Canadian Students Abroad

2016

Only **2.3**%

of university students went abroad in the 2014-15 academic year¹

in 10 mobile students agree that their experience abroad influenced their

career choice

of mobile students agree that their experience abroad influenced their

academic path

Top Five Fields of Study of Outbound Students²

21% **Business** 14%

12%

6%

Engineering

Social Sciences

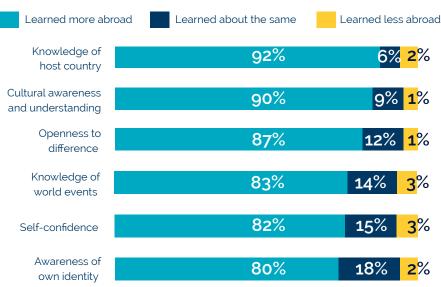
Health Sciences

Education

Top 10 Destinations for Outbound Students



Education Abroad Top Outcomes

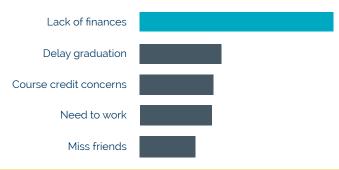


Better career outcomes: I was recently hired for my first job with a company in Quebec - my cross cultural experience and French language experience definitely helped me get noticed and land this amazing position.

> - Undergraduate student with education abroad experiences in the UK and France

Greatest Barrier to Education Abroad: Cost

of students require financial assistance 80% of Students require in order to participate





of students received credit on their Canadian transcript for their most recent experience abroad

1 Based on data submitted by 30 participating universities. Includes undergrad and graduate students participating in credit and not-for-credit experiences

2 All data, unless otherwise specified, is derived from CBIE's 2016 Education Abroad Student Survey of 7000 students from 35 Canadian universities and colleges/polytechnics.

