

DID YOU KNOW?

- Outbound mobility rate gives the number of students from a given country studying abroad as a percentage of the total tertiary enrolment in that country.
- The average mobility rate is around 1.9% for the world and 1.8% for the developing countries.
- In the meantime, the 53 OIC member countries with available data after 1999 has an average outbound mobility rate of 2.6%, which is greater than that of the developed countries 2.4% .
- Hence, except 8 member countries whose rates are below that of the developing countries, 1.8%, the outbound mobility rates of all of the member countries are higher than the world average, 1.9%. Excluding Algeria, their mobility rates are above the average developed countries, as well.
- Among the member countries, the outbound mobility rate is strikingly high in Maldives: The number of students studying abroad is more than 15 times of the total tertiary enrollment in the country!
- The outbound mobility rates of Comoros, Djibouti, and Brunei are also above 50%.
- Guinea-Bissau, Gabon, Kuwait, Albania, Mauritania and Suriname are the other countries where the tertiary students studying outside the country are more than one fifth of the studies studying in the country.

