1,329 International Students

734 International Faculty and Staff

312 Exchange Visitors
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS  | FALL 2023
International students provide valuable talent in critical disciplines, drive regional economic development and add a global perspective to the university.

1,329 Total International Students
1,033 International Graduate Students
250 International Undergraduate Students

TOP 10 COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN
1. INDIA (218)
2. CHINA (205)
3. BANGLADESH (113)
4. NIGERIA (83)
5. IRAN (48)
6. SAUDI ARABIA (45)
6. NEPAL (45)
7. CANADA (39)
8. SOUTH KOREA (35)
9. GHANA (28)
10. SRI LANKA (24)

LOCAL IMPACT
UT international students provide a direct benefit to Tennessee’s 2nd Congressional District by contributing $35.7 MILLION and supporting 411 JOBS

BY COLLEGE
1. College of Arts and Sciences 413
2. Tickle College of Engineering 403
3. Haslam College of Business 139
4. College of Education, Health and Human Sciences 90
5. Herbert College of Agriculture 83
6. College of Communication and Information 31
7. English Language Institute 31
8. College of Architecture and Design 13
9. College of Music 12
10. College of Social Work 11
11. College of Veterinary Medicine 4
12. College of Nursing 1
12. Baker School for Public Policy and Public Affairs 1
12. Intercollegiate, University and Unclassified 1

TOP 5 DEPARTMENTS
1. Min H. Kao Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science 147
2. Department of Chemistry 87
3. Department of Mechanical, Aerospace and Biomedical Engineering 82
4. Department of Physics and Astronomy 78
5. The Bredesen Center 67

International Students
International faculty, staff and researchers connect UT to a global research network, fill vital gaps in expertise and promote the university’s global presence.

734 Total International Faculty, Staff and Researchers

**BY COLLEGE**

1. College of Arts and Sciences
2. Tickle College of Engineering
3. Herbert College of Agriculture
4. Haslam College of Business
5. College of Education, Health and Human Sciences
6. College of Communication and Information
7. College of Nursing
8. College of Architecture and Design
9. College of Social Work
10. College of Law
11. Baker School of Public Policy and Public Affairs
12. Min H. Kao Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science
13. International Postdoctoral Positions
14. UT Administration
15. Oak Ridge Innovation Institute

**TOP 3 DEPARTMENTS**

1. Department of Physics and Astronomy
2. Min H. Kao Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science
3. Department of World Languages and Cultures

**INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH NETWORK**

Immigration sponsorship led by the International Student and Scholar Services office connects UT to a global research network of 266 INSTITUTIONS across 42 COUNTRIES. This includes 34 of the top 100 ranked institutions in the world.

- **United States**
  - Stanford University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, California Institute of Technology and Yale University

- **Asia**
  - Tsinghua University, Peking University, University of Hong Kong and Seoul National University

- **Europe**
  - University of Oxford and Sorbonne University

- **Australia**
  - Australian National University
EXCHANGE VISITORS | FALL 2023
Exchange visitors engage in special programs designed by academic departments, facilitate exchange partnerships, complete student and public-private partnership internships and conduct research. Exchange visitors are a critical part of UT's global partnership and research network.

312 Total Exchange Visitors

EXCHANGE VISITORS BY TYPE

- Research Scholars: 175
- Student Exchange Programs: 46
- Short-Term Scholars: 36
- Interns: 36
- Doctoral Students: 24
- Student Interns: 20
- Visiting Professors: 15

TOP 7 COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN

1. China
2. India
3. Brazil
4. South Korea
5. Turkey
6. Germany
7. Mexico

IMMIGRATION SPONSORSHIP SUPPORT | FALL 2023
International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) files H-1B petitions on behalf of academic colleges. This directly saves the cost of outside counsel as a service to academic units. During fiscal year 2023, ISSS filed 51 new petitions and 32 extensions saving the University of Tennessee $217,000 in additional costs.

FEES SAVED BY COLLEGE, DIVISION AND SCHOOL

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*Assumes petition is for a newly hired assistant professor