

Some of the Companies that Call Illinois Home



























## Global Economic Powerhouse



Illinois is the 18<sup>th</sup> Largest Economy in the World

37 Fortune 500 Companies Call Illinois Home



Over 2000 Foreign Companies Have #1 Chosen Illinois



Illinois has a Population of 12.7 Million People

# World Class Infrastructure



 $\ell$  O'Hare Airport has 1,400 Daily Flights



Only State with All 7 Class 1 Freight Railroads



**14** Waterway Ports with Access to the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic Ocean



**3<sup>rd</sup>** Largest Interstate Highway System in the Country

## **Innovation Hub**



Home to 3 National Laboratories - USDA. Argonne & Fermilab



#### \$16 Billion in Public & Private R&D Spending Annually



**80** Business Incubators & Accelerators

## **Highly Educated** Workforce



**6.4 Million** Dedicated, Innovative, and Educated Workforce



3 of the **Top** 50 Universities in the World.

- University of Chicago
- Northwestern University
- University of Illinois



University of Illinois Graduates More Engineers than any Other School in the U.S.

# Illinois has an Outstanding **Quality of Life**



60 Museums & **90** Art Galleries



Theater Companies and 220 Dance Companies



116 State Parks & Recreational Areas



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