2015 Incoming Graduate Class

Berkeley expects about 3,400 new graduate students:
- 2,480 master’s and professional students
- 920 doctoral students

These students were selected from over 40,000 applicants.

11%

Berkeley’s graduate admissions are very competitive, with only 11% of doctoral applicants receiving offers in 2015. For master’s applicants, the admission rate is 21%.

50%

Because applicants to Berkeley report being admitted to an average of three schools, the expected yield on our offers of admission should be 33%. In 2015, our yield was 50% — half of admitted applicants chose Berkeley over other offers.

96%

Nearly all first-year students rate the outstanding reputation of their graduate program as important in their decision to enroll at Berkeley.

Where are they from? *

29% California
31% International
40% Other US States

Top 10 States
- California
- New York
- Illinois
- Massachusetts
- Texas
- Washington
- District of Columbia
- New Jersey
- Maryland
- Virginia

Top 10 Countries
- United States
- China
- India
- Canada
- Korea
- France
- Japan
- Taiwan
- Germany
- Great Britain

*As of July 28, 2015. Final enrollment numbers may differ.