Rhode Island and ASEAN

**Exports**

- **$193 M** Total exports to ASEAN
  - Chemicals: $49 M
  - Primary Metals: $39 M
  - Computers & Electronic Products: $37 M
  - Travel: $16 M
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- **$63 M** Services exports to ASEAN
  - Tourism: $23 M
  - ASEAN visitor spending

**Jobs from Exports**

- **1,060** Total jobs supported by state exports to ASEAN
  - **472** Jobs directly supported by state exports to ASEAN
  - **588** Jobs indirectly supported by state exports to ASEAN

**ASEAN Americans**

- **18,130** ASEAN Americans
  - Burmese: 318
  - Cambodian: 6,664
  - Filipino: 3,072
  - Hmong: 568
  - Indonesian: 258
  - Laotian: 2,953
  - Malaysian: 29
  - Thai: 765
  - Vietnamese: 2,583

**Investment**

- **N/A** Invested by ASEAN greenfield projects in the state since 2003

**Students**

- **307** International students from ASEAN
  - 5.6% of all international students are from ASEAN
  - **$14.4 M** ASEAN student spending

**Exchanges and Connections**

- The University of Rhode Island has forged connections between Indonesia that feature faculty led classes abroad and Indonesian government officials studying in Rhode Island.

- Brown University’s Swearer Center for Public Service hosts fellows on campus as part of the US State Department’s Young Southeast Asian Leaders Initiative (YSEALI).

**Travel and Tourism**

- **$23 M** ASEAN visitor spending

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**Sources:** Exports, Jobs, Travel and Tourism: Estimated by the Trade Partnership (Washington, DC), 2017 data; Students: Institute of International Education (IIE), 2017/18 academic year data; Investment: ID Intelligence (2003–2018); ASEAN Americans: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2017 5-year alone or in combination estimates; Exchanges and Connections: East-West Center research

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