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**THE GLOBAL REPORT**  
**DAYTON REGION**  
**COUNTRY PROFILE: INDIA**



Global Connections in the Dayton, Ohio Region, USA



Dear Reader:

On behalf of the Dayton Council on World Affairs (DCOWA) and its partners, we are proud to present the Global Report Dayton Region's Country Profile highlighting our region's connections with India. This builds off the 2020 Comprehensive Global Report and Five Country Profiles of the Dayton Region, that provided a comprehensive, updated account of the relationship between five counties of the Dayton Region and the world.

This report reminds area citizens of the impact that India has on our region and how we interact with the world's largest democracy. Area businesses, educational institutions, local governments, and our region can learn from this report and use it to continue to develop the Dayton Region's economic, social and cultural connection with India.

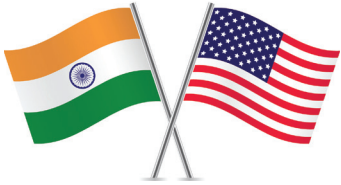
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Enjoy the contents of these pages and share the information with your partners. Be proud of what the Dayton Region has done in the past and be inspired by what we will achieve in the future!

Sincerely,

Dr. Vaughn Shannon  
President  
Dayton Council on World Affairs

# THE DAYTON REGION'S CONNECTIONS WITH INDIA



★ The Dayton Region has 6 International Subsidiaries in 3 Indian States: Haryana, Maharashtra and Tamil Nadu.

## PEOPLE

12% of all foreign-born residents in the Dayton Region were born in India (4,400).

## EDUCATION

Each year from 2018 to 2020 local universities have had more than **100 UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS AND OVER 400 GRADUATE STUDENTS FROM INDIA.**

Most common graduate concentration for Indian students at University of Dayton and Wright State University: **COMPUTER SCIENCE.**

From spring 2015 through summer 2020, Wright State has awarded

# 1,439

undergraduate and graduate degrees to Indian international students.

Local universities have **PARTNERSHIPS WITH 12 INSTITUTIONS** of higher education in India.

## ECONOMY

In 2020 imports from India to Ohio were over

# \$1.4B

accounting for 2.2% of all global imports to the state.

# 4.3%

of global imports to the Port of Dayton, Ohio came from India in 2020.

In 2020 Ohio's exports to India were just over

# \$430M.

**EVOKE TECHNOLOGIES,** a global information technology services company with headquarters in India, has a local office in Dayton, Ohio.

**3 DAYTON REGION COMPANIES HAVE A TOTAL OF 6 INTERNATIONAL SUBSIDIARIES IN INDIA,** 2 have offices headquartered in Miami Township, Ohio: • LexisNexis subsidiary of LexisNexis Group (1 Headquarter Office and 2 Branch Offices) • Midmark (India) Pvt. Ltd. subsidiary of Midmark Corporation (1 Headquarter Office) • NDC Technologies subsidiary of NDC Technologies Ltd. (2 Sales Offices).

**10 COMPANIES INCLUDING HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS EMPLOYED INDIAN CITIZENS WHO WERE GRANTED PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT CERTIFICATION THROUGH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR IN 2019:**

- BWI North America, Inc. • Central State University • Centric Consulting, LLC
- Golden Resources, Inc. • Indus Valley Consultants, Inc. • Midmark Corporation
- MVHE, Inc. • Power Solutions Group, Ltd. • Winsupply, Inc. • Wright State University.

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The Dayton Region is an ideal location for international companies because it offers faster speed-to-market, lower risk and cost for companies to relocate, grow and expand. The region has a proven history of working collaboratively to get results for companies and quickly provides various resources and support to companies to be globally competitive. The Dayton Region continues to build and maintain a strong, viable economy and welcomes international companies like Indian companies to the region.

Aeroseal, LLC, is a corporate local duct sealing technology company founded in California in 1997 which was acquired in 2010 in the Dayton Region. The company's world headquarters is in Miamisburg, Ohio and it has another facility in Centerville, Ohio. Aeroseal has 102 employees and is led by its Chief Executive Officer (CEO) Amit Gupta, who is Indian born and raised. Aeroseal has an international footprint in over 24 countries including India. The company has partners in India like Consergy Systems and Technologies LLP who have purchased their technology to provide air duct sealing services. Aeroseal's technology improves ventilation and airflow in homes in various cities throughout India such as Ahmedabad, Bengaluru and Mumbai.



Aeroseal's technology and service has been recognized among home builders and industry experts like Dayton Business Journal's 2015 Manufacturing Innovation Award and U.S. Department of Energy's Energy 100 Award.

According to the CEO Amit Gupta, **"THE BEST THINGS ABOUT HAVING AEROSEAL IN THE DAYTON REGION INCLUDE: THE DAYTON REGION'S CENTRAL LOCATION THAT MAKES IT EASY TO GET TO CUSTOMERS AND SUPPLIERS ANYWHERE IN THE COUNTRY QUICKLY.** Also being able to draw talent from the colleges and universities across Dayton, Cincinnati, and Columbus, including the ease and low-cost of doing business in the Dayton Region has been critical to Aeroseal's success."



Amit Gupta CEO of Aeroseal, LLC since 2010.

## LEARN ABOUT THE DAYTON REGION

The 5-county (Darke, Greene, Miami, Montgomery, and Preble counties) Dayton Region has more than 890,000 people.

There are 5 international airports within 90 minutes of the Dayton Region, with Dayton International Airport being one of Ohio's four U.S. Customs and Border Protection - Global Ports of Entry.

You can reach 60 percent of U.S. consumers in one day's drive.

There are 41 degree-granting higher education institutions within a 60 mile radius.



# THE DAYTON REGION'S CONNECTIONS WITH INDIA

The Dayton community is excited about the opportunities to build more business, educational and cultural connections between the Dayton Region and India. We welcome people from all backgrounds and cultures. Our residents share a passion for innovation and a commitment to building a stronger community.

The Global Report of the Dayton Region was created to show how this Region is impacted by the world and how those connections make this an internationally diverse community and a great place to work and live.

## CLUBS & ASSOCIATIONS:

Dayton Cricket Club

India Club of Greater Dayton

Miami-Valley Area Telugu Association (MATA)

Pragati of Dayton

Triveni Mitra Mandal

Umang Gujurati Association of Dayton, Ohio

## INDIAFEST

The India Club of Greater Dayton has hosted IndiaFest annually for over six years. This free, family-oriented event was designed to expose the Dayton community to Indian culture and Indian cuisine. In addition to boasting a variety of delicious Indian dishes, IndiaFest is a day full of Indian cultural entertainment and vendors selling traditional items of Indian origin. The 2019 IndiaFest was attended by nearly 2,500 people and has quickly become a favorite among the various community gatherings in the region.



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## RELIGIOUS & MEDITATION CENTERS:

- BAPS Shri Swaminarayan Mandir
- Buddhist Meditation Temple
- Dayton Gurudwara
- Hindu Temple of Dayton (includes Om Shanthi Cultural Center)
- Jain Center of Cincinnati Dayton
- SRCM Heartfulness Meditation Center in Beavercreek



Hindu Temple of Dayton, Beavercreek, Ohio



Heartfulness Meditation Center, Beavercreek, Ohio

## RESTAURANTS:

- Aahar India
- Ajanta India Restaurant
- Amar India Restaurant
- Crossroads Biryani & Grill
- Curry & Grill
- Heavenly Indian Grill
- India Chaat Café and Curry Out
- Jeet India Restaurant
- Maharaja of Dayton
- Prem's Chennai Delight

## GROCERY STORES:

- Bombay Bazar Indian Market
- Broadway Market
- Shree-G-Grocers

## INDIAN-AFFILIATED FOUNDATIONS:

- Asian-Indian Community Fund (AICF) of the Dayton Foundation
- Muni Seva Charitable Foundation USA, Inc
- Raj and Indu Soin Family Foundation

## INDIAN-AFFILIATED NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS:

- Global Water Consortium
- Miami Valley Association Of Physicians Of Indian Origin

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