

Program Retention Report

Fall 2013 to Fall 2014

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RETENTION RATES OF STUDENTS IN DEGREE PROGRAMS

Fall 2013-Fall 2014 Enrollment

Programs in ARTS AND SCIENCES	Fall 2013 Enrollment	AY 2013-14 Graduates	Fall 2014 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Anthropology	55	15	28	43	78.2%
Art	133	31	80	111	83.5%
Biology	443	97	252	349	78.8%
Chemistry	91	18	54	72	79.1%
Communication, Media & Theatre	321	110	159	269	83.8%
Computer Science	309	50	200	250	80.9%
Earth Science	52	7	39	46	88.5%
Economics	103	45	48	93	90.3%
English	206	53	113	166	80.6%
Environmental Studies	64	16	38	54	84.4%
French and French Studies	14	4	7	11	78.6%
Geography	26	10	12	22	84.6%
History	209	59	101	160	76.6%
Justice Studies	386	103	215	318	82.4%
Latino & Latin American Studies	13	1	10	11	84.6%
Mathematics	144	29	89	118	81.9%
Music	101	7	77	84	83.2%
Philosophy	29	13	9	22	75.9%
Physics	27	3	16	19	70.4%
Political Science	106	34	55	89	84.0%
Psychology	442	91	266	357	80.8%
Social Work	335	109	173	282	84.2%
Sociology	125	46	50	96	76.8%
Spanish	96	28	46	74	77.1%
Women's and Gender Studies	8	1	6	7	87.5%
Undergraduate Programs Total	3,700	954	2,064	3,018	81.6%
Graduate Programs					
Biology	44	2	31	33	75.0%
Chemistry	34	2	16	18	52.9%
Communication, Media & Theatre	38	7	23	30	78.9%
Computer Science	75	14	40	54	72.0%
English	34	1	13	14	41.2%
Geography & Environmental Studies	35	1	22	23	65.7%
Gerontology	24	0	15	15	62.5%
History	28	3	18	21	75.0%
Latin American Literatures & Cultures	27	5	10	15	55.6%
Linguistics	68	12	36	48	70.6%
Mathematics	46	10	25	35	76.1%
Music	23	4	10	14	60.9%
Political Science	41	8	21	29	70.7%
TESL/TEFL	78	14	40	54	69.2%
Graduate Programs Total	595	83	320	403	67.7%

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Fall 2013-Fall 2014 Enrollment

Programs in BUSINESS and MANAGEMENT	Fall 2013 Enrollment	AY 2013-14 Graduates	Fall 2014 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Accounting	242	88	129	217	89.7%
Finance	108	59	43	102	94.4%
General Business Administration	59	32	25	57	96.6%
Management	121	58	54	112	92.6%
Marketing	63	29	25	54	85.7%
Undergraduate Program Total	574	259	269	542	94.4%
Graduate Programs					
Accounting	45	14	26	40	88.9%
Business Administration	45	13	24	37	82.2%
Graduate Programs Total	90	28	50	78	86.7%

Note: The total number of graduate program completers in AY 2013-14 included a student who changed major from Accounting to MBA.

RETENTION RATES OF STUDENTS IN DEGREE PROGRAMS

Fall 2013-Fall 2014 Enrollment

Programs in EDUCATION	Fall 2013 Enrollment	AY 2013-14 Graduates	Fall 2014 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
Bilingual/Bicultural Education-Elementary	27	9	15	24	88.9%
Early Childhood Education	41	16	22	38	92.7%
Elementary Education	200	79	106	185	92.5%
Health and Wellness (Community)	69	33	32	65	94.2%
Health and Wellness (Secondary Ed.)	4	1	3	4	100.0%
Human Resource Development	91	20	56	76	83.5%
Inner City Studies	34	10	17	27	79.4%
Physical Education (K-12)	40	19	18	37	92.5%
Special Education	37	17	16	33	89.2%
Undergraduate Programs Total	518	196	271	489	94.4%
Graduate Programs					
Bilingual/Bicultural Education-Elem MAT	18	6	10	16	88.9%
Bilingual/Bicultural Education-Elem MSI	9	0	6	6	66.7%
Counseling	160	46	93	139	86.9%
Educational Leadership	108	75	22	97	89.8%
Exercise Science	44	8	27	35	79.5%
Gifted Education	11	5	3	8	72.7%
Human Resource Development	39	6	21	27	69.2%
Inner City Studies	65	16	31	47	72.3%
Language Arts-Elementary MAT	13	3	9	12	92.3%
Language Arts-Elementary MSI	0	0	0	0	-
Language Arts-Secondary MAT	8	4	3	7	87.5%
Language Arts-Secondary MSI	3	1	1	2	66.7%
Literacy Education	88	20	49	69	78.4%
Special Education	119	33	73	106	89.1%
Graduate Programs Total	693	223	354	577	83.3%

RETENTION RATES OF STUDENTS IN DEGREE PROGRAMS

Fall 2013-Fall 2014 Enrollment

Nontraditional Degree Programs	Fall 2013 Enrollment	AY 2013-14 Graduates	Fall 2014 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Undergraduate Programs					
B.A. in Interdisciplinary Studies	341	103	141	244	71.6%
University Without Walls	17	6	6	12	70.6%
Undergraduate Programs Total	358	109	147	256	71.5%

RETENTION RATES BY STUDENT CLASSIFICATION

Fall 2013-Fall 2014 Enrollment

Retention by Student Classification	Fall 2013 Enrollment	AY 2013-14 Graduates	Fall 2014 Reenrolled	Graduated/ Reenrolled	Retention Rates
Declared Undergraduates					
Freshman (0-29 hours)	115	3	75	78	67.8%
Sophomore (30-59 hours)	504	2	379	381	75.6%
Junior (60-89 hours)	1,700	68	1,353	1,421	83.6%
Senior (90 or more hours)	2,736	1,425	906	2,331	85.2%
Total	5,055	1,498	2,713	4,211	83.3%

Undeclared Undergraduates¹

Freshman (0-29 hours)	1,549	0	958	958	61.8%
Sophomore (30-59 hours)	846	0	609	609	72.0%
Junior (60-89 hours)	983	1	733	734	74.7%
Senior (90 or more hours)	394	32	236	268	68.0%
Student-at-Large	123	1	20	21	17.1%
Total	3,895	34	2,556	2,590	66.5%

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: Census-date enrollment data and graduation data

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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.

Retention by Student Classification

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