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a Leading  
Hub** in the  
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# Greece as a Leading Hub in the Transnational Education Landscape

- **Greece is ranked 6th globally** as a country of choice for obtaining a British university degree outside the United Kingdom (UK).
- The number of students enrolled in UK transnational education (TNE) programmes in Greece **reached 34,200**.
- The number of international students worldwide is expected to reach **9 million by 2030**.
- Over the past three years, the number of international students choosing Greece as a study destination has been increasing by **30% annually**, driven by the expansion of institutions' educational portfolios.
- Greece ranks **8th globally** in attracting American students.
- As of 2026, **the number of students** in Greece studying through collaborations between Metropolitan College and four UK public universities stands at **14,000**.
- The goal of Metropolitan College/Alphabet Education, part of the BC Partners portfolio, is to emerge as an **international education hub in Southern Europe**.

