

DBU'S INTERNATIONAL PRESENCE G R O W S

Argentina	3	Ecuador	3	Malawi	1	Tanzania	2
Australia	1	Ethiopia	1	Moldova	1	Thailand	3
Bahamas	2	Guatemala	2	Namibia	1	Togo	1
Benin	1	Haiti	1	Nepal	16	Turkmenistan	1
Bhutan	1	Hong Kong	17	The Netherlands	1	Taiwan	22
Brazil	52	Honduras	2	Nigeria	10	Uganda	1
Burkina Faso	1	India	70	Peru	1	United Arab Emirates	1
Burundi	1	Indonesia	18	Philippines	1	United Kingdom	4
Canada	3	Iran	1	Portugal	2	Ukraine	1
Cameroon	1	Cote D'Ivoire	5	Russia	1	Venezuela	3
Chad	2	Jamaica	2	Senegal	1	Vietnam	21
China	159	Japan	6	Singapore	2	Zaire	1
Chile	10	Kenya	4	South Africa	1	Zimbabwe	1
Colombia	9	Korea	86	Spain	1	Zambia	1
Croatia	1	Malaysia	2	Serbia	1		
Dominica	1	Mexico	15	Sri Lanka	1	TOTAL	588



(Above) Dr. Gary Cook along with Jeremias Medina and his fiancée Danyela. Dr. Cook met Jeremias while visiting Chile as a part of the Baptist World Alliance Annual Gathering, and Jeremias decided to come to DBU for his graduate education.

(Right) Dr. Cook and his family along with Dr. Abraham Sarker and his wife, Dr. Amie Sarker. Abraham, who is from Bangladesh, came to DBU and finished his undergraduate degree and earned an MBA. Here he met Amie, who was an undergraduate student, and he asked Dr. Cook to be his best man at their wedding. Abraham served for several years on the DBU Board of Trustees, and Amie was a full-time faculty member in the College of Education for 8 years.

Number of international students

12 TO 588

STUDENTS IN THE
FALL OF 1988

STUDENTS IN THE
FALL OF 2015



**62 REPRESENTED
COUNTRIES IN
2015**

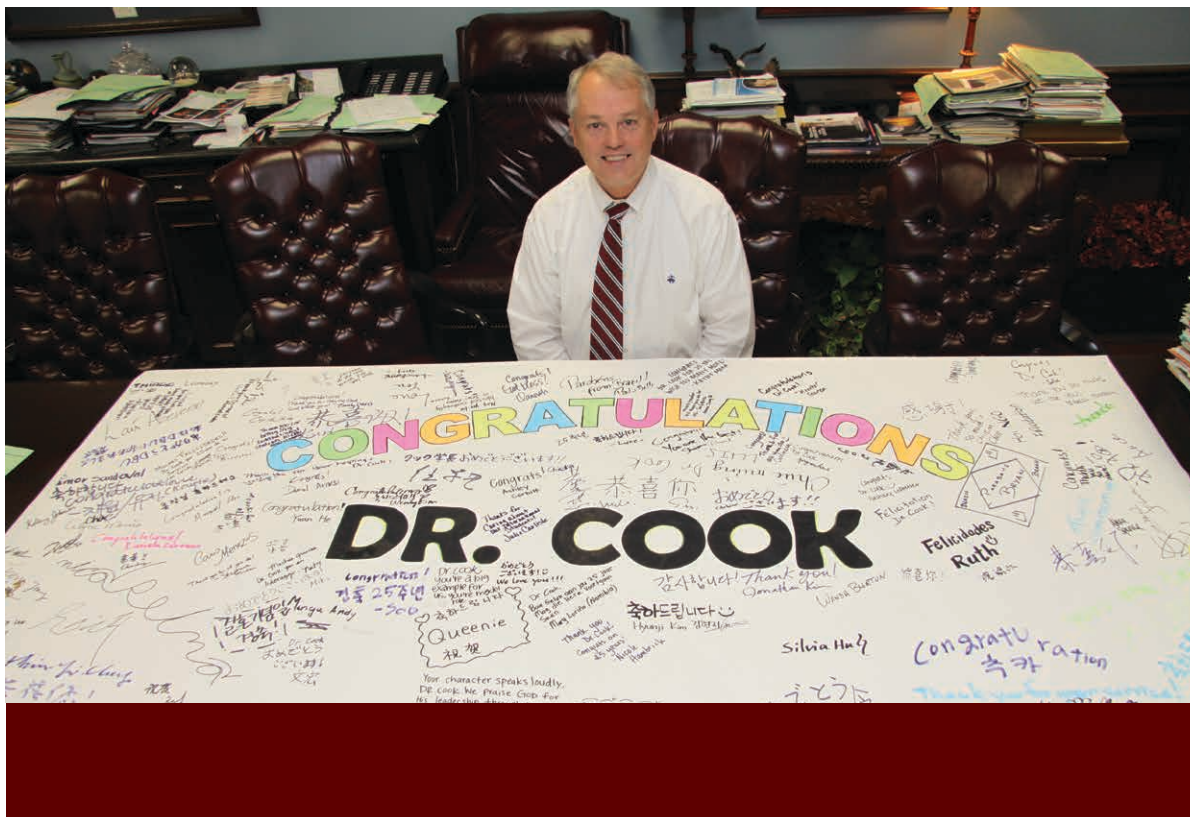
39 Languages spoken at DBU



(Above) Dr. Cook visits in South Korea with long-time friend and DBU supporter David Maddox (far left), as well as Dr. Joseph Kim, and his wife Enny; DBU alumnus Dr. James Byun; Stephen Phillips, DBU staff member; and Trudy Kim, mother of Joseph Kim and wife of Dr. Billy Kim.

(Left) Dr. Gary Cook along with DBU alumni Sergiy and Mac (Hodjihanova) Saydometov, and their children, Victoria and Lucas. Sergiy and Mac met while they were both international students at DBU. Sergiy, completed his undergraduate at DBU and remained to finish his MBA. He currently serves at DBU as an assistant professor of finance as well as associate dean of the College of Business, and he is in the process of completing his dissertation. Sergiy and Mac asked Dr. Cook to perform their wedding ceremony.

(Below) For Dr. Cook's 25th anniversary as president, various international students signed this congratulatory banner to him, many in their own native language.



- Arabic
- Bahasa
- Cantonese
- Croatian
- Dutch
- Dzongkha
- English
- Filipino
- French
- Gujarati
- Hindi
- Jamaican
- Japanese
- Kannada
- Kirundi
- Korean
- Malay
- Malayalam
- Mandarin
- Marathi
- Ndebele
- Nepali
- Persian
- Portuguese
- Romanian
- Russian
- Serbian
- Shona
- Sinhala
- Spanish
- Swahili
- Taiwanese
- Tamil
- Telugu
- Thai
- Turkmen
- Ukrainian
- Urdu
- Vietnamese