At a Glance

Advancing international education and access to education worldwide

Opening Minds to the World®
About the Institute of International Education®

Who We Are
The Institute of International Education (IIE) is among the world's largest and most experienced international education organizations. As an independent not-for-profit founded in 1919, IIE delivers program excellence to a diverse range of participants, sponsors and donors.

Our Vision
Educational, cultural and professional opportunities transcend borders to foster a peaceful and interconnected world where all people achieve their full potential; think and act as global citizens; and build inclusive, thriving communities.

Our Mission
IIE's mission is to advance international education and access to education worldwide. We accomplish this by

- Managing scholarships, training, exchange and leadership programs
- Conducting research and facilitating policy dialogue on global higher education
- Protecting scholarship around the world

IIE Global Network
• 19 Offices and Affiliates • 650 Staff Worldwide • 1,200 Member Institutions
Programs and Services
With a range of government and corporate sponsored programs, IIE promotes educational exchange around the world. Foremost among these is the world-renowned Fulbright Program, which IIE has administered on behalf of the U.S. Department of State since the Program’s inception in 1946. In addition, IIE partners with major philanthropic foundations, private and public corporations, foreign governments, and individuals to provide scholarship and fellowship administration, testing and advising services, research and information on opportunities for international study, and emergency assistance to students and scholars.

Core services:

Fellowship and Scholarship Management
Implement global scholarship programs for students, scholars and professionals in the U.S. and around the world.

Higher Education Institutional Development
Manage programs in faculty exchange, curriculum development, internationalization, institutional planning and research and capacity building for institutions of higher learning globally.

Emergency Student and Scholar Assistance
Provide support and safe haven to scholars threatened as a result of their academic work, and assist students and scholars who face emergency situations, such as natural disasters, which interrupt their academic careers.

Leadership Development
Arrange training programs, workshops, and study tours to develop leadership skills among students, teachers, professionals and policy makers throughout the world.

International Development
Provide training and technical assistance to build local capacity and sustainable solutions for long-term development.

We Annually Serve
• 29,000 Participants • 200 Sponsors
• 175 Countries • 250 Programs

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Selected IIE Sponsors and Partners
The Institute manages many of the world’s most prestigious scholarship and training programs for a wide range of sponsors. IIE would like to thank the hundreds of corporations, foundations, U.S. and foreign government agencies, universities, and individual donors that provide support to programs administered by the Institute.

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Empowering Women and Girls

Over the past decade, IIE has increasingly focused on global programs that use science and technology to support, train and connect women, equipping them with the skills needed to fully participate in their community and the global economy. Our new Center for Women’s Leadership Initiatives provides opportunities for women worldwide to participate in cutting-edge training, professional development and exchange programs, and pursue higher education.

Promoting Education and Academic Exchange

- Managed the Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program, funded by the U.S. Department of State’s Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. The Gilman Program, the nation’s largest and most diverse undergraduate study abroad scholarship program, awarded nearly 3,000 scholarships in 2012.
- On behalf of the U.S. State Department’s Fulbright U.S. Student and Scholar Programs, IIE promoted dynamic new opportunities to study, teach and conduct research abroad, including the Fulbright Public Policy Fellowships and the Fulbright NEXUS Program, which addresses challenging regional issues through collaborative research.
- Forged a new relationship with Cargill to provide financial support and training to nearly 200 high performing undergraduates from Brazil, China, Russia, India and the U.S. as part of the Cargill Global Scholars Program.
- Placed 2,000 undergraduate students at 250 U.S. universities via the Brazil Scientific Mobility Program, a collaboration between IIE and the Government of Brazil.

Protecting Scholarship around the World

- At the 2012 Clinton Global Initiative annual meeting, committed to mobilizing $5 million in emergency support for Syrian students and scholars.
- Celebrated the tenth anniversary of IIE’s Scholar Rescue Fund, which has provided support to nearly 500 scholars from 48 countries who IIE placed in 250 safe haven institutions worldwide.
- Initiated and expanded programs and activities in Iraq, Libya and Myanmar to support higher education in countries in transition.

Providing Leadership Training

- Selected by USAID to administer training programs in Indonesia and Pakistan as well as in the fields of democracy, human rights and governance.
- Managed the final cohort of Fellows for the Ford Foundation International Fellowship Program, which will have funded over 4,300 fellows since it began in 2001.
- Guided professionals and civil society leaders from around the world on 75 study tours to the U.S. through the International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP). The IVLP is the State Department’s premier professional exchange program.

Additional highlights at: www.iie.org/annualreport
Advancing Study Abroad

U.S. students and teachers are studying abroad in growing numbers, gaining the international exposure and cross-cultural knowledge that will prepare them for their future role in an interconnected world. Through programs such as the U.S. Department of State’s Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program, IIE works to promote study abroad to U.S. students who have been traditionally underrepresented. Gilman Scholars have come from 1,161 universities, including two-year and four-year institutions, HBCUs, HSIs, MSIs and Tribal Colleges, and they have studied in 131 countries.

Impact by the Numbers

- 5,364 U.S. students studied abroad on IIE-administered grants.
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- 400% The percentage of African-American recipients in the Gilman Program is nearly 4 times greater than their percentage in the U.S. study abroad population.
- $1.5 Million Pledged by universities and other organizations in 2012 to support IIE’s Syria Consortium.
- 488 Scholars rescued through IIE’s Scholar Rescue Fund since 2002.

Policy Dialogue and Groundbreaking Research

IIE’s research and policy analysis provides a rapid response to the changing landscape of international education.

- The 2012 Open Doors Report on International Educational Exchange, produced in partnership with the U.S. Department of State’s Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, features comprehensive research on the number of students studying in the United States and Americans studying abroad. This year, IIE also published policy papers on higher education trends in Brazil, China, Ethiopia and Indonesia.
- IIE brought together delegates from 15 countries and the E.U. in Washington, DC for the 2012 International Education Summit on the Occasion of the G8, to discuss national priorities and educational cooperation among nations.
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Efficiency and Accountability
The Institute is committed to the highest standards and best practices in nonprofit management. IIE has been repeatedly recognized for its excellence by Charity Navigator (4-star rating) and by Forbes as having a 99% efficiency in fundraising among the top five largest nonprofits in New York.

Governance
A dedicated Board of Trustees governs IIE. Board members bring a diverse set of skills from leadership positions in the public and private sectors at colleges, universities, corporations, and philanthropic organizations. The full list of trustees is at: www.iie.org/governance.

The Power of Giving
Your support provides life-changing opportunities for students and scholars. Your funds help IIE work to empower those from underserved communities, increase access to study abroad and foster academic freedom around the world. Learn more at www.iie.org.

“Through the exchange of people and by saving threatened scholars’ lives, the Institute contributes every day to making the world a less dangerous place.”
– Dr. Allan E. Goodman, President and Chief Executive Officer, IIE

Financial Snapshot 2012
Total Revenues for 2012: $394 Million

2012 Sources of Revenue
- U.S. government departments | 60%
- Foundations and research organizations | 18%
- Foreign governments and international organizations | 12%
- Contributions, investment return, and other | 6%
- Corporations | 4%

2012 Expense Categories
- International exchange of students and scholars | 74%
- Leadership development and educational services | 14%
- Management & General | 6%
- Higher education institutional development | 3%
- Emergency student and scholar assistance | 2%
- Research and publications | <1%
- Fundraising | <1%

For full financial information, please visit our website at www.iie.org/annualreport

Supporting Higher Education in Crisis
Through the Scholar Rescue Fund® (SRF) and the Emergency Student Fund (ESF), IIE assists international students and scholars facing hardships due to crises such as natural disasters, social unrest or serious illness. This year, in response to the ongoing crisis in Syria, the Institute is leading a consortium of more than 35 higher education institutions around the world that have committed support for Syrian students and scholars. In partnership with Jusoor and the Illinois Institute of Technology, IIE recently launched a scholarship portal connecting Syrian students and scholars with opportunities at campuses around the world. Visit the portal at: www.iie.org/syriascholarships
Global Network

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Over 60 Nobel Laureates

To date, 68 Nobel Prizes have now been awarded to program grantees and members of our board. These individuals from many different nations – whose early promise was recognized and supported by such programs as Fulbright – are truly the hope of the world. They work to serve humankind by finding solutions to disease, advancing world peace, reducing global poverty, preserving the environment, and creating a more just and prosperous global society.

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