

# Impact of Higher Education in New England

Estimated Economic Impact

# \$28.5B

Lightcast 2025 Total Gross Regional Product (NAICS Code 611310)



## IMPACT SNAPSHOT

# \$1.3B

Federal Taxes  
(Goods and Services)

# 289,112

People Employed in  
Higher Education

# 560,415

Jobs Created in  
the Region<sup>1</sup>

Lightcast Input-Output Model, 2025

# 302

Number of  
Institutions

# 1.1M

Total Students

# 286,095

Students Awarded a  
Pell Grant (2023)

Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) Academic Year 2024-2025

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<sup>1</sup> Across all industries. A calculation of economic activity generated by people employed at higher education institutions.