



## Profile of Graduate Students Fall 2008 and Fall 2009

This report contains demographic and academic information for graduate students in Fall 2008 and Fall 2009. Information<sup>1</sup> is included on:

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

### Fall 2009

The graduate student enrollment of 377 includes 137 students who entered the University in Summer 2009 or Fall 2009. Demographic characteristics reveal that 76% (287) of the graduate students are female, and 46% (175) are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation make up 25% of the group. Ninety-two percent of the students are U.S. citizens.

Thirty-five 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 29%, 21%, and 14% of all graduate students, respectively.

### Fall 2008

The graduate student enrollment of 356 includes 101 students who entered the University in Summer 2008 or Fall 2008. Demographic characteristics reveal that 74% (265) of the graduate students are female, and 45% (162) are from racial or ethnic minority groups. Students with a Baptist religious affiliation make up 23% of the group. Ninety-one percent of the students are U.S. citizens.

Thirty-two percent of the graduate students are classified as full-time. The three largest graduate programs are the Master's degree in Business Administration, the Master of Education, and the Master of Arts in Psychology, with approximately 29%, 26%, and 17% of all graduate students, respectively.

1. Test score data is not generally entered into Banner for graduate students, so test scores are not included in this report. Additionally, 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 2008 and Fall 2009*  
*Demographic Information*

Gender	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
Male	91	25.6	90	23.9
Female	265	74.4	287	76.1
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

Age Range	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
< 23	13	3.7	9	2.4
23-25	77	21.6	79	21.0
26-29	101	28.4	123	32.6
30-39	94	26.4	103	27.3
40+	71	19.9	62	16.4
Unknown	.	.	1	0.3
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

Minority Status	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
Minority	162	45.5	175	46.4
Non-Minority	194	54.5	202	53.6
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

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**Demographic Information**

Citizenship Status	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
U.S. Citizen	323	90.7	322	92.3
Resident Alien	12	3.4	10	2.9
Non-Resident Alien	21	5.9	17	4.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Racial/Ethnic Group	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	80	22.5	92	24.4
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0.3	3	0.8
Asian	32	9.0	29	7.7
Hispanic	47	13.2	45	11.9
White	186	52.2	180	47.7
Two or More Races	.	.	6	1.6
Ethnicity Unknown	10	2.8	22	5.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Racial/Ethnic Group - Non-Resident Aliens Partitioned	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
African American/Black	73	20.5	85	22.5
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0.3	3	0.8
Asian	26	7.3	24	6.4
Hispanic	44	12.4	42	11.1
White	183	51.4	178	47.2
Two or More Races	.	.	6	1.6
Ethnicity Unknown	8	2.2	22	5.8
Non-Resident Alien	21	5.9	17	4.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>100.0</b>

\* Racial/Ethnic Group data from Fall 2008 has been converted to the new codes mandated by the Department of Education.

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Religious Affiliation	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
<b>Baptist</b>	83	23.3	95	25.2
<b>Buddhist</b>	1	0.3	.	.
<b>Catholic</b>	43	12.1	48	12.7
<b>Christian Church</b>	3	0.8	5	1.3
<b>Church of Christ</b>	.	.	2	0.5
<b>Church of God</b>	.	.	1	0.3
<b>Disciples of Christ (Christian)</b>	1	0.3	3	0.8
<b>Eastern Orthodox</b>	1	0.3	1	0.3
<b>Episcopalian</b>	4	1.1	3	0.8
<b>Hindu</b>	1	0.3	2	0.5
<b>Jewish</b>	4	1.1	2	0.5
<b>Lutheran</b>	7	2.0	6	1.6
<b>Methodist</b>	23	6.5	30	8.0
<b>Moslem (Islam, Muslim)</b>	.	.	3	0.8
<b>No Preference</b>	18	5.1	8	2.1
<b>Non-denominational</b>	20	5.6	25	6.6
<b>Other</b>	44	12.4	45	11.9
<b>Pentecostal</b>	1	0.3	1	0.3
<b>Presbyterian</b>	6	1.7	6	1.6
<b>Protestant</b>	1	0.3	.	.
<b>Seventh Day Adventist</b>	1	0.3	1	0.3
<b>Undeclared</b>	94	26.4	90	23.9
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

Full/Part-Time Status	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
Full-Time	114	32.0	132	35.0
Part-Time	242	68.0	245	65.0
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

Average Credit Hour Load	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	Average	#	Average
College of Arts and Humanities	47	5.0	62	5.7
School of Business	109	8.1	116	8.3
School of Education	166	5.8	158	5.7
No College Designated	34	2.8	41	5.3
<b>Total</b>	356	6.1	377	6.4

Enrollee Type	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
Graduate Student	101	28.4	137	36.3
Continuing	240	67.4	223	59.2
Non-Degree Seeking	15	4.2	17	4.5
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

Program of Study	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
Master of Accountancy	1	0.3	.	.
Master of Arts in Biblical Languages	.	.	6	1.6
Master of Arts in Christian Counseling	13	3.7	14	3.7
Master of Arts in Psychology	61	17.1	54	14.3
Master of Arts in Theological Studies	17	4.8	12	3.2
Master of Business Administration	103	28.9	79	21.0
Master of Education	92	25.8	108	28.6
Master of Liberal Arts	30	8.4	27	7.2
Master of Science in Human Resource Management	4	1.1	34	9.0
Master of Science in Management	1	0.3	3	0.8
Non-Degree Seeking Graduate	34	9.6	40	10.6
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0

Major	Fall 2008		Fall 2009	
	#	%	#	%
<b>Accounting</b>	1	0.3	.	.
<b>Alternative Certification Plan</b>	26	7.3	29	7.7
<b>Biblical Languages</b>	.	.	6	1.6
<b>Bilingual Education</b>	11	3.1	5	1.3
<b>Business Administration</b>	103	28.9	79	21.0
<b>Christian Counseling</b>	13	3.7	14	3.7
<b>Counselor Education</b>	27	7.6	42	11.1
<b>Curriculum and Instruction</b>	29	8.1	36	9.5
<b>Educational Administration</b>	10	2.8	11	2.9
<b>Educational Diagnostician</b>	13	3.7	15	4.0
<b>Human Resources Management</b>	4	1.1	34	9.0
<b>Liberal Arts</b>	30	8.4	27	7.2
<b>Management</b>	1	0.3	3	0.8
<b>Psychology</b>	61	17.1	56	14.9
<b>Theology</b>	17	4.8	12	3.2
<b>Undeclared</b>	10	2.8	8	2.1
<b>Total</b>	356	100.0	377	100.0