

# International Students in UIUC

## “Win-Win” Situation?!

### Economy Booster?!

#### Background Info:

Pro: UIUC has accepted 10 times more students from Asia, especially China for the past two years

Con: The tuition they are paying is the same as out state students

#### Method:

1. Interview with admission officer
2. Statistics obtained from DMI website

#### Discussion:

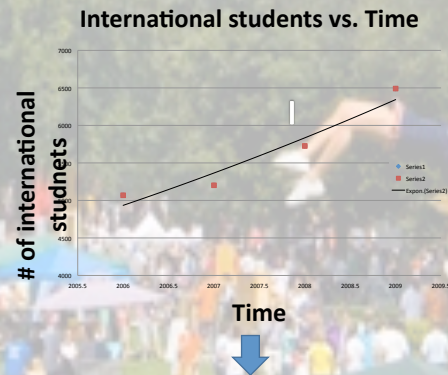
“It’s definitely helpful for school’s financial situation, but the same time we provide a foreign and diverse environment for international students.”

“The more money we expect from international students than out-state students is in case of emergency.”

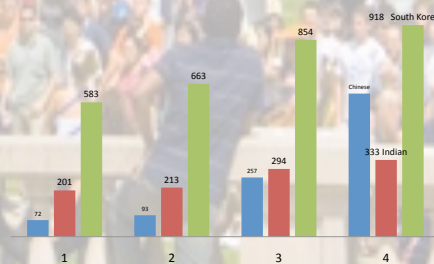
#### Recommendation:

The same time while obtaining some financial help from international students, the major benefit we gain is the “Win-Win” situation: We obtain more diversity and the international students attain a better school life.

Starting From the year of 2008, UIUC has accepted a greater number of International students



Increasing number of Chinese, South Korean and Indian students



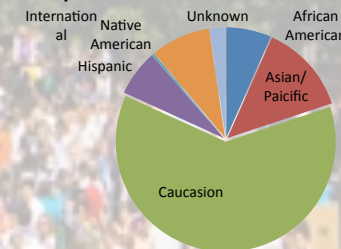
### Diverse Groups ?!

#### Background Info:

- UIUC has students from more than 117 countries in fall 2009
- The most diverse University among Big Ten

#### Methods:

1. Interview with officers from CSSA organizations
2. Individual interviews
3. Survey with International students



#### Results:

- 94% foreign students think our school is doing a good job on diversity and academic excellence
- “Most Chinese people like this school more and more because of the exposure to diversity!”

#### Sources:

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<http://www.dmi.illinois.edu/stuenr/>

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