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Profile of Graduate Students Fall 2012 and Fall 2013

This report contains demographic and academic information for graduate students in Fall 2012 and Fall 2013. Information¹ is included on:

Gender Age Range Minority Status Citizenship Status Racial/Ethnic Group Religious Affiliation Full/Part-Time Status Average Credit Hour Load Enrollee Type Program of Study Major

Fall 2013

The graduate student enrollment of 739 includes 290 students who entered the University as new Graduate Students in Summer 2013 or Fall 2013. Demographically, seventy-three percent (539) of the graduate students are female, and more than sixty percent (469) are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation make up thirty percent of the group. Ninety-three percent of the students are U.S. citizens.

Forty-two percent of the graduate students are classified as full-time. The three largest graduate programs are the Master of Education, Master of Arts in Psychology, and the Master of Business Administration, with approximately 30%, 18%, and 15% of all graduate students, respectively.

Fall 2012

The graduate student enrollment of 537 includes 273 students who entered the University as new Graduate Students in Summer 2012 or Fall 2012. Demographically, seventy-four percent (399) of the graduate students are female, and more than sixty percent (327) are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation make up twenty-eight percent of the group. Ninety-three percent of the students are U.S. citizens.

Forty-three percent of the graduate students are classified as full-time. The three largest graduate programs are the Master of Education, Master of Business Administration, and the Master of Arts in Psychology, with approximately 36%, 14%, and 14% of all graduate students, respectively.

^{1.} Most graduate students list their permanent address as their local address, so state and county information is not included as in the other profiles.

Profile of Graduate Students, Fall 2012 and Fall 2013 Demographic Information

| Gender | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2013 | |
|--------|------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Male | 138 | 25.7 | 200 | 27.1 |
| Female | 399 | 74.3 | 539 | 72.9 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

| Age Range | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2013 | |
|-----------|------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| < 23 | 26 | 4.8 | 33 | 4.5 |
| 23-25 | 107 | 19.9 | 172 | 23.3 |
| 26-29 | 134 | 25.0 | 180 | 24.4 |
| 30-39 | 164 | 30.5 | 213 | 28.8 |
| 40+ | 106 | 19.7 | 141 | 19.1 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

| Minority Status | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2013 | |
|-----------------|------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Minority | 327 | 60.9 | 469 | 63.5 |
| Non-Minority | 210 | 39.1 | 270 | 36.5 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

Profile of Graduate Students, Fall 2012 and Fall 2013 Demographic Information

| Citizenship Status | Fall 2012 | | Fall 2013 | |
|--------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| U.S. Citizen | 458 | 93.1 | 673 | 92.6 |
| Resident Alien | 18 | 3.7 | 26 | 3.6 |
| Non-Resident Alien | 16 | 3.3 | 28 | 3.9 |
| Total | 492 | 100.0 | 727 | 100.0 |

| Racial/Ethnic Group | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2013 | |
|-------------------------------------|------|-------|-----------|-------|
| Racial/Etimic Group | # | % | # | % |
| African American/Black | 174 | 32.4 | 271 | 36.7 |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 2 | 0.4 | 1 | 0.1 |
| Asian | 37 | 6.9 | 47 | 6.4 |
| Hispanic | 95 | 17.7 | 127 | 17.2 |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | • | • | 1 | 0.1 |
| White | 202 | 37.6 | 253 | 34.2 |
| Two or More Races | 19 | 3.5 | 22 | 3.0 |
| Ethnicity Unknown | 8 | 1.5 | 17 | 2.3 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

| Racial/Ethnic Group - Non-Resident Aliens Partitioned | Fall 2012 | | Fall 2013 | |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| 1 al tutoned | # | % | # | % |
| African American/Black | 173 | 32.2 | 269 | 36.4 |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 2 | 0.4 | 1 | 0.1 |
| Asian | 31 | 5.8 | 39 | 5.3 |
| Hispanic | 92 | 17.1 | 119 | 16.1 |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | • | • | 1 | 0.1 |
| White | 199 | 37.1 | 247 | 33.4 |
| Two or More Races | 16 | 3.0 | 19 | 2.6 |
| Ethnicity Unknown | 8 | 1.5 | 16 | 2.2 |
| Non-Resident Alien | 16 | 3.0 | 28 | 3.8 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

Fall 2012 Fall 2013 **Religious Affiliation** # % # % Assembly of God 4 0.7 6 0.8 148 29.9 **Baptist** 27.6 221 3 2 0.3 **Buddhist** 0.6 Catholic 51 9.5 67 9.1 **Christian Church** 5 0.9 0.5 4 **Church of Christ** 9 1.7 11 1.5 2 2 0.4 0.3 **Church of God** 6 **Disciples of Christ (Christian** 1.1 18 2.4 7 Episcopalian 1.3 9 1.2 4 5 0.7 **Evangelical Free Church** 0.7 2 0.3 4 0.7 Hindu Jehovah's Witness 1 0.2 1 0.1 3 0.6 3 0.4 Jewish Latter Day Saints (Mormon) 1 0.2 2 0.3 Lutheran 6 1.1 7 0.9 Methodist 34 6.3 47 6.4 7 Moslem (Islam, Muslim) 1.3 4 0.5 10 1.9 2.4 **No Preference** 18 66 12.3 15.0 Non-denominational 111 Other 25 4.7 27 3.7 Pentecostal 6 1.1 7 0.9 Presbyterian 4 0.7 10 1.4 **Protestant** 1 0.2 1 0.1 Undeclared 130 24.2 154 20.8 100.0 Total 537 100.0 739

Profile of Graduate Students, Fall 2012 and Fall 2013 Demographic Information

Profile of Graduate Students, Fall 2012 and Fall 2013 Academic Information

| Full/Part-Time Status | Fall 2012 | | Fall 2013 | |
|-----------------------|-----------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Full-Time | 229 | 42.6 | 310 | 41.9 |
| Part-Time | 308 | 57.4 | 429 | 58.1 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

| Average Credit Hours Lood | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2013 | |
|---------------------------------------------|------|---------|-----------|---------|
| Average Credit Hour Load | # | Average | # | Average |
| College of Arts and Humanities | 160 | 7.6 | 8 | 5.8 |
| School of Business | 148 | 8.1 | 215 | 8.3 |
| School of Education and Behavioral Sciences | 192 | 6.2 | 374 | 6.6 |
| No College Designated | 37 | 5.1 | 49 | 5.5 |
| School of Fine Arts | | • | 16 | 15.0 |
| Smith College of Liberal Arts | | • | 23 | 4.7 |
| School of Christian Thought | | | 54 | 5.9 |
| Total | 537 | 7.1 | 739 | 7.1 |

| Enrollee Type | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2013 | |
|--------------------|------|-------|-----------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Graduate Student | 273 | 50.8 | 290 | 39.2 |
| Continuing | 244 | 45.4 | 429 | 58.1 |
| Non-Degree Seeking | 20 | 3.7 | 20 | 2.7 |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 |

| Due succes of Standay | Fall | 2012 | Fall | Fall 2013 | |
|------------------------------------------------|------|-------|------|-----------|--|
| Program of Study | # | % | # | % | |
| Master of Arts in Apologetics | • | • | 13 | 1.8 | |
| Master of Arts in Biblical Languages | 10 | 1.9 | 7 | 0.9 | |
| Master of Arts in Christian Counseling | 20 | 3.7 | 24 | 3.2 | |
| Master of Arts in Philosophy | | | 10 | 1.4 | |
| Master of Arts in Psychology | 77 | 14.3 | 131 | 17.7 | |
| Master of Arts in Theological Studies | 23 | 4.3 | 27 | 3.7 | |
| Master of Business Administration | 77 | 14.3 | 108 | 14.6 | |
| Master of Education | 191 | 35.6 | 223 | 30.2 | |
| Master of Fine Arts | 14 | 2.6 | 16 | 2.2 | |
| Master of International Business | 27 | 5.0 | 46 | 6.2 | |
| Master of Liberal Arts | 17 | 3.2 | 24 | 3.2 | |
| Master of Science in Human Resource Management | 44 | 8.2 | 60 | 8.1 | |
| Master of Science in Management | | • | 1 | 0.1 | |
| Non-Degree Seeking Graduate | 37 | 6.9 | 49 | 6.6 | |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 | |

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| Malan | Fall | 2012 | Fall 2 | Fall 2013 | | |
|--------------------------------|------|-------|--------|-----------|--|--|
| Major | # | % | # | % | | |
| Alternative Certification Plan | 33 | 6.1 | 41 | 5.5 | | |
| Apologetics | | | 13 | 1.8 | | |
| Biblical Languages | 9 | 1.7 | 7 | 0.9 | | |
| Bilingual Education | 4 | 0.7 | 4 | 0.5 | | |
| Business Administration | 77 | 14.3 | 108 | 14.6 | | |
| Christian Counseling | 20 | 3.7 | 24 | 3.2 | | |
| Counselor Education | 27 | 5.0 | 30 | 4.1 | | |
| Counselor Education Cert. | | | 1 | 0.1 | | |
| Curriculum and Instruction | 82 | 15.3 | 96 | 13.0 | | |
| Early Childhood Education | 2 | 0.4 | | • | | |
| Educational Administration | 20 | 3.7 | 35 | 4.7 | | |
| Educational Diagnostician | 43 | 8.0 | 47 | 6.4 | | |
| Educational Diagnostician Cert | | | 1 | 0.1 | | |
| General Studies | 1 | 0.2 | • | | | |
| Human Resources Management | 44 | 8.2 | 60 | 8.1 | | |
| International Business | 27 | 5.0 | 46 | 6.2 | | |
| Liberal Arts | 17 | 3.2 | 24 | 3.2 | | |
| Licensed Prof. Counselor | 1 | 0.2 | • | • | | |
| Licensed Spec. School Psyc. | 1 | 0.2 | 1 | 0.1 | | |
| Management | | | 1 | 0.1 | | |
| Philosophy | 8 | 1.5 | 10 | 1.4 | | |
| Psychology | 77 | 14.3 | 131 | 17.7 | | |
| Reading | 4 | 0.7 | 11 | 1.5 | | |
| Reading Education | 9 | 1.7 | | • | | |
| Studio Art | 14 | 2.6 | 16 | 2.2 | | |
| Theology | 15 | 2.8 | 27 | 3.7 | | |
| Undeclared | 2 | 0.4 | 5 | 0.7 | | |
| Total | 537 | 100.0 | 739 | 100.0 | | |

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