



University of the Arts – Graduation Rates

These rates are one measure of the success of students in attaining their education goals. A graduation rate is the percentage of students in a given entering cohort (group) who graduated within a specified period of time. The number of students in the entering cohort is the denominator of the rate; the number of students graduating is the numerator of the rate. The entering cohort of an institution includes all first-time, full-time degree or certificate seeking undergraduate students who began in the stated cohort year. The time period is 150% of normal time to program completion (for example, for a four-year program, the graduation rate would include students who graduate within six years of beginning the program). Many factors should be taken into consideration when reviewing graduation rates. It is important to recognize that students withdraw from college for various reasons; academic, medical, employment opportunities, personal and financial issues are among those reasons.

| First-Time Full-Time Undergraduates Entering in Fall Semester | Fall 2010 Entering Cohort |
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| Entering First-Time, Full-Time Freshman Class | 505 |
| Percentage completing program in 4 years | 55% |
| Percentage completing program in 5 years | 60% |
| Percentage completing program in 6 years | 62% |
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| Overall graduation rate: | 62% |
| Six-Year Graduation Rates by Gender | |
| Men | 58% |
| Women | 65% |
| Six-Year Graduate Rates by Race/Ethnicity | |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 67% |
| Asian | 63% |
| Black or African-American, non-Hispanic | 54% |
| Hispanic | 47% |
| Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | n/a |
| Non-resident Alien | 44% |
| White, non-Hispanic | 65% |
| Two or More Races | 93% |
| Race and Ethnicity Unknown | 50% |
| Six-Year Graduate Rates of Pell/Stafford Loan Recipients | |
| Pell Recipients | 57% |
| Subsidized Stafford Loan, not receiving Pell Grant | 66% |
| Non-recipients of Pell or Subsidized Stafford Loans | 61% |

NOTES:

Financial aid status is as recorded in the student's first term.

Students who receive neither subsidized Stafford loans nor Pell Grant may have received other financial aid, or no aid.