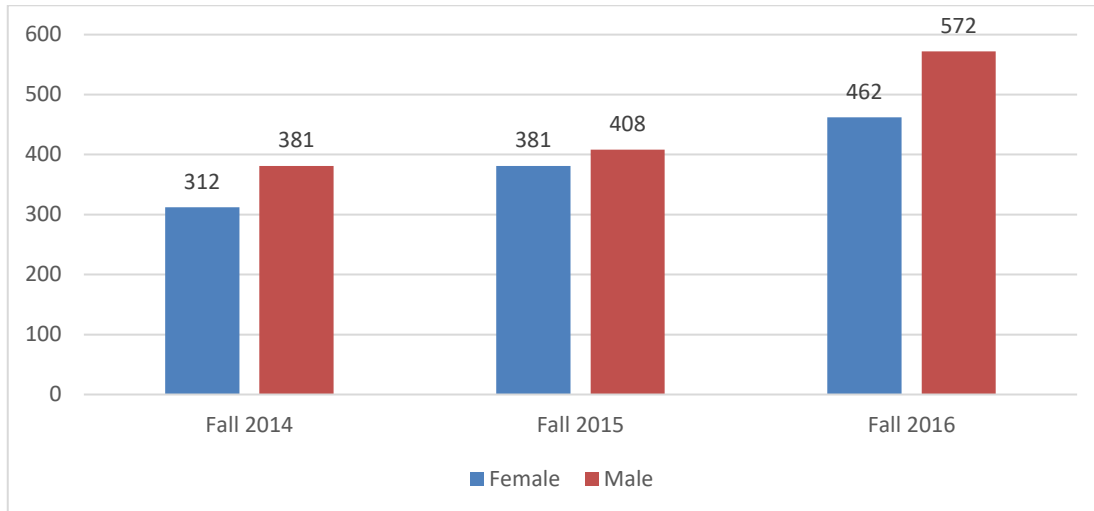
UG – Undergraduate

GR – Graduate

GP – Graduate program (post-baccalaureate non-degree or graduate certificate)

DR – Doctoral

**Applications by Gender: Fall 2014 – 2016**



Applications from female students increased 22% from 2014 to 2015 and 21% again from 2015 to 2016. Applications from male students increased 7% from 2014 to 2015 and 40% from 2015 to 2016.

**Applications by Major**

**Top 10 Majors: All Applications**

Rank	Major	Number of Students	% of International Applications
1	Computer Science	261	25%
2	Engineering	141	16%
3	Business Administration	50	4.8%
4	Healthcare Administration	39	3.8%
5	Second Language Learning	30	2.9%
6	Technology Management	29	2.8%
7	Exploratory	27	2.6%
8	Exploratory Professional	22	3.5%
9	Materials Science, Engineering, Commercialization	20	1.9%
10	Software Engineering	17	1.6%
<b>Total number of students in top ten</b>		<b>636</b>	
<b>% of international student applications</b>			<b>62%**</b>

\*Students studying in the TSIE program are shown as majoring in Second Language Learning.

\*\*62% of all international students are majoring in one of the top ten majors mentioned above.



**Top 10 Majors: Graduate (GR) and Undergraduate (UG) Applications**

Rank	Graduate Majors	# of Students	% of GR	% of UG	# of Students	Undergraduate Majors
1	Computer Science	246	30%	14%	27	Exploratory
2	Engineering	141	17%	12%	22	Exploratory Professional
3	Business Administration	50	6.2%	7.7%	15	Computer Science
4	Healthcare Administration	37	4.6%	4.6%	9	Engineering Technology
5	Technology Management	29	3.4%	4.1%	8	Biology
6	MSEC*	20	2.5%	3.6%	7	Exercise & Sports Science
7	Software Engineering	17	2.1%	3.6%	7	Nursing
8	Physics	15	1.8%	3.1%	6	Management
9	Music	14	1.7%	3.1%	6	Mass Communication
10	Communication Design	12	1.5%	2.6%	5	Accounting

\*MSEC – Materials Science, Engineering, and Commercialization

In Fall 2016 811 applicants applied for graduate programs, 196 for undergraduate programs, and 30 for the TSIE program.

**Complete Major List for Fall 2016 Applications (Alphabetical)**

Major	Graduate	Undergraduate
Accounting & Info Technology	7	
Accounting	7	5
Adult Education	1	
Adult English Second Foreign Lang	1	
Adult, Prof & Community Education	6	
Advanced Practice Leadership	3	
Ag Animal Science		1
Ag Business & Management		1
Agricultural Education	2	
Agriculture		1
Anthropology		1
Applied Arts & Sciences		3
Applied Mathematics	2	1
Applied Philosophy & Ethics	2	
Applied Sociology	2	
Aquatic Biology		1
Aquatic Resources	1	
Art		1
Athletic Training	1	2
Biochemistry	7	2
Biology	5	8
Business Administration	50	
Chemistry	11	3
Communication Design	12	2
Communication Disorders	12	1

**Complete Major List for Fall 2016 Applications (continued)**

<b>Major</b>	<b>Graduate</b>	<b>Undergraduate</b>
Communication Studies	4	
Computer Information Systems		5
Computer Science	246	15
Construction Science & Management		1
Creative Writing	4	
Criminal Justice	3	1
Dementia & Aging Studies	2	
Developmental Education	6	
Economics		2
Educational Leadership	2	
Electrical Engineering		1
Elementary Education	5	
Engineering	141	
Engineering Technology		9
English		2
Enrichment	7	
Exercise & Sports Science		7
Exercise Science	8	
Exploratory		27
Exploratory Professional		22
Family & Child Development		1
Family & Child Studies	2	
Family Nurse Practitioner	6	
Fashion Merchandising		1
Finance		1
Geographic Education	1	
Geographic Info Science	8	
Geography	9	2
Health & Fitness Management		1
Health Education	4	
Health Information Management	3	2
Healthcare Administration	37	2
History		2
Human Nutrition	10	
Human Resource Management	1	
Industrial Engineering		2
Interdisciplinary Studies	1	1
Interior Design		3
International Studies	5	4
Legal Studies	1	
Literature	1	
Management		6
Manufacturing Engineering		1
Marketing		3
Mass Communication	4	6
Materials Physics	6	

**Complete Major List for Fall 2016 Applications (continued)**

<b>Major</b>	<b>Graduate</b>	<b>Undergraduate</b>
Mathematics		4
Mathematics Education	7	
Materials Science, Engineering, and Com	20	
Merchandising & Consumer Studies	4	
Music	14	2
Music Education	1	
Music Performance	2	
Nursing		7
Nutrition & Foods		1
Philosophy		1
Photography		1
Physics	15	
Political Science	1	1
Professional Counseling	3	
Psychological Research	4	
Psychology		4
Public Administration	1	
Radiation Therapy		1
Reading Education	2	
Recreation Management	2	
Recreational Administration		1
Respiratory Care		3
Rhetoric & Composition	1	
School Improvement	4	
School Psychology	1	
Second Language Learning IE		
Secondary Education	2	
Sociology	3	
Software Engineering	17	
Sound Recording Technology		1
Spanish	5	
Spanish Education	1	
Special Education	5	
Student Affairs in Higher Education	2	
Technical Communication	1	
Technology Management	29	
Theatre		4
Therapeutic Recreation	2	
Wildlife Biology		1
Wildlife Ecology	1	
<b>Total</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>196</b>

**Top 15 Graduate Majors: Fall 2015 – 2016 Comparison**

Rank	Major	2015	2016	% Change
1	Computer Science	184	246	+34%
2	Engineering	66	141	+114%
3	Business Administration	29	50	+72%
4	Healthcare Administration	32	37	+16%
5	Technology Management	19	29	+53%
6	Materials Science, Engineering, Commercialization	22	20	-9.1%
7	Software Engineering	10	17	+70%
8	Physics	9	15	+67%
9	Music	13	14	+7.7%
10	Communication Design	12	12	0%
11	Communication Disorders	7	12	+71%
12	Chemistry	7	11	+57%
13	Human Nutrition	15	10	-33%
14	Geography	7	9	+29%
15	Exercise Science	3	8	+167%
<b>Total number of students</b>		<b>435</b>	<b>631</b>	
<b>% of total graduate applications</b>		<b>73%</b>	<b>78%</b>	

In 2015 73% of international graduate students submitted applications to one of the top 15 majors. This number increased to 78% in 2016.

**Top 15 Undergraduate Majors: Fall 2015 – 2016 Comparison**

Rank	Major	2015	2016	% Change
1	Exploratory	21	27	+29%
2	Exploratory Professional	20	22	+10%
3	Computer Science	5	15	+200%
4	Engineering Technology	13	9	-31%
5	Biology	8	8	0%
6	Exercise & Sports Science	1	7	-600%
7	Nursing	12	7	-42%
8	Management	9	6	-33%
9	Mass Communication	8	6	-25%
10	Accounting	11	5	-55%
11	Computer Information Systems	6	5	-17%
12	International Studies	1	4	+300%
13	Mathematics	0	4	-
14	Psychology	4	4	0%
15	Theatre	0	4	-
<b>Total number of students</b>		<b>119</b>	<b>133</b>	
<b>% of total undergraduate applications</b>		<b>69%</b>	<b>68%</b>	

In 2015 69% of international undergraduate students submitted applications to one of the top 15 majors. This number decreased to 68% in 2016.

## Enrollment Comparison 2002 – 2016

### Enrollment History Trends

Fall Semester	Total Student Population	International Student Population	International Student % of Total Student Population
2002	25,025	480	1.92%
2003	26,305	499	1.90%
2004	26,783	437	1.63%
2005	27,129	430	1.59%
2006	27,485	493	1.79%
2007	28,121	431	1.53%
2008	29,105	409	1.41%
2009	30,803	392	1.27%
2010	32,572	376	1.15%
2011	34,087	380	1.11%
2012	34,225	370	1.08%
2013	35,546	405	1.14%
2014	36,739	503	1.37%
2015	37,979	570	1.50%
2016	38,808	562	1.45%
<b>15 Year Average (2002 – 2016)</b>		<b>449</b>	<b>1.46%</b>
<b>5 Year Average (2012 – 2016)</b>		<b>482</b>	<b>1.31%</b>

\*Enrollment history based on student enrollment reports from the Office of Institutional Research.

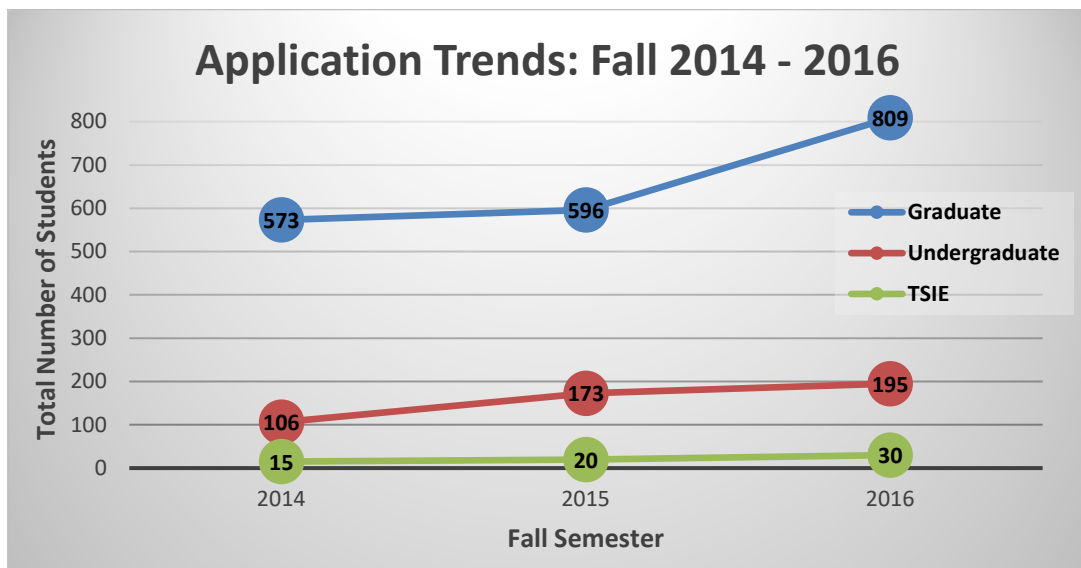
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### New Students: 2014 – 2016

#### All Visa Category Enrollments Trends (Applied, Admitted, Enrolled)

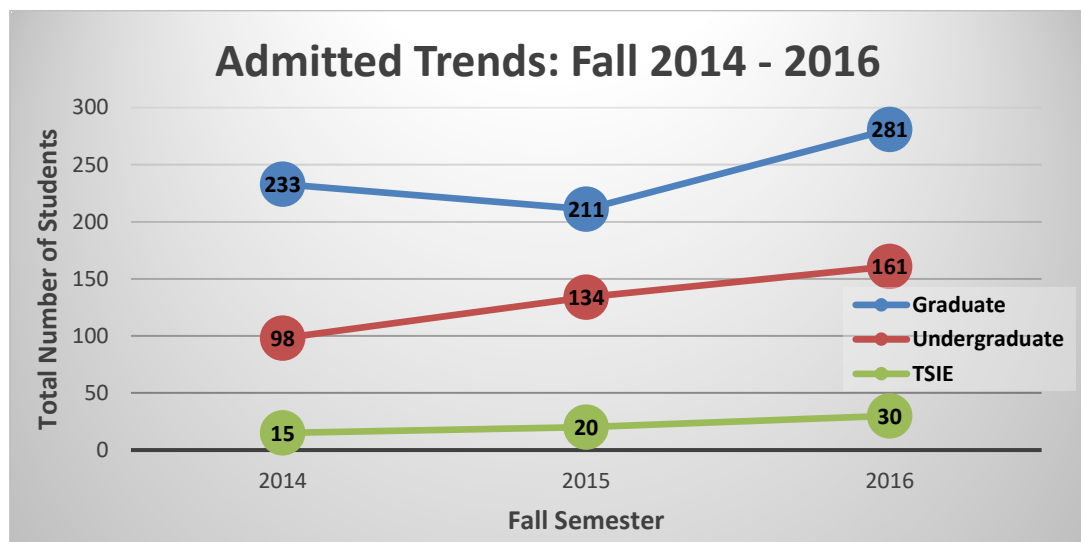
#### New Student Applications: 2014 – 2016

	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	2014 – 2015 % Change	Fall 2016	2015 – 2016 % Change
<b>Graduate</b>	573	596	+4.0%	809	+36%
<b>Undergraduate</b>	106	173	+63%	195	+13%
<b>TSIE</b>	15	20	+33%	30	+50%
<b>Total</b>	694	789	+14%	1034	+31%



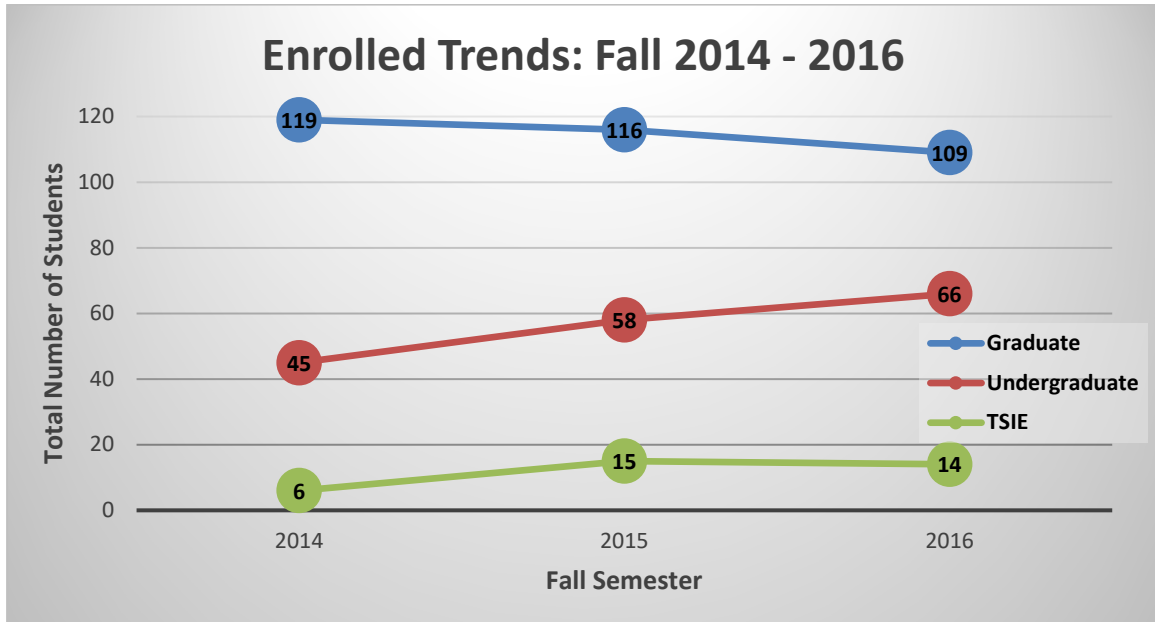
#### New Students Admitted: 2014 – 2016

	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	2014 – 2015 % Change	Fall 2016	2015 – 2016 % Change
<b>Graduate</b>	233	211	-9.4%	281	+33%
<b>Undergraduate</b>	98	134	+37%	161	+20%
<b>TSIE</b>	15	20	+33%	30	+50%
<b>Total</b>	346	365	+5.5%	472	+29%



**New Students Enrolled: 2014 – 2016**

	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	2014 – 2015 % Change	Fall 2016	2015 – 2016 % Change
<b>Graduate</b>	119	116	-2.5%	109	-6.0%
<b>Undergraduate</b>	45	58	+29%	66	+14%
<b>TSIE</b>	6	15	+150%	14	-6.7%
<b>Total</b>	170	189	+11%	189	0%



**Economic Impact**

According to NAFSA’s International Student Value Tool, the contributions from international students to the local economy is estimated to be \$50.3 million with an overall student enrollment of 1,380. There are 351 students employed in the local economy. The overall benefits to the State of Texas is \$1.9 billion with an overall international student enrollment of 82,182. There are 24,269 international students employed in the State of Texas.

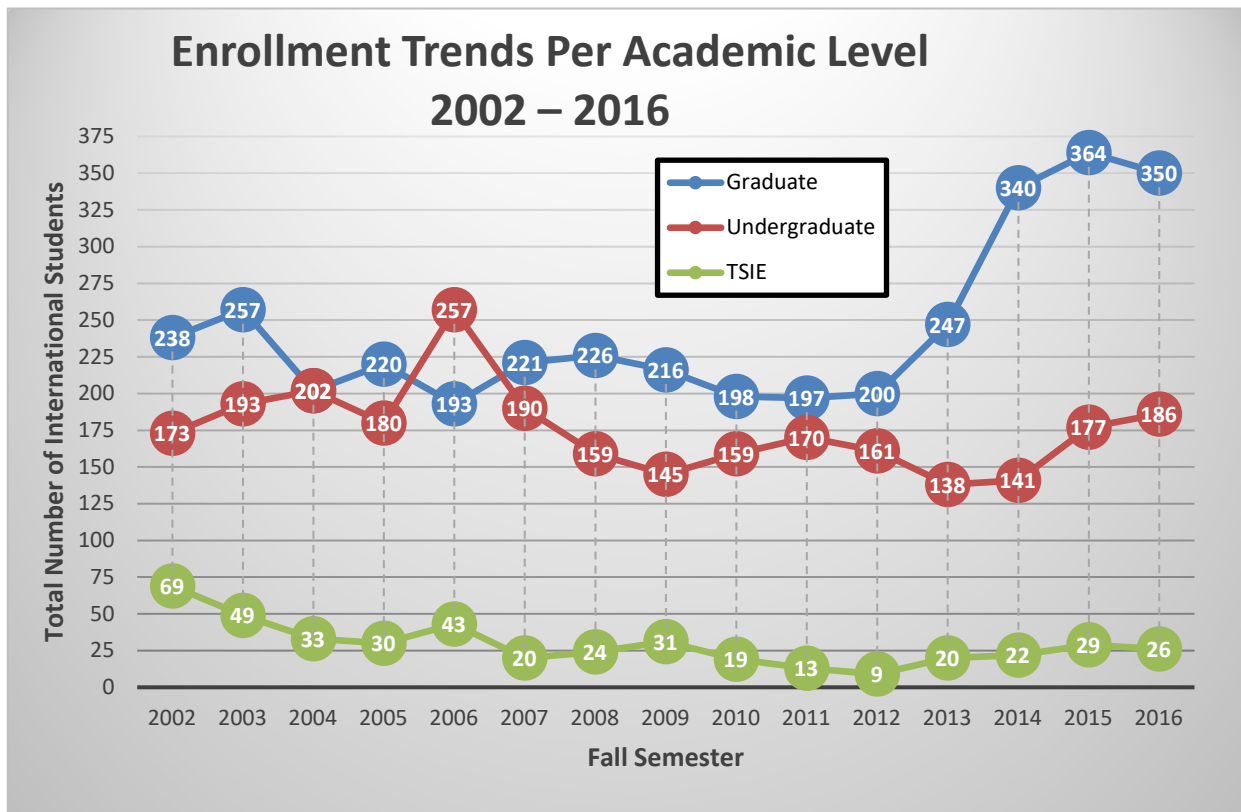
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## Enrollment Trends 2002 – 2016

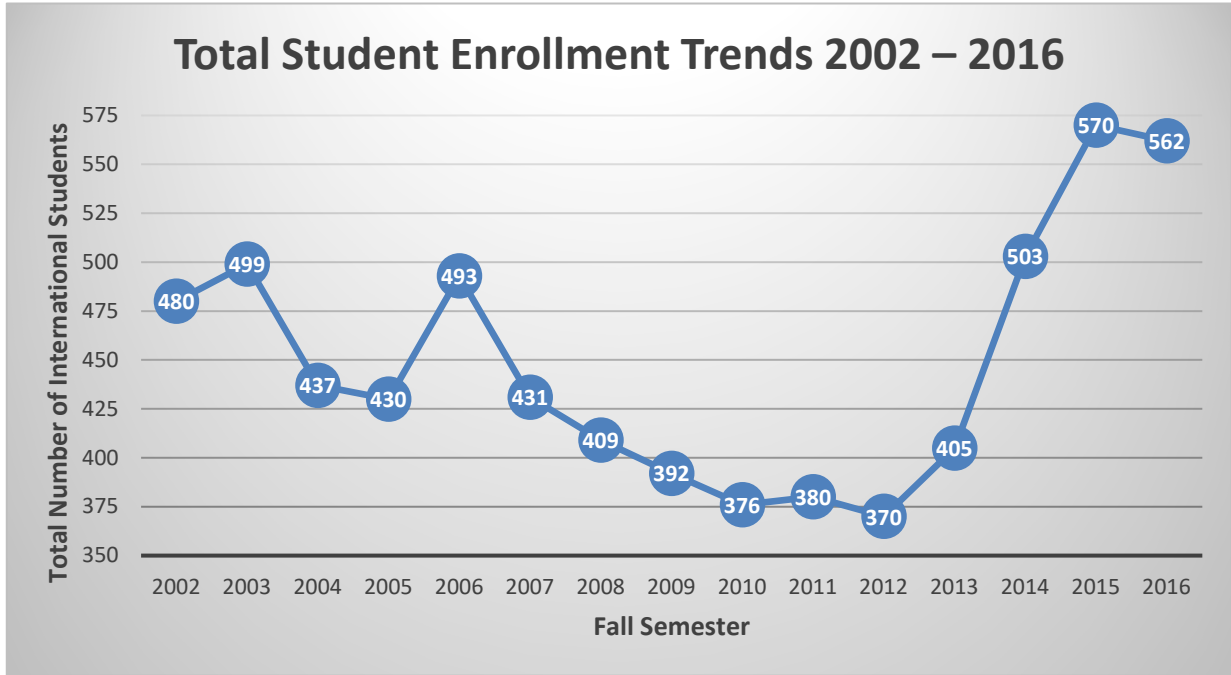
Fall Semester	Graduate	Undergraduate	TSIE	Totals	Total Student% Change
2002	238	173	69	480	-
2003	257	193	49	499	+3.96
2004	202	202	33	437	-12.4
2005	220	180	30	430	-1.60
2006	193	257	43	493	+14.7
2007	221	190	20	431	-12.6
2008	226	159	24	409	-5.10
2009	216	145	31	392	-4.16
2010	198	159	19	376	-4.08
2011	197	170	13	380	+1.06
2012	200	161	9	370	-2.63
2013	247	138	20	405	+9.46
2014	340	141	22	503	+24.2
2015	364	177	29	570	+13.3
2016	350	186	26	562	-1.40
<b>15 Year Average</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>+1.51</b>
<b>5 Year Average</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>+8.59</b>

Student enrollment data is based upon a student’s first semester enrollment in a given degree program level at Texas State University. This data includes change-of-level students who previously earned a degree at Texas State University.





### Enrollment Trends 2002 – 2016



## Enrollment by Graduate Students

There were 350 international graduate students enrolled during the Fall 2016 semester.

### Top 10 Majors

Rank	Major	Number of Students	% International Population
1	Computer Science	89	25%
2	Engineering	45	13%
3	Healthcare Administration	23	6.6%
4	Materials Science, Engineering, Commercialization	19	5.4%
5	Geographic Info Science	14	4.0%
6	Business Administration	13	3.7%
7	Technology Management	13	3.7%
8	Music	12	3.4%
9	Aquatic Resources	9	2.6%
10	Geography	9	2.6%
<b>Total</b>		<b>246</b>	
<b>% of total international graduate population</b>			<b>70%*</b>

\*70% of international graduate students are pursuing one of the top ten graduate degrees.

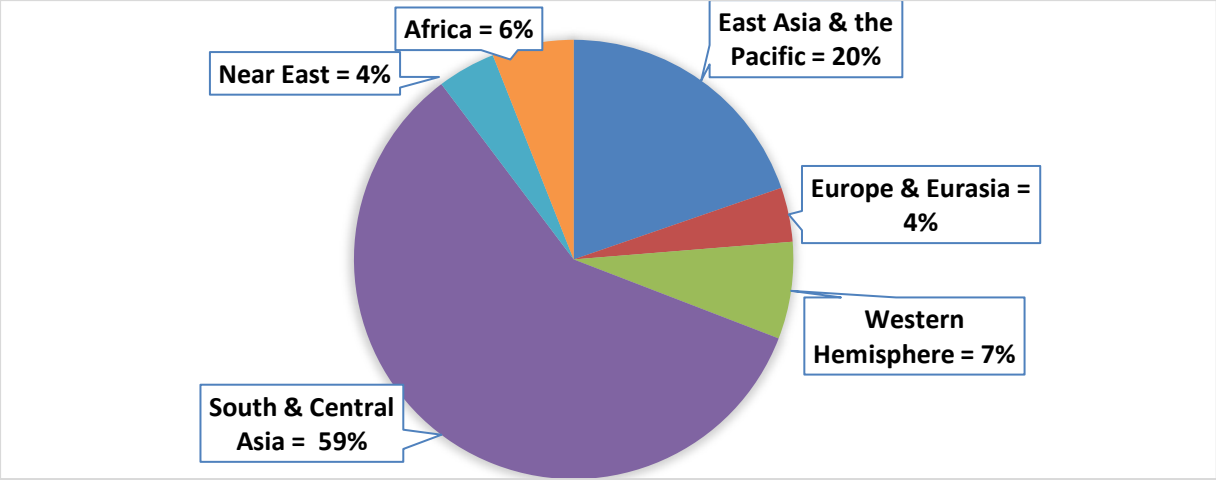
### Top 10 Countries of Origin

Rank	Country	Number of Students	% International Population
1	India	166	47%
2	China (Mainland)	36	10%
3	Bangladesh	25	7.2%
4	South Korea	17	5.0%
5	Nigeria	16	4.6%
6	Iran	11	3.1%
7	Nepal	10	3.0%
8	Mexico	8	2.4%
9	China (Taiwan)	5	1.5%
10	Malaysia	4	1.2%
<b>Total</b>		<b>298</b>	
<b>% of total international graduate population</b>			<b>85%*</b>

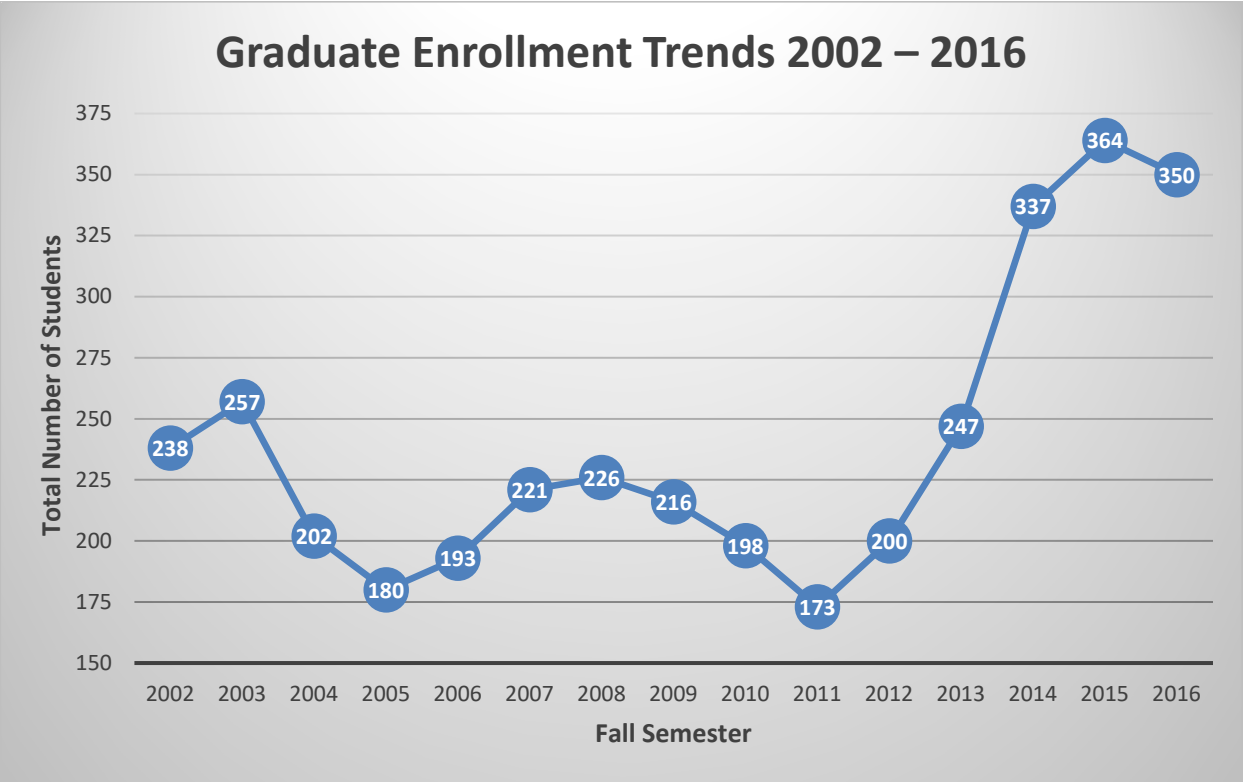
\*58% of international undergraduate students are from one of the top ten countries mentioned above.

### Enrollment by Graduate Students

Graduate Students by Region



### Enrollment by Graduate Students



## Enrollment by Undergraduate Students

There were 186 international undergraduate students enrolled during the Fall 2016 semester.

### Top 10 Majors

Rank	Major	Number of Students	% International Population
1	Exploratory	24	13%
2	Computer Science	18	9.7%
3	Exploratory Professional	16	8.6%
4	Accounting	13	7.0%
5	Economics	6	3.2%
6	Finance	6	3.2%
7	Management	6	3.2%
8	Biology	5	2.7%
9	Engineering Technology	5	2.7%
10	Industrial Engineering	5	2.7%
<b>Total</b>		<b>104</b>	
<b>% of total international undergraduate population</b>			<b>56%*</b>

\*56% of international undergraduate students are pursuing one of the top ten undergraduate degrees.

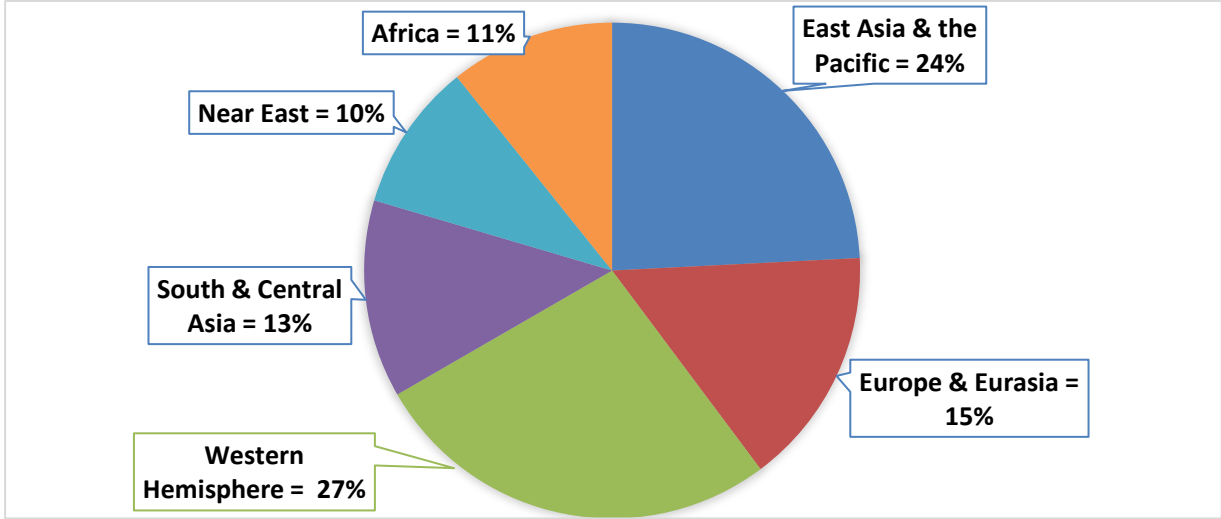
### Top 10 Countries of Origin

Rank	Country	Number of Students	% International Population
1	Mexico	21	11%
2	India	14	7.5%
3	Saudi Arabia	13	7.0%
4	Nigeria	10	5.4%
5	Vietnam	10	5.4%
6	United Kingdom	10	5.4%
7	China (Mainland)	9	4.8%
8	South Korea	9	4.8%
9	Canada	7	3.8%
10	Japan	7	3.8%
<b>Total</b>		<b>110</b>	
<b>% of total international undergraduate population</b>			<b>59%*</b>

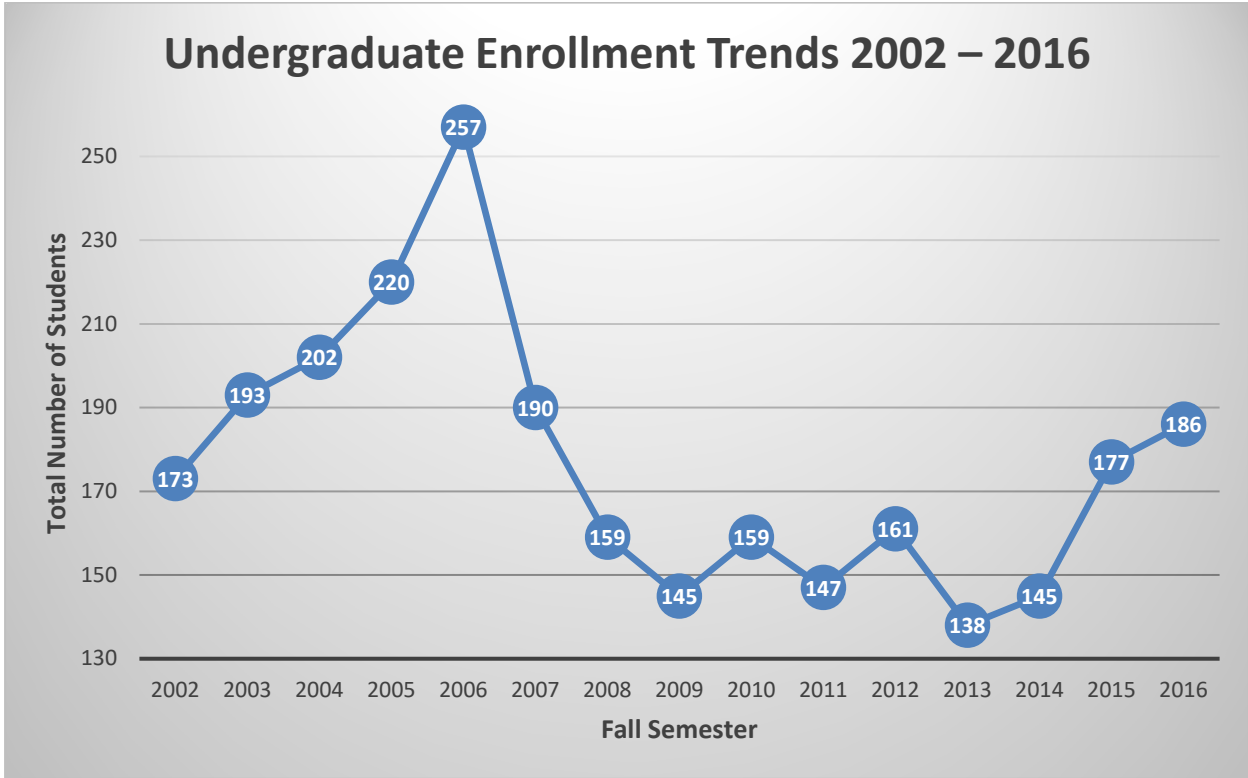
\*59% of international undergraduate students are from one of the top ten countries mentioned above.

### Enrollment by Undergraduate Students

#### Undergraduate Students by Region



### Enrollment by Undergraduate Students



## Enrollment by TSIE (Texas State Intensive English) Students

There were 26 TSIE (only) students enrolled during the Fall 2016 semester.

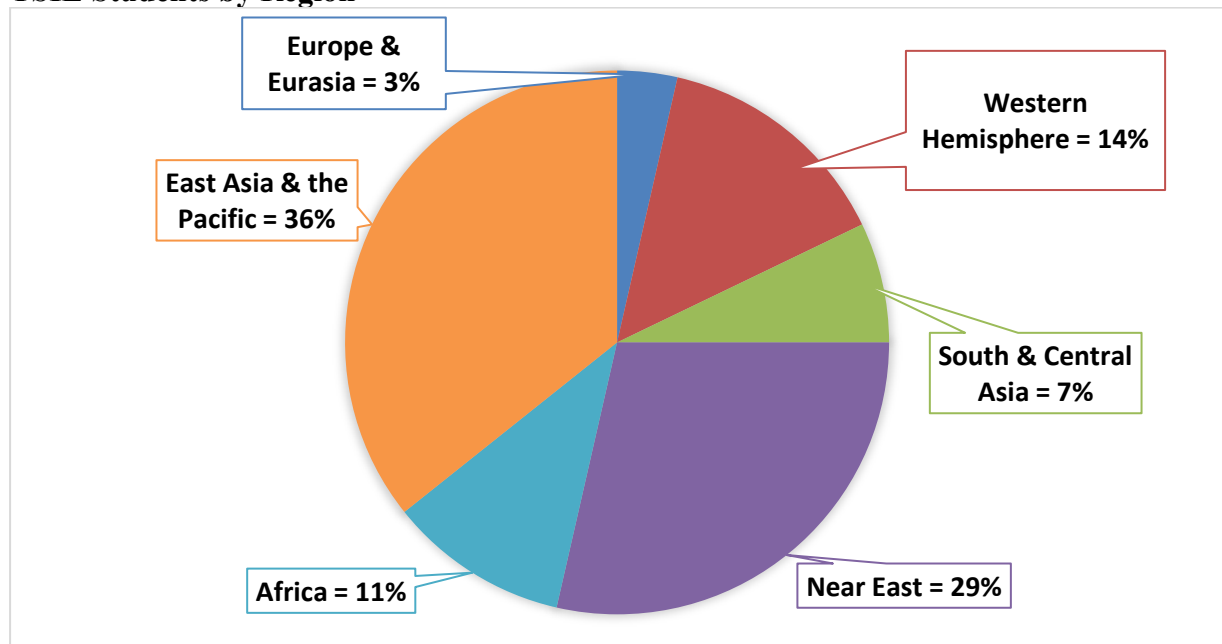
*TSIE (only)* refers to students that are not enrolled in a degree program and are only enrolled in TSIE courses.

Two students, 1 undergraduate and 1 graduate, were co-enrolled in a degree program and TSIE courses during the Fall 2016 semester.

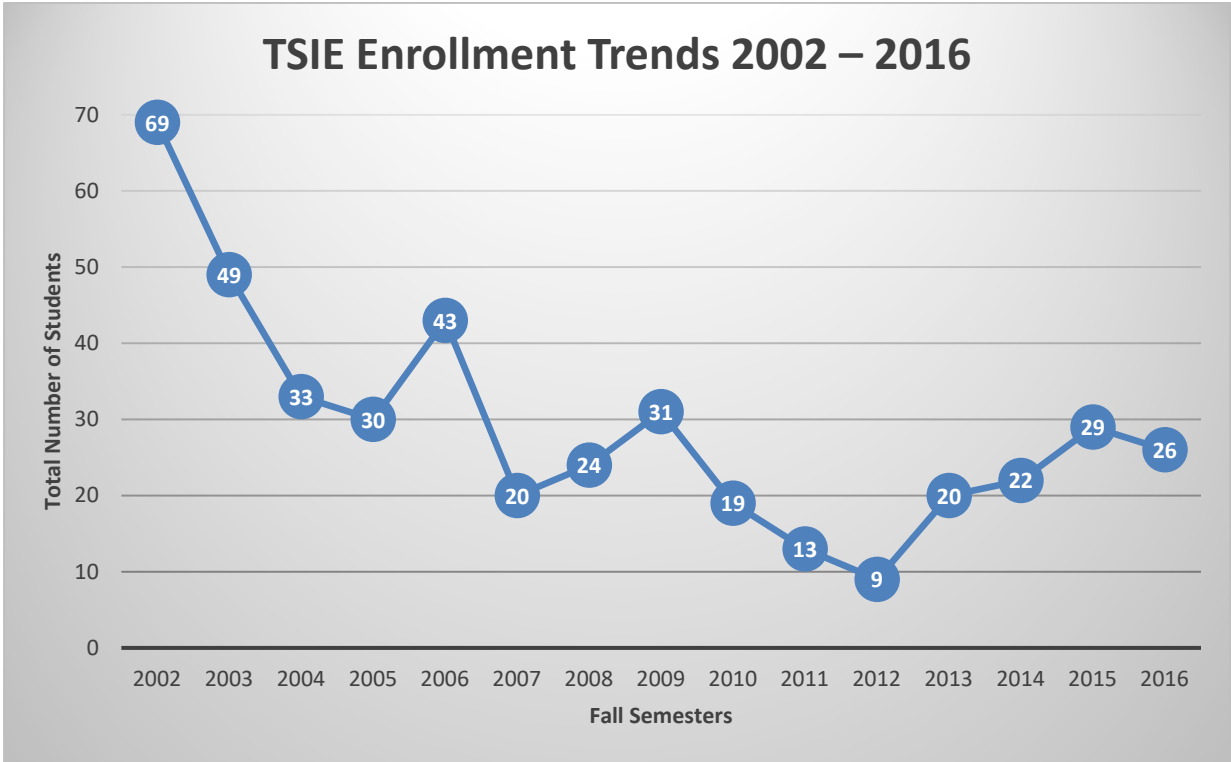
### All Countries of Origin

Rank	Country	Number of Students	% TSIE Population
1	Saudi Arabia	8	29%
2	China (Mainland)	3	11%
3	Japan	3	11%
4	Angola	2	7.0%
5	South Korea	2	7.0%
6	Azerbaijan	1	3.5%
7	China (Taiwan)	1	3.5%
8	Colombia	1	3.5%
9	Haiti	1	3.5%
10	Kazakhstan	1	3.5%
11	Kenya	1	3.5%
12	Malaysia	1	3.5%
13	Nepal	1	3.5%
14	Nicaragua	1	3.5%
15	Venezuela	1	3.5%
<b>Total number of students in TSIE</b>		<b>28</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Total number of students in TSIE (only)</b>		<b>26</b>	<b>93%</b>

### TSIE Students by Region



### Enrollment by TSIE Students



**Enrollment by Visa Type**

Visa Type	Visa Description	GR	UG	TSIE	Total	% Total International Student Population
B1	Temporary visitor for business	1	1	1	3	0.5%
B2	Tourist	1	0	0	1	0.2%
E2	Dependent of Foreign Investor	0	2	0	2	0.4%
<b>F1</b>	<b>Student Visa</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>89%</b>
F2	Dependent of Student	0	1	2	3	0.5%
H1	Specialty Occupation Worker	7	0	0	7	1.2%
H4	Family of H1, H2 or H3	32	3	0	35	6.2%
J1	Exchange Scholar	1	2	0	3	0.5%
J2	Dependent of Exchange Scholar	0	0	1	1	0.2%
L2	Dependent of L1 Alien	0	4	0	4	0.7%
TD	TD-CONV	0	1	0	1	0.2%
<b>Total Number of Students</b>		<b>350</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Visa Comparisons: Fall 2015 – 2016**

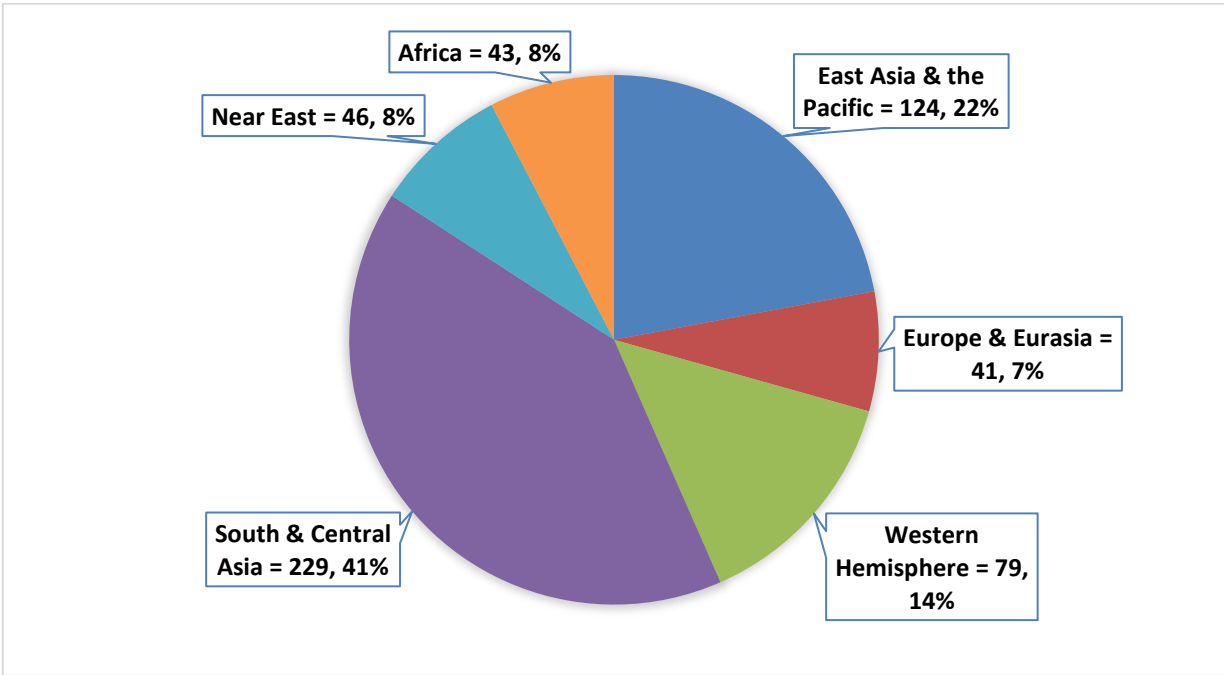
Visa Type	Fall 2015	Fall 2016	% Change
B1	1	3	+200%
B2	2	1	-50%
E2	2	2	0%
<b>F1</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>-2.9%</b>
F2	2	3	+50%
H1	8	7	-13%
<b>H4</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>+25%</b>
J1	1	3	+200%
J2	0	1	+100%
L1	2	0	-100%
L2	7	4	+43%
TD	0	1	+100%
<b>Total</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>



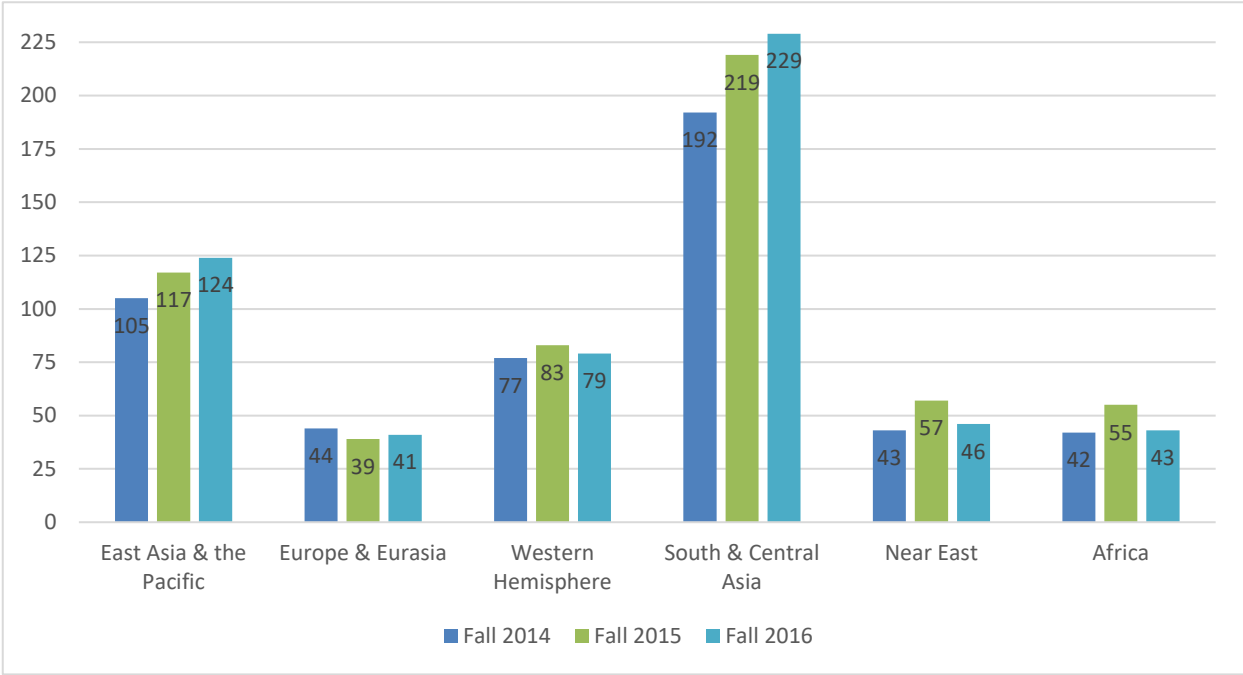
**Enrollment by Region**

\*Regional categories are based on the countries and regions recognized by the U.S. Department of State. For a complete list of each region, visit: <http://www.state.gov/p/>

	Fall 2014	Fall 2015	2014 – 2015 % Change	Fall 2016	2015 – 2016 % Change
<b>East Asia &amp; the Pacific</b>	105	117	+11%	124	+6.0%
<b>Europe &amp; Eurasia</b>	44	39	-11%	41	+5.1%
<b>Western Hemisphere</b>	77	83	+7.8%	79	-4.8%
<b>South &amp; Central Asia</b>	192	219	+14%	229	+4.6%
<b>Near East</b>	43	57	+33%	46	-19%
<b>Africa</b>	42	55	+31%	43	-22%



**Enrollment Trends by Region: Fall 2014 – 2016**



## Enrollment by Country

562 international students represented 70 different countries in Fall 2016.

### Top 10 Countries of Origin: All Students

Rank	Country	Number of Students	% Population
1	India	180	32%
2	China (Mainland)	48	8.5%
3	Mexico	29	5.2%
4	Bangladesh	28	5.0%
5	South Korea	28	5.0%
6	Nigeria	26	4.6%
7	Saudi Arabia	22	4.0%
8	Vietnam	14	2.5%
9	Japan	12	2.1%
10	Nepal	12	2.1%
<b>Total number of students in top ten</b>		<b>399</b>	
<b>% of undergraduate population</b>			<b>71%*</b>

\*71% of all international students are from one of the top ten countries mentioned above.

### Complete Country List (Alphabetical)

#	Country Name	Total	TSIE	UG	GR	GP	DR
1	Angola	4	2	2			
2	Australia	2		2			
3	Azerbaijan	2	1	1			
4	Bahamas	2		2			
5	Bangladesh	28		3	14		11
6	Brazil	3		1	2		
7	Cameroon	1					1
8	Canada	8		7	1		
9	Chile	3		2	1		
10	China (Mainland)	48	3	9	24		12
11	China (Taiwan)	7	1	1	5		
12	Colombia	6	1	3	1		1
13	Costa Rica	1					1
14	Ecuador	3		2	1		
15	El Salvador	1			1		
16	Ethiopia	1		1			
17	France	5		3			2
18	Germany	4		2	1	1	
19	Ghana	4		2			2
20	Greece	1					1
21	Haiti	1	1				
22	Honduras	4		4			
23	Hong Kong	1		1			
24	Iceland	1		1			
25	India	180		14	158	1	7
26	Iran	11			6		5
27	Iraq	1				1	
28	Italy	3		2			1

## Complete Country List (continued)

#	Country Name	Total	TSIE	UG	GR	GP	DR
29	Jamaica	3		1	2		
30	Japan	12	3	7	2		
31	Jordan	2		2			
32	Kazakhstan	2	1	1			
33	Kenya	2		2			
34	South Korea	28	2	9	11	1	5
35	Kuwait	4		2	1		1
36	Lithuania	1					1
37	Malaysia	6	1	1	4		
38	Mexico	29		21	6		2
39	Morocco	1		1			
40	Nepal	12		2	7	2	1
41	Netherlands	1		1			
42	New Zealand	1		1			
43	Nicaragua	1	1				
44	Nigeria	26		10	16		
45	Norway	1		1			
46	Pakistan	5		3	2		
47	Panama	1					1
48	Peru	3		2	1		
49	Philippines	1		1			
50	Russia	3		3			
51	Saint Lucia	1			1		
52	Saudi Arabia	22	8	13	1		
53	Senegal	1		1			
54	Serbia	1		1			
55	Singapore	2		2			
56	South Africa	1		1			
57	Spain	5		3	2		
58	Sri Lanka	2		1	1		
59	Sudan	1			1		
60	Sweden	1		1			
61	Tanzania	1		1			
62	Thailand	2		1			1
63	Trinidad And Tobago	2		1	1		
64	Tunisia	1					1
65	Turkey	4			1		3
66	United Kingdom	12		10	2		
67	Uruguay	2			2		
68	Venezuela	5	1	4			
69	Vietnam	14		10	4		
70	Zimbabwe	1			1		
	<b>Total</b>	562	26	186	284	6	60

Chart legend:

TSIE – Texas State Intensive English

UG – Undergraduate

GR – Graduate

GP – Graduate program (post-baccalaureate non-degree or graduate certificate)

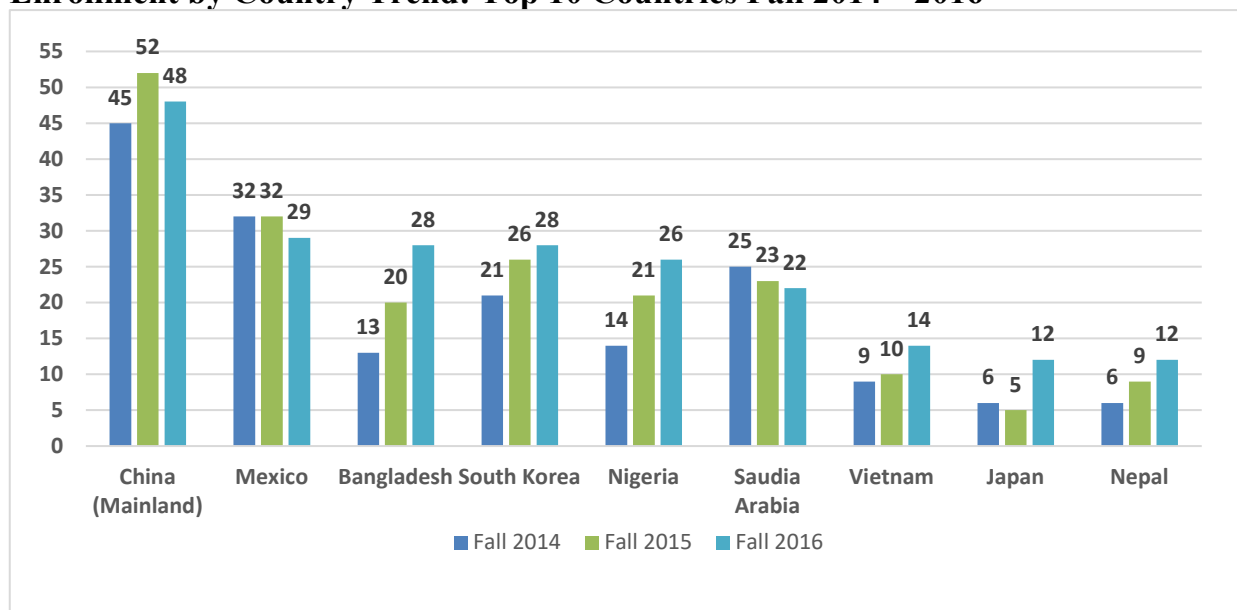
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### Top 20 Countries: Fall 2015 – 2016 Comparison

Rank	Country	2015 (previous rank)	2016	% Change
1	India	182 (1)	180	-1.1%
2	China (Mainland)	52 (2)	48	-7.7%
3	Mexico	32 (3)	29	-9.4%
4	Bangladesh	20 (7)	28	+40%
5	South Korea	26 (4)	28	+7.7%
6	Nigeria	21 (6)	26	+24%
7	Saudi Arabia	23 (5)	22	-4.3%
8	Vietnam	10 (12)	14	+29%
9	Japan	5 (19)	12	+140%
10	Nepal	9 (13)	12	+33%
11	United Kingdom	14 (9)	12	-14%
12	Iran	13 (11)	11	-15%
13	Canada	13 (10)	8	-38%
14	China (Taiwan)	5 (17)	7	+40%
15	Colombia	8 (15)	6	-25%
16	Malaysia	7 (16)	6	-14%
17	France	5 (18)	5	0%
18	Pakistan	3 (30)	5	+67%
19	Spain	1 (66)	5	+400%
20	Venezuela	4 (26)	5	+25%
<b>Total number of students in top 20</b>		<b>453</b>	<b>469</b>	
<b>% of total population</b>		<b>79%</b>	<b>83%</b>	

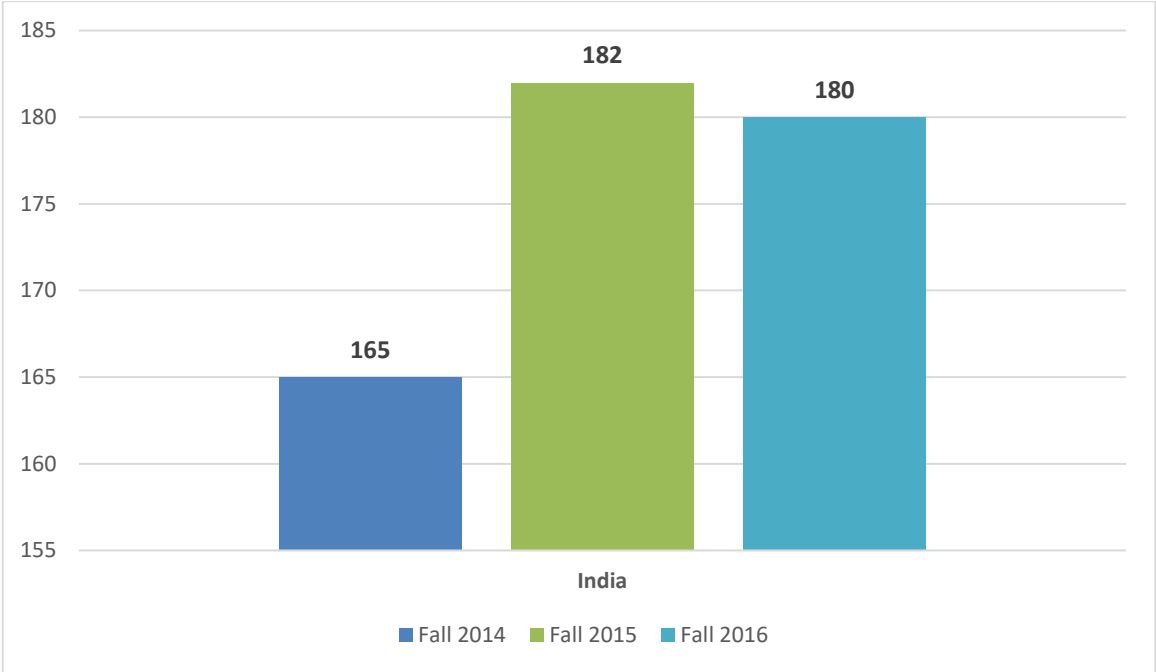
The top three countries (India, Mainland China, and Mexico) remained unchanged. According to IIE’s *Open Doors Report 2016*, these top three countries are consistent with countries of origin for international students enrolling in higher education in the state of Texas. The top two countries are consistent with countries of origin for international students enrolling in higher education in the entire U.S.

### Enrollment by Country Trend: Top 10 Countries Fall 2014 – 2016



\*India was purposively excluded from this graph due to the significantly higher number of students. See the India graph on page 27.

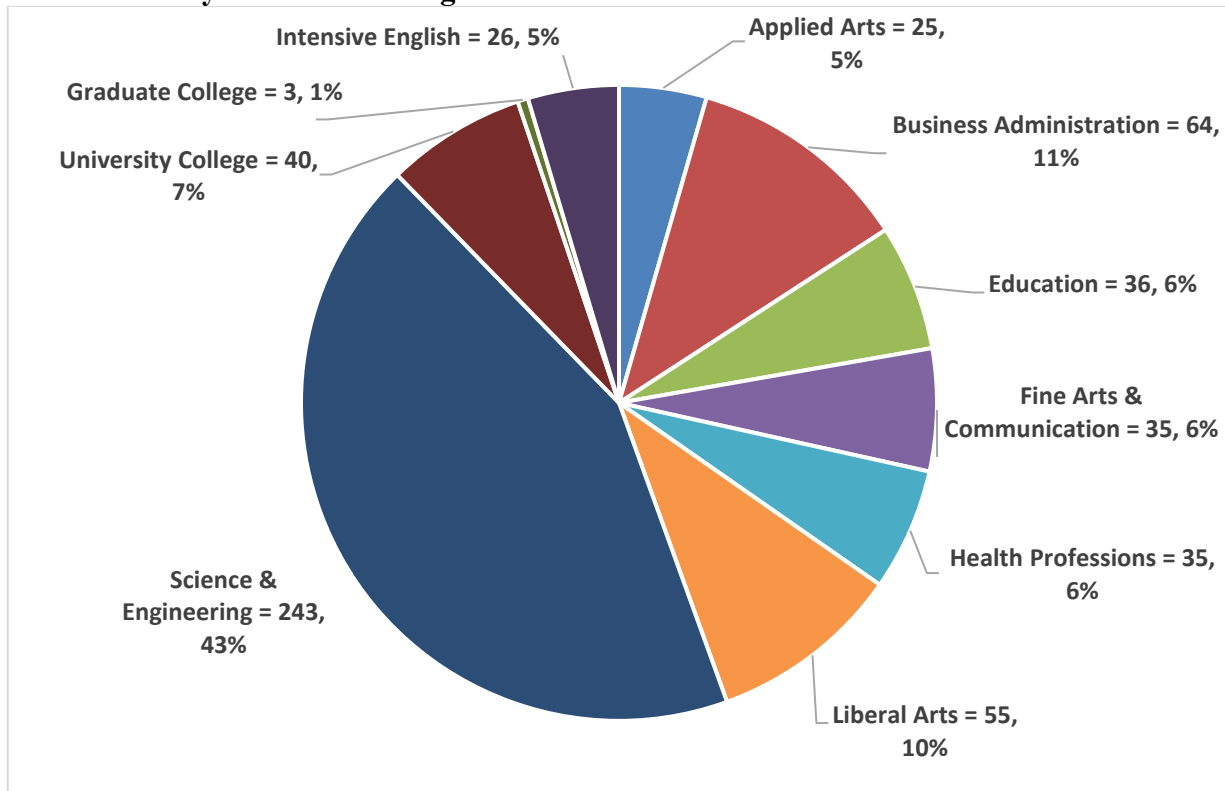
### Enrollment by Country Trend: Top 10 Countries Fall 2014 – 2016 (India)



### Enrollment by Academic College

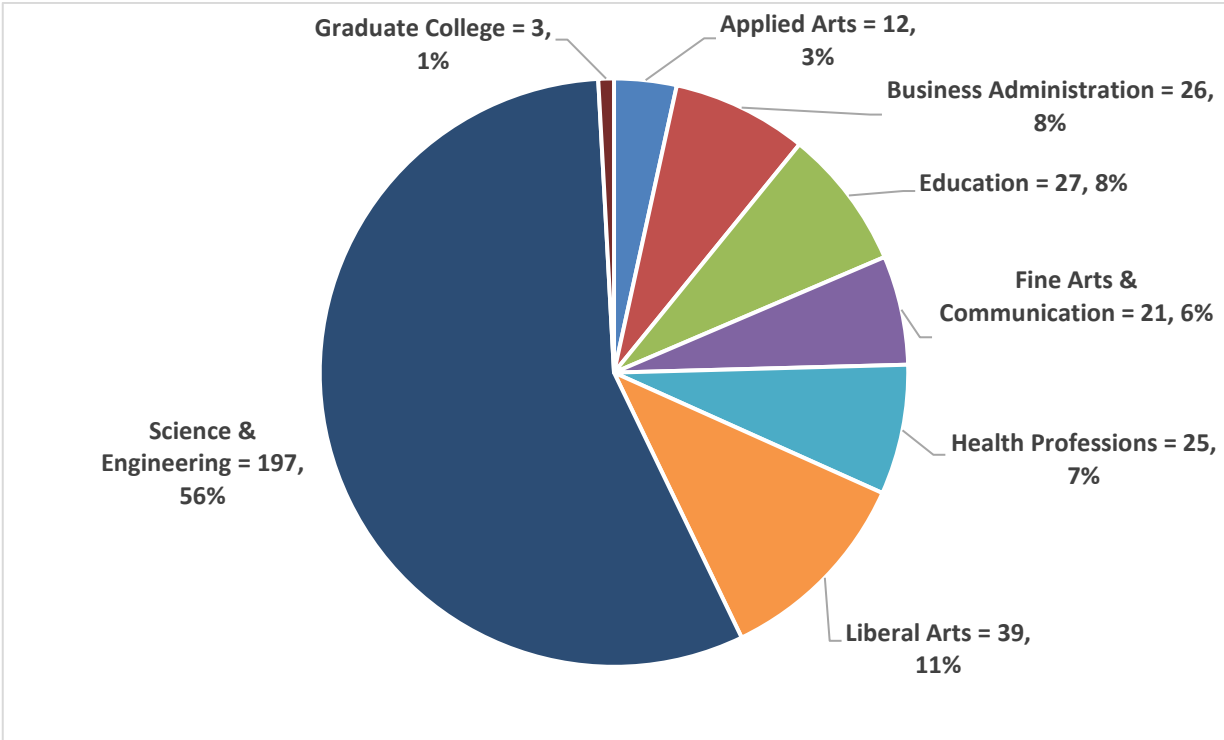
Academic College/TSIE	GR	UG	TSIE	Grand Total
Applied Arts	12	13		25
Business Administration	26	38		64
Education	27	9		36
Fine Arts & Communication	21	14		35
Health Professions	25	10		35
Liberal Arts	39	16		55
Science & Engineering	197	46		243
University College		40		40
Graduate College	3			3
Intensive English			26	26
<b>Total</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>562</b>
<b>% of Population</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>100%</b>

### All Students by Academic College

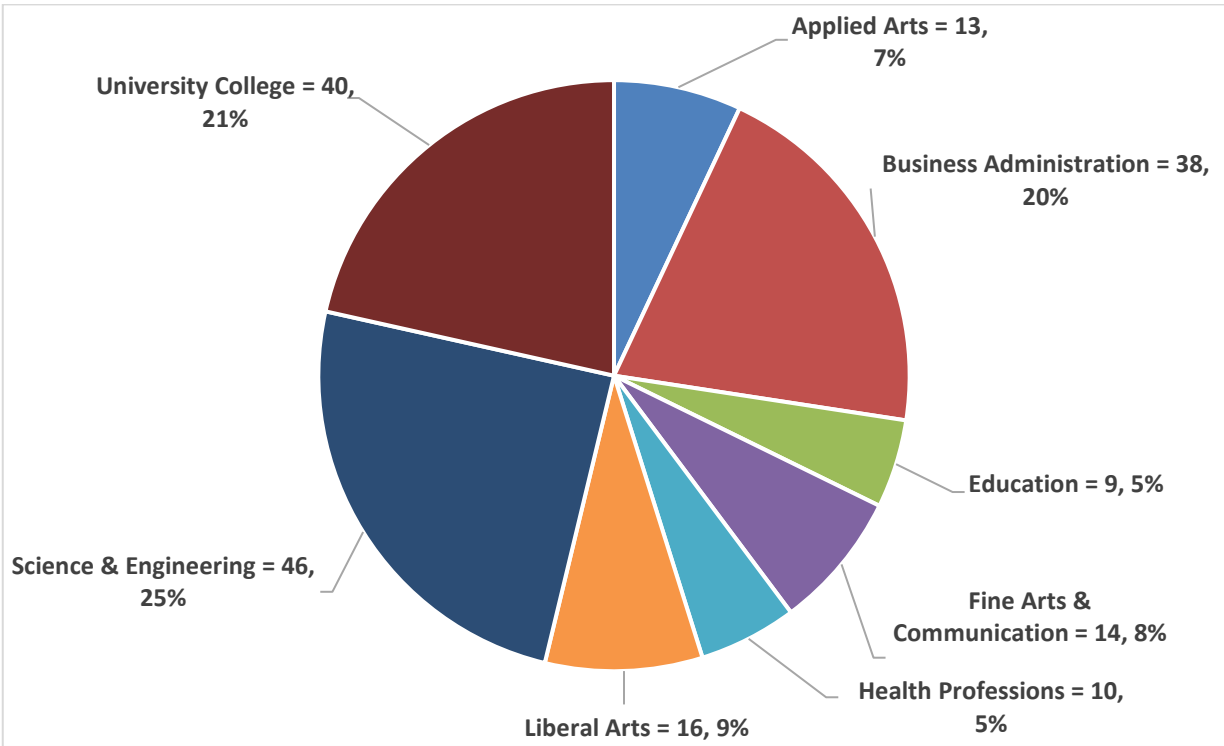


### Enrollment by Academic College

#### Graduate Students by Academic College



#### Undergraduate Students by Academic College



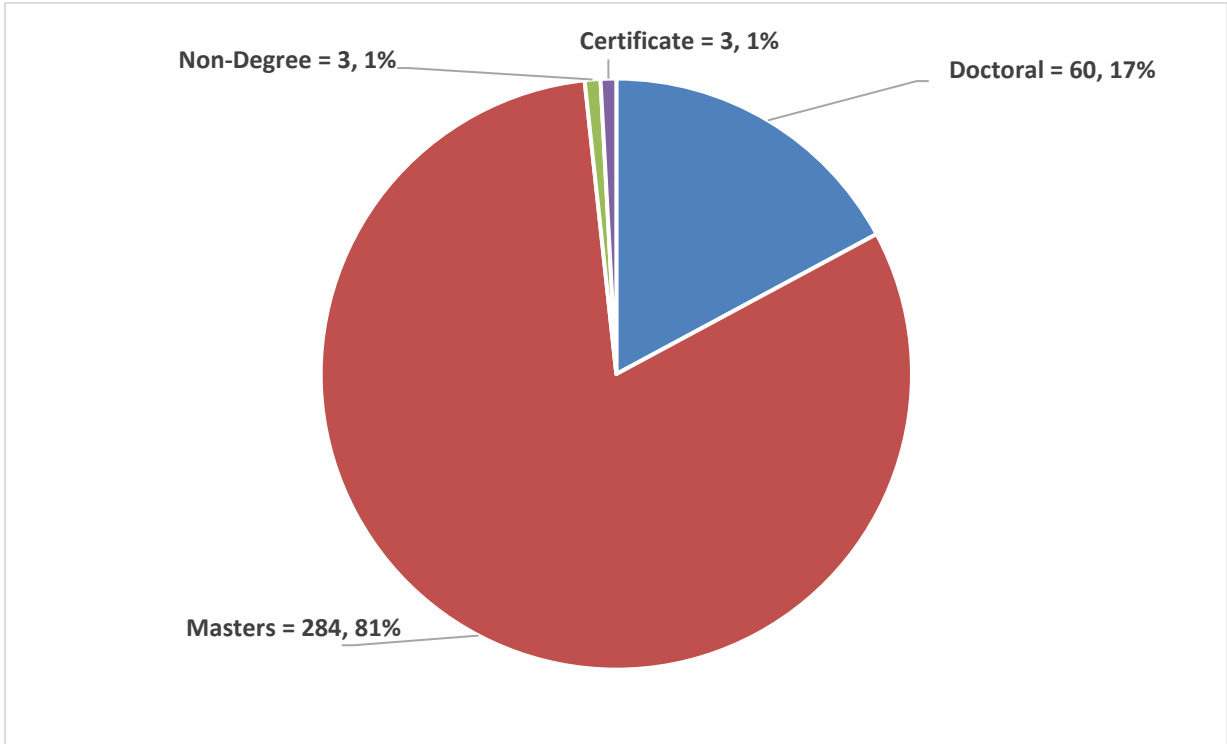


**Enrollment by Academic Classification**

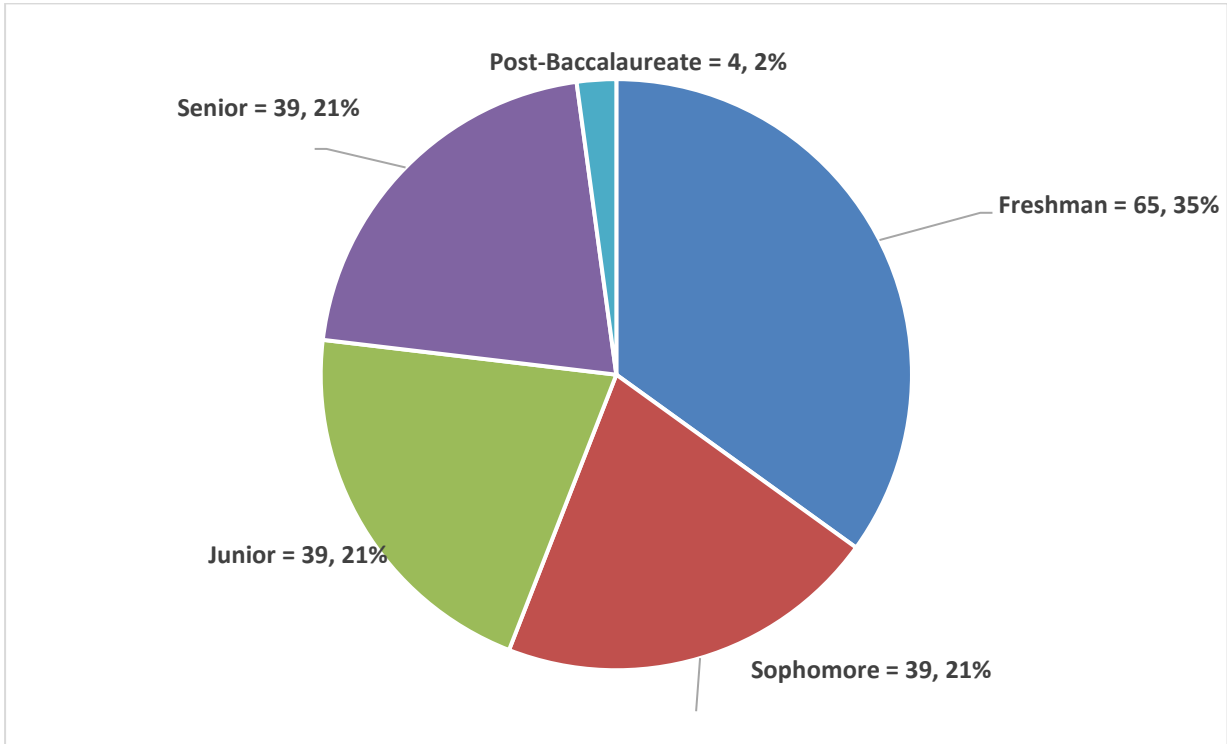
<b>Bachelors</b>	<b>Number of students</b>	<b>% of UG Population</b>
Freshman	65	35%
Sophomore	39	21%
Junior	39	21%
Senior	39	21%
Post Baccalaureate	4	2%
<b>Undergraduate Total</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>33% of total population</b>
<b>Graduate</b>	<b>Number of students</b>	<b>% of GR Population</b>
Non-Degree	3	1.0%
Certificate	3	1.0%
Masters	284	81%
Doctoral	60	17%
<b>Graduate Total</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>62% of total population</b>
<b>TISE</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>5.0% of total population</b>
<b>All Students Total</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Enrollment by Academic Classification

#### Graduate Students by Classification

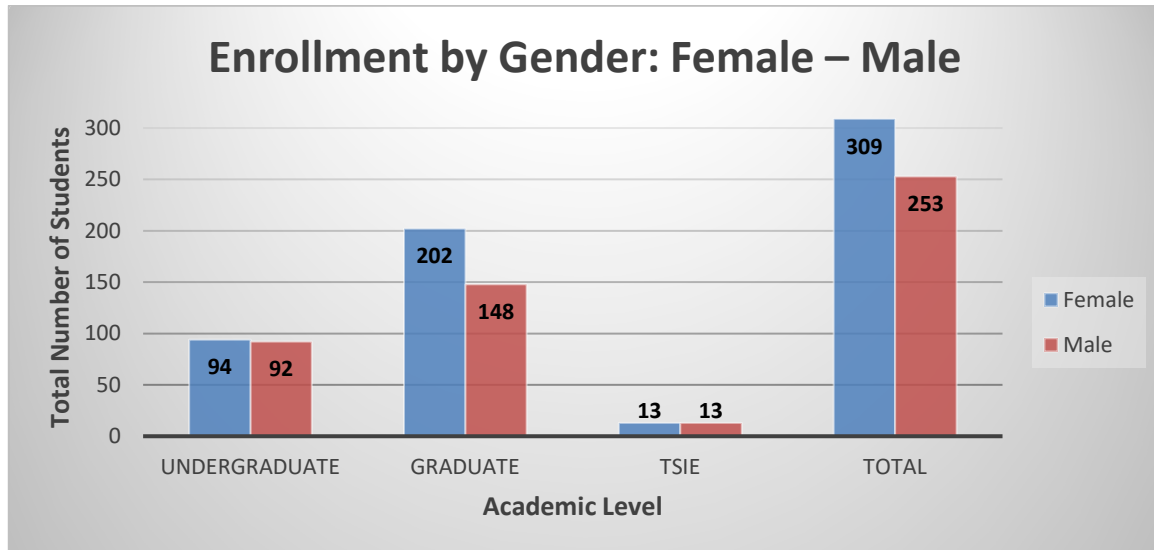


#### Undergraduate Students by Classification



## Enrollment by Gender

International Student Gender Breakdown				
Gender	Undergraduate	Graduate	Intensive English	Total
Female	94 (50.5%)	202 (57.7%)	13 (50%)	309 (55.0%)
Male	92 (49.5%)	148 (42.3%)	13 (50%)	253 (45.0%)
<b>Total</b>	186	350	26	562



### Enrollment by Gender 5 Year History: 2012 – 2016

Fall Semester	Graduate		Undergraduate		TSIE	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
2012	105	95	79	82	7	2
2013	119	128	70	68	7	13
2014	163	174	70	75	8	14
2015	192	172	90	87	10	19
2016	202	148	94	92	13	13

### Gender by Top 5 Majors

Fall Semester	Computer Science		Engineering		Healthcare Administration		Exploratory		Accounting	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
2016	57	50	17	28	23	2	15	9	14	5

### Gender by Top 5 Countries of Origin

Fall Semester	India		China (Mainland)		Mexico		Bangladesh		South Korea	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
2016	106	74	32	16	17	12	8	20	19	9

### Gender by Top 5 Academic Colleges

Fall Semester	Science & Engineering		Business Administration		Liberal Arts		University College		Education	
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
2016	104	139	33	31	32	23	20	20	31	5

## Enrollment by Major

562 international students enrolled in 100 different majors in Fall 2016.

### Top 10 Majors: All Students

Rank	Major	Number of Students	% All International Student
1	Computer Science	107	19%
2	Engineering	45	8.0%
3	*Second Language Learning	26	4.6%
4	Healthcare Administration	25	4.4%
5	Exploratory	24	4.3%
6	Accounting	19	3.4%
7	Materials Science, Engineering, Commercialization	19	3.4%
8	Exploratory Professional	16	2.8%
9	Geographic Info Science	15	2.7%
10	Business Administration	13	2.3%
<b>Total number of students in top ten</b>		<b>308</b>	
<b>% of population</b>			<b>55%**</b>

\*Students studying in the TSIE program are shown as majoring in Second Language Learning.

\*\*55% of all international students are majoring in one of the top ten majors mentioned above.

### Complete Major List (Alphabetical)

Major	Graduate	Undergraduate
Accounting	6	13
Accounting & Info Technology	6	
Adult, Professional & Community Education	1	
Advanced Practice Leadership	1	
Advertising & Mass Communication		2
Ag Business & Management		1
Applied Arts & Sciences		2
Applied Mathematics		2
Applied Philosophy & Ethics	1	
Applied Sociology		1
Aquatic Resources	1	
Art		1
Athletic Training	1	1
Biochemistry	1	2
Biology	3	5
Business Administration	13	
Chemistry	2	1
Communication Design	4	1
Communication Disorders		2
Communication Studies	2	1
Computer Information Systems		3
Computer Science	89	18
Construction Science & Management		1
Criminal Justice	3	3
Criminal Justice Law Enforce		1
Developmental Education	4	

**Complete Major List (continued)**

<b>Major</b>	<b>Graduate</b>	<b>Undergraduate</b>
Dietetic Internship	1	
Economics		6
Educational Leadership	2	
Electrical Engineering		1
Electronic Media & Mass Communication		1
Elementary Education	2	
Elementary Education Bilingual/Bicultural	2	
Engineering	45	
Engineering Technology		5
English		1
Enrichment	3	
Environmental Geography	1	
Exercise & Sports Science		3
Exercise Science	4	
Exploratory		24
Exploratory Professional		16
Family & Child Studies	1	
Family Nurse Practitioner	1	
Fashion Merchandising		2
Finance		6
Geographic Education	2	
Geographic Info Science	14	1
Geography	9	1
Health & Fitness Management		1
Health Information Management		3
Healthcare Administration	23	2
History		1
Human Nutrition	4	
Human Resource Management	1	
Industrial Engineering		5
Interdisciplinary Studies	1	3
Interior Design		2
International Relations		1
International Studies	3	4
Legal Studies	1	
Literature	1	
Management		6
Manufacturing Engineering		1
Marketing		4
Mass Communication	2	2
Materials Physics	1	
Mathematics		2
Mathematics Education	4	
Materials Science, Engineering, Commercialization	19	
Merchandising & Consumer Studies	1	
Microbiology		1

**Complete Major List (continued)**

<b>Major</b>	<b>Graduate</b>	<b>Undergraduate</b>
Middle School Math Teaching	1	
Music	12	
Music Performance	1	
Nursing		2
Nutrition & Foods		2
Performance		3
Physical Therapy	1	
Physics	3	
Political Science	1	1
Professional Counseling	2	
Psychological Research	1	
Psychology		5
Public Administration	1	
Recreational Administration		1
Respiratory Care		1
Secondary Education	3	
Sociology	1	
Software Engineering	7	
Special Education	3	
Student Affairs in Higher Education	1	
Studio Art		2
Sustainability Studies	2	
Technical Communication	1	
Technology Management	13	
Theatre		1
Therapeutic Recreation	2	
Wildlife Biology		1

**Top 20 Majors (All Students): Fall 2015 – 2016 Comparison**

<b>Rank</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>% Change</b>
1	Computer Science	118	107	-9.3%
2	Engineering	26	45	+73%
3	Second Language Learning	29	26	-10%
4	Healthcare Administration	19	25	+32%
5	Exploratory	19	24	+26%
6	Accounting	13	19	+46%
7	Materials Science, Engineering, Commercialization	22	19	-14%
8	Exploratory Professional	19	16	-16%
9	Geographic Info Science	13	15	+15%
10	Business Administration	15	13	-15%
11	Technology Management	11	13	+18%
12	Music	17	12	-29%
13	Geography	6	10	+67%
14	Aquatic Resources	11	9	-18%
15	Biology	16	8	-50%
16	International Studies	6	7	+17%
17	Software Engineering	10	7	-30%
18	Accounting & Info Technology	5	6	+20%
19	Criminal Justice	8	6	-25%
20	Economics	3	6	+100%
<b>Total number of students in top 20</b>		<b>386</b>	<b>393</b>	
<b>% of total population</b>		<b>68%</b>	<b>70%</b>	

The top two majors (Computer Science and Engineering) remained unchanged. According to IIE, the top three majors nationwide are (1) Engineering, (2) Business & Management, (3) Math and Computer Science.