

## INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY REPORT 2024

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58.5 % of Tecnológico de Monterrey students graduating in 2024 had an international academic experience

+12,000 students of Tecnológico de Monterrey had an international experience with academic credit in 2024

1,054 academic agreements with 743 universities and partner entities

# Executive Summary

+16,000 students of Tecnológico de Monterrey benefited from Global Shared Learning initiative in 2024

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52 different countries More than 1,500 international students spent a study period with academic credits at TEC



The QS World University Rankings 2024 placed Tecnológico de Monterrey as #185 University in the World



## **#1 in Mexico**

## #4 University in Latin America



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On August 2024, I took on the responsibility of coordinating the Vice Rectory for International Affairs and the challenge of developing a comprehensive internationalization for TEC.

Together with my entire team, we worked to expand the offering of attractive programs and opportunities both for our own students and for those of our partner universities.

Thanks to the associated universities and international consortia, this offer in 2024 expanded in a significative way and will keep growing in the next future both in terms of quality and quantity.

In 2024, more than 12,000 students of Tecnológico de Monterrey had an international experience with academic credit in 2024 and more than 1,500 international students spent a study period with academic credits at TEC.

We had 1054 active academic agreements for mobility, distance education or academic cooperation at the level of high school, undergraduate, or graduate level, which were signed with 743 foreign institutions from 52 countries.

Every year we commit to continuing to offer students more and more attractive internationalization opportunities allowing them to get in touch with new cultures, different academic environments, and become global citizens.



Tecnológico de Monterrey obtained position #9 in the Top Graduate Schools for Entrepreneurship Rankings 2025 by The Princeton Review and Entrepreneur.



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World University Rankings

The Global Employability University Ranking and Survey 2022 by Emerging and Times Higher Education placed Tec de Monterrey as

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Impact Rankings 2024

**#7** Latin America

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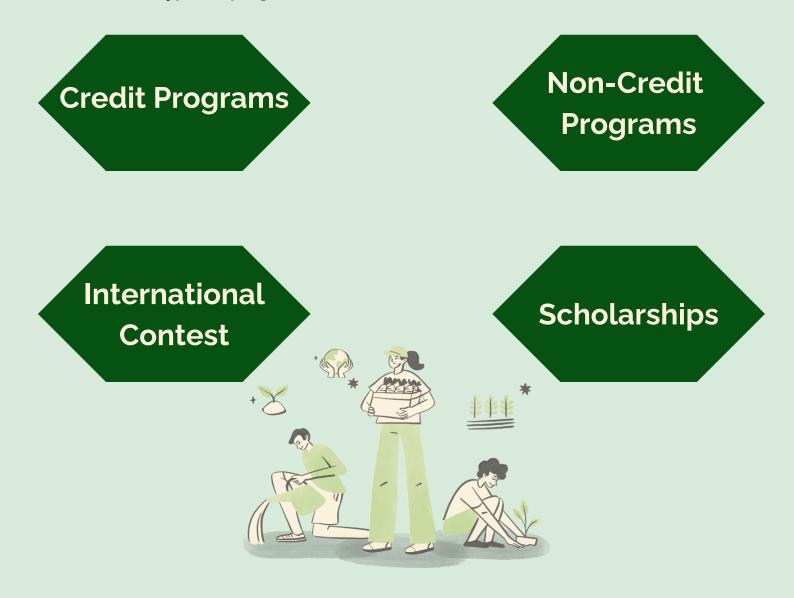
## Internationalization of Tecnológico de Monterrey Students





## Internationalization of Tecnológico de Monterrey Students

In 2024, the students at Tecnológico de Monterrey had the opportunity to choose from different types of programs for their internationalization.



#### **Credit Programs**

In 2024 12,075 students at Tecnológico de Monterrey took part in an academic international experience in any of the available formats (on-site and online). They lived their experience with international university partners from 47 different countries.

Destination	High School	Undergraduate	Master Degree	Total
Asia	79	323	10	412
China		43	3	46
South Korea		159		159
Hong Kong		18	2	20
India		1		1
Indonesia		1	1	2
Japan	79	84	1	164
Malaysia		3		3
Singapore		5	3	8
Taiwan		9		9
North America	1090	752	14	1856
Canada	963	206	1	1170
United States	127	546	13	686

Destination	High School	Undergraduate	Master Degree	Total
Central and South America		759	15	774
Argentina		616		616
Brazil		3	1	4
Chile		47	5	52
Colombia		82	6	88
Costa Rica		4		4
El Salvador			3	3
Honduras		1		1
Peru		6		6
Oceanía	43	385	1	429
Australia	43	372	1	416
New Zealand		13		13



Destination	High School	Undergraduate	Master Degree	Total
Europe	3762	4782	60	8604
Germany	683	650	4	1337
Austria	133	35		168
Belgium		52	1	53
Croatia		24		24
Denmark		84		84
Slovakia		2		2
Slovenia		8		8
Spain	572	2104	29	2705
Estonia		1		1
Finland		30		30
France	953	642	16	1611
Greece		4		4
Hungary		16		16
Ireland	84	13	4	101
Italy	681	451		1132
Lithuania		2		2
Monaco		1		1
Norway		27		27
Netherlands		119		119
Poland		3		3
Portugal	20	10		30
United Kingdom	373	244		617
Czech Republic		89		89
Sweden	39	79	1	119
Switzerland	106	90	4	200
Turkey			1	1

#### **Credit Programs**

Type of experience	On Site	On Line	Total
Curricular Courses	858	6	864
Research Stays	344	4	348
Interships	288	2	290
Medical Rotations	226		226
Total	858	6	864

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#### **Non-Credit Programs**

The Global Shared Learning (GSL) initiative allowed more than 16,746 students to be part of an international academic experience within their course load during 2024.

GSL Classroom benefited over 7,774 Tec students with 289 courses.

School-based segregation during the whole academic year				
School	Tec Students	Tec profesors	International Students	International Proffesors
School of Architecture, Art and Design	470	22	553	22
School of Social Sciences and Government	1,020	23	1.199	43
School of Humanities and Education	1,595	36	1.358	73
School of Engineering and Sciences	2,161	71	3,527	85
School of Medicine and Health Sciences	1,179	12	936	33
Business School	1,349	46	1.399	64
TOTAL	7,774	208	8.972	306

The Global Shared Learning (GSL) initiative was posible with the collaboration of 119 universities of this 26 countries: Germany, Algeria, Argentina, Belgium, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, South Korea, Costa Rica, Ecuador, Spain, USA, France, Guatemala, Honduras, Netherlands, Panama, Peru, United Kingdom, Dominican Republic, South Africa, Sweden, Turkey and Venezuela



While GSL Week had a total of 32 collaborations, impacting 2,610 students of which 1,548 were from Tec de Monterrey and 1,047 foreigners.



#### **Non-Credit Programs**

Tec de Monterrey as a member of Universitas21 consortium is able to offer Tec de Monterrey students micro credential programs such as Sustainable Micro-Internships and Global Citizens

Students	Types of Formats
5	Sustainable Micro-Interships
32	Global Citizens
37	Total

#### **International Contest**

#### **RISE Awards**

Tecnológico de Monterrey students won for the fourth year in a row, the project Chinampac was awarded **"Most Innovative Award"** in U21's RISE showcase for 2024.

The project seeks to create a sustainable and economical food source through the production and sale of Tilapia (Oreochromis niloticus) and vegetables in urban areas.



Chinampac was awarded "Most Innovative Award"

In the **"Most Collaborative"** category, the students of the CultivArteMX project won. This project offers programs for children in rural areas that guide and support them in understanding and adapting to change through artistic activities. Their programs combine art with human rights.



CultivArte Mx was awarded "Most Collaborative"

#### **International Contest**

#### McCall MacBain Scholars

A student from Tecnológico de Monterrey obtained the McCall MacBain Scholarship to study at McGill University in Montreal, Canada. It is the second year in which a student from the institution has been chosen with this honor.

Shalom Zurisadai Carmona Gallegos is one of 10 global students selected for the class of 2024.

The McCall MacBain Scholars are Canada's largest leadership-based scholarships for master's and professional studies. They are the result of a landmark C\$200 million gift (about MXN\$2.4 billion) in 2019 by John and Marcy McCall MacBain, the then-largest single donation in the country's history.

Shalom recently finished a bachelor's degree in Mechatronics Engineering. She delivers free aerospace workshops and astronomy courses for children, and previously served as leader of the student astronomy society. A beneficiary of the university's "Líderes del Mañana" scholarship program, Shalom organized a fundraising initiative that evolved into a formal scholarship from students to other students. She also collaborated with one of her high school teachers to introduce girls from vulnerable backgrounds to the sciences.



#### **International Contest**

#### Mitacs Globalkin Research Internship Program

Mitacs, a Canadian nonprofit national research organization, admitted **47** undergraduate Tec de Monterrey students in 2024. The students are from **8** different campus:



## **Scholarships**

#### **My International Experience Fund**

This is an institutional initiative that seeks to raise funds to support high-achieving students with high financial need so they can enjoy an international experience. Scholarships from this fund cover tuition, transportation, health insurance, and other expenses.

In 2024 14 undergraduate students at Tec were supported with their tuition transportation expenses, and health coverage for their on-site international academic experience

Students	Academic Term
13	Spring Semester (February - June 2024)
5	Fall Semester (August - December 2024)
18	Total

## **Scholarships**

#### **UAM-Banco Santander (CEAL)**

Six undergraduate students were selected to obtain a full scholarship to study one semester in 2024 at the Universidad Autónoma de Madrid with full coverage of living expenses and tuition.

Students	Academic Term
6	Spring Semester (February - June 2024)
6	Total

#### Las Nubes Summer Program, Costa Rica, Trilateral Student Exchange (TSE) York University

Summer courses focused on the SDGs for students from Costa Rica, Mexico and Australia.

Students	Academic Term
3	Summer 2024
3	Total

## Internationalization of Incoming Students at Tecnológico de Monterrey

Tecnológico de Monterrey receives international students in two formats: degree seeking and non-degree seeking. The degree seeking are those studying the totality of their high school, undergraduate or graduate program at Tecnologico de Monterrey.

While the non-degree seeking students are those students that live an academic experience for a period of time while they are seeking an academic degree with a partner university of Tecnológico de Monterrey



### **Degree Seeking Students**

In 2024, 4,463 international students seeking a degree at Tec de Monterrey took courses with academic credit.

Students	Academic Level
1081	High School
1977	Undergraduate
669	Graduate
3727	Total

#### **Non-Degree Seeking Students**

In 2024, 1,617 non-degree international students took part in an academic international experience at Tec de Monterrey, in any of the available formants(onsite or online). They come from partner universities located in 54 different countries.

Students	Academic Level
13	High School
1533	Undergraduate
48	Graduate
1617	Total

#### **Non-Degree Seeking Students**

The students at Tecnológico de Monterrey lived an academic international experience in other different modalities.

Students	Type of Experience
3	Interships
1	Medical Rotations
28	Research Stays
32	Total

#### **Non-Degree Seeking Students**

The 1,617 non-degree international students took part in an academic international experience at Tec de monterrey came from partner universities located in 45 different countries

Destination	High School	Undergraduate	Master Degree	Total
Asia		67	13	80
China		11	2	13
South Korea		16		16
Hong Kong		13	3	16
Philippines			3	3
India				
Indonesia			2	2
Israel		4		4
Japan		5		5
Singapore		10	3	13
Taiwan		8		8
North America		119	2	121
Canada		55	2	57
United States		64		64

Destination	High School	Undergraduate	Master Degree	Total
Central and South America	1	95	5	100
Argentina		5		5
Brazil	1	2	2	5
Bolivia		5		5
Chile		13		13
Colombia		37	3	40
Costa Rica				
El Salvador				
Honduras				
Peru			32	32
Oceanía		17		17
Australia		16		16
New Zealand		1		1

Destination	High School	Undergraduate	Master Degree	Total
Europe	12	1236	48	1296
Germany	1	238	15	254
Austria		2		22
Belgium	1	23		24
Croatia				
Denmark		47	12	59
Slovakia				
Slovenia				
Spain		292	3	295
Estonia				
Finland	1	28	1	30
France	3	321	8	332
Greece				
Hungary	1	1		2
Ireland		5		5
Italy		21		21
Lithuania		1		1
Monaco		2		2
Norway		7		7
Netherlands		84	3	87
Poland	2			2
Portugal		2		2
United Kingdom		56		56
Czech Republic	1	11		12
Sweden		45	2	47
Switzerland		30	2	32
Turkey	2		2	4

#### **New Models of Internationalization**

Tecnológico de Monterrey global vision aims to provide international academic experience for all students. There are two important models of internationalization at the Vice Rectory for International Affairs



# ITINERANT PROGRAMS

#### **New Models of Internationalization**

#### **Global Shared Learning**

The Global Shared Learning (GSL) is an innovative model of internationalization that allows both Tec de Monterrey students and students from partner universities to have a virtual international experience.

GSL includes the formats of Classroom, Week, and encompass the micro credentials provided by Universitas 21 such as: U21 Connections, U21 Sustainable Micro-internships, and U21 Global Citizens. In addition, the Virtual Exchange Programs (VEP) are also part of GSL.



#### **New Models of Internationalization**

#### **Itinerant Programs**

The iSummerMx Programs provide an enriching academic experience for students who are enthusiastic about traveling and immersing themselves in different cultures. Each program features exclusive activities, workshops, and field trips, guaranteeing an unforgettable and insightful journey.

During the 2024 summer 4 programs where impemented with a total of 54 students coming from 21 partner universities, 15 nationalities and 9 countries.

Program	Students	
Global Business	19	
Mexican Cultural Heritage and Social Challenges	15	
Beyond Borders	12	
Regional Economics	8	

## Figures at glance



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In 2024, the Vice Rectory for International Affairs encouraged the international experience in the students of the Tecnológico de Monterrey, resulting in that 58.5 % of this year's graduates had an international experience during their study time at Tec de Monterrey.

International Mobility 2024				
Academic Level	Students at Tecnológico de Monterrey	Non-Degree Seeking International Students	Degree Seeking International Students	
High School	4974	13	1081	
Undergraduate	7001	1533	1977	
Graduate	100	71	669	
Total	12,075	1,617	3.727	

## Figures at glance

Similarly, progress was made in updating, renewing and signing new agreements totalling **1054** academic cooperation agreements signed in 2024 for students' mobility and online programs, which allowed Tecnológico de Monterrey to have during 2024 with **743** universities and partner entities from **52** counties.

Academic Level	Agreements	
High School	48	
Undergraduate	900	
Graduate	54	
Undergraduate and Graduate	52	
Total	1,054	



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