

Program Retention Report

Fall 2014 to Fall 2015

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RETENTION RATES OF STUDENTS IN DEGREE PROGRAMS

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Programs in ARTS AND SCIENCES	Fall 2014 Enrollment	AY 2014-15 Graduated	Fall 2015 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Anthropology	43	5	25	30	69.8%
Art	109	27	57	84	77.1%
Biology	439	80	270	350	79.7%
Chemistry	88	17	48	65	73.9%
Communication, Media & Theatre	268	94	129	223	83.2%
Computer Science	342	69	207	276	80.7%
Earth Science	48	10	28	38	79.2%
Economics	89	35	38	73	82.0%
English	184	45	110	155	84.2%
Environmental Studies	62	21	31	52	83.9%
Environmental Science	0	0	0	0	-
French and French Studies	5	2	2	4	80.0%
Geography	33	11	18	29	87.9%
Global Studies	0	0	0	0	-
History	164	34	102	136	82.9%
Justice Studies	353	85	200	285	80.7%
Latino & Latin American Studies	15	4	8	12	80.0%
Mathematics	128	25	80	105	82.0%
Music	103	8	70	78	75.7%
Philosophy	24	9	10	19	79.2%
Physics	32	4	25	29	90.6%
Political Science	109	22	68	90	82.6%
Psychology	437	117	229	346	79.2%
Social Work	352	97	190	287	81.5%
Sociology	113	29	64	93	82.3%
Spanish	85	18	45	63	74.1%
Women's and Gender Studies	10	1	8	9	90.0%
Undergraduate Programs Total	3,497	840	1,984	2,824	80.8%
Graduate Programs					
Biology	43	10	21	31	72.1%
Chemistry	32	4	13	17	53.1%
Communication, Media & Theatre	35	12	17	29	82.9%
Computer Science	147	20	79	99	67.3%
Earth Science	0	0	0	0	-
English	27	1	14	15	55.6%
Geography & Environmental Studies	32	4	18	22	68.8%
Gerontology	26	1	18	19	73.1%
History	29	3	13	16	55.2%
Latin American Literatures & Cultures	20	4	12	16	80.0%
Linguistics	70	20	45	65	92.9%
Mathematics MA	7	1	3	4	57.1%

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Mathematics MS	36	2	18	20	55.6%
Music	14	2	10	12	85.7%
Political Science	39	9	19	28	71.8%
Teaching English as a Second/Foreign Language	69	21	31	52	75.4%
Graduate Programs Total	626	114	331	445	71.1%

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Programs in EDUCATION	Fall 2014 Enrollment	AY 2014-15 Graduated	Fall 2015 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Bilingual/Bicultural Education-Elem	24	11	12	23	95.8%
Early Childhood Education	35	14	15	29	82.9%
Elementary Education	204	81	110	191	93.6%
Health and Wellness (Community)	76	41	31	72	94.7%
Health and Wellness (Secondary Ed.)	2	1	1	2	100.0%
Human Resource Development	112	41	52	93	83.0%
Inner City Studies	32	7	20	27	84.4%
Physical Education (K-12)	28	14	11	25	89.3%
Special Education	28	10	17	27	96.4%
Undergraduate Programs Total	517	209	258	467	90.3%
Graduate Programs					
Bilingual/Bicultural Education-Elem MAT	12	5	4	9	75.0%
Bilingual/Bicultural Education-Elem MSI	7	2	3	5	71.4%
Counseling	118	41	64	105	89.0%
Early Childhood Education	11	0	7	7	63.6%
Educational Leadership	75	39	31	70	93.3%
Exercise Science	37	15	10	25	67.6%
Family Counseling	26	8	15	23	88.5%
Gifted Education	17	8	8	16	94.1%
Human Resource Development	48	4	22	26	54.2%
Inner City Studies	62	28	24	52	83.9%
Language Arts-Elementary MAT	12	4	5	9	75.0%
Language Arts-Elementary MSI	0	0	0	0	-
Language Arts-Secondary MAT	4	2	2	4	100.0%
Language Arts-Secondary MSI	3	2	1	3	100.0%
Literacy Education	91	28	45	73	80.2%
Teaching in Elem/Mid Schools	1	0	1	1	100.0%
Teaching and Inquiry	1	0	0	0	0.0%
Special Education	119	38	66	104	87.4%
Graduate Programs Total	644	224	308	532	82.6%

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Programs in BUSINESS and MANAGEMENT	Fall 2014 Enrollment	AY 2014-15 Graduated	Fall 2015 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Accounting	224	98	108	206	92.0%
Finance	94	52	33	85	90.4%
General Business Administration	43	13	29	42	97.7%
Management	94	54	31	85	90.4%
Marketing	56	36	15	51	91.1%
Undergraduate Program Total	504	248	213	461	91.5%
Graduate Programs					
Accounting	52	15	25	40	76.9%
Business Administration	58	16	28	44	75.9%
Graduate Programs Total	110	31	53	84	76.4%

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Nontraditional Degree Programs	Fall 2014 Enrollment	AY 2014-15 Graduated	Fall 2015 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Interdisciplinary Studies	314	99	140	239	76.1%
University Without Walls	20	7	8	15	75.0%
Undergraduate Programs Total	334	106	148	254	76.0%

RETENTION RATES BY STUDENT CLASSIFICATION

Fall 2014 to Fall 2015

Retention by Student Classification	Fall 2014 Enrollment	AY 2014-15 Graduated	Fall 2015 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Declared Undergraduates					
Freshman (0-29 hours)	148	4	98	102	68.9%
Sophomore (30-59 hours)	468	3	356	359	76.7%
Junior (60-89 hours)	1,604	67	1,249	1,316	82.0%
Senior (90 or more hours)	2,561	1,317	868	2,185	85.3%
Total	4,781	1,391	2,571	3,962	82.9%

Undeclared Undergraduates¹

Freshman (0-29 hours)	1,345	0	823	823	61.2%
Sophomore (30-59 hours)	761	0	550	550	72.3%
Junior (60-89 hours)	988	5	718	723	73.2%
Senior (90 or more hours)	409	27	249	276	67.5%
Student-at-Large	128	0	38	38	29.7%
Total	3,631	32	2,378	2,410	66.4%

¹Undeclared undergraduates include degree-seeking students (program code D399 and pre-majors) and non-degree-seeking students-at-large (program code A000) who were enrolled by the census date in the fall term of the specified academic year.

Data source: IRA data extracts

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Technical Notes on Program Retention Rates

Definition

Program retention is the number and percentage of students seeking a degree in one of the academic programs who enroll from fall-to-fall at the university or have graduated.

Program Retention Rate Formula

Program retention rates are calculated based on the number of students who were declared in one of the academic programs and registered for the next consecutive fall semester or graduated during the period indicated.

Numerator: Number of students in cohort (denominator) enrolling in the next consecutive fall semester or having awarded a degree in the program from the institution during the specified academic year.

Denominator: Number of undergraduate students who have declared (by census date) a first major or a second major in one of the academic programs and enroll in the fall semester of a specified academic year.

Example

Number of Anthropology majors in Fall 2011, of which	78
Number of Anthropology graduates during AY 2011-12	18
Number of continuing enrollment in Fall 2012	45
Total graduated/re-enrolled	63
Fall 2011-2012 Retention rate for Anthropology majors	80.8%

Notes:

Retention by Degree Programs

- Students with double majors are counted in both programs.
- If a degree is awarded to a student who was not enrolled at the beginning of the specified academic year (e.g., student paid a balance due), that student is not included in the analysis
- If a student declares a major after the beginning of the specified academic year and graduates during the same period, that student is not included in the analysis.

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