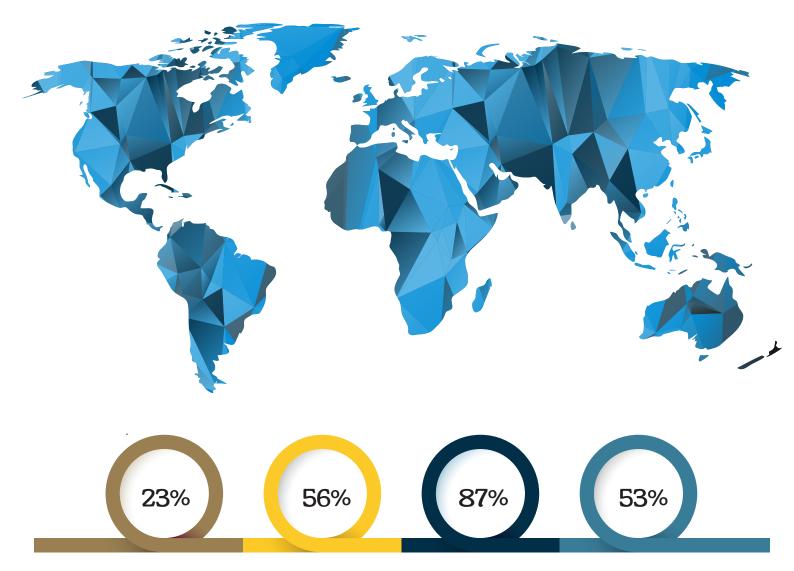


## **International Activity Report 2016-17**

## College of Computing





Increase in global internship participation from the previous academic year



Increase in outgoing participation in exchange programs



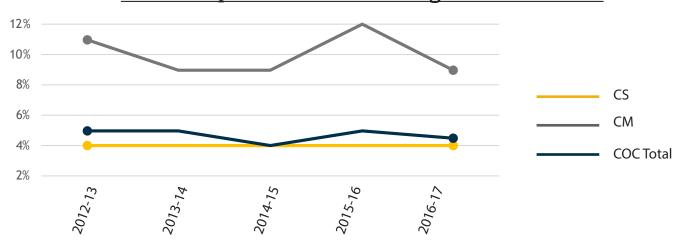
Expanded number of events for international students focused on professional development



Percentage of undergraduates who have an international experience prior to graduation

#### **International Plan**

#### IP Participation as a Percentage of Enrollment

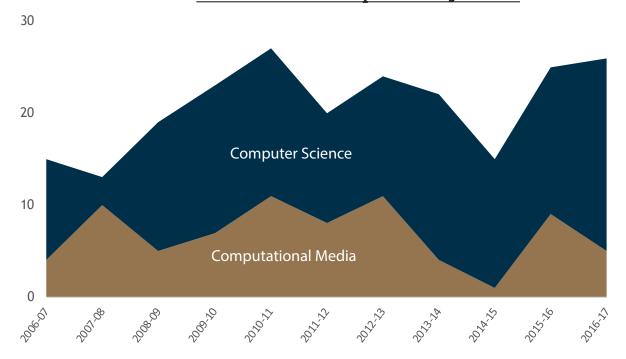


The International Plan has been a *great talking point in all of my interviews*. It has been helpful in showing a willingness to learn new things, to take risks, and that I have an interest in the world on a different level than others.

- Julian Prokay, Computer Science - IP, 2011

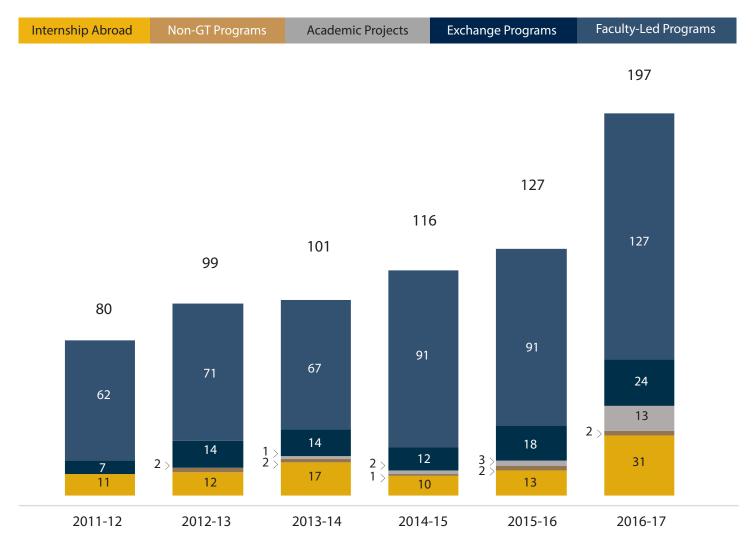


#### New IP Participants by Year



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#### **COC Participants Abroad**



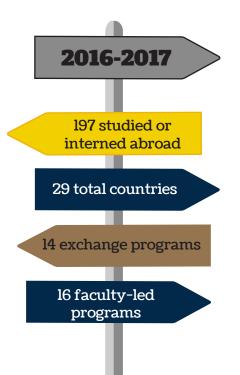
"It [ITU Denmark] is a quite small university; I would equate the whole institute to the size of and the appearance of the Georgia Tech Clough Undergraduate Learning Commons. Despite its size, my school is very well known throughout Denmark for its state of the art IT program. Although I have only been here two weeks, I can already feel the impact this new environment is having on me (which has been almost entirely positive except for the lack of my family and of cheap coffee)."

-Elizabeth Soos, Computational Media, ITU Denmark Exchange Program



## COC Participants Abroad by Region





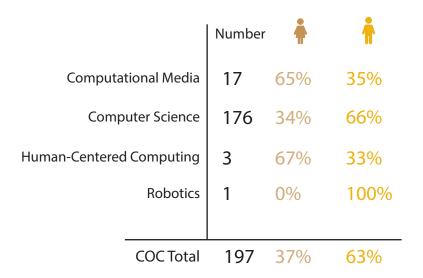


"As a computer science major, [interning at Rakuten] directly related to a lot of skills I learned in school. Concepts such as object oriented design, database management, information security, and multi-threaded programming were used daily."

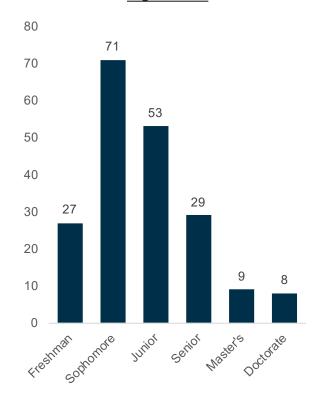
-Graham McAllister, Senior, Computer Science Interned with Rakuten in Tokyo, Japan

#### **Education Abroad**

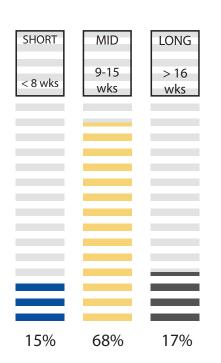
# COC Participants Abroad by Major & Gender



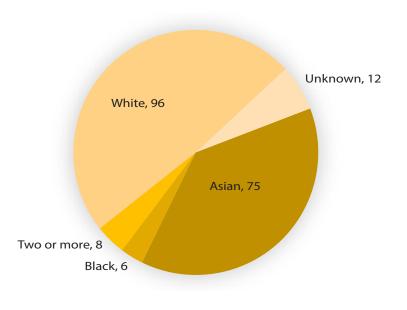
# COC Participants Abroad by Year



## COC Participants Abroad by Length



## COC Participants Abroad by Race



#### International Students & Scholars

#### Citizenship (F & J Visa Holders)

top five countries - 62 total countries represented



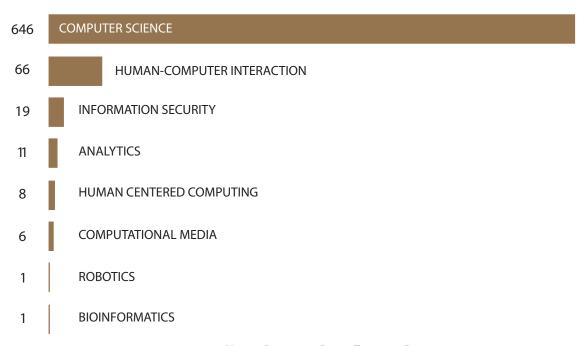




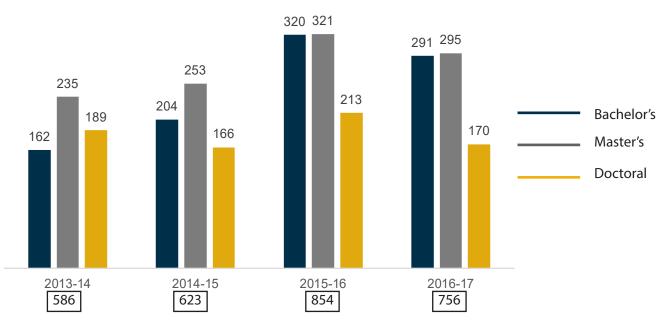




#### Students by Major



#### Students by Level \*excludes non-degree



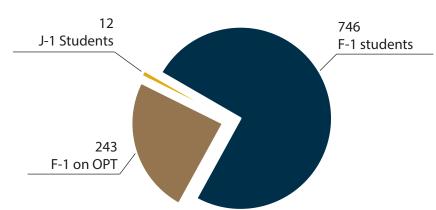
#### **International Students & Scholars**

#### Students by Gender

# 70%



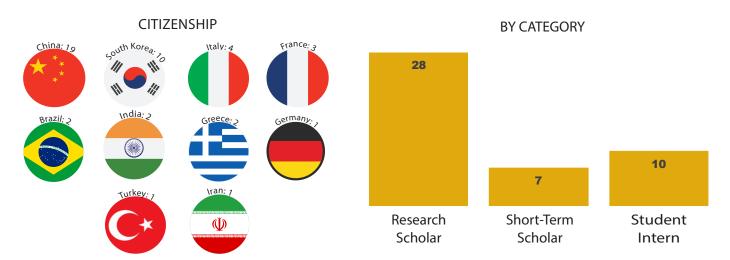
#### Students by Visa Type



#### Excellence in advising remains high priority

- The 2016-2017 academic year included heightened visa and immigration vetting and enforcement, government processing delays, and three Executive Orders impacting visas and travel. International Student and Scholar Advisors prioritize staying informed about the changing policies to provide accurate and timely guidance to students about a range of immigration and visa issues.
- Most frequent advising topics: employment benefits, travel preparations, academic and immigration documentation changes.
- 7,905 advising walk-in sessions and appointments provided by eight International Student and Scholar Advisors. 90% of advising survey respondents rated services as 'highest satisfaction' for advisor knowledge and respect.
- "The advisor was **very kind and understanding of my concerns** and answered all of my questions **clearly and concisely**, exactly what I was hoping for."

#### **COC International Scholars**



45 scholars & interns from 10 total countries



## Top Locations for GT Experiences Abroad

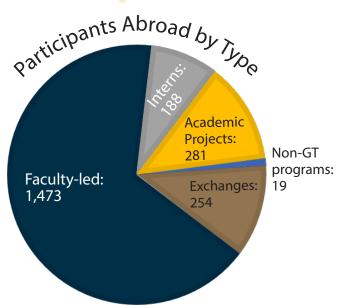
France - - China - - England
Spain - - Ireland



2,215 participants abroad - to over 70 countries

4.93% increase in participation overall

253 International Plan graduates to date



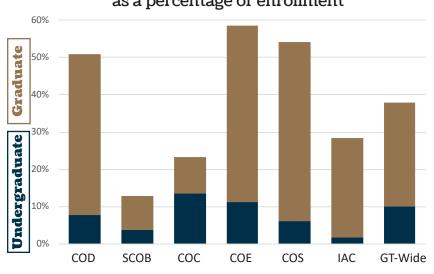
# IN COMING

## Top Nationalities of GT International Students

China - - India - - South Korea

Taiwan - - Iran





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4,75l enrolled F & J students - from 122 countries

1,346 F-l students on OPT

955 J-l scholars and interns - from 58 countries