

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of State and the U.S. Department of Education have declared November 16-20, 2020 as "International Education Week" to celebrate the benefits of international education and exchange; and

WHEREAS, international education promotes the sharing of ideas and experiences and includes study abroad programs, citizen and scholarly exchanges, cooperative research among colleagues worldwide, and area and foreign language studies; and

WHEREAS, international students bring diversity of opinion and valuable intercultural opportunities for Colorado students and enhance the resources of our state; and

WHEREAS, Colorado students benefit from study abroad opportunities by becoming more globally aware; and

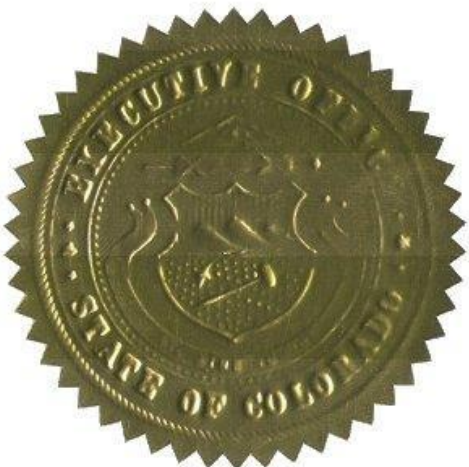
WHEREAS, the State of Colorado created StudyColorado to work with institutions of higher education and the business community to promote Colorado as a higher education destination and to support the internationalization goals of Colorado colleges and universities;

THEREFORE, I, Jared Polis, Governor of the State of Colorado, do hereby proclaim the period of time between November 16, 2020 and November 20, 2020, as

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION WEEK

in the State of Colorado.

GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of the State of Colorado, this sixteenth day of November, 2020



A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jared Polis".

Jared Polis
Governor