3-YEAR UPDATE ON THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

The International Education sector continues to grow in BC The numbers below are based on The Economic Impact of International Education report commissioned by BCCIE from Roslyn Kunin & Associates based on the number of international students in BC in 2009-10, compared with the number of international students in BC in 2012-13.

ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTIONS TO BRITISH COLUMBIA

Academic Year

2009/10 2012/13

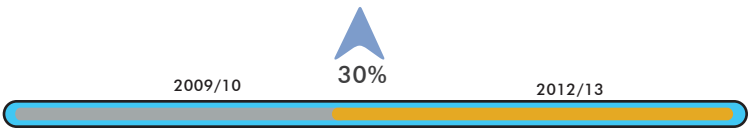
28 percent increase

2009/10 $1.8 Billion

2012/13 $2.3 Billion

International students make up a large and growing contribution to the economy of BC. Their total spending contributes over $2.3 billion to the provincial economy.

DIRECT CONTRIBUTION TO PROVINCIAL GDP



$1.25 Billion $1.63 Billion

The sum of international student spending in BC translates into $1.63 billion in provincial GDP, a $380 million increase compared to 2009/10.

JOBS CREATED

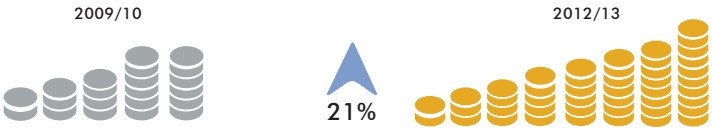
2009/10 2012/13

21,540 25,490

Approximately 3,950 more jobs have been created as a result of international students in BC, compared to 2009/10.

GOVERNMENT REVENUE GENERATED

2009/10 2012/13



$66 Million $80 Million

All levels of government in BC saw a $13.8 million increase in revenue compared to 2009/10

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN BC

20 percent increase

2009/10 94,000

2012/13 112,800

The number of international students in BC grew from 94,000 to 112,800, an average rate of 6% per year.

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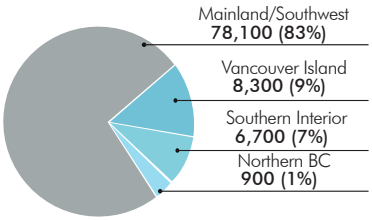
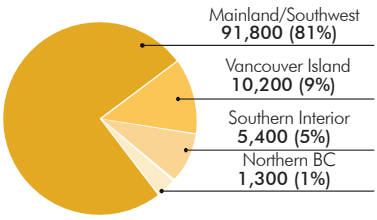
WHERE ARE INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN BC?

Academic Year

2009/10 2012/13

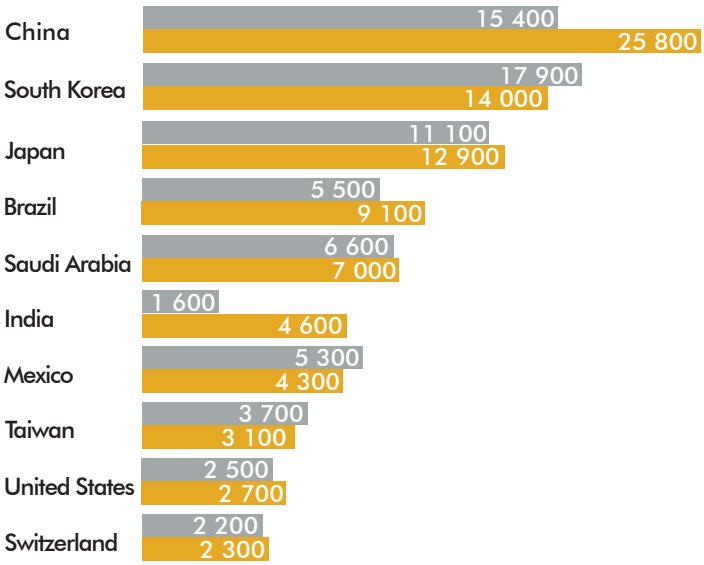




*outstanding 4% in "regions unknown" and therefore not represented above.

BY SOURCE COUNTRY

2009/10 2012/13



Totals from public and private post-secondary, K-12, and language schools 2012/13 vs. 2009/10

BY SECTOR

2009/10 2012/13

39,000 ➤ 50,600

PUBLIC/PRIVATE POST-SECONDARY

43,000 ➤ 49,200

PRIVATE LANGUAGE SCHOOLS*

12,000 ➤ 13,000

PUBLIC/INDEPENDENT K-12

*English language students in the public sector are accounted for under "public/private post-secondary."

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