Student mobility between United States of America and France

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Top 10 countries of interest

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• New mandates to increase mobility
• Population of ethnic/racial, first generation, high need students is growing
• Groups least likely to be familiar with France or have history of travel to France
• Lack of linkages between French Universities and Minority Serving Institutions
Student Barriers

- Finances - Across all races
- Lack of knowledge of opportunities/relevance
- Fear - Black Students/Native American
- Family - Black & Latino Students
- Expense vs. Investment
Institutional Barriers

- Lack of awareness of new publics and unique support
- Too few active academic linkage to institutions with high diverse populations
- Direct outreach to diverse students & their families
- Financial support - increase interest and make
Moving Toward Success

- Develop a strategy for different diverse groups, build trust
- Partner directly with MSI institutions for increased mobility
- Move beyond the international offices at majority institutions
- Promote France as a destination for diverse students: academically and culturally
- Targeted funding programs
- Culturally aware onsite support

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