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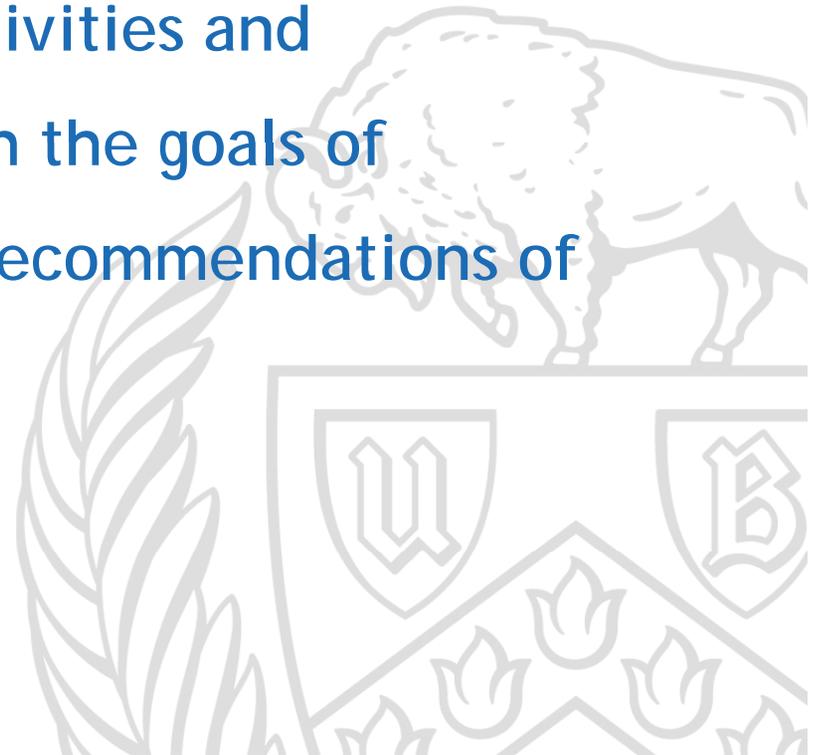
Presentation to the Professional Staff Senate

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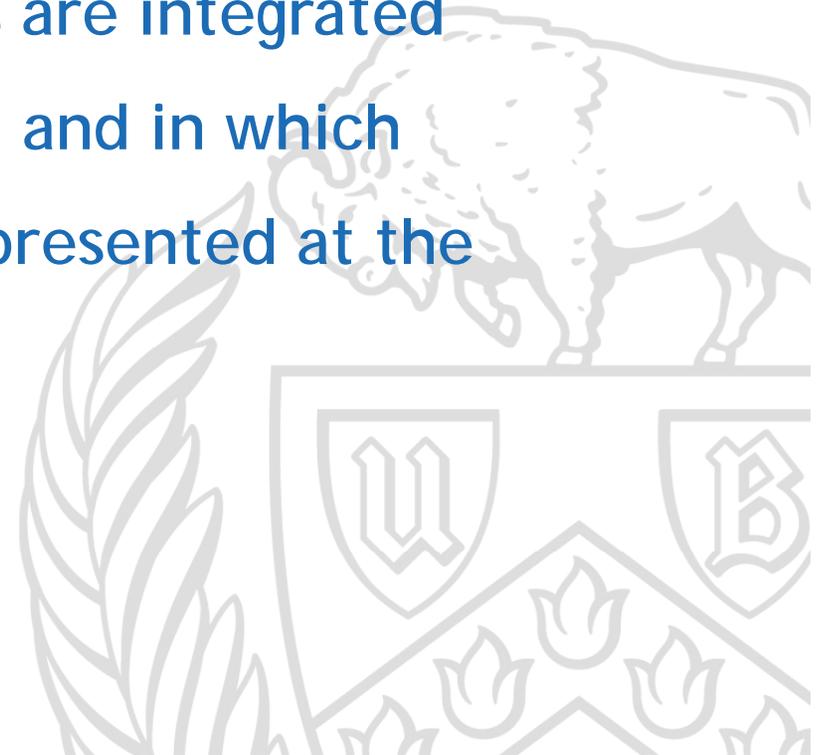


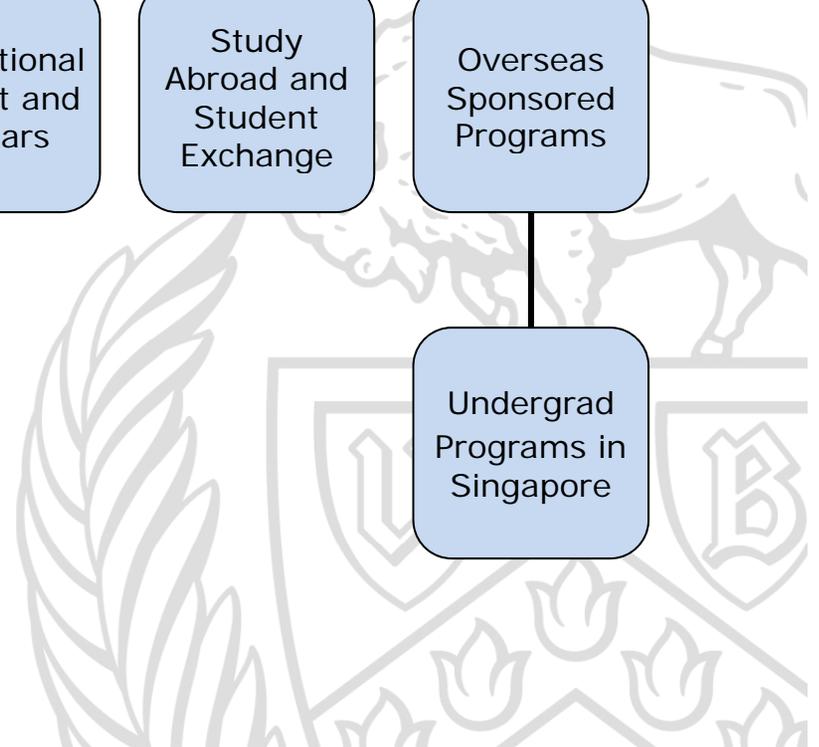
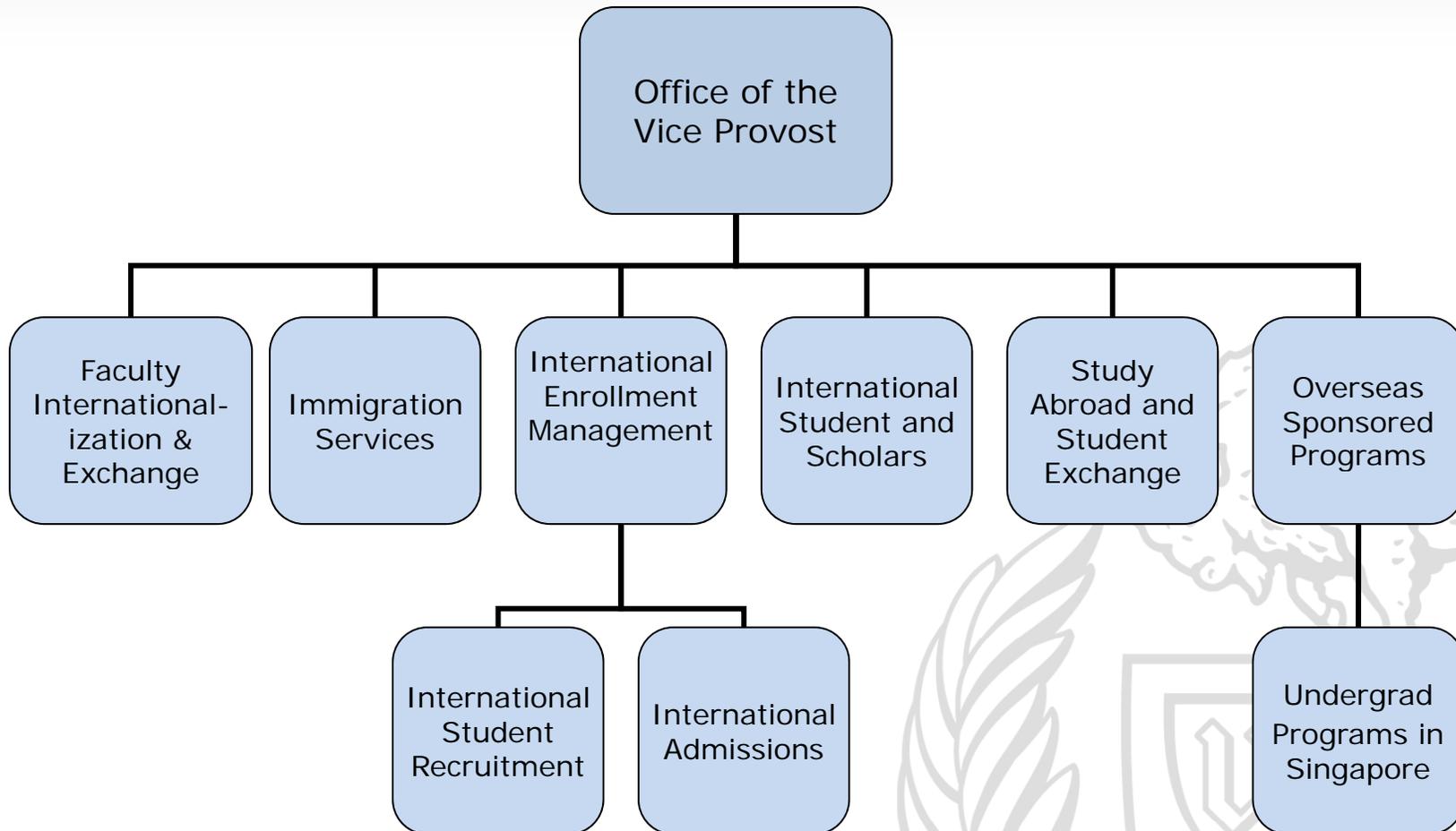
UB's central administrative office for international programs and services, VPIE seeks to internationalize the university across a broad spectrum of units, activities and constituents, consistent with the goals of *Realizing UB 2020* and the recommendations of *The Global Imperative*





A national model for campus internationalization, the University at Buffalo has achieved success through an approach in which international activities are integrated into a single campus division, and in which international education is represented at the Vice Provostal level



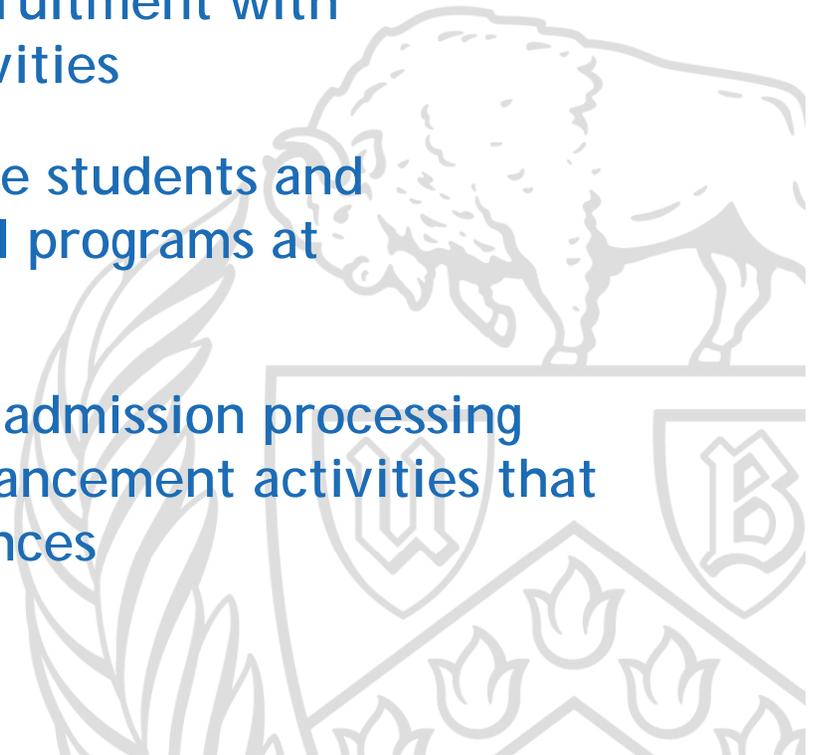




Strategic Priority: UB's International Students

International Enrollment Management

- With leadership from UB's Enrollment Council, develops and implements a strategic international enrollment plan
- Integrates international student recruitment with international student admission activities
- Recruits international undergraduate students and represents graduate and professional programs at recruitment events
- Specializes in international student admission processing and in communication and yield enhancement activities that are designed for international audiences





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International Student and Scholar Services

- Provides newly arrived international students with one of the nation's most comprehensive orientation programs
- Promotes the integration of international students into the campus community. Supports mentoring programs, integrative activities, and cultural activities in order to improve student integration, academic success and retention
- Recognizes international students as a resource for domestic students. Serves as the campus advocate for UB's international student population
- Supports government-mandated immigration compliance processes



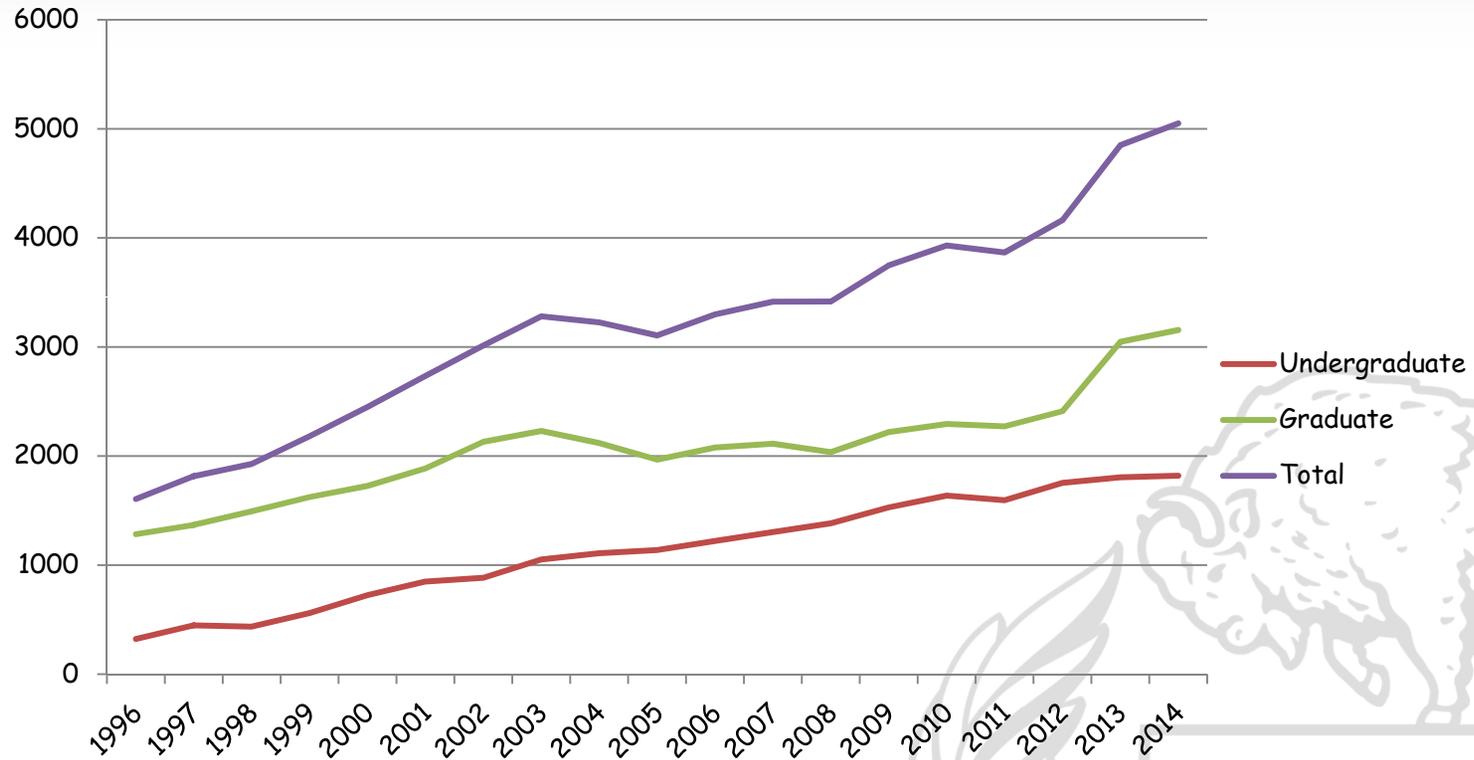
Institutions with the Largest International Enrollments, 2013-2014

1. New York University	11,164
2. University of Southern California	10,932
3. University of Illinois—Urbana-Champaign	10,843
4. Columbia University	10,486
5. Purdue University—Main Campus	9,988
6. University of California—Los Angeles	9,579
7. Northeastern University	9,078
8. Arizona State University	8,683
9. Michigan State University	7,704
10. University of Washington	7,469
11. University of Michigan—Ann Arbor	7,273
12. Boston University	7,143
13. Penn State University—University Park	7,024
14. Ohio State University—Main Campus	6,800
15. Indiana University—Bloomington	6,661
16. University of Minnesota—Twin Cities	6,621
17. University at Buffalo	6,594
18. University of California—Berkeley	6,372
19. University of Texas—Dallas	6,296
20. University of Florida	6,135





UB International Enrollment Fall 1996 - Fall 2014

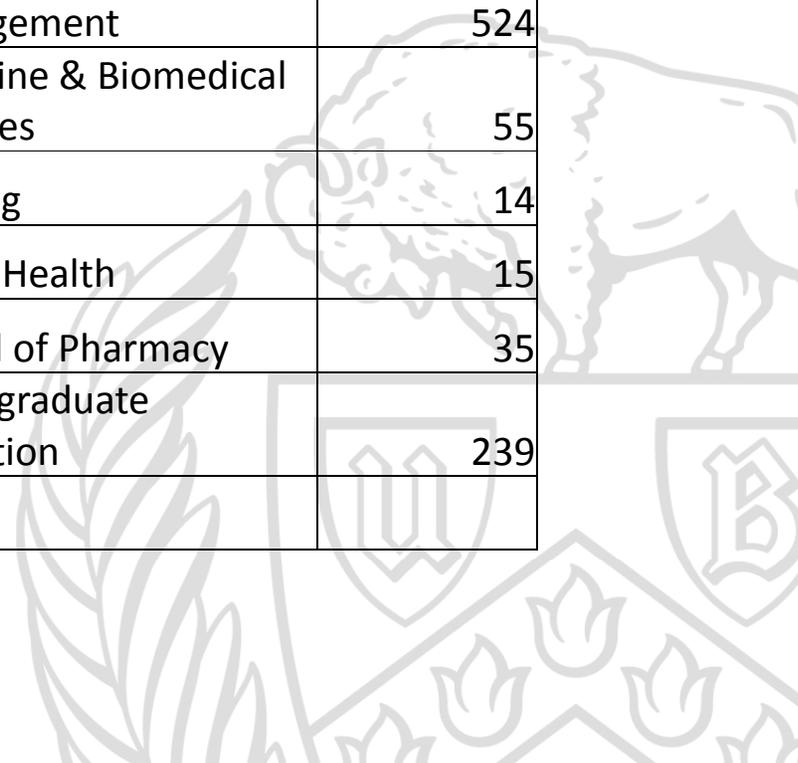


Figures do not include off-shore enrollment (FA 14: ~1470) or UB students on Optional Practical Training (currently 1595)

UB International Undergraduate Enrollment Fall 2014

TOP SENDING COUNTRIES	UNDERGRADUATE
China	659
Korea, Republic of	338
India	176
Malaysia	114
Turkey	64
Singapore	62
Canada	49
Viet Nam	44
Brazil	41
Japan	37

TOP MAJORS UNDERGRADUATE	
Architecture & Planning	49
College of Arts & Sciences	428
Engineering & Applied Sciences	515
Management	524
Medicine & Biomedical Sciences	55
Nursing	14
Public Health	15
School of Pharmacy	35
Undergraduate Education	239



UB International Graduate Enrollment Fall 2014

TOP GRADUATE SENDING COUNTRIES	
India	1,318
China, People's Republic of	1,034
Korea, Republic of	145
Iran	100
Canada	99
Taiwan	74
Saudi Arabia	43
Turkey	40
Bangladesh	19
Viet Nam	18
Japan	18

GRADUATE ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL	
Dental Medicine	50
Engineering & Applied Sciences	1,618
Graduate School of Education	124
Law	26
Management	402
Medicine & Biomedical Sciences	55
Nursing	8
Office of the Provost	9
Public Health	81
Roswell Park	36
School of Dental Medicine	47
Social Work	24



Tuition and fees generated by UB's international students, 2013-2014

Tuition and fees paid: \$103,810,500

Plus living expenses and dependents: \$106,893,500

Subtotal \$210,704,000

Less U.S. support provided: \$69,396,900

Equals economic contribution to region: \$141,307,100

Source: NAFSA Association of International Educators
http://www.nafsa.org/File/ais2014/New_York.pdf

Methodology: International student enrollment data is provided by [Open Doors](#) produced by the Institute of International Education in partnership with the [Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, U.S. Department of State](#). Tuition and fee data comes from the [U.S. Department of Education's National Center of Educational Statistics Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System \(IPEDS\)](#). Methodology for estimating overall tuition and fees, living expenses, and US support are detailed at "[The Economic Benefits of International Student Enrollment to the U.S. Economy](#)", https://istart.iu.edu/nafsa/files/docs/Methodology_Economic_Impact_Final_Nov2014.pdf



Financial Impact of UB's International Students (2013-2014)

Contribution of UB's 6,594 international students to the NY state economy: \$141.3 million

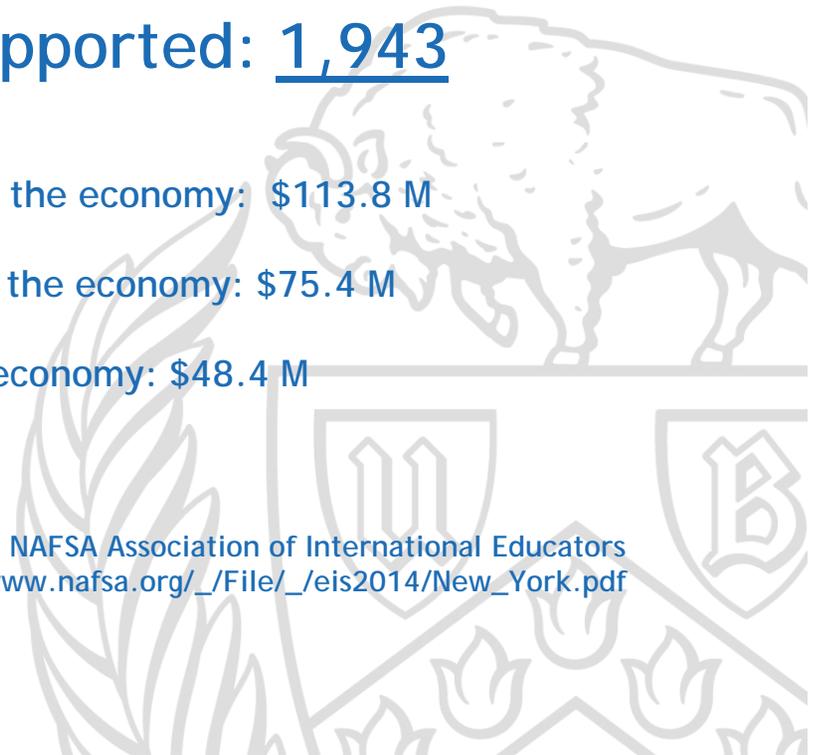
Count of Jobs Created/Supported: 1,943

Stony Brook's 4,737 students contribution to the economy: \$113.8 M

Binghamton's 2,900 students contribution to the economy: \$75.4 M

Albany's 1,769 students contribution to the economy: \$48.4 M

Source: NAFSA Association of International Educators
http://www.nafsa.org/_/File/_/eis2014/New_York.pdf



Strategic Priority: Engage UB Students in a Significant International Experience

Office of Study Abroad Programs

- Advocates the participation of UB students in study abroad and international exchange programs. Facilitates that participation, which is of nearly 600 students per year, by increasing awareness and opportunities, and by decreasing barriers to participation
- Develops and manages the University's portfolio of 70+ study abroad and international student exchange programs. Supports UB's participation in the SUNY-wide study abroad consortium of approximately 650 programs
- Is to support UB's new general education program by working with academic units to integrate overseas programs of study into the *Global Integrative Cluster* requirement



Strategic Priority: Support UB's Recruitment of World-Class Faculty, Staff and Scholars

Office of Immigration Services

- Provides UB units with support in recruiting, employing and retaining world-class faculty, staff and researchers by providing immigration services for non-citizen employees (approx. 500 cases per year)
- Supports UB's international (J-1) scholar and researcher programs
- UB is a leader in this area by employing its own immigration attorney and not relying on external counsel

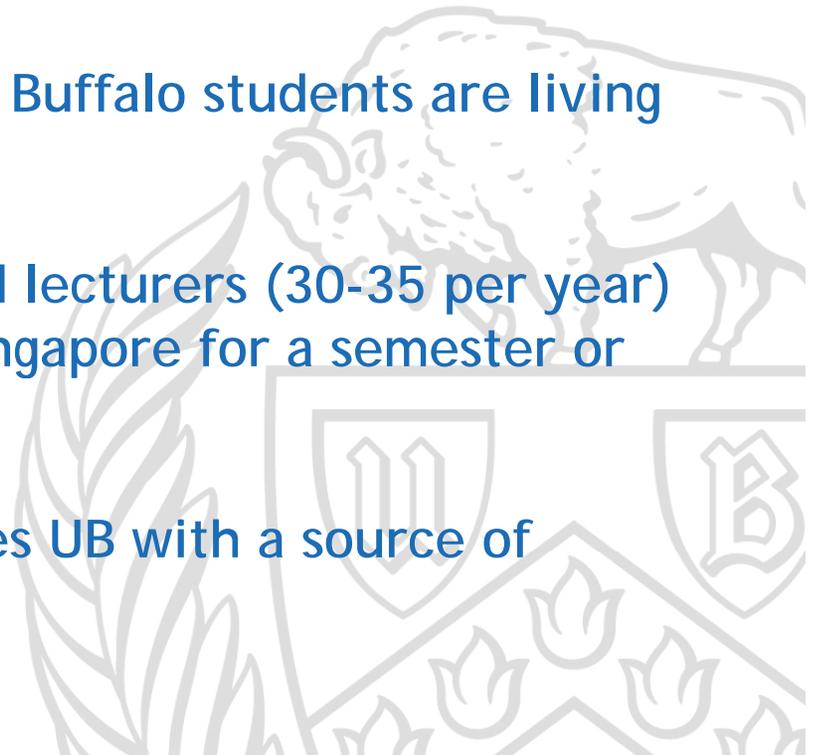




Strategic Priority: UB's Offshore Presence

Undergraduate Programs in Singapore

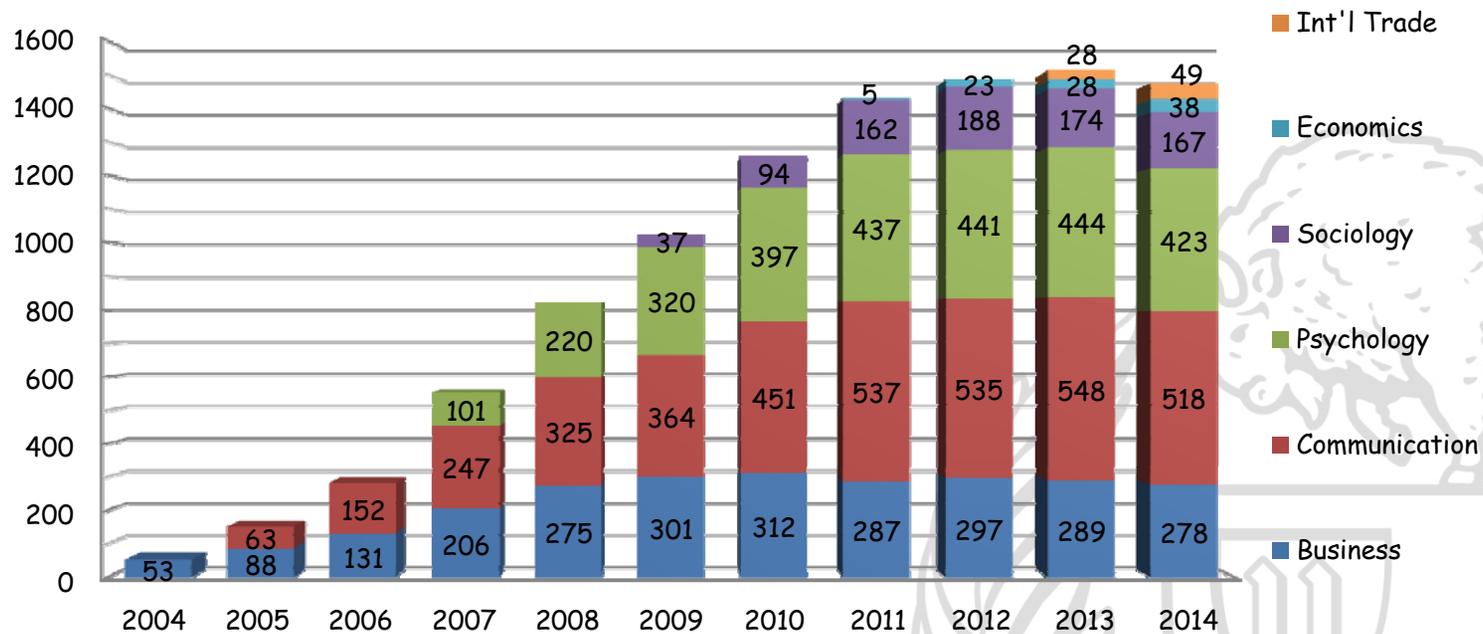
- Manages a portfolio of six UB undergraduate degree programs in cooperation with, and under sponsorship from the Singapore Institute of Management
- Approximately 1,500 University at Buffalo students are living and studying in Singapore
- Provides numerous UB faculty and lecturers (30-35 per year) with the opportunity to teach in Singapore for a semester or summer session
- Externally funded program provides UB with a source of revenue





UB Undergraduate Programs in Singapore

Singapore Undergraduate Program Registered Students Fall Semester Counts



Counts do not include students who transfer to the Buffalo campus for the semester (68 in Fall 2014)



University at Buffalo Internationalization

- VPIE looks forward to partnering with other university units to
 - attract, enroll, and support high-quality undergraduate, graduate and professional students from all world regions, and foster a culture of inclusion on campus
 - provide a meaningful international experience to all UB students and
 - recruit, support and retain world class faculty, staff and researchers

