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GENERAL INFORMATION

UNIVERSITY PROFILE

Named the #1 national university to watch by *U.S. News & World Report* in 2008, George Mason University is an innovative, entrepreneurial institution with global distinction in a range of academic fields. Located in the heart of Northern Virginia's technology corridor near Washington, D.C., Mason prepares its students to succeed in the work force and meet the needs of the region and the world.

With strong undergraduate and graduate degree programs in engineering and information technology, dance, organizational psychology and health care, Mason students are routinely recognized with national and international scholarships. Enrollment is more than 30,000, with students studying in 177 degree programs at the undergraduate, master's, doctoral, and professional levels.

Mason professors conduct groundbreaking research in areas such as cancer, climate change, information technology and the biosciences; and Mason's Center for the Arts brings world-renowned artists, musicians and actors to its stage.

Mason is a distributed university with campuses in Fairfax, Arlington, and Prince William counties as well as an international campus in the United Arab Emirates. In addition to these four campuses, George Mason operates a site in Loudoun County and has partnered with the Smithsonian Institute to offer a Global Conservation Studies Program at the Conservation and Research Center in Front Royal. The university also offers programs on-line and at the Center for Innovative Technology in Herndon. Each location has a distinctive academic focus that plays a critical role in the economy of its region.

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Mason is known for its "firsts":
 - First university to offer a graduate degree in biodefense
 - First engineering school based on computer-related programs
 - First school focused on computational sciences
 - First PhDs in conflict resolution, information technology, and bioinformatics
 - First in Virginia to offer an information technology minor to nonengineering students
 - First university to outsource on-campus housing management
- In 2008, *U.S. News & World Report* named George Mason University the number one national university to watch on its list of "Up-and-Coming Schools." Mason was cited as a school that has recently made the most promising and innovative changes in academics, faculty, students, campus or facilities.
- George Mason University was ranked in the top 100 North and Latin American Universities by the "Academic Ranking of World Universities", which is conducted annually by Shanghai Jiao Tong University's Institute of Higher Education.
- The *Princeton Review* listed Mason as one of the nation's best values among undergraduate institutions. The New York-based education services company features Mason on its list of America's 100 "Best Value" colleges for 2009.
- *Kiplinger's Personal Finance* magazine included Mason in its national top 100 "Best Values in Public Colleges" list for 2009. According to the magazine, it bases the rankings of public colleges on "a

combination of outstanding academic quality plus an affordable price tag.”

- *The Chronicle of Higher Education* listed George Mason in their 2008 Great Colleges to Work For survey.
- The American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) listed Mason as one of the 50 best places to work for persons 50 years of age and over in 2008.
- The School of Law ranked 34th in the nation according to the 2008 *U.S. News & World Report*. Many of Mason’s programs are also recognized by the magazine as some of the top programs. These include: Education, History, Public Affairs, Nursing, and Computer Sciences. In addition, Writing Across the Curriculum is recognized among the top ten Writing in the Disciplines programs in the United States.
- The number of new patents received by university researchers for inventions made in the course of their research continues to climb. During its eight years of operation, the Office of Technology Transfer has helped bring more than 80 Mason-born concepts to companies, where they are being sold or developed for sale in the marketplace.

GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY’S MISSION

Much like the American patriot for whom it is named, George Mason University fulfills many important roles: leader, innovator, point of resource, compass, anchor, and pioneer. Its journey is as challenging as the region and country it serves, as vital and complex as the men and women it educates, and as deep and diverse as the scholars, corporations, community activists, organizations, and students it embraces each year. As a result, the mission of the university and vision of its president, Alan G. Merten, remain equally fundamental and all-encompassing. The mission states Mason’s purpose for being, while the vision focuses on where the institution is headed and what it plans to achieve.

George Mason’s mission statement reads as follows:

George Mason University is innovative and entrepreneurial in spirit and utilizes its multicampus organization and location near our nation’s capital to attract outstanding scholars, faculty, and programs. George Mason will:

- *Educate the new generation of leaders for the 21st century—men and women capable of shaping a global community with vision, justice, and clarity.*
- *Encourage freedom of thought, speech, and inquiry in a tolerant, respectful academic setting.*
- *Provide undergraduate, graduate, and professional courses of study that enable students to exercise analytical and imaginative thinking and make well-founded ethical decisions.*
- *Nurture and support a highly qualified and entrepreneurial faculty that is excellent at teaching, active in pure and applied research, capable of providing a broad range of intellectual and cultural insights, and is responsive to the needs of students and their communities.*
- *Maintain an international reputation for superior education that affirms its role as the intellectual and cultural nexus among Northern Virginia, the nation, and the world.*

VISION STATEMENT

President Alan G. Merten's vision statement is as follows:

Mason will be the university needed by a region and world driven by new social, economic, and technological realities.

We are in the right place: The nation's capital region is the epicenter of the world's political web, its information and communications network, and its new economy.

We are ready: In an age that demands originality and imagination, Mason is the region's most innovative university. George Mason will:

- *Be a magnet for outstanding faculty who will devise new ways to approach problems, invent new ways to teach, and develop new knowledge for the benefit of the region and the nation.*
- *Attract inventive, industrious students of all ages and cultures and produce citizens who are intellectually and technologically literate people who will lead by the force of their ideas.*
- *Transform into knowledge and wisdom the vast amounts of information now accessible through new technologies.*
- *Build strong alliances that bring the know-how of business and the community into the university and take the knowledge of the university into the workplace and the larger society.*
- *Become a center of inquiry, knowledge, and professional expertise in fields with vital implications for human needs and opportunities in the future.*
- *Remain innovative, resourceful, and responsive, while drawing on the intellectual and cultural heritage of the classical university.*

Source: General Information Section provided by University Relations

FACTS AND FIGURES SUMMARY, FALL 2008**Students****Fall 2008 Enrollment**

Undergraduate Degree-Seeking	18,240
Graduate Degree-Seeking	9,346
<i>Master's</i>	7,507
<i>Doctoral</i>	1,839
Professional (Law)	681
Non-Degree students	2,447
<i>Undergraduate Non-Degree</i>	569
<i>Graduate Non-Degree</i>	1,878
Total Enrollment	30,714

Course Load

Full-Time Enrollment	16,694
Part-Time Enrollment	14,020

Domicile

In-State Enrollment	25,449
Out-of-State Enrollment	5,265

Enrollment by Gender and Ethnicity

Female	16,999
Male	13,513
Not Reported	202
American Indian	87
Asian	3,612
Black	2,105
Hispanic	1,589
White	14,014
Non-Resident Alien	1,731
Other/Not Reported	7,576

Residential Population

Enrolled Students Living on Campus	4,725
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Enrollment by Academic Division

College of Education and Human Development	4,479
College of Health and Human Services	2,025
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	8,208
College of Science	2,803
College of Visual and Performing Arts	1,272
School of Law	681
School of Management	4,330
School of Public Policy	975
The Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering	3,920
Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution	405
Provost	1,616

Degree Programs Offered

Undergraduate	71
Graduate (Master's 74, Doctoral 31)	105
Professional (Law)	1
Total	177

Campus Size

Fairfax Campus	677 acres
Arlington Campus	5.2 acres
Prince William Campus	124 acres

Buildings

Academic/Administrative (On-Campus)	56
Academic/Administrative (Off-Campus or Leased)	15
Student Unions	3
Recreation Facilities	6
Student Housing (On-Campus)	51
Student Housing (Off-Campus or Leased)	3
Parking Structure	2
Total On-Campus	118
Total Off-Campus or Leased	18
Grand Total	136

Buildings Opened in FY 2008**(As of Fall 2008)**

Student Union III (Southside and Skyline), Fairfax Campus
Softball Field Complex, Fairfax Campus

Total Original Operating Budget \$889.7 million

Sponsored Research Expenditures \$79.9 million

Tuition and Fees

In-State Undergraduate (\$313/Cr.hr.)	\$7,512/year
In-State Graduate (\$370/Cr.hr.)	\$8,880/year
Out-of-State Undergrad. (\$936.50/Cr.hr.)	\$22,476/year
Out-of-State Graduate (\$928/Cr.hr.)	\$22,272/year
In-State Law School (\$669/Cr.hr.)	\$18,732/year
Out-of-State Law School (\$1,141/Cr.hr.)	\$31,948/year

Room and Board

Room (Double occupancy)	\$4,200
Board	\$3,160

Financial Aid Profile (as of 12/1/2008)

Students Receiving Aid (46.7%)	14,009
Average Grants	\$5,932
Average Loans	\$10,306
Average Work Study	\$2,053
Range of Awards	\$100 to \$66,000
Total Student Aid (as of 12/1/2008)	\$150,204,376

Faculty and Staff

Full-Time Instructional & Research Faculty	1,328
Part-Time Instructional & Research Faculty	1,005
Graduate Assistants	2,333
Administrative Faculty	657
Classified Staff	1,393
Total Faculty and Staff	5,286

ADMISSIONS

ADMISSIONS SUMMARY

While overall applications for admission to George Mason University remained fairly steady from Fall 2007 to Fall 2008, graduate level applications continued to rise. George Mason had a 63.1% acceptance rate at the undergraduate level, 56.3% acceptance rate at the graduate level and an 18.7% acceptance rate at the School of Law. Of those accepted, 41.3% enrolled at the undergraduate level, 62.9% enrolled at the graduate level and 16.5% enrolled at the School of Law.

In Fall 2008, George Mason admitted 1,719 transfer students from Virginia institutions, an 8.0% increase from Fall 2007.

TABLE 2.1 Trends of Admissions Summary (Degree Seeking Students*)

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Applied					
Undergraduate	15,755	15,877	16,718	19,113	18,489
Law	5,039	6,019	5,741	5,187	5,236
Graduate	6,106	6,536	7,060	7,555	8,001
Total	26,900	28,432	29,519	31,855	31,726
Accepted					
Undergraduate	10,711	10,517	10,184	11,146	11,667
Law	758	914	1,155	1,235	980
Graduate	3,839	3,885	4,063	4,425	4,502
Total	15,308	15,316	15,402	16,806	17,149
Enrolled					
Undergraduate	4,502	4,503	4,542	4,451	4,817
Law	248	224	256	274	162
Graduate	2,226	2,298	2,463	2,579	2,833
Total	6,976	7,025	7,261	7,304	7,812

* The total number of new students, both degree seeking and non-degree seeking is 9,556.

TABLE 2.2 Transfer Trends from Virginia Institutions

	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	Fall 2006	Fall 2007	Fall 2008
Four-Year VA Public Institutions	227	213	184	265	232
Four-Year VA Private Institutions	56	53	44	56	67
Two-Year VA Institutions	1,129	1,060	1,268	1,270	1,420
Total Transfers from VA Institutions	1,412	1,326	1,496	1,591	1,719

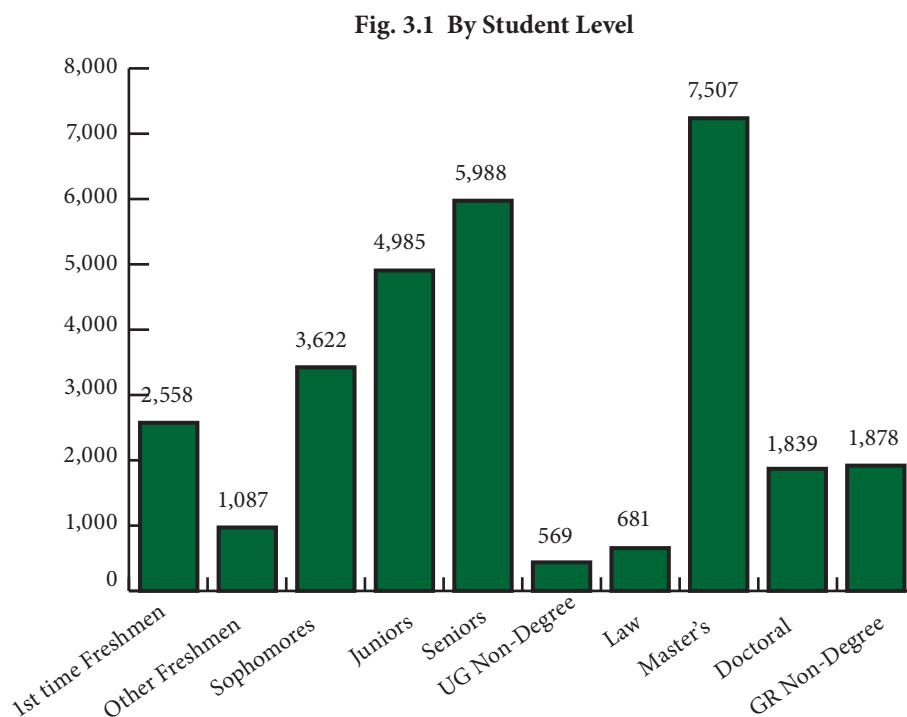
ENROLLMENT

ENROLLMENT SUMMARY

Mason enrolled 30,714 students for Fall 2008, up 382 (1.3%) from Fall 2007. Undergraduate students comprised 61.3% (18,809) of the enrollment, graduate students 36.5% (11,224), and Law students 2.2% (681). Undergraduate headcount was 220 higher than Fall 2007, graduate headcount was 280 higher, and Law headcount was 118 lower. First-time freshmen headcount increased by 329 over Fall 2007.

Mason's one-year persistence rate for the full-time, first-time freshmen Fall 2007 cohort returning in Fall 2008 was 83.9%. Mason's six-year graduation rate for the 2002 cohort is 60.2%.

FALL 2008 STUDENT HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENT



FALL 2008 STUDENT HEADCOUNT ENROLLMENT

Fig. 3.2 By Gender

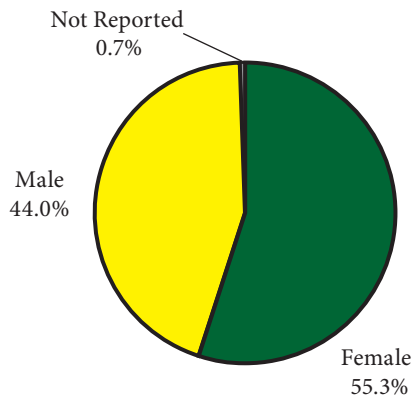


Fig. 3.3 By Ethnicity*

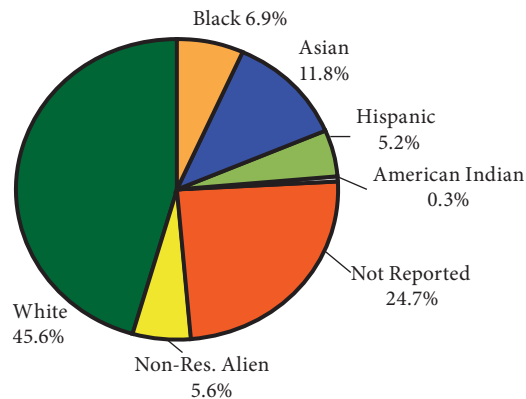


Fig. 3.4 By Residency*

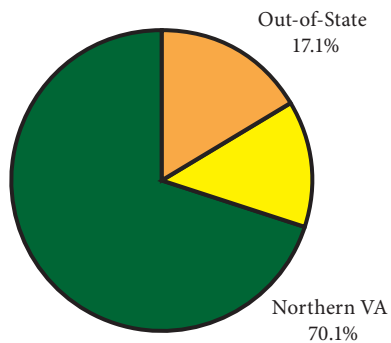


Fig. 3.5 By Course Load*

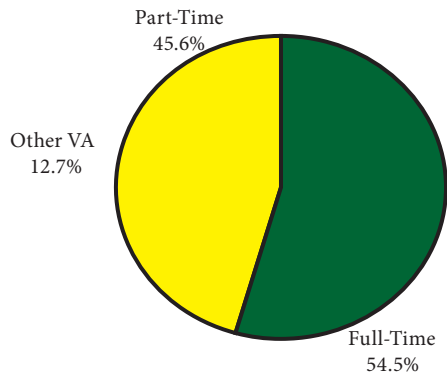
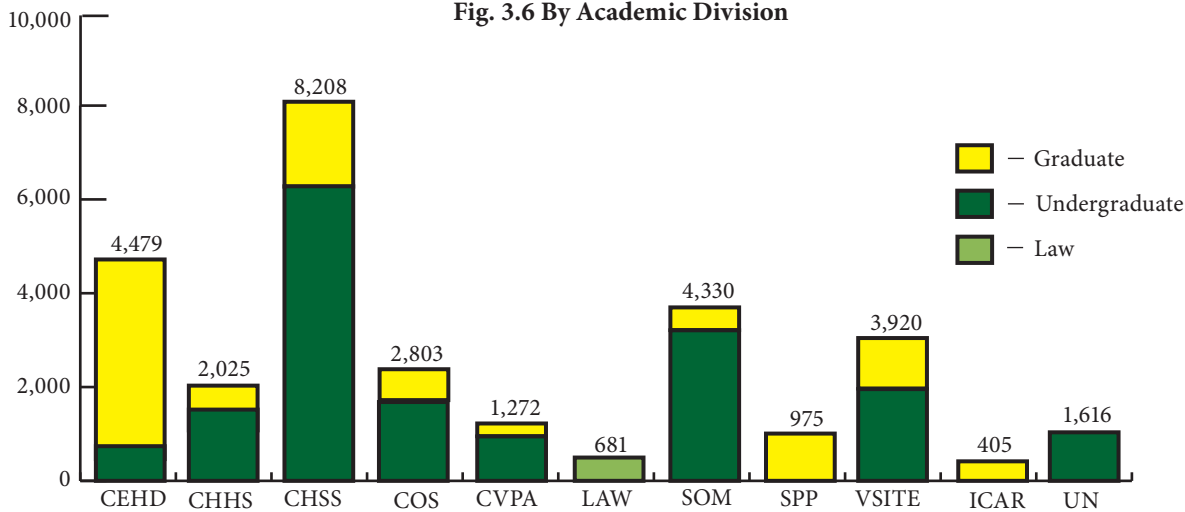


Fig. 3.6 By Academic Division



List of Abbreviations:
 CEHD: College of Education and Human Development
 CHHS: College of Health and Human Services
 CHSS: College of Humanities and Social Science
 COS: College of Science
 CVPA: College of Visual and Performing Arts

LAW: School of Law
 SOM: School of Management
 SPP: School of Public Policy
 VSITE: Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering
 ICAR: Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution
 UN: University (Provost)

*Note: Total percentage may not equal 100% due to rounding.

TABLE 3.1 Fall Enrollment Trends by Student Level

Student Level	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	% of Total '08	% Increase Over Fall '07
Undergraduate							
Freshmen	3,663	4,030	3,917	3,481	3,645	11.9	4.7
<i>First-Time Freshmen</i>	2,262	2,529	2,458	2,229	2,558	8.3	14.8
<i>Other Freshmen</i>	1,401	1,501	1,459	1,252	1,087	3.6	-13.2
Sophomores	3,719	3,659	3,833	3,992	3,622	11.8	-9.3
Juniors	4,165	4,441	4,568	4,780	4,985	16.2	4.3
Seniors	5,340	5,399	5,494	5,730	5,988	19.5	4.5
Non-Degree	520	562	409	606	569	1.9	-6.1
Undergraduate Total	17,407	18,091	18,221	18,589	18,809	61.3	1.2
First Professional							
<i>Law</i>	778	742	762	799	681	2.2	-14.8
Graduate							
Master's	6,407	6,758	6,785	7,022	7,507	24.4	6.9
Doctoral	1,612	1,748	1,776	1,791	1,839	6.0	2.7
Non-Degree	2,670	2,389	2,345	2,131	1,878	6.1	-11.9
Graduate Total	10,689	10,895	10,906	10,944	11,224	36.5	2.6
Total Headcount	28,874	29,728	29,889	30,332	30,714	100.0	1.3

TABLE 3.2 Trends of Annualized FTE by Level

	Annualized FTE *				
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09**
Undergraduate	15,605.5	16,117.1	16,415.2	16,573.0	16,995.0
Law	645.0	615.9	660.7	691.0	655.0
Graduate	5,699.5	5,828.0	5,634.5	5,721.0	5,780.0
Total	21,950.0	22,561.0	22,710.4	22,985.0	23,430.0

* Fall headcount is based on census data; Annualized FTE is based on end-of-term course enrollment data, including summer, fall, and spring semesters.

** 2008-09 FTE is estimated as of 2/5/09.

TABLE 3.3 Fall Enrollment Trends by Campus

	2006		2007		2008	
	HC	FTE	HC	FTE	HC	FTE
All Campus	29,889	20,683.3	30,332	21,000.6	30,714	21,343.6
Arlington Campus	2,612	1,543.5	2,748	1,659.9	2,581	1,583.5
Fairfax Campus	22,819	17,263.7	23,150	17,468.6	23,711	17,810.8
Prince William Campus	2,122	894.4	2,015	857.6	2,023	867.3
Ras Al Khaimah Campus	33	25.9	56	51.8	102	92.0
On-Campus	27,586	19,727.5	27,969	20,038.0	28,417	20,353.6
Off-Campus	2,303	955.8	2,363	962.6	2,297	990.0

Note: These are unduplicated Headcounts and FTEs.

TABLE 3.4 Enrolled International Students by Country/Region of Origin, Fall 2008

Country	Enrolled	Country	Enrolled	Country	Enrolled
Afghanistan	2	Hong Kong	3	Sierra Leone	2
Albania	1	Hungary	1	Singapore	2
Argentina	8	India	457	Slovakia	1
Armenia	2	Indonesia	5	Somalia	1
Australia	7	Iran	14	South Africa	2
Azerbaijan	7	Iraq	4	Spain	3
Bahamas	2	Ireland	1	Sri Lanka	9
Bahrain	2	Israel	3	St Kitts and Nevis	1
Bangladesh	10	Italy	7	Sudan	6
Barbados	2	Jamaica	9	Suriname	1
Belarus	9	Japan	28	Sweden	5
Belgium	4	Jordan	3	Switzerland	2
Benin	1	Kazakhstan	1	Syria	4
Bermuda	1	Kenya	8	Taiwan	16
Bolivia	8	Korea, Republic of	123	Tajikistan	1
Bosnia and Herzegovina	2	Kuwait	6	Thailand	9
Botswana	2	Kyrgyzstan	1	Togo	1
Brazil	9	Lebanon	6	Trinidad and Tobago	1
Bulgaria	6	Libya	2	Tunisia	1
Burkina Faso	1	Lithuania	1	Turkey	31
Burma	3	Malawi	1	Uganda	2
Cameroon	5	Malaysia	6	Ukraine	4
Canada	16	Mali	4	United Arab Emirates	9
China	247	Malta	1	United Kingdom	15
Colombia	12	Mexico	4	Uruguay	1
Congo, Dem. Republic of	1	Moldova	3	Uzbekistan	5
Congo, Republic of	1	Mongolia	9	Venezuela	12
Costa Rica	6	Morocco	7	Vietnam	21
Cote D'Ivoire	2	Mozambique	2	West Bank	3
Croatia	3	Namibia	1	Yemen	5
Czech Republic	2	Nepal	24	Yugoslavia	4
Denmark	2	Netherlands	8	Zimbabwe	3
Ecuador	5	New Zealand	2	Unknown	143
Egypt	13	Nicaragua	1		
El Salvador	1	Nigeria	12		
Estonia	1	Norway	4		
Ethiopia	12	Oman	2		
Finland	1	Pakistan	30		
France	6	Panama	2		
Gambia	1	Peru	14		
Gaza Strip	1	Philippines	11		
Georgia	1	Poland	14		
Germany	23	Portugal	2		
Ghana	11	Romania	13		
Greece	4	Russia	18		
Guatemala	1	Rwanda	1		
Guinea	4	Saudi Arabia	50		
Honduras	2	Serbia	3		
Total Countries/Regions Represented: 129			Total International Students Enrolled: 1,731		

Note: Top 10 countries are shaded.

TABLE 3.5 Students in Housing, Fall 2008

	Northern Virginia	Other Virginia	Out-of- State	Total	% of Housing Total
Freshmen					
First-Time Freshmen	657	631	490	1,778	37.6
New Transfers	25	9	20	54	1.1
Returning	132	100	108	340	7.2
Total*	814	740	618	2,172	46.0
Sophomores					
New	23	17	18	58	1.2
Returning	375	398	287	1,060	22.4
Total*	398	415	305	1,118	23.7
Juniors					
New	10	11	2	23	0.5
Returning	295	317	210	822	17.4
Total	305	328	212	845	17.9
Seniors					
New	3	1	5	9	0.2
Returning	185	219	147	551	11.7
Total	188	220	152	560	11.9
Other					
New	1	4	15	20	0.4
Returning	5	2	3	10	0.2
Total	6	6	18	30	0.6
Total New	719	673	550	1,942	41.1
% of Total	37	34.7	28.3	100.0	
Total Returning	992	1,036	755	2,783	58.9
% of Total*	35.6	37.2	27.1	100.0	
Grand Total in Housing	1,711	1,709	1,305	4,725	100.0
% of Total*	36.2	36.2	27.6	100.0	

Note: Students in programs that do not take credit hours that count for state reporting purposes (LIFE, ELI) are not included above. In 2007 there were 14 such students in housing and in 2008 there were 46 such students in housing.

* Percentages may not add up to total due to rounding.

TABLE 3.6 Persistence and Graduation Rates for First-Time, Full-Time, Baccalaureate Degree-Seeking Cohorts

Cohort Year	Cohort Total	Persistence Rates (%)		Graduation Rates (%)		
		One-Year	Two-Year	Four-Year	Five-Year	Six-Year
1998	2,025	76.0	66.4	35.2	49.3	54.1
1999	2,035	75.5	66.6	33.8	49.2	53.8
2000	2,099	78.7	70.3	38.4	51.7	56.6
2001	2,074	79.9	72.0	39.5	56.0	60.2
2002	2,160	82.2	72.6	41.8	57.1	60.2
2003	2,191	83.2	76.3	46.3	56.7	
2004	2,209	85.8	77.0	37.8		
2005	2,458	85.9	77.9			
2006	2,391	85.2	76.9			
2007	2,175	83.9				
2008	2,476					

1. Student persistence rates are based on fall census student enrollment data.

2. Persistence rate is the percentage of first-time, full-time freshmen in a given fall semester who returned to the institution in the subsequent fall semester. For example, the "one-year persistence rate" for Fall 2007 first-time freshmen cohort is the percentage of Fall 2007 first-time freshmen who returned for Fall 2008.

PERSISTENCE RATES FOR VIRGINIA FOUR-YEAR PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Table 3.7 reports persistence rates, Fall 2007 headcount and SAT scores of public four-year colleges and universities in Virginia. The following 2007 cohort persistence rates are from reports submitted to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). 2007 SAT scores were reported to the *U.S. News and World Report Best College Survey*. The headcounts have been reported by the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV).

TABLE 3.7 Persistence Rates, Headcount and SAT Scores of Public Four-Year Colleges and Universities in Virginia

Virginia Institutions	First Year Full-Time Persistence Rates	Fall 2007 Headcount	SAT 25th - 75th
University of Virginia	97%	24,257	1,200 - 1,420
College of William and Mary	95%	7,795	1,250 - 1,450
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	93%	29,898	1,100 - 1,300
James Madison University	91%	17,918	1,050 - 1,230
University of Mary Washington	87%	5,001	1,090 - 1,290
George Mason University	85%	30,276	1,020 - 1,210
Christopher Newport University	82%	4,884	1,090 - 1,250
Virginia Commonwealth University	82%	31,700	960 - 1,170
Virginia Military Institute	80%	1,378	1,030 - 1,230
Longwood University	79%	4,727	960 - 1,130
Radford University	77%	9,122	910 - 1,100
Old Dominion University	73%	22,287	960 - 1,150
Virginia State University	73%	4,720	790-940
Norfolk State University	70%	6,155	n/a
University of Virginia's College at Wise	70%	1,803	848 - 1,040

Note: Table is sorted by persistence rates.

PERSISTENCE RATES FOR SCHEV-APPROVED PEER INSTITUTIONS

This list of 25 peer institutions is approved and maintained as a benchmark for targeting comparative data by the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV).

The Fall 2007 student headcount figures and persistence rates are from reports submitted to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS).

TABLE 3.8 Peer Group Comparative Data

Institution	First Year Full-Time Persistence Rates	2007 Student Headcount
University of Connecticut	93%	23,692
University of Maryland-College Park	93%	36,014
Boston University	91%	32,053
Northeastern University	91%	24,434
Syracuse University	91%	19,084
George Washington University	90%	25,078
Indiana University-Bloomington	89%	38,990
SUNY at Buffalo	87%	28,054
George Mason University	85%	30,276
University of Missouri-Columbia	85%	28,405
University of Oklahoma Norman Campus	84%	26,068
University of Arkansas Main Campus	83%	18,648
SUNY at Albany	83%	17,684
University of Nebraska-Lincoln	83%	22,973
Georgia State University	82%	27,134
University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	82%	29,319
University of Kansas	79%	28,569
University of Nevada-Reno	79%	16,681
Arizona State University at the Tempe Campus	78%	51,481
University of Louisville	78%	20,592
University of Houston	77%	34,663
University of New Mexico-Main Campus	77%	25,672
University of Nevada-Las Vegas	75%	27,960
University of Memphis	73%	20,379
Wayne State University	69%	32,380
Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis	62%	29,854
Average	82%	27,544

Note: Table is sorted by persistence rates. George Mason University's figures are excluded in the average.

COST AND AID

STUDENT TUITION AND FEES

The tuition rate for a full-time undergraduate student domiciled in Virginia is \$7,512 for the 2008-2009 academic year. This consists of \$5,472 for tuition, \$54 for the technology fee and \$1,986 for student fees. Different rates apply to out-of-state, graduate, and law students.

TABLE 4.1 Tuition and Fee Rates (Last Three Years Trend)

Academic Year	In-State Tuition (\$)	Out-of-State Tuition (\$)	Fees (\$)	Technology Fee (\$)	In-State Total (\$)	Out-of-State Total (\$)	In-State Per Credit Hour (\$)	Out-of-State Per Credit Hour (\$)
2006-2007								
Undergraduate	4,698	16,842	1,656	54.00	6,408	18,552	267.00	773.00
Law	13,582	24,810	1,638	54.00	15,274	26,502	545.50	946.50
Graduate	5,670	16,842	1,656	54.00	7,380	18,552	307.50	773.00
2007-2008								
Undergraduate	4,981	17,869	1,805	54.00	6,840	19,728	285.00	822.00
Law	14,870	26,686	1,792	54.00	16,716	28,532	597.00	1,019.00
Graduate	6,229	18,421	1,805	54.00	8,088	20,280	337.00	845.00
2008-2009								
Undergraduate	5,472	20,436*	1,986	54.00	7,512	22,476	313.00	936.50
Law	16,713	29,929	1,965	54.00	18,732	31,948	669.00	1,141.00
Graduate	6,840	20,232	1,986	54.00	8,880	22,272	370.00	928.00

* Tuition reflects the rate for new out-of-state undergraduates; tuition for returning out-of-state undergraduates is \$19,608

STUDENT FINANCIAL AID

The estimated total amount of financial aid received by George Mason’s students from the start of Fiscal Year 2008-2009 (7/1/08) to 12/1/08 represents a 3.8% increase over 2007-2008, from \$144,644,707 to \$150,204,376. The number of students receiving awards as of 12/1/08 is 14,009. That number is projected to continue to increase by a few hundred more students by the end of the 2008-2009 award year.

Fig. 4.1 2008-09* Student Financial Aid - Total \$150.2 million

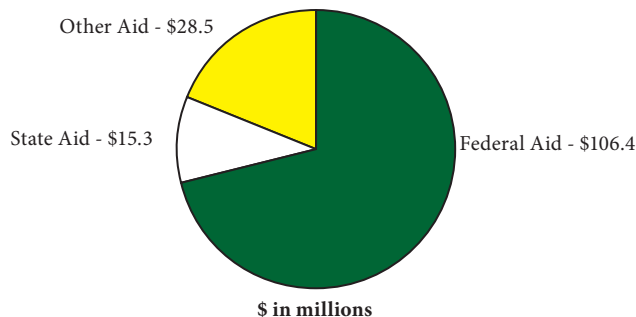


TABLE 4.2 Student Financial Aid by Award Type

Fiscal Year	2005-2006	2006-2007	2007-2008	2008-2009* (As of 12/1/2008)
Student Aid Grand Total	\$122,908,528	\$128,926,635	\$144,644,707	\$150,204,376
Federal Aid Total	\$76,171,052	\$83,256,462	\$95,593,017	\$106,359,757
State Aid Total	\$10,460,007	\$12,243,720	\$13,753,839	\$15,330,958
Other Aid Total	\$36,277,469	\$33,426,453	\$35,297,851	\$28,513,661

* As of 12/1/2008.

Data Source: Office of Financial Aid

DEGREES CONFERRED

George Mason offers a total of 177 programs of study. This includes 71 undergraduate programs, 74 master's programs, 31 doctoral programs and one first professional degree. For a detailed listing, please see the Degrees Offered table in the Appendix.

During the 2007-2008 academic year, Mason granted 7,125 degrees. Of the degrees granted, 32.1% were awarded by the College of Humanities and Social Sciences, 16.5% by the College of Education and Human Development, 13.4% by the School of Management and 13.2% by the Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering.

TABLE 5.1 Trends in Degrees Conferred

	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	Changes from '06-'07 to '07-'08	
						Degrees Conferred	%
Bachelor's	3,323	3,415	3,655	3,715	3,809	94	2.5
Master's	1,947	2,262	2,483	2,543	2,549	6	0.2
Doctorate**	161	167	163	181	189	8	4.4
Professional	214	219	207	206	216	10	4.9
Certificates	273	296	359	339	362	23	6.8
Total	5,918	6,359	6,867	6,984	7,125	141	2.0

** Includes a Professional Doctorate degree.

TABLE 5.2 Degrees and Certificates Conferred by Academic Division, Academic Year 2007-08

	First						Total	% of Total Univ.	% of Total in 2007
	Bachelor's	Master's	Doctorate	Professional	Certificate	Other**			
CEHD	116	898	26	0	138	0	1,178	16.5	16.7
CHHS	266	132	13	0	19	0	430	6.0	6.2
CHSS	1,751	442	47	0	45	0	2,285	32.1	31.4
COS	298	87	49	0	18	0	452	6.3	6.8
CVPA	229	45	0	0	2	0	276	3.9	3.7
ICAR	16	36	13	0	16	0	81	1.1	1.2
LAW	0	6	0	216	0	0	222	3.1	3.1
SOM	749	189	0	0	17	0	955	13.4	13.1
SPP	0	289	12	0	7	0	308	4.3	4.2
VSITE	384	425	27	0	100	2	938	13.2	13.9
University Total*	3,809	2,549	187	216	362	2	7,125	100%	100%

* Percentages may not add up to total due to rounding.

** Professional Doctorate

List of Abbreviations:

CEHD: College of Education and Human Development

CHHS: College of Health & Human Services

CHSS: College of Humanities and Social Sciences

COS: College of Science

CVPA: College of Visual and Performing Arts

ICAR: Institute for Conflict Analysis & Resolution

LAW: School of Law

SOM: School of Management

SPP: School of Public Policy

VSITE: Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering

TABLE 5.3 Total University Degree Programs Offered*

Bachelor's:	71
Master's:	74
Doctoral:	31
First Professional:	1
Total:	177

Note: This total reflects only current degree programs accepting new students.

** For a detailed list of degrees offered by academic unit and degree level see the Degrees Offered table in the Appendix.*

FACULTY AND STAFF

Academic Faculty (Instructional and Research): As the student population increased this fall, so did the number of academic faculty (Instructional and Research). In comparison with Fall 2007, full-time academic faculty has increased by 2.0%, and part-time faculty has increased by 1.3%. Overall, the number of academic faculty has increased by 1.7%, excluding the graduate assistants.

Administrative Faculty and Support Staff: The number of administrative faculty and support staff increased 5.1% when compared to Fall 2007; the number of administrative faculty increased by 9.7% and the number of support staff increased 3.0%.

Minority Faculty: Of the total 5,286 faculty and staff employed by Mason, 905 of them are from ethnic minority backgrounds (17.1%). This does not include the 541 non-resident aliens and the 290 in the "Other/Not Reported" category.

Faculty Salary: In 2007, Mason's average faculty salary was at the 41st percentile within its peer group. The salary used for Mason is a calculated average salary without the 8.57% cost of living adjustment (COLA) received from the state in 1989.

TABLE 6.1 Total University Personnel by Job Classification

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	% Change '08 from '07
Academic Faculty (Instructional and Research)						
Full-Time Faculty	1,152	1,203	1,238	1,302	1,328	2.0
Part-Time Faculty	907	978	1,010	992	1,005	1.3
Subtotal	2,059	2,181	2,248	2,294	2,333	1.7
Graduate Assistants	619	712	907	938	903	-3.7
Academic Faculty Total	2,678	2,893	3,155	3,232	3,236	0.1
Administrative Faculty and Support Staff						
Administrative Faculty	467	514	568	599	657	9.7
Classified Staff	1,120	1,189	1,277	1,352	1,393	3.0
<i>Manager/Professional/Technical</i>	672	709	758	812	825	1.6
<i>Office/Clerical</i>	251	281	306	318	338	6.3
<i>Skilled/Service</i>	197	199	213	222	230	3.6
Administrative Faculty and Support Staff Total	1,587	1,703	1,845	1,951	2,050	5.1
Total University Faculty and Staff	4,265	4,596	5,000	5,183	5,286	2.0

Note: Total faculty includes full-time faculty on leave with pay/benefits. The university president is included in administrative faculty. Information is based on fall census data (with revisions to classified staff categories in June 2009 to reflect updates in staff categorization).

TABLE 6.2 Demographic Distribution of University Personnel

	Total	Female	Male	Minorities	White	NRA	Not Reported
Instructional and Research							
Full-Time Faculty	1,328	542	786	208	927	117	76
<i>Instructional</i>	1,134	468	666	176	839	57	62
<i>Research</i>	194	74	120	32	88	60	14
Part-Time Faculty	1,005	478	527	153	787	21	44
Graduate Assistants	903	450	453	67	385	371	80
Administrators and Staff							
Administrative Faculty	657	394	263	103	505	9	40
Classified	1,393	823	570	374	946	23	50
<i>Manager/Professional/Technical</i>	825	499	326	187	595	17	26
<i>Office/Clerical</i>	338	295	43	94	227	2	15
<i>Skilled/Service</i>	230	29	201	93	124	4	9
Faculty and Staff Total	5,286	2,687	2,599	905	3,550	541	290

Note: Information is based on fall census data (with revisions to classified staff categories in June 2009 to reflect updates in staff categorization).

TABLE 6.3 Trends in Average Full-Time Instructional Faculty Salaries (Total Salaries* in dollars)

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Professor	103,006	108,238	114,864	123,016	126,830	124,892
Associate Professor	70,503	73,173	76,941	81,564	82,948	83,700
Assistant Professor	55,405	57,375	61,531	65,330	68,884	69,422
Instructor	41,623	44,629	48,760	52,243	55,704	56,738
All Ranks	\$73,143	\$76,492	\$81,346	\$85,992	\$88,775	\$88,429**

* Total salary includes eminent scholar stipends.

** Because this table tracks salary by rank, it does not capture the entire salary picture due to faculty movement across ranks and due to differentials between departing faculty and new faculty.

TABLE 6.4 George Mason University Peer Average Faculty Salaries in 2007-08

Mason's peer institutions are used as a benchmark for establishing faculty salaries by the State Council for Higher Education of Virginia (SCHEV). The state "Conventional Goal" is to reach the 60th percentile of the average salary of our peer institutions.

In 2007, Mason's average faculty salary was at the 41st percentile within our peer group. The salary used for Mason is a calculated average salary without the 8.57% cost of living adjustment (COLA) received from the state in 1989.

Peer Institutions	Fall 2006 Salary (\$)	Fall 2007 Salary (\$)	Percent Change
George Mason University	77,248	80,513	4.1
George Washington University	97,095	99,808	2.8
University of Maryland-College Park	94,181	97,841	3.9
University of Connecticut	93,230	96,492	3.5
Boston University	88,682	92,125	3.9
Northeastern University	84,621	91,062	7.6
SUNY at Buffalo	87,068	88,788	2.0
Arizona State University-the Tempe Campus	84,198	88,015	4.5
Indiana University-Bloomington	83,356	86,343	3.6
Syracuse University	81,277	84,747	4.3
University of Nevada-Reno	80,977	84,201	4.0
University of Nevada-Las Vegas	79,972	83,770	4.7
SUNY at Albany	82,151	83,358	1.5
University of Houston	78,092	82,706	5.9
University of Kansas-Main Campus	79,912	81,923	2.5
Wayne State University	77,591	79,901	3.0
University of Nebraska-Lincoln	76,792	79,366	3.4
University of Louisville	74,614	77,450	3.8
University of Oklahoma-Norman Campus	74,985	76,876	2.5
University of New Mexico-Main Campus	72,429	75,830	4.7
University of Arkansas-Main Campus	72,550	75,400	3.9
University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	74,319	74,072	-0.3
Georgia State University	68,432	70,707	3.3
University of Missouri-Columbia	68,800	70,410	2.3
University of Memphis	68,040	69,100	1.6
Indiana University-Purdue University- Indianapolis	65,744	68,377	4.0
Average (does not include George Mason University)	\$79,564	\$82,346	3.5
Standard Deviation	\$8,344	\$8,886	
Conventional Goal	\$81,817	\$84,746	

Source: IPEDS 2006-07 and 2007-08 (excluding George Mason University).

Note: GMU's appropriated faculty salary does not include the 8.57% cost of living adjustment.

SCHEV APPROVED PEER INSTITUTIONS FACULTY DATA

This list of 25 peer institutions is approved and maintained as a benchmark for targeting comparative data by the State Council for Higher Education of Virginia (SCHEV).

The Fall 2007 faculty headcount figures are from the staffing reports submitted to the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS). Not all institutions split their faculty out into the Instructional and Research categories. The total numbers also exclude any Medical College faculty.

TABLE 6.5 SCHEV Approved Peer Group Comparative Data

Peer Institutions	Fall 2007 Full-Time Instructional Faculty	Fall 2007 Full-Time Instructional & Research Faculty
<i>George Mason University</i>	1,104	2,208
Arizona State University-the Tempe Campus	1,715	3,430
Boston University	1,512	3,024
George Washington University	904	1,174
Georgia State University	1,046	2,092
Indiana University-Bloomington	1,640	1,951
Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis	738	961
Northeastern University	889	889
SUNY at Albany	650	650
SUNY at Buffalo	1,057	1,165
Syracuse University	913	1,823
University of Arkansas-Main Campus	874	1,735
University of Cincinnati-Main Campus	1,282	1,282
University of Connecticut	1,233	1,233
University of Houston	1,097	2,055
University of Kansas	1,228	1,445
University of Louisville	861	861
University of Maryland-College Park	1,597	3,194
University of Memphis	868	1,018
University of Missouri-Columbia	1,305	2,547
University of Nebraska-Lincoln	1,174	1,328
University of Nevada-Las Vegas	960	960
University of Nevada-Reno	658	747
University of New Mexico-Main Campus	918	1,088
University of Oklahoma-Norman Campus	1,113	1,336
Wayne State University	978	978
Average	1,088	1,559

Note: George Mason University's figures are excluded in the average.

BUDGET

TOTAL UNIVERSITY BUDGET

The 2008-2009 budget for George Mason University (GMU) is projected to generate \$889.7 million in revenue. Revenue is derived from a variety of sources, with General Fund appropriations from the Commonwealth of Virginia (\$140.5 million), student tuition and fees (\$258.5 million), and sponsored research programs (\$82 million) being the most significant sources.

The GMU budget is expended within seven programs: Educational and General (E&G), Auxiliary Enterprises, Sponsored Research, Equipment Trust Fund, Capital Outlay, Student Financial Aid, and Private Funds. Educational and General is the largest of these programs, with budgeted revenue and expenditures of \$353.5 million for 2008-2009.

Fig. 7.1 2008-09 University Original Budget - Total \$889.7 million

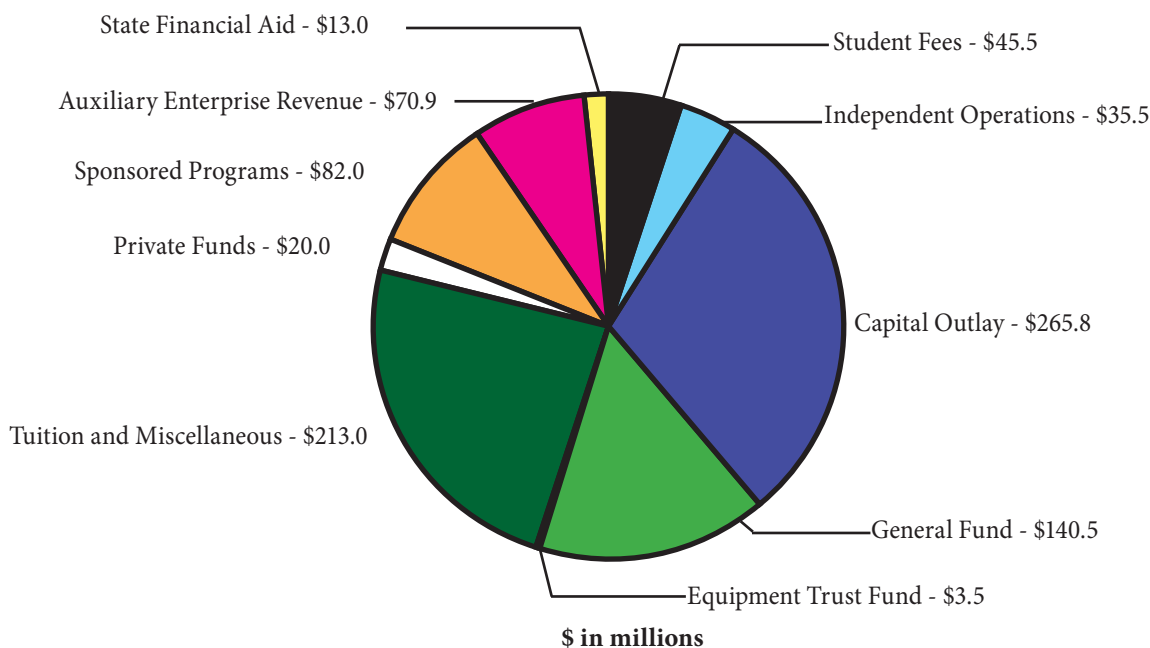


TABLE 7.1 Budget Breakdown and Comparison

	2006-2007 (\$ in millions)	2007-2008 (\$ in millions)	2008-2009 (\$ in millions)	% Change from 07- 08 to 08-09
Educational and General				
<i>General Fund</i>	125.50	137.20	140.50	2.4
<i>Tuition/Misc.</i>	175.10	194.80	213.00	9.3
Auxiliary Enterprises				
<i>Student Fees</i>	36.60	40.70	45.50	11.8
<i>Aux. Ent. Revenue</i>	58.00	65.30	70.90	8.6
<i>Independent Operations</i>	33.80	33.90	35.50	4.7
Sponsored Programs	71.80	75.20	82.00	9.0
State Financial Aid	11.20	12.60	13.00	3.2
Equipment Trust Fund	3.10	3.10	3.50	12.9
Private Funds	15.00	20.00	20.00	0.0
Capital Outlay	104.00	165.00	265.80	61.1
Total	\$634.10	\$747.80	\$889.70	19.0

TABLE 7.2 Educational and General Expenditures by Program Area

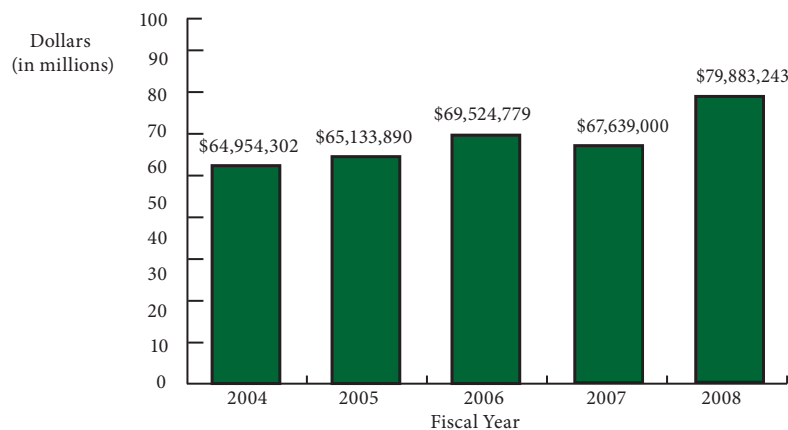
Program Area	2006-2007	% of	2007-2008	% of	2008-2009	% of Total
	Actual (\$)	Total	Actual (\$)	Total	Original Budget (\$)	
Instruction	165,138,144	54.26	195,019,378	58.61	205,791,700	58.22
Public Service	1,385,797	0.46	1,397,946	0.42	1,514,400	0.43
Libraries	16,745,533	5.50	19,416,054	5.84	20,041,700	5.67
Academic Support	36,917,095	12.13	29,342,581	8.82	30,895,200	8.74
Student Services	16,112,533	5.29	19,466,052	5.85	18,065,900	5.11
Institutional Support	43,913,639	14.43	40,653,631	12.22	48,641,400	13.76
Physical Plant	24,113,850	7.92	27,446,767	8.25	28,515,700	8.07
Total	\$304,326,591	100.00	\$332,742,409	100.00	\$353,466,000	100.00
% Change	8.06		9.34		6.23	

SPONSORED PROGRAMS

EXPENDITURES SUMMARY

Sponsored Programs activity for the university increased in FY 2008. During the 2007-2008 fiscal year, the expenditures for Sponsored Programs activities were \$79.9M, compared with spending of \$67.6M in the prior fiscal year. Within the total 2007-2008 expenditures, those from all federal sources were 17.8% higher than the previous year, while expenditures from all other sources increased by 19.3%. The academic units with the largest percentage growth in expenditure activity were the College of Health and Human Services, the College of Humanities and Social Sciences, the Volgenau School of Information Technology, the School of Management, and the Krasnow Institute.

Fig. 8.1 Total Value of Expenditures, FY 2004 - FY 2008



NEW AWARDS AND OBLIGATIONS

In FY 2008, the value of awards increased by \$10.7M (12.7%) with the largest increases for the College of Humanities and Social Sciences, the College of Science, and the Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering.

Fig. 8.2 Total Value of Awards FY 2004 - FY 2008

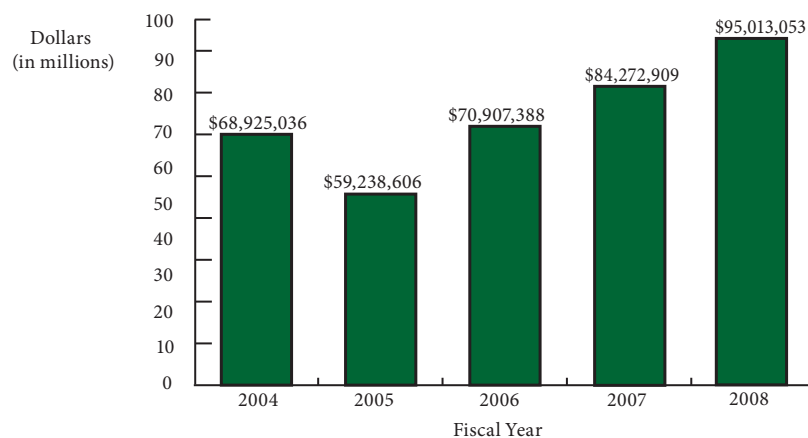


TABLE 8.1 New Awards and Obligations to New and Existing Awards by Sponsor Type

	Number of Awards			Obligations (\$)		
	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
Federal Sources						
Federal	247	256	335	47,192,181	54,472,356	63,115,896
Federal funds passed through state	20	16	14	1,598,832	4,258,526	4,851,395
Federal funds passed through industry, non-profits, and universities	116	136	136	6,005,671	7,917,106	8,549,867
Federal funds passed through local governments and schools	n/a	n/a	3	n/a	n/a	122,585
Subtotal	383	408	488	54,796,684	66,647,988	76,639,743
Other Sources						
Industry	31	33	16	1,485,949	1,998,569	766,584
State (including SCHEV)	18	11	10	4,310,521	741,823	1,011,368
CIT (Center for Innovative Technology)	2	0	1	150,000	0	86,013
Local Government/Schools	16	23	22	484,920	1,111,667	729,463
Foundations	68	81	116	4,222,505	4,392,007	12,484,760
Associations/Non-Profit	43	36	36	2,556,629	2,196,148	2,409,670
Foreign Entities	14	12	16	2,148,018	6,411,441	597,370
Universities	8	11	4	564,371	527,279	109,943
Revenue/Other/Other Governments	8	9	6	205,791	245,987	178,139
Subtotal	208	216	227	16,110,704	17,624,921	18,373,310
Total	591	624	715	70,907,388	84,272,909	95,013,053

TABLE 8.2 Expenditures by GMU Organizational Unit, FY 2006 - FY 2008 (Dollars)

	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
ACADEMIC UNITS			
College of Education and Human Development (CEHD)	6,466,877	6,743,489	7,104,248
College of Health and Human Services (CHHS)	1,233,953	758,371	2,648,812
College of Humanities and Social Sciences (CHSS)	9,444,885	9,667,835	14,099,287
College of Science (COS)	19,771,421	19,587,032	23,072,517
College of Visual and Performing Arts (CVPA)	153,997	78,922	44,786
Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution (ICAR)	511,611	578,127	289,639
The Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering (VSITE)	10,457,924	10,979,349	15,388,812
School of Law (LW)	8,111,792	6,028,413	4,087,532
School of Management (SOM)	63,313	42,836	242,362
School of Public Policy (SPP)	8,140,533	8,264,510	8,489,069
Krasnow Institute	1,023,584	739,288	2,076,679
ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS			
Academic Affairs	2,686,366	2,622,173	1,799,228
Administration	50,982	55,912	13,682
Information Technology	1,292,307	1,290,676	317,200
University Life	115,235	202,067	209,391
University Total	69,524,779	67,639,000	79,883,242

Note: Total may not add due to rounding.

TABLE 8.3 New Awards and Obligations to New and Existing Awards by GMU Organizational Unit, FY 2006 - FY 2008

ACADEMIC UNITS	Number			Value (\$)		
	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
College of Education and Human Development (CEHD)	51	55	57	7,797,382	8,224,720	9,547,428
College of Health and Human Services (CHHS)	13	22	17	753,350	1,756,241	1,739,933
College of Humanities and Social Sciences (CHSS)	86	96	127	10,354,985	14,047,617	17,488,286
College of Science (COS)	168	166	208	21,393,686	22,899,230	30,183,020
College of Visual and Performing Arts (CVPA)	2	0	1	31,721	0	62,000
Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution (ICAR)	6	8	11	537,179	412,709	896,018
The Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering (VSITE)	128	113	143	13,244,352	12,002,414	17,522,260
School of Law (LW)	26	37	18	3,885,237	14,892,233	1,507,512
School of Management (SOM)	0	2	6	0	149,832	647,634
School of Public Policy (SPP)	86	100	89	10,830,203	8,462,437	8,241,229
Krasnow Institute	9	6	18	1,197,796	327,891	3,104,285
ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS						
Academic Affairs	1	6	5	70,564	483,131	311,247
Administration	2	2	2	120,000	7,500	9,492
Executive	1	0	0	2,500	0	0
Information Technology	2	2	3	515,700	415,700	3,462,370
University Life	10	9	10	172,733	191,255	290,341
University Total	603	624	715	73,472,038	84,272,910	95,013,056

THE LIBRARIES

The libraries are a part of the Information Technology Unit (ITU). They offer support for teaching, learning, research, service, and outreach activities of the entire George Mason academic community. The libraries' resources and services are also available to the university's surrounding communities and the general public. There are five libraries on three different campuses: the Fenwick Library and the Johnson Center Library on the Fairfax Campus, the Arlington Campus Library and the School of Law Library on the Arlington Campus, and the Mercer Library on the Prince William Campus.

TABLE 9.1 Overview of Statistics for the University Libraries and School of Law Library, Fiscal Years 2006 through 2008

	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Resources			
Volumes (Monographs and Bound Periodical Volumes)	1,154,980	1,206,462	1,249,562
Microforms	2,989,695	3,038,822	3,075,953
Print Periodical Titles Subscriptions	11,477	11,152	10,750
Electronic Databases	540	557	595
Electronic Books	52,639	78,613	82,530
Electronic Journals ¹	22,981	26,482	36,161
Media Collection	33,546	36,008	39,942
Print Government Documents ¹	340,599	341,031	341,174
Maps	213,654	213,925	214,718
Archival Collections	271	278	283
Services			
Digital Access to Collections, Resources & Services ²	~105M	~131M	~156M
Circulation (including renewals)	268,336	272,114	301,014
Print/Media Reserves: <i>Courses</i>	1,060	903	948
Print/Media Reserves: <i>Items</i>	4,048	7,651	13,167
Electronic Reserves: <i>Courses</i>	532	665	829
Electronic Reserves: <i>Items</i>	6,189	7,014	5,939
Inter-campus Delivery	2,778	3,161	2,477
WRLC Consortium Loan Service: <i>Borrowed</i>	16,149	16,690	13,518
WRLC Consortium Loan Service: <i>Loaned</i>	25,484	25,262	25,476
Interlibrary Loan: <i>Borrowed</i>	9,788	7,805	8,341
Interlibrary Loan: <i>Loaned</i>	14,055	14,181	13,118
Reference	81,534	79,930	37,772 ³
Research Consultations	2,554	2,705	2,760
Instruction: <i>Sessions</i>	795	696	383
Instruction: <i>Number of Students</i>	14,600	13,189	11,025
Staff			
Administrative and Professional Faculty ⁴	54	58	62
Classified Staff ⁴	75	77	78
Graduate Research Assistants	12	12	12
Student Assistants (FTE)	33	32	29

¹ Does not include School of Law Library holdings.

² Estimated. Includes on-campus and remote "hits". Does not include School of Law Library figures.

³ Reflects closing of Periodicals/Microforms Desk in Fenwick Library which represented 15,000 yearly transactions. Additionally, this lower figure represents a redefinition of library on-site Reference Desk assistance, most often of substantive consultation and instruction, for students and faculty.

⁴ Includes Virtual Library of Virginia staffing.

APPENDIX

Degrees Offered

BACHELOR DEGREES:

College of Education and Human Development

Athletic Training, B.S.

Health, Fitness and Recreation Resources, B.S.

Physical Education, B.S.Ed.

Tourism and Event Management, B.S.

College of Health & Human Services

Community Health, B.S.

Health Science, B.S.

Nursing, B.S.N.

Social Work, B.S.

College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Administration of Justice, B.S.

Anthropology, B.A.

Art History, B.A.

Communication, B.A.

Economics, B.A.

Economics, B.S.

English, B.A.

Foreign Languages, B.A.

Global Affairs, B.A.

Government and International Politics, B.A.

History, B.A.

Individualized Study, B.I.S.

Integrative Studies, B.A.

Integrative Studies, B.S.

Latin American Studies, B.A.

Neuroscience, B.S.

Philosophy, B.A.

Psychology, B.A.

Psychology, B.S.

Public Administration, B.S.

Religious Studies, B.A.

Russian Studies, B.A.

Sociology, B.A.

School of Management

Accounting, B.S.

Information Systems & Operations Management, B.S.

Finance, B.S.

Management, B.S.

Marketing, B.S.

College of Science

Astronomy, B.A.

Astronomy, B.S.

Biology, B.A.

Biology, B.S.

Chemistry, B.A.

Chemistry, B.S.

Computational and Data Sciences, B.S.

Earth Science, B.S.

Geography, B.A.

Geography, B.S.

Geology, B.A.

Geology, B.S.

Global and Environmental Change, B.S.

Mathematics, B.A.

Mathematics, B.S.

Medical Technology, B.S.

Physics, B.S.

College of Visual and Performing Arts

Art and Visual Technology, B.A.

Art and Visual Technology, B.F.A.

Dance, B.A.

Dance, B.F.A.

Film and Video Studies, B.A.

Music, B.A.

Music, B.M.

Theater, B.A.

The Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering

Applied Computer Science, B.S.

Civil and Infrastructure Engineering, B.S.

Computer Engineering, B.S.

Computer Science, B.S.

Electrical Engineering, B.S.

Electronics and Communications Engineering, B.S.

Information Technology, B.S.

Systems Engineering, B.S.

Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution

Conflict Analysis and Resolution, B.A.

Conflict Analysis and Resolution, B.S.

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Degrees Offered (Continued)**MASTER'S DEGREES (cont):****College of Education and Human Development**

Counseling and Development, M.Ed.	Exercise, Fitness and Health Promotion, M.S.
Curriculum and Instruction, M.Ed.	Professional Studies: Teaching, M.A.
Education Leadership, M.Ed.	Special Education, M.Ed.
Educational Psychology, M.S.	

College of Health and Human Services

Epidemiology and Biostatistics, M.S.	Nursing, M.S.N.
Global Health, M.S.	Nursing, M.S.N/M.B.A.
Health Science, M.S.	Social Work, M.S.W.
Health Systems Management, M.S.	

College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Anthropology, M.A.	History, M.A.
Art History, M.A.	Interdisciplinary Studies, M.A.I.S.
Biodefense, M.S.	Justice, Law, and Crime Policy, M.A.
Communication, M.A.	Philosophy, M.A.
Creative Writing, M.F.A.	Political Science, M.A.
Economics, M.A.	Psychology, M.A.
English, M.A.	Public Administration, M.P.A.
Foreign Languages, M.A.	Sociology, M.A.

School of Law

Intellectual Property Law, LL.M.	Law and Economics, LL.M.
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School of Management

Accounting, M.S.	Executive Business Administration, M.B.A.
Bioscience Management, M.S.	Technology Management, M.S.
Business Administration, M.B.A.	

The School of Public Policy

Enterprise Engineering and Policy, M.S.	Public Policy, M.P.P.
International Commerce and Policy, M.A.	Telecommunications, M.A.
Professional Studies, M.A.	Transportation Policy, Operations and Logistics, M.A.
Professional Studies, M.S.	

College of Science

Applied and Engineering Physics, M.S.	Computational Science, M.S.
Biodefense, M.S.	Earth Systems Science, M.S.
Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, M.S.	Environmental Science and Policy, M.S.
Bioinformatics Management, M.S.	Geographic and Cartographic Sciences, M.S.
Biology, M.S.	Mathematics, M.S.
Chemistry, M.S.	

College of Visual and Performing Arts

Arts Education, M.A.T.	Arts Management, M.A.
Art and Visual Technology, M.A.	Music, M.M.
Art and Visual Technology, M.F.A.	Dance, M.F.A.

The Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering

Applied Information Technology, M.S.	Information Systems, M.S.
Civil, Environmental and Infrastructure Engineering, M.S.	Operations Research, M.S.
Computer Engineering, M.S.	Software Systems Engineering, M.S.
Computer Science, M.S.	Statistical Science, M.S.
E-commerce, M.S.	Systems Engineering, M.S.
Electrical Engineering, M.S.	Telecommunications, M.S.
Information Security and Assurance, M.S.	

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Degrees Offered (Continued)**MASTER'S DEGREES (cont):****Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution**

Conflict Analysis & Resolution, M.S.

DOCTORAL DEGREES:**College of Education and Human Development**

Education, Ph.D.

College of Health and Human Services

Nursing, Ph.D.

College of Humanities and Social Sciences

Biodefense, Ph.D.

Communication, Ph.D.

Community College Education, D.A.

Cultural Studies, Ph.D.

Economics, Ph.D.

History, Ph.D.

Justice, Law, and Crime Policy, Ph.D.

Political Science, Ph.D.

Psychology, Ph.D.

Sociology, Ph.D.

The School of Public Policy

Public Policy, Ph.D.

College of Science

Biodefense, Ph.D.

Bioinformatics and Computational Biology, Ph.D.

Biosciences, Ph.D.

Climate Dynamics, Ph.D.

Computational Sciences and Informatics, Ph.D.

Computational Social Science, Ph.D.

Earth Systems and Geoinformation Sciences, Ph.D.

Environmental Science and Public Policy, Ph.D.

Mathematics, Ph.D.

Neuroscience, Ph.D.

Physical Sciences, Ph.D.

Physics, Ph.D.

The Volgenau School of Information Technology and Engineering

Computer Science, Ph.D.

Electrical and Computer Engineering, Ph.D.

Information Technology, ENGR

Information Technology, Ph.D.

Statistical Science, Ph.D.

Systems Engineering & Operations Research, Ph.D.

Institute for Conflict Analysis and Resolution

Conflict Analysis and Resolution, Ph.D.

FIRST PROFESSIONAL DEGREE:**School of Law**

Law, J.D.

GMU TOTAL

Student Enrollment by Level, Fall 2008 (GMU Total)

	Head Count	Student FTE	Credit Hours	Full-Time	Part-Time	Entry Status		Gender		Ethnicity					Domicile				
						New	Return	Female	Male	Not Reported	Amer. Indian	Asian	Black	Hisp	White	NRA	Not Reported	In-State	Out-of-State
Undergraduate																			
Degree Seeking																			
1st-Time Freshmen	2,558	2,458.9	36,883.0	2,497	61	2,558	0	1,365	1,190	3	7	354	190	97	1,035	43	832	1,992	566
Other Freshmen	1,087	959.1	14,387.0	932	155	225	862	527	554	6	4	128	90	56	439	57	313	858	229
Sophomores	3,622	3,256.6	48,849.0	3,098	524	813	2,809	1,946	1,656	20	8	545	276	239	1,587	101	866	3,092	530
Juniors	4,985	4,272.2	64,083.0	3,865	1,120	857	4,128	2,659	2,290	36	11	760	353	339	2,107	144	1,271	4,492	493
Seniors	5,988	4,630.1	69,452.0	3,863	2,125	364	5,624	3,222	2,735	31	28	1,060	453	443	2,612	269	1,123	5,479	509
Subtotal	18,240	15,576.9	233,654.0	14,255	3,985	4,817	13,423	9,719	8,425	96	58	2,847	1,362	1,174	7,780	614	4,405	15,913	2,327
Non-Degree-Seeking																			
Extended Studies	569	164.9	2,473.0	19	550	430	139	275	271	23	2	71	25	11	230	23	207	508	61
Subtotal	569	164.9	2,473.0	19	550	430	139	275	271	23	2	71	25	11	230	23	207	508	61
Total																			
Undergraduate	18,809	15,741.8	236,127.0	14,274	4,535	5,247	13,562	9,994	8,696	119	60	2,918	1,387	1,185	8,010	637	4,612	16,421	2,388
Professional																			
Law	681	604.8	9,072.0	458	223	162	519	271	409	1	1	59	25	30	492	15	59	389	292
Total Professional	681	604.8	9,072.0	458	223	162	519	271	409	1	1	59	25	30	492	15	59	389	292
Graduate																			
Degree-Seeking																			
Master's	7,507	3,696.6	44,359.0	1,584	5,923	2,520	4,987	4,589	2,876	42	19	439	411	248	3,367	650	2,373	5,898	1,609
Doctoral	1,839	759.7	9,117.0	336	1,503	313	1,526	800	1,032	7	3	108	96	40	987	395	210	1,192	647
Subtotal	9,346	4,456.3	53,476.0	1,920	7,426	2,833	6,513	5,389	3,908	49	22	547	507	288	4,354	1,045	2,583	7,090	2,256
Non-Degree-Seeking																			
Extended Studies	1,878	540.7	6,488.5	42	1,836	1,314	564	1,345	500	33	4	88	186	86	1,158	34	322	1,549	329
Subtotal	1,878	540.7	6,488.5	42	1,836	1,314	564	1,345	500	33	4	88	186	86	1,158	34	322	1,549	329
Total Graduate	11,224	4,997	59,964.5	1,962	9,262	4,147	7,077	6,734	4,408	82	26	635	693	374	5,512	1,079	2,905	8,639	2,585
University Total	30,714	21,343.6	305,163.5	16,694	14,020	9,556	21,158	16,999	13,513	202	87	3,612	2,105	1,589	14,014	1,731	7,576	25,449	5,265

GMU TOTAL

Academic Division		Lec/Sem				Lab/Rct/Stu				Course FTE				FTE by Division of Student Majors									
		Num Sects	Avg Size	Num Sects	Avg Size	Num Sects	Avg Size	Total	Pct	CEHD	CHHS	CHSS	COS	CYPA	LAW	SOM	SPP	VSITE	ICAR	UN	MP		
CEHD	Undergraduate	133	24.5	36	12.2	10,354	691.7	3.2	400.2	28.8	116.9	17.2	13.9	0.0	70.9	0.0	0.0	7.5	1.2	35.1	0.0		
	Graduate	344	15.7	2	8.0	17,170	1,430.8	6.7	1,407.0	1.3	16.5	3.7	1.3	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0		
	Total	477	18.2	38	11.9	27,524	2,122.5	9.9	1,807.2	30.0	133.4	20.9	15.2	0.0	70.9	1.0	0.0	7.5	1.5	35.1	0.0		
CHHS	Undergraduate	91	32.6	111	10.5	9,934	660.4	3.1	1.2	598.7	34.4	10.6	0.6	0.0	4.1	0.0	0.0	0.8	0.4	9.7	0.0		
	Graduate	93	14.6	9	8.9	4,620	384.9	1.8	0.3	379.4	2.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0		
	Total	184	23.5	120	10.4	14,554	1,045.2	4.9	1.5	978.1	36.4	10.9	0.6	0.0	4.1	2.5	1.1	1.1	0.7	9.7	0.0		
CHSS	Undergraduate	1,110	28.6	56	24.5	102,014	6,804.5	31.8	99.5	257.9	3,987.7	349.5	241.9	0.0	818.9	0.0	0.0	308.3	48.6	692.4	0.0		
	Graduate	255	13.1	9	10.7	11,421	950.7	4.4	25.9	4.5	892.2	11.6	2.0	0.0	0.8	5.3	6.8	1.3	0.5	0.0	0.0		
	Total	1,365	25.7	65	22.6	113,435	7,755.1	36.3	125.4	262.4	4,879.9	361.1	243.9	0.0	819.7	5.3	315.0	49.8	49.8	692.9	0.0		
COS	Undergraduate	229	50.6	360	19.8	41,535	2,788.3	13.0	50.4	130.9	574.8	1,048.2	63.0	0.0	259.6	0.0	0.0	349.9	8.4	303.1	0.0		
	Graduate	150	8.1	4	2.3	4,432	368.5	1.7	25.3	0.5	7.7	328.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	2.8	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	379	33.8	364	19.6	45,967	3,156.8	14.8	75.6	131.4	582.5	1,376.2	63.0	0.0	260.1	2.8	353.7	8.4	303.1	0.0	0.0		
CYPA	Undergraduate	155	22.2	113	17.3	15,421	1,033.8	4.8	14.1	23.2	173.1	39.4	572.2	0.0	77.8	0.0	0.0	38.9	3.1	92.1	0.0		
	Graduate	29	10.2	15	3.5	1,358	113.0	0.5	2.3	0.0	3.4	0.0	107.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	184	20.3	128	15.7	16,779	1,146.7	5.4	16.3	23.2	176.5	39.4	679.5	0.0	77.8	0.0	0.0	38.9	3.1	92.1	0.0		
LAW	First Professional	178	21.9	0	0.0	9,081	604.7	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	604.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	178	21.9	0	0.0	9,081	604.6	2.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	604.1	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
SOM	Undergraduate	190	52.3	96	35.8	31,309	2,092.2	9.8	7.3	28.0	112.3	23.1	13.5	0.0	1,748.2	0.0	0.0	74.7	2.9	82.3	0.0		
	Graduate	47	27.0	0	0.0	3,558	297.4	1.4	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	295.9	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	237	47.2	96	35.8	34,867	2,389.5	11.2	7.3	28.0	113.3	23.1	13.5	0.0	2,044.1	0.0	0.5	75.2	2.9	82.3	0.0		
SPP	Graduate	109	16.5	0	0.0	6,382	529.4	2.5	0.0	0.8	2.8	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.3	522.2	1.3	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	109	16.5	0	0.0	6,382	529.4	2.5	0.0	0.8	2.8	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.3	522.2	1.3	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0		
VSITE	Undergraduate	208	36.0	119	24.3	22,195	1,481.3	6.9	24.3	41.8	146.1	87.8	18.2	0.0	104.6	0.0	0.0	977.5	3.0	78.1	0.0		
	Graduate	189	15.4	2	23.0	9,044	754.3	3.5	0.5	1.3	0.5	10.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.0	740.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	397	26.2	121	24.2	31,239	2,235.6	10.5	24.8	43.1	146.6	98.2	18.2	0.0	104.8	1.0	1,717.9	3.0	78.1	0.0	0.0		
ICAR	Undergraduate	19	22.7	0	0.0	1,299	86.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	41.8	2.0	1.0	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.2	35.0	3.6	0.0	0.0		
	Graduate	38	13.1	0	0.0	1,649	137.1	0.6	0.0	0.3	4.8	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	0.0	129.5	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	57	16.3	0	0.0	2,948	223.6	1.0	0.0	0.3	46.6	2.8	1.0	0.0	3.0	1.8	0.2	164.5	3.6	0.0	0.0		
UN	Undergraduate	53	22.0	4	36.3	2,276	154.3	0.7	5.2	4.9	50.1	17.5	13.6	0.0	17.2	0.5	26.5	2.0	16.9	0.0	0.0		
	Graduate	3	7.0	0	0.0	111	9.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	8.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	56	21.2	4	36.3	2,387	163.5	0.8	5.2	4.9	50.6	26.0	13.6	0.0	17.2	0.5	26.7	2.0	16.9	0.0	0.0		
MP	Graduate	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
TOTAL	Undergraduate	2,188	32.9	895	20.7	236,337	15,793.1	73.9	602.3	1,114.1	5,237.1	1,595.3	937.9	0.0	3,104.1	0.5	1,784.1	104.5	1,313.2	0.0	0.0		
	Professional	178	21.9	0	0.0	9,081	604.7	2.8	0.0	0.0	388.2	931.3	364.6	0.0	604.1	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Graduate	1,257	14.4	41	7.3	59,746	4,975.6	23.3	1,461.1	388.2	931.3	364.6	110.6	0.0	297.6	536.7	753.3	131.8	0.0	0.0	0.0		
	Total	3,623	26.0	936	20.1	305,164	21,373.4	100.0	2,063.4	1,502.2	6,168.4	1,959.9	1,048.5	604.1	3,401.8	537.1	2,538.0	236.3	1,313.7	0.0	0.0		