

**FY 2017 Regional Report**  
**~ Region Unattributable ~**



**Interagency Working Group  
on U.S. Government-Sponsored  
International Exchanges and Training**

Executive Order 13055, issued in 1997, created the Interagency Working Group on U.S. Government-Sponsored International Exchanges and Training (IAWG). The purpose of the Working Group is to recommend to the President measures for improving the coordination, efficiency, and effectiveness of U.S. Government-sponsored international exchange and training activities. The IAWG is also tasked with establishing a clearinghouse to improve data collection and analysis of international exchange and training activities. The Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961, as amended (22 USC 2460 (f) and (g)) reaffirms the Presidential mandate and provides a statutory basis for the IAWG's operations.

In response to its mandate, the IAWG compiles an annual inventory of U.S. Government-sponsored international exchange and training activities. The Regional Reports augment this inventory by providing statistical compilations of region- and country-specific inventory data. The Regional Reports contain information only on programs and participants submitted by federal agencies for the inventory of programs.

The IAWG defines international exchanges and training as those activities that promote the sharing of ideas, develop skills, and foster mutual understanding and cooperation, financed wholly or in part, directly or indirectly, with United States Government funds. This definition allows for broad interpretation. Some agencies provide information only on "dedicated" exchange and training programs while others submit information on any activity that could fall within the definition. It is important to note that foreign participants in exchange and training programs may participate in activities or receive training in their home country or a third country. Therefore, it should not be assumed that all these participants travel to the United States. The ability to track individuals who participate in exchange and training programs in their home country or a third country varies from agency to agency. Therefore, the IAWG contends that the information contained within this report and the annual inventory of programs does not represent the full scope of U.S. Government exchange and training programming.

The way in which agencies manage data varies significantly. While some agencies collect specific information on the number of people they exchange or train with their appropriated funds, many others focus data collection on larger, overarching programs and do not isolate information on the exchange and training components of these programs. Funding figures are inconsistently available and are not included in this report. The vast majority of agencies are able to provide information on participant types and fields of activities. However, much of the data provided by individual programs is estimated. Therefore, summary statistics on these two categories should be viewed as estimates.

The inventory does not include statistical information for routine staff travel, ad hoc consultations, or travel undertaken for the purpose of representation. Please refer to the Working Group's Annual Report for full program descriptions.

**The *Regional Report* is divided into five sections:**

- Section 1: Participants by Country
- Section 2: Participants by Employment Type
- Section 3: Participants by Field of Activity
- Section 4: Inventory of Participants by Country
- Section 5: Participants by Federal Sponsor

**FY 2017 Participants by Country****Region Unattributable**

<b>Country</b>	<b>U.S.</b>	<b>Foreign</b>	<b>Total</b>
Unattributable	52	351	403
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>403</b>

## FY 2017 Participants by Employment Type

### Region Unattributable

<b>Participant Type</b>	<b>U.S.</b>	<b>% U.S.</b>	<b>Foreign</b>	<b>% Foreign</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>% Total</b>
Government Representatives	28	53.85 %	147	41.88 %	175	43.42 %
International Organization Representatives	1	1.92 %	184	52.42 %	185	45.91 %
Media/Communications Professionals	1	1.92 %	2	0.57 %	3	0.74 %
Military Representatives	0	0.00 %	3	0.85 %	3	0.74 %
Non-Profit Organization Professionals	0	0.00 %	15	4.27 %	15	3.72 %
Other Education/Academic	18	34.62 %	0	0.00 %	18	4.47 %
Private Business Professionals	2	3.85 %	0	0.00 %	2	0.50 %
Unknown	2	3.85 %	0	0.00 %	2	0.50 %
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>

\*Individual percentages have been rounded for the table, but the percentage totals reflect the addition of the non-rounded numbers.

## FY 2017 Participants by Field of Activity

### Region Unattributable

Field of Activity	U.S.	% U.S.	Foreign	% Foreign	Total	% Total
Administration of Justice	28	53.85 %	147	41.88 %	175	43.42 %
Business	1	1.92 %	170	48.43 %	171	42.43 %
Communications	3	5.77 %	2	0.57 %	5	1.24 %
Education	0	0.00 %	0	0.00 %	0	0.00 %
Energy	2	3.85 %	0	0.00 %	2	0.50 %
Law	18	34.62 %	0	0.00 %	18	4.47 %
Public Administration	0	0.00 %	20	5.70 %	20	4.96 %
Transportation	0	0.00 %	12	3.42 %	12	2.98 %
Unknown	0	0.00 %	0	0.00 %	0	0.00 %
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>

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## FY 2017 Inventory of Participants by Country

### Region Unattributable

#### Unattributable

#### Department of Energy

##### Office of Science

Program Name	U.S.	Foreign
Office of Science International Programs	2	0

<b>Total Office of Science Participants</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
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<b>Total Department of Energy Participants</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>
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#### Department of Justice

##### Criminal Division

Program Name	U.S.	Foreign
Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training Program	28	147

<b>Total Criminal Division Participants</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>147</b>
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<b>Total Department of Justice Participants</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>147</b>
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#### Department of State

##### Bureau of African Affairs

Program Name	U.S.	Foreign
Africa Regional Services	1	2

<b>Total Bureau of African Affairs Participants</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
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##### Bureau of Political-Military Affairs

Program Name	U.S.	Foreign
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Non-Technical Survey Training Course for Humanitarian Mine Action	0	18
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<b>Total Bureau of Political-Military Affairs Participants</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>
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<b>Total Department of State Participants</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>
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**Department of Transportation**

**Federal Aviation Administration**

<b>Program Name</b>	<b>U.S.</b>	<b>Foreign</b>
FAA International Training Program	0	12

<b>Total Federal Aviation Administration Participants</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
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<b>Total Department of Transportation Participants</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>
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**Independent Establishments and Government Corporations**

**Commodity Futures Trading Commission**

<b>Program Name</b>	<b>U.S.</b>	<b>Foreign</b>
Technical Assistance	1	170

<b>Total Commodity Futures Trading Commission Participants</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>170</b>
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**Federal Communications Commission**

<b>Program Name</b>	<b>U.S.</b>	<b>Foreign</b>
FCC International Visitors Program	20	0

<b>Total Federal Communications Commission Participants</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>
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**Office of Government Ethics**

<b>Program Name</b>	<b>U.S.</b>	<b>Foreign</b>
OGE International Visitor Technical Assistance Briefings	0	2

<b>Total Office of Government Ethics Participants</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>
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<b>Total Independent Establishments and Government Corporations Participants</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>172</b>
<b>Total U.S. Government-Sponsored Program Participants for Unattributable</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>351</b>

## FY 2017 Participants by Federal Sponsor

### Region Unattributable

#### Department of Energy

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
2	0	2

#### Office of Science

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
2	0	2

#### Office of Science International Programs

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	2	0	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>

**Department of Justice**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
28	147	175

**Criminal Division**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
28	147	175

**Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training Program**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	28	147	175
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>175</b>

**Department of State**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
1	20	21

**Bureau of African Affairs**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
1	2	3

**Africa Regional Services**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	1	2	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>

**Bureau of Political-Military Affairs**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
0	18	18

**Non-Technical Survey Training Course for Humanitarian Mine Action**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	0	18	18
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>

**Department of Transportation**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
0	12	12

**Federal Aviation Administration**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
0	12	12

**FAA International Training Program**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	0	12	12
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>

**Independent Establishments and Government Corporations**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
21	172	193

**Commodity Futures Trading Commission**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
1	170	171

**Technical Assistance**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	1	170	171
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>171</b>

**Federal Communications Commission**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
20	0	20

**FCC International Visitors Program**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	20	0	20
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>20</b>

**Office of Government Ethics**

Total U.S. Participants	Total Foreign Participants	Total Participants
0	2	2

**OGE International Visitor Technical Assistance Briefings**

Country	U.S.	Foreign	Total
Unattributable	0	2	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>