

Higher Education Services Corporation (HESC)

Loan Forgiveness Recipients by Program and Region of Employment: Beginning 2011

Data Dictionary

Data Label	Data Type	Data Description
Award Year	Numeric	Year of Loan Forgiveness award.
Loan Forgiveness Program Name	Text	The name of the Loan Forgiveness program administered by HESC.
Region Name	Text	<p>Recipient region of employment. For this purpose, the current New York State Department of Labor definitions of New York State Regions, as listed on their public web site, were used.</p> <p>Department of Labor Region and Counties: Capital District - Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, Saratoga, Schenectady, Warren, and Washington</p> <p>Central New York - Cayuga, Cortland, Madison, Onondaga and Oswego</p> <p>Finger Lakes - Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, Wyoming and Yates</p> <p>Hudson Valley - Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster and Westchester</p> <p>Long Island - Nassau and Suffolk</p> <p>Mohawk Valley - Fulton, Herkimer, Montgomery, Oneida, Otsego and Schoharie</p> <p>New York City - Bronx, Kings, New York, Queens and Richmond</p> <p>North Country - Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Hamilton, Jefferson, Lewis and St. Lawrence</p> <p>Southern Tier - Broome, Chemung, Chenango, Delaware, Schuyler, Steuben, Tioga and Tompkins</p> <p>Western New York - Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chautaugua, Erie and Niagara</p> <p>X – unassigned - Employment region to be determined</p>

Loan Forgiveness Program Headcount	Numeric	Number of recipients approved for the Loan Forgiveness program.
Loan Forgiveness Program Dollars	Numeric	Total program dollars on behalf of Loan Forgiveness recipients.