Global Strategies



English Language Program

2015-16 Annual Impact Report

Education Abroad



International Students and Scholars



VCU Globe



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English Language Program



548

new English language learners enrolled in semester-long, short-term and special programs

150 students graduated from the program

140 students transitioned to VCU academic programs

Our impact

This year, we've empowered more international students to experience the benefits of studying at VCU through our short-term, special and sponsored programs. More students have traveled abroad through our direct enroll and faculty led study abroad programs, as well.

Now fully enrolled, VCU Globe provides global competency training to nearly 300 students right here on campus. This year, we graduated our first cohort of students, with 92% of the inaugural class completing the program on time. We also volunteered more than 2,000 hours of service to ten community partners in the Richmond area.

641

Students studied abroad through GEO-sponsored, ISEP, affiliate & alternative programs and international exchanges

40

Global Education Office sponsored programs offered

\$200,000

awarded to VCU students in financial support for study abroad

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\$225,000

awarded to academic units supporting 142 faculty

286

new scholars welcomed to campus through seven special programs

> \$1.1mil external grants and contracts received

International Student and Scholar Programs



1,703 international students, scholars and faculty

GEO services

75

international students volunteered with Habitat for Humanity, Stop Hunger Now and Syrian Refugee Relief

1,605

international students and community members participated in the Friendship Family and Cultural Exchange, Conversation Partners and Global Cafe VCU Globe

273

students currently enrolled in the program, exceeding projections by 15%

2,020

hours of service to community partners

92% program completion rate by inaugural class

Join our mission

The VCU Global Education Office serves to advance three overarching institutional global priorities distilled from the Quest for Distinction:

- to improve the recruitment and retention of international students and scholars
- to increase the global engagement of VCU students and faculty
- to expand VCU's global footprint through our research, teaching and service

For ideas about how you can get involved, visit us at global.vcu.edu.



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