



STUDY ABROAD

OUR COMMUNITY

2016 IMPACT REPORT

MISSION

ISEP facilitates student mobility for academic and cross-cultural learning through its worldwide membership network of higher education institutions

VISION

ISEP is a recognized world leader in international student mobility

VALUES

ACCESSIBILITY — for students of all backgrounds and means

DIVERSITY — of programs and participants

AFFORDABILITY — offering value for money, programs and experiences

QUALITY — in programs, service and systems

COLLABORATION — across our community

UNDERPINNING BELIEFS

Immersion and integration of students with local cultures and communities

The importance of language study and acquisition

The contribution of student mobility to global understanding and peace

The role of the Board, Council and members in assisting ISEP to succeed in a changing and challenging field

Our ISEP Global Office team is critical to achieving the organization's objectives

OUR COMMUNITY

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OUR COMMUNITY

On January 16, 2016, I joined the ISEP community as your new President and CEO and began an intense schedule to become acquainted with you — our members, students and alumni. We met at conferences and during campus visits. We shared meals, forged new partnerships and brainstormed ways to make our community even stronger.

I discovered the power of the ISEP community in its resilience, diversity and flexibility. Through our 330 members, ISEP students have the world available to them. There is almost no area of scientific practice or human inquiry outside the grasp of our students thanks to the power of the ISEP community and the quality of your academic programs.

Our ability to impact student lives through transformative international programs has never been stronger. As a community in 2016 we also celebrated the following milestones:

ISEP FOR ALL - Through this new initiative, a select number of ISEP programs are now available to students outside of our community.

WWW.ISEPSTUDYABROAD.ORG - Our innovative new website is designed with the power to search for programs tailored to individual needs and interests.

HEALTH AND SAFETY - New industry-leading health and safety protocols give us thorough action and communications plans for potential emergency situations.

ISEP THINK TANKS - Our think tanks advance our work by bringing members of the ISEP community together to identify solutions.

ISEP SCHOLARSHIPS - We awarded the first class of ISEP Community Scholarships and ISEP Founders Fellowships to twenty students.

Our international education colleagues are noticing these achievements. The International Student Identity Card Association recognized ISEP for its success in promoting diversity and inclusion in study abroad. As the first international student mobility organization to be so honored, we joined other esteemed organizations such as the International Association of Universities and the Institute of International Education in receiving this award.



Finally, we are expanding our ability to fulfill our mission through strategic partnerships with like-minded institutions. ISEP now works with the Institute of International Education to offer short-term programs with practical training at select U.S. universities. We organized and hosted a community college roundtable during the IIE 2016 Generation Study Abroad Summit and in 2017, and we will partner with Diversity Abroad to offer a workshop to our U.S. members from historically black colleges and universities. Finally, we are working with Kennesaw State University to host a group of scholars through the Young Southeast Asia Leadership Initiative funded by the U.S. Department of State.

This impact report celebrates these and other milestones, but it also looks ahead to 2017 when we will focus on the theme of 'Advancing Inclusive Communities' in our programming, our outreach and our ISEP Conference. We look forward to advancing the ISEP mission with you in the coming year.

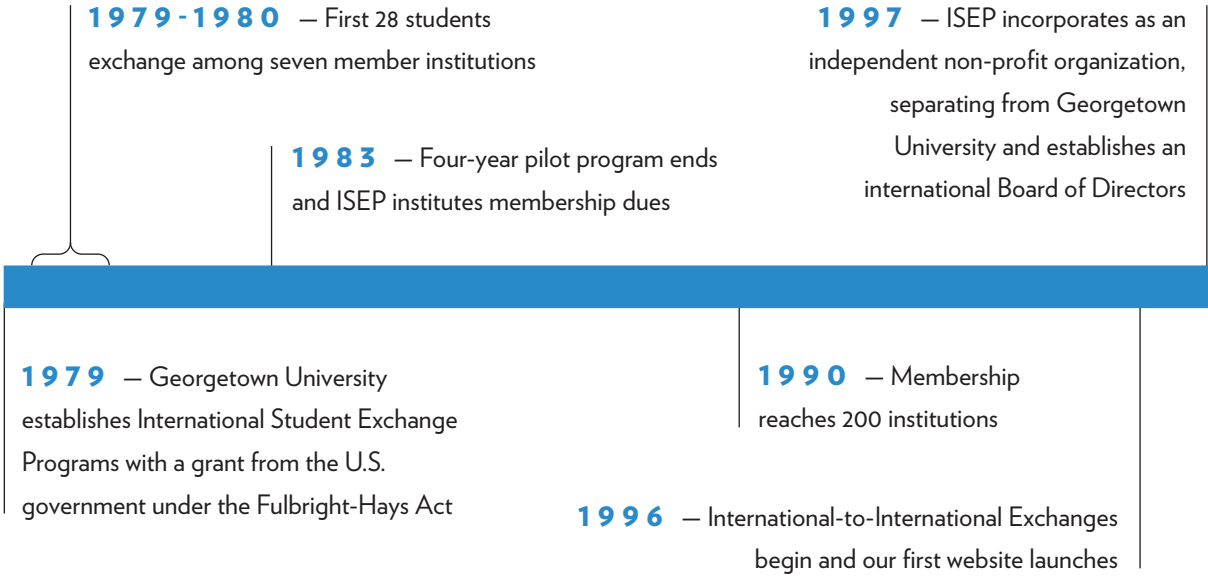
John S. Lucas, Ph.D.
President and CEO

OUR EMPOWERED COMMUNITY

Our core mission continues to be affordable access to a transformative education abroad experience that turns students into change makers in their communities and leaders in their chosen professions. We offer diverse study options ranging from the traditional to the unexpected and nearly everything in between. We challenge our students with rigorous academics, critical thinking situations, opportunities for hands-on experimentation and full immersion into new cultures and languages.

ISEP has been a leader in global student mobility for 38 years. The timeline below shows various milestones since our 1979 founding that boosted our efforts to new and exciting places for our members and students.

However, 2016 was different. Instead of one — or perhaps two — significant accomplishments, our community benefited from the confluence of several long-term plans and new opportunities, as President and CEO John S. Lucas outlined in his message and are highlighted in this impact report.



The power from so many significant advancements in rapid succession has skyrocketed ISEP to a new level of recognized excellence among the leaders in the international education field. ISEP continues to innovate, making study abroad more affordable, more valuable and more accessible for our students and member institutions.

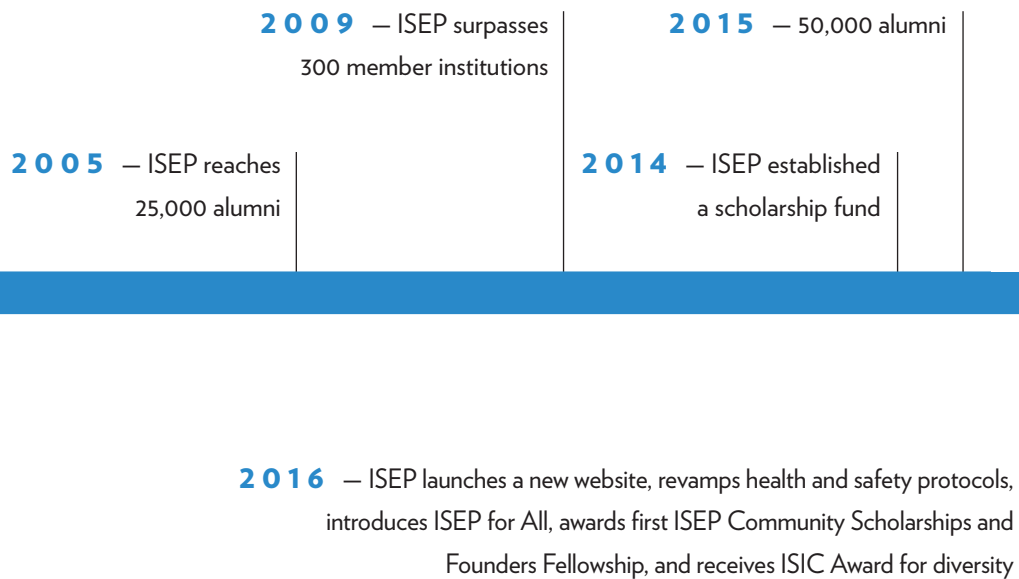
Between these milestones, individual members worked in partnership with each other and the ISEP Global Office to expand opportunities. ISEP developed new technology to make placements easier and more agile. Our new website permits students to search an unprecedented level of detail among our member institutions for their ideal academic experience.

Join me, the Board of Directors and the Council of Advisors as we watch the outcomes from this year's fruitful efforts be revealed.



Everett Egginton

Everett Egginton, Ph.D.
Chair, ISEP Board of Directors



OUR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY



IN 2016 ISEP STUDENTS
TRAVELED BETWEEN

54 countries

IZAAC COLE

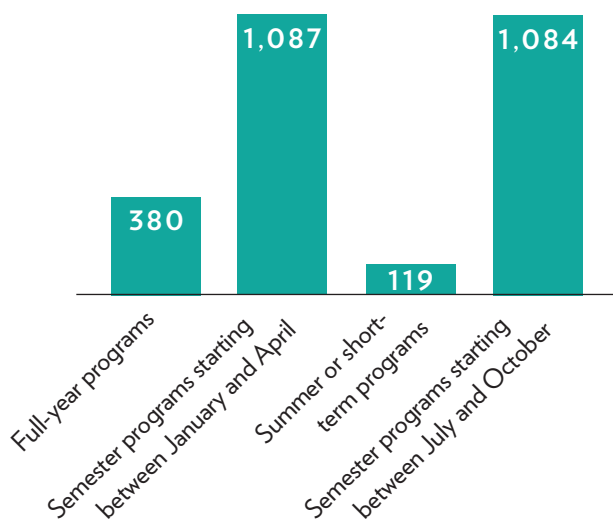
*from University of Central Lancashire,
studied at American University of Sharjah*

Izaak Cole set off to immerse himself in a culture he knew nothing about, with the goal of becoming a journalist.

“I got to a point where I realized I didn't really know much about life outside the U.K.,” Izaak remembers. “I decided it was time to find out more about other cultures — particularly those different from my own.” Izaak was far from familiar surroundings when he arrived in the United Arab Emirates for his semester at the American University of Sharjah, but that did not stop him from getting involved in his host community.

He quickly began learning Arabic, studying Islamic culture and helping establish the university's first

2016 PROGRAM DURATION





JOANNA GLOVER

from Agnes Scott College, studied at University of the South Pacific

While studying in Fiji, Joanna Glover experienced one of the worst natural disasters in the country's history, Tropical Cyclone Winston. As witness to the devastation around her, she began volunteering with the Red

Cross to assist with recovery efforts in neighboring villages.

"Many of the locals in Fiji lost everything," she said. Joanna's work supporting her host community came to define her time abroad. "I was more humble," she says. "The whole island is a big community ... I felt that I was one of them."

"As a first generation college student, I had not experienced much of the world," she noted. "My experience opened my eyes ... and confirmed to me that I want to travel and help people around the world."

multi-platform student media initiative, News 360. Through News 360, AUS students could share reports on events going on around them through TV, radio and online. "ISEP gave me the opportunity to connect with people from all over the world, not just the Middle East," says Izaac.

Even after returning home, Izaac carries these connections with him. He continues to connect with the Muslim community at home. He is currently planning a trip to France with his Syrian roommate from AUS. "I want to



show that you can knock down the cultural barrier between the West and other countries... But also, I'd like to let students know how much support there is. At my university I always felt involved in the exchange community."

His dream of being a journalist seems closer than ever. "The Arab language skills I learned abroad and my knowledge of Islam have helped me to stand out when talking to

prospective employers," Izaac says. He hopes his career path takes him back to the United Arab Emirates one day.



THU DANG

from University Tennessee at Chattanooga, studied at Chukyo University

Thu Dang describes herself as a shy person. She was intimidated by the idea of meeting people from all over the world during her year as an exchange student in Japan. Though being across the globe from friends and family may seem like an introvert's nightmare, Thu, a first-generation college student, found her voice.

"I always had this mindset of not being involved with arguments and only agreed or stayed nonchalant to avoid conflict. But after listening to different perspectives and opinions at my university, I realized that speaking up opens opportunities for more questions and answers." She says, "I became more aware of political, religious and cultural situations."

Thu studied Japanese at home, but found her language skills increased through friendships at Chukyo University. "Being around friends who

shared a love for languages helped my studies, so I truly believe the friendships I made abroad improved my Japanese far more than any book could have ever done."

Thu also volunteered as an English tutor for Japanese students who wanted to practice their language skills, and visited a Japanese high school to give students in the English Club an opportunity to converse with a native speaker.

When Thu returned to the University of Tennessee at Chattanooga, she became an ISEP Ambassador and spoke to other students about the new perspectives she gained while living in Japan. When asked what an ISEP experience meant to her, Thu responded, "I think about the importance of language, I think about new perspectives, and lastly, I think about how my study abroad experience made me constantly thirst for new knowledge."

SALLY VAN CLEVE

from Queens University of Charlotte, studied at Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso

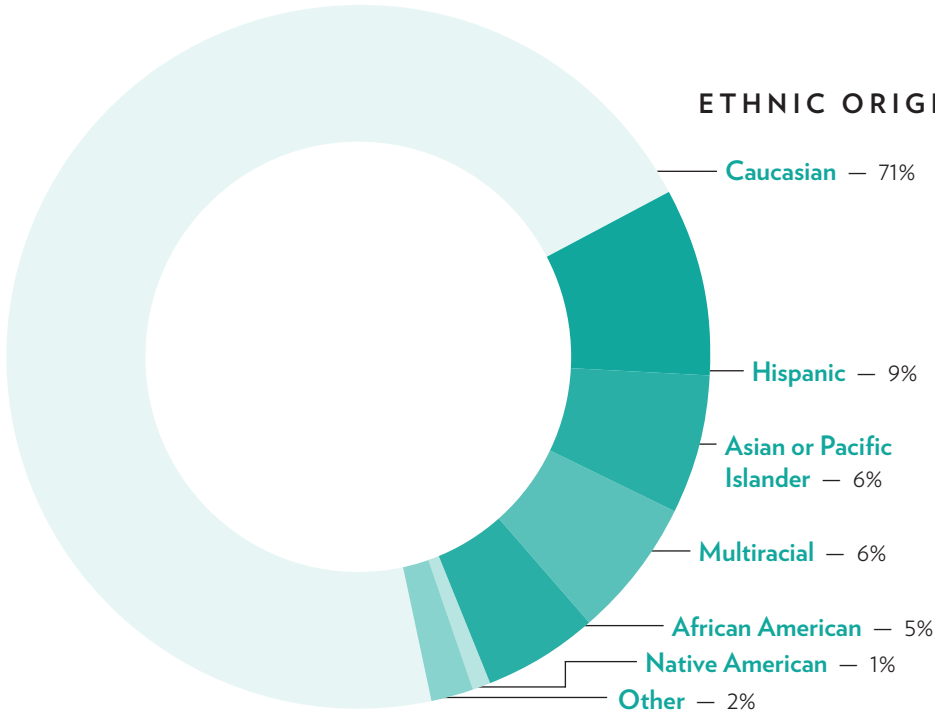
From North Carolina to Chile, Sally Van Cleve's impact on her community has stretched beyond her ISEP experience. "The community I became a part of and grew to adore is the core reason that my time in Chile was so impactful," Sally says.

"I discovered surf therapy and rediscovered my passion for working with those with special needs particularly in an athletic setting," she said. Surf therapy helps patients by connecting them with nature. Sally often spent time on the coast where surf therapy came to

be a large part of her life abroad.

Helping others was an anchor of Sally's time studying at Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso. She volunteered with local non-profit organizations, tutored children in a nearby community

ETHNIC ORIGIN OF STUDENTS



29%

Results based on 1,283 responses to a voluntary application question.

FIRST-GENERATION STUDENTS

34%
of students were the first person in their immediate family to attend university.



Results based on 477 responses to a voluntary survey.



and utilized the small business incubator on campus. Sally says her volunteer work, “improved my Spanish, but also allowed me to have many insights into Chilean culture and lifestyle.”

“The community of international

students, professors, volunteers, Chileans and potential business partners I met are people I will be able to connect with for the rest of my life.”

WHEN ASKED WHICH GOALS STUDENTS HAD FOR STUDYING ABROAD BEFORE DEPARTING:



Results based on 364 responses to a voluntary survey.

WHEN ASKED WHICH GOALS STUDENTS ACCOMPLISHED AFTER RETURNING:

96% of respondents said they gained a greater understanding of another culture by studying abroad.

Results based on 365 responses to a voluntary survey.



LUCAS WOODALL

from East Carolina University, studied at Toyo University

Lucas Woodall has only one piece of advice for others preparing to study abroad, “Watch the locals, learn from them...” In the year

he studied at Toyo University, Lucas followed that advice.

“I was part of an English study circle to help Japanese students with their English and to help me with my Japanese,” he

said. But Lucas’ involvement in his host community didn’t stop there. He volunteered in a number of eco-marathon races in and around Tokyo. He also worked as a tutor in Toyo’s English Community Zone.

JOY DONNELLY

from Missouri State University, studied at Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

Joy Donnelly is clear about what it took for her to make it abroad. “The percentage of minorities who study abroad is extremely small, so going overseas for a semester took an immense amount of courage,” she said. “Being able to work past that, I realized that I could accomplish so much.”

While abroad Joy shared her experience in the ISEP Voices student blogger program. Her posts included insight on preparing to go overseas, navigating Italian culture and daily life and ‘Studying Abroad as a Female African American.’

“My experience had a huge effect on my life. I realized that travel and learning about different cultures were things I was very passionate about,” she said. “Being able to converse about and understand world events from multiple

perspectives helped me to gain an immense understanding of cultural competence.

Now, I try to factor in being able to integrate this passion into my future career and lifestyle.”

Joy’s advice to others considering study abroad: “Whatever is in your head telling you that you can’t do it is wrong. Take it step by step, get your information, figure out how you can pay for it, book your flight — go. There is no better time in your life than now.”



“Those are probably some of my best memories,” he said.

Lucas continues to advocate for the benefits of spending the full academic year abroad. “Practically

everyone I’ve heard from who studied abroad for a semester says that it is way too short, and you leave just as you are getting comfortable. Even full-year students said they wanted to

stay abroad longer — I was among them,” he said. “If given the chance, I would do it all again with no hesitation.”

OUR ACCESSIBLE COMMUNITY

ISEP Scholarship Recipients

This year marked our inaugural ISEP Community Scholarship and ISEP Founders Fellowship awards. These scholarships assist students from ISEP member institutions with a demonstrated financial need in making their goals to study abroad a reality.

The awards were made possible by the generosity of community members and support our mission to extend access and affordability to study abroad. These scholarships specifically focus on awarding funds to those who are statistically underrepresented in study abroad.

One ISEP Founders Fellow received an award of \$2,500 to use while studying abroad and 19 ISEP Community Scholars received awards of \$500.



ISEP FOUNDERS FELLOW

Samantha Galvan will study abroad at American University in Bulgaria in Bulgaria. She is a psychology student from University of the Pacific in the United States.

ISEP COMMUNITY SCHOLARS



Brendan Anderson from University of Regina will study at Université de la Réunion on Reunion Island.



Valerie Jordan from Regis University will study at Karl-Franzens-Universität Graz in Austria.



Joslyn Barton from Emporia State University will study at Ulster University in the United Kingdom.



JeongEun Kim from Hanyang University will study at Mälardalen University in Sweden.



Sara Cariati from Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore will study at Northern Arizona University in the U.S.



Denisa Krasna from Masaryk University will study at Western Washington University in the U.S.



Pablo Cisneros Chavira from ITESO will study at Technische Universität Graz in Austria.



Sarah Murray from Agnes Scott College will study at Macquarie University in Australia.



Zaria Taylor-Clemmons from Agnes Scott College will study at Université des Antilles in Martinique.



Alessandra Postema Drolet from East Carolina University will study at Université Jean Monnet de St. Etienne in France.



Toni Corbani from Lake Forest College will study at University of Roehampton in the United Kingdom.



Bry'anne Robbins from Louisiana State University will study at Hanyang University in South Korea.



Corey Frazier from Virginia Commonwealth University will study at University of Jyväskylä in Finland.



Taylorann Smith from Ball State University will study at University of Roehampton in the United Kingdom.



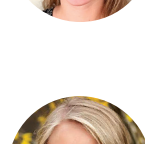
Madison Girard from Regis University will study at Universidad Pública de Navarra in Spain.



Shannon Switch from University of North Carolina Asheville will study at Technische Universität Graz in Austria.



Valerie Hamilton from Kent State University will study at University of Chester in the United Kingdom.



Heather Wallace from Northeastern State University will study at University of Botswana in Botswana.



Savannah Harper from Wichita State University will study at Ulster University in the United Kingdom.

Scholarships Awarded in 2016

Join us in congratulating these ISEP students recognized in 2016

SCHOLARSHIP

2016 AWARDS

Annett Kade Scholarship

This scholarship recognizes students from U.S. ISEP member institutions planning to study in French or German at a member institution in Austria, France, the French Antilles, Germany, Reunion Island or Switzerland. Scholarships are available to students with a financial need and an interest in learning French or German.

In 2016, this award recognized **TWO ISEP STUDENTS** with scholarships to study in **TWO COUNTRIES.**

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship

The Gilman Scholarship Program offers awards for U.S. undergraduates receiving Federal Pell Grant funding at a two-year or four-year college or university to participate in study or intern abroad programs. Scholarships up to US\$5,000 are awarded each year by the program.

In 2016, this award recognized **49 ISEP STUDENTS** with scholarships to study in **23 COUNTRIES.**

Bridging Scholarship

Bridging Scholarships award students of any major studying abroad in Japan. Awards are typically US\$2,500 for semester programs or US\$4,000 for academic year programs. Applicants must be U.S. citizens enrolled as undergraduates at a U.S. institution before and during their time abroad.

In 2016, this award recognized **TWO ISEP STUDENTS** with scholarships to study in **ONE COUNTRY.**

DAAD, German Academic Exchange Service

DAAD supports students studying abroad at universities in Germany and German students studying abroad outside the country. Scholarships are awarded to highly qualified students, and promote German studies and the German language.

In 2016, this award recognized **THREE ISEP STUDENTS** with scholarships to study in **ONE COUNTRY.**

Fund for Education Abroad

FEA expands access to study abroad by granting scholarships of up to US\$10,000 to students from groups underrepresented in study abroad and those destined for non-traditional locations, in an effort to make the demographics of U.S. undergraduates studying abroad reflect the rich diversity of the U.S. population.

In 2016, this award recognized **ONE ISEP STUDENT** with a scholarship to study in **ONE COUNTRY.**

STUDENTS WHO RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS
OR FINANCIAL AID FOR ISEP PROGRAMS:

41%

received scholarships

25%

received government funding

16%

received loans

Results based on 364 responses to a voluntary survey.

ISEP Community Scholarship

ISEP Community Scholarships support students who might not otherwise have the opportunity to study abroad. Recipients are chosen by members of the ISEP community and awards are given to applicants who will be greatly impacted by an international experience, based on their personal story.

In 2016, this award recognized
19 ISEP STUDENTS
with scholarships to study in
11 COUNTRIES.

ISEP Founders Fellowship

ISEP Founders Fellowships recognize outstanding applicants who might not otherwise have the opportunity to study abroad. Members of the ISEP community choose recipients based on their written responses and a digital creative project detailing how study abroad will impact their life.

In 2016, this award recognized
ONE ISEP STUDENT
with a scholarship to study in
ONE COUNTRY.

Kansai Gaidai University Merit Scholarship

This merit scholarship awards students attending Kansai Gaidai University in Japan for a semester or full year program on ISEP Direct US\$6,000. The scholarships are awarded at the conclusion of the semester to those who have maintained a 3.0 in the two semesters leading up to the program and through each semester of the program.

In 2016, this award recognized
THREE ISEP STUDENTS
with scholarships to study in
ONE COUNTRY.

Massey University Scholarship

This scholarship offers awards to ISEP students attending Massey University in New Zealand for a semester or full-year on ISEP Direct. Massey University offers scholarships up to NZ\$1,000 based on applicants responses to an essay, their academic backgrounds, their desire to study abroad and financial need.

In 2016, this award recognized
THREE ISEP STUDENTS
with scholarships to study in
ONE COUNTRY.

OUR CONNECTED COMMUNITY

AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST

BOTSWANA

University of Botswana

GHANA

University of Ghana

MOROCCO

Al Akhawayn University

SENEGAL

Institut d'Études Africaines de Dakar

SOUTH AFRICA

University of Johannesburg

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

American University of Sharjah

City University College of Ajman

THE ISEP COMMUNITY CONSISTS OF:

330 member institutions in 53 countries.

ASIA

CHINA

Jiangxi University of Finance and Economics

Sichuan University and Pacific Lutheran University

Tsinghua University

HONG KONG

The Chinese University of Hong Kong

INDIA

Lovely Professional University

University of Hyderabad

INDONESIA

BINUS University

JAPAN

Chukyo University

Kansai Gaidai University

Nanzan University

Nihon University Mishima

Rikkyo University

Ritsumeikan University

Tokyo International University

Toyo University

MALAYSIA

Universiti Pendidikan Sultan Idris

SOUTH KOREA

Ajou University

Ewha Womans University

Hanyang University

Keimyung University

Korea University

University of Seoul

Yonsei University

TAIWAN

Providence University

THAILAND

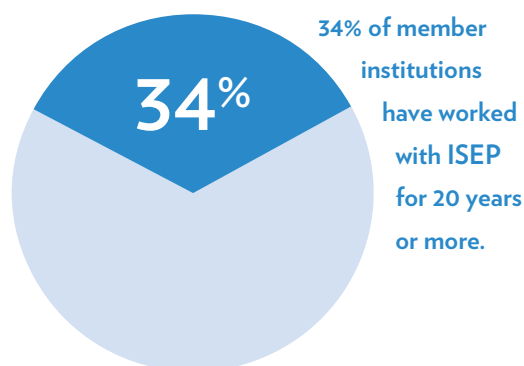
Thammasat University

VIETNAM

International University Vietnam

National University HCMC

MEMBER HISTORY



IN 2016 WE WELCOMED:

9 new member institutions.

EUROPE

AUSTRIA

Johannes Kepler Universität Linz
Karl-Franzens-Universität Graz
Technische Universität Graz
Universität Salzburg

BELGIUM

Artevelde University College
Vesalius College

BULGARIA

American University in Bulgaria

CZECH REPUBLIC

Masaryk University

DENMARK

Aalborg University

ESTONIA

University of Tartu

FINLAND

Åbo Akademi University
University of Eastern Finland
University of Helsinki
University of Jyväskylä
University of Oulu
University of Tampere
University of Turku

FRANCE

Aix-Marseille Université
Institut d'Études Politiques de Rennes
Institut National des Sciences Appliquées de Lyon
Université d'Angers
Université de Caen
Université de Franche-Comté
Université de la Réunion
Université de Lille 3
Université de Nantes
Université de Nice
Université de Picardie Jules Verne
Université des Antilles
Université du Havre
Université du Maine
Université Grenoble Alpes
Université Jean Monnet de Saint-Etienne
Université Paul-Valéry Montpellier 3
Université Savoie Mont Blanc

GERMANY

Gottfried Wilhelm Leibniz Universität Hannover
Justus-Liebig-Universität Giessen
Karlsruhe International University
Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt
Philipps-Universität Marburg
Technische Universität Carolo-Wilhelmina zu Braunschweig
Technische Universität Dortmund
Universität Bielefeld
Universität Trier

HUNGARY

University of Debrecen

ITALY

Accademia dell'Arte
Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
Università degli Studi di Pavia
Università degli Studi di Trieste
Università degli Studi di Urbino "Carlo Bo"

LATVIA

University of Latvia

LITHUANIA

Vilnius University

MALTA

University of Malta

NETHERLANDS

Leiden University
Radboud University Nijmegen
Tilburg University
TIO University of Applied Sciences

NORWAY

Nord University
University of Southeast Norway

POLAND

Wroclaw University

PORTUGAL

Universidade Lusófona de Humanidades e Tecnologias

SPAIN

Universidad Alfonso X el Sabio
Universidad Complutense de Madrid
Universidad de Almería
Universidad de Málaga
Universidad de Murcia
Universidad de Vigo
Universidad Pública de Navarra
Universitat de les Illes Balears
Universitat Rovira i Virgili

SWEDEN

Linnaeus University
Luleå University of Technology
Mälardalen University
Södertörn University
University West

SWITZERLAND

Universität Bern
Universität Zürich
Université de Fribourg Suisse
Université de Lausanne

TURKEY

Okan University
Yasar University

UNITED KINGDOM

Edinburgh Napier University
Nottingham Trent University
Plymouth University
Ulster University
University of Bradford
University of Central Lancashire
University of Chester
University of Essex
University of Roehampton
University of Sunderland

OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA

CQ University
Charles Sturt University
La Trobe University
Macquarie University
University of Canberra
University of Southern Queensland
University of Technology Sydney
Western Sydney University

FIJI

University of the South Pacific

NEW ZEALAND

Massey University
Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology

NORTH AMERICA

CANADA

Brock University
Laurentian University
Thompson Rivers University
University of Regina

MEXICO

Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Occidente
Tecnológico de Monterrey
Universidad de Guanajuato
Universidad de Monterrey
Universidad La Salle
Universidad Regiomontana
UPAEP University

NICARAGUA

Universidad Americana

SOUTH AMERICA

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Universidad Blas Pascal
Universidad Católica de Córdoba
Universidad de Palermo
Universidad del Salvador

BOLIVIA

Universidad Privada Boliviana

BRAZIL

Fundação Armando Álvares Penteado

CHILE

Pontificia Universidad Católica de Valparaíso
Universidad Católica del Norte
Universidad Técnica Federico Santa María

COLOMBIA

Universidad Icesi
Universidad del Norte Colombia

ECUADOR

Universidad Casa Grande

URUGUAY

Universidad Católica del Uruguay

UNITED STATES

ALABAMA

Tuskegee University

ALASKA

University of Alaska Southeast

ARIZONA

Northern Arizona University

ARKANSAS

Arkansas State University

Hendrix College

Lyon College

CALIFORNIA

California State University East Bay

California State University Monterey Bay

California State University San Marcos

Chapman University

Dominican University of California

Pitzer College

San Diego State University

San Jose State University

University of the Pacific

COLORADO

Colorado Mesa University

Fort Lewis College

Regis University

University of Denver

University of Northern Colorado

CONNECTICUT

Southern Connecticut State University

Western Connecticut State University

DELAWARE

Wesley College

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Howard University

FLORIDA

Eckerd College

Florida Memorial University

University of South Florida

GEORGIA

Agnes Scott College

Armstrong State University

Berry College

Georgia College & State University

Georgia Southern University

Kennesaw State University

University of North Georgia

Valdosta State University

IDAHO

University of Idaho

ILLINOIS

Elmhurst College

Lake Forest College

Monmouth College

North Park University

Southern Illinois University

University of Illinois Springfield

INDIANA

Ball State University

Butler University

Franklin College

Indiana State University

Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne

Purdue University Northwest

University of Evansville

University of Southern Indiana

IOWA

Grinnell College

St. Ambrose University

University of Iowa

Upper Iowa University

KANSAS

Benedictine College

Emporia State University

Fort Hays State University

University of Kansas

Wichita State University

KENTUCKY

Bellarmine University

University of Kentucky

Western Kentucky University

LOUISIANA

Louisiana State University

Loyola University New Orleans

Northwestern State University of Louisiana

MARYLAND

Frostburg State University

Notre Dame University of Maryland

Saint Mary's College of Maryland

MASSACHUSETTS

Framingham State University

Hampshire College

MINNESOTA

Hamline University

Macalester College

MISSISSIPPI

Millsaps College

University of Mississippi

MISSOURI

Missouri Southern State University

Missouri State University

Northwest Missouri State University

Truman State University

University of Central Missouri

MONTANA

Carroll College

Montana State University

Rocky Mountain College

University of Montana

NEBRASKA

Creighton University

Doane College

Nebraska Wesleyan University

University of Nebraska Lincoln

University of Nebraska Omaha

NEW JERSEY

Rider University

Saint Peter's University

NEW MEXICO

New Mexico State University

NEW YORK

Alfred University

St. Lawrence University

NORTH CAROLINA

Appalachian State University

East Carolina University

Lenoir-Rhyne University

North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University

North Carolina Central University

North Carolina State University

Queens University of Charlotte

University of North Carolina Asheville

University of North Carolina Charlotte

University of North Carolina Greensboro

University of North Carolina Pembroke

University of North Carolina Wilmington

Western Carolina University

Winston-Salem State University

NORTH DAKOTA

North Dakota State University

University of Jamestown

OHIO

John Carroll University

Kent State University

Miami University

Shawnee State University

Wittenberg University

OKLAHOMA

Northeastern State University

OREGON

Willamette University

PENNSYLVANIA

Clarion University of Pennsylvania

East Stroudsburg University

Indiana University of Pennsylvania

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“ The ISEP staff

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– caring

deeply

for the

students they

serve. It was a real

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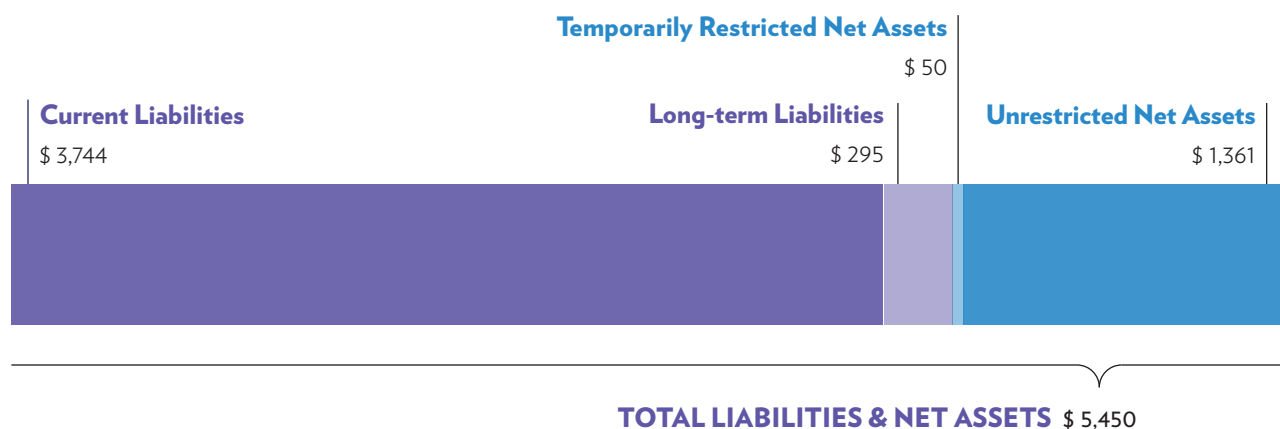
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As of June 30, 2016, amounts are in thousands

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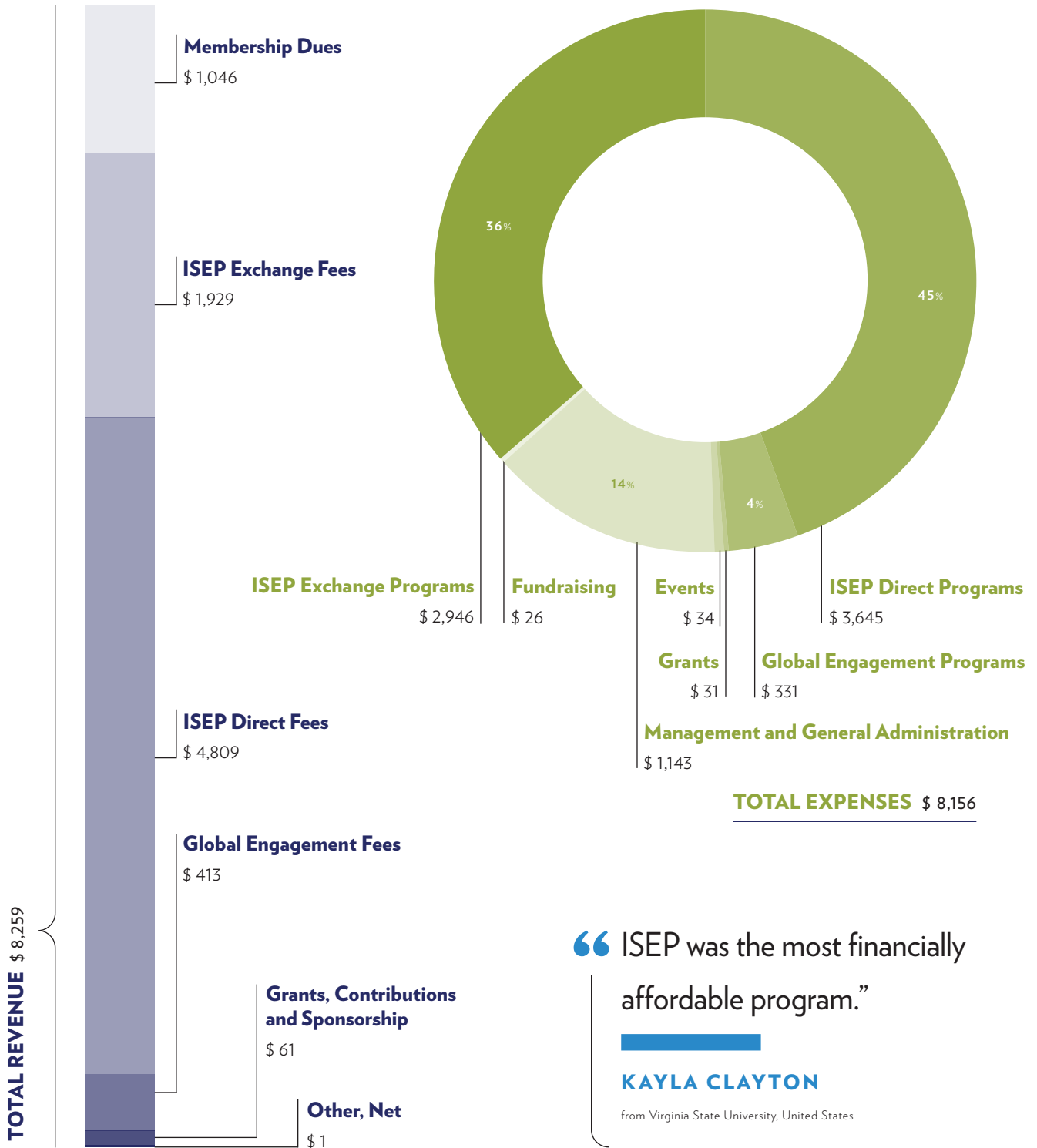
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Dr. Blaine Brownell
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“ I chose to be a psychology major because I plan to work with children with special needs. Once I started taking psychology courses, I felt like I could do more and push myself further. ... My ultimate goal is to become a developmental behavioral pediatrician. ... Being someone who plans on pursuing a career in the medical field, it is important for me to learn to adapt to new cultures and environments.”

SAMANTHA GALVAN

from University of the Pacific is studying abroad at American University in Bulgaria and is the 2016 ISEP Founders Fellow

Samantha Galvan is one of the 20 students receiving an ISEP Community Scholarship or ISEP Founders Fellowship for Spring 2017. While each of these students look forward to the challenges inherent to living and studying in a new country, for many their ISEP program is one part of a larger plan.

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