

## OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

# Overview

#### LEADERSHIP AND INTERNATIONAL EXPERTISE

The Ohio State University has a rich and vibrant history of international engagement and recognizes that the success of our graduates is enhanced by our global reach. Through innovative approaches, Ohio State prepares its students and supports its faculty to be actively involved and contribute in knowledge-based collaborations around the world.

The Office of International Affairs provides leadership and international expertise to ensure a coordinated and dynamic strategy for university-wide global engagement. To further Ohio State's international goals and to advance the university's reputation world-wide, the Office of International Affairs facilitates international experiences for students and faculty, supports academic programs and research, coordinates international partnerships, administers grants and scholarships and contributes to enriching the Ohio State experience for the university's international student and scholar population.

The Office of International Affairs falls under the umbrella of the Office of Academic Affairs, which oversees the administration and coordination of all academic areas and plays a leadership role in almost all aspects of Ohio State including colleges, campuses, major committees and councils, and many units providing central support to the university.

### ADVANCING GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT

The Office of International Affairs facilitates international experiences for students and faculty and supports a growing international student and scholar population.

- Facilitates the arrival, integration, engagement and success of more than 6,600 international students and 700 staff and exchange scholars at Ohio State, including managing immigration issues and regulatory compliance.
- Partners with academic units and third-party providers to support international experiences at home and abroad for more than 3,100 students annually.
- Forges new partnerships, recruits international students and networks with a growing international alumni base through the Global Gateway offices in Shanghai, Mumbai and São Paulo.

- Partners with health organizations and institutions across the globe to improve health, build capacity, provide learning opportunities emphasize the connection among humans, animals and the environment through the Global One Health initiative.
- Oversees five Area Studies Centers (two Title VI National Resource Centers), which support academic activities and outreach initiatives that include foreign language, area and international studies to ensure a steady supply of graduates with expertise in less commonly taught languages, world areas and transnational trends.
- Sponsors and administers scholarship and grant opportunities for Fulbright, Fulbright-Hays, education abroad, virtual learning, research and area studies.
- Develops and coordinates international partnerships with institutions abroad.



#### UNITS, CENTERS AND PROGRAMS

- Fulbright and Fulbright-Hays fulbright.osu.edu
- Global Education oia.osu.edu/global-education
- Global Engagement oia.osu.edu/global-engagement
- Global Gateways
  oia.osu.edu/global-gateways
- Global One Health initiative globalonehealth.osu.edu
- Grants and Scholarships oia.osu.edu/grants-and-scholarships
- International Partnerships oia.osu.edu/international-partnerships
- International Scholars
  oia.osu.edu/international-scholars
- International Students oia.osu.edu/international-students





- Center for African Studies cas.osu.edu
- Center for Latin American Studies clas.osu.edu
- Center for Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies slaviccenter.osu.edu
- East Asian Studies Center easc.osu.edu
- Institute for Chinese Studies easc.osu.edu/ics
- Institute for Japanese Studies easc.osu.edu/ijs
- Institute for Korean Studies easc.osu.edu/iks
- Middle East Studies Center mesc.osu.edu
- Polish Studies Initiative slaviccenter.osu.edu/psi