

Graduate Profile 22-23

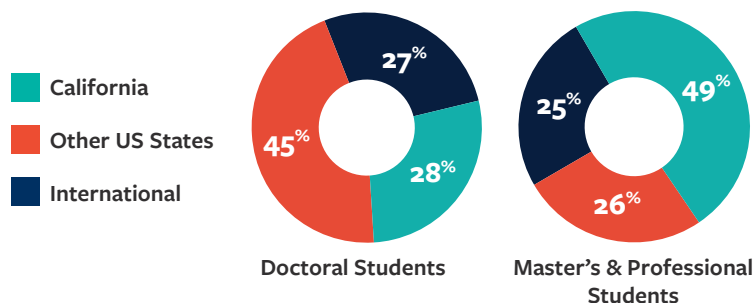
Graduate Student Enrollment

UC Berkeley is famed for the breadth, depth, and reach of more than 120 graduate programs in 15 schools and colleges. Our passion for critical inquiry, debate, discovery and innovation is informed by a deep commitment to contributing to a better world. Nearly all first-year students cite the outstanding reputation and quality of their graduate program as important in their decision to enroll at Berkeley. Typically, half of admitted applicants choose Berkeley over other offers.

Among the **45,307** students at Berkeley, nearly 28% are pursuing doctoral and master's degrees in more than 100 disciplines.

The fall 2022 incoming graduate class of **4,041** students was selected from more than 40,000 applicants.

ENTERING CLASS 2022 - 23



STUDENT ENROLLMENT (FALL 2022)

	DOCTORAL	MASTERS	TOTAL
New	802	3,239	4,041
Continuing	4,337	4,450	8,787
Overall	5,139	7,689	12,828

STATISTICS

Women	48%
Underrepresented Minorities	15%
Average Age	28
Youngest Age	18
Oldest Age	74

INTERNATIONAL GRADUATE STUDENTS (Top 16)

	DOCTORAL	MASTERS	TOTAL
China	600	992	1,592
India	152	567	719
Canada	91	161	252
South Korea	128	98	226
Taiwan	73	70	143
Mexico	43	85	128
France	24	69	93
Japan	25	54	79
Brazil	33	41	74
Germany	41	28	69
Chile	27	27	54
Turkey	38	16	54
Indonesia	13	40	53
UK	30	23	53
Columbia	29	22	51
Total	1,347	2,293	3,640

Our graduate students represent

129
COUNTRIES



50
STATES

ETHNIC DIVERSITY (UNITED STATES)

	TOTAL
Asian	2,680
Black/African-American	678
Chicano/Mexican-American	694
Latino/Other Spanish-American	524
American Indian/Alaskan Native	67
Pacific Islander	19
White/Caucasian	3,616
Unknown	588
Total	8,866

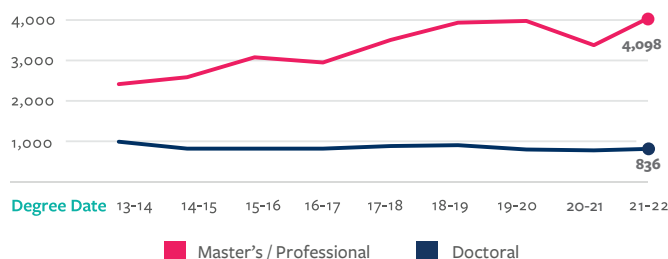


GRADUATE MAJORS (FALL 2022 ENROLLMENT)

Berkeley offers more than 100 graduate majors (master's and doctoral), 93 of which grant doctoral degrees.

SCHOOL/COLLEGE	DOCTORAL	MASTER'S/ PROFESSIONAL	TOTAL
Business Administration	65	1,705	1,770
Chemistry	504	58	562
Education	136	101	237
Engineering	1,348	1,176	2,524
Environmental Design	66	421	487
Journalism	—	119	119
Law	63	1,284	1,347
Letters & Science (all)	2,252	162	2,414
Arts & Humanities	554	26	580
Biological Sciences	457	-	457
Mathematical & Physical Sciences	561	72	633
Social Sciences	679	64	743
Natural Resources	364	50	414
Optometry	31	262	293
Public Health	150	694	844
Public Policy	11	255	266
School of Information	25	1,308	1,333
Social Welfare	26	193	219
TOTAL	5,040	7,788	12,828

DEGREES GRANTED



CAREER OUTCOMES

Top 5 academic institutions that hire Berkeley Ph.D.s

- University of California System
- Stanford
- Princeton
- MIT
- Harvard

LONG-TERM EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

(Based on a survey of Ph.D. recipients who graduated between 2013 to 2017)

- 54.1% of Berkeley doctoral alumni (and 78% arts and humanities Ph.D.s) work in 4-year academic institutions compared to 41.4% nation-wide
- 31.4% work in the private for-profit sector
- 3.4% work in the non-profit sector or for the state, local or national government
- 3.9% are self-employed or have other employment

CAREER PLACEMENT OF DOCTORAL DEGREE RECIPIENTS

First positions of students who graduated between 2011 – 2020 (based on a survey conducted 12-18 months after graduation).

EMPLOYER	COUNT	PERCENT
College or university*	3,761	53%
Business (for profit)	2,241	32%
National laboratory	319	5%
Government	227	3%
Other	200	3%
K-12 school	111	2%
Unknown	82	1%
Self-employed	62	1%
Hospital/clinic	47	1%
TOTAL	7,058	100%

*First positions taken by Berkeley Ph.D.s who went into academia

TYPE OF POSITION	COUNT	PERCENT
Tenure track faculty	1,075	15%
Postdoc	2,001	29%
Non-tenure track faculty	508	7%
Other	3,389	49%
TOTAL	6,972	100%

Sources of financial support for doctoral students (2022 - 2023)

Most admitted doctoral students are funded in full for the majority of their study. In some cases that funding includes teaching and research appointments which are covered by collective bargaining agreements and come with many benefits of employment.

FUNDING PACKAGES

Berkeley offers multi-year funding packages to most entering doctoral students, including those who will enhance the diversity of the graduate student population. Recipients are selected by their departments at the admissions stage.

Multi-year packages typically include:

- 2 years of fellowship funding
- 2-3 years of departmental funding: combination of GSI (teaching) or GSR (research) appointments and/or fellowship
 - and/or 1 year of Doctoral Completion Fellowship*

Departmental funding often includes funding from a variety of sources, including university fellowships, departmental fellowships, training grant awards, GSI (teaching) appointments, and GSR (research) positions. Note that GSI and GSR positions, and all terms and conditions of employment, are covered by a collective bargaining agreement.

External multi-year fellowships, such as the NSF GRFP, NDSEG (DoD), Hertz, and others, are integrated into departmental funding packages.

***The Doctoral Completion Fellowship** provides one year of fellowship funding to students in certain Humanities and Social Science disciplines, for use after advancement to doctoral candidacy.

Other Campus Funding Opportunities

- Conference Travel Grants
- Parent Grants
- Research Grants/Fellowships (from Institutes/Centers and others)
- Training Grant Programs

COSTS OF GRADUATE EDUCATION AT BERKELEY 2022-2023

	ACADEMIC PROGRAMS	PROFESSIONAL PROGRAMS
Tuition and fees ¹	\$14,476	\$14,476
Student health insurance plan ²	\$6,372	\$6,372
Total Direct Costs	\$20,848	\$20,848

Other Estimated Costs

Housing and Utilities	\$15,892	\$17,838
Food	\$7,724	\$8,578
Books and supplies	\$384	\$672
Personal	\$2,402	\$2,908
Transportation	\$2,836	\$3,376

Total Cost of Attendance ³	\$50,298	\$54,432
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¹ Tuition & Fees: Out-of-state residents in Graduate Academic Programs add \$15,102 in Nonresident Supplemental Tuition. Nonresidents in professional degree programs will pay nonresident supplemental tuition and fees of \$12,246 or \$13,674, and some programs have additional fees. Check with your school or department for the most accurate information.

² The Student Health Insurance Plan is optional and can be waived with proof of insurance that is equivalent to SHIP or better.

³ See the financial aid website for up-to-date information: financialaid.berkeley.edu





Rankings and other measures of excellence

U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT

The U.S. News & World Report ranked UC Berkeley as the number 1 public university in the nation, tied with UCLA.

The 2022-23 “Best Global Universities Rankings” of U.S. News & World Report placed UC Berkeley fourth in the world. Only Harvard, MIT, and Stanford ranked higher.

In the new rankings, Berkeley’s graduate programs placed first in the world in English, History, Psychology and Sociology. Nine other subject areas ranked in the top 10.

TOP 10 GRADUATE SCHOOL SUBJECT RANKINGS

1st Place	English, History, Psychology, Sociology
2nd Place	Chemistry, Computer Science, Earth Sciences, Physics, Statistics
3rd Place	Mathematics, Biological Sciences, Engineering, Clinical Psychology, Social Welfare, Public Affairs
4th Place	Economics, Political Science
7th Place	Biostatistics
8th Place	Business (#2 in Part-time MBA), Public Health
9th Place	Law

ACADEMIC RANKINGS OF WORLD UNIVERSITIES

New global rankings place UC Berkeley at the pinnacle of public universities in the U.S. and fifth overall in the world. The 2022 Academic Rankings of World Universities is an assessment of 500 top institutions around the globe by the Shanghai Ranking Consultancy.

Among 54 subject areas, Berkeley ranked first in the world in chemistry and in electrical and electronic engineering, and third in the world in computer science and engineering and statistics. In addition, Berkeley ranked fifth in economics and sociology.

BERKELEY STANDS TALL IN WORLD REPUTATION RANKINGS

For the sixth year in a row, UC Berkeley ranks sixth in the world when it comes to its reputation among its peers, according to new rankings from Times Higher Education.

The six “most powerful global brands” in the U.K. publication’s annual World Reputation Rankings vary little from year to year, with Harvard at the top, then MIT, Oxford, Stanford, Cambridge, and then Berkeley.

BERKELEY AGAIN SHINES AS TOP U.S. PUBLIC UNIVERSITY IN FORBES RANKINGS

New rankings from the financial publication Forbes, again place Berkeley at the very top of the list of public universities in the United States.

On the new Forbes Top Colleges 2021 list, Berkeley is the only public university among the top five schools overall.

GRADUATE ALUMNI ACCOMPLISHMENTS

UC Berkeley alumni are among the most accomplished in their fields. Below is just a snapshot of graduate alumni accolades:

- 26 faculty Nobel Prize winners, including 10 current faculty members
- 32 alumni Nobel Prize winners
- 75 Fellows from 1981 to 2022
- 30 National Medal of Science Recipients

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