2018 Incoming Graduate Class

Berkeley expects about 4,057 new graduate students:
3,181 master’s and professional students
876 doctoral students

These students were selected from approximately 42,531 applicants.

11% Berkeley’s graduate admissions are very competitive, with only 11% of doctoral applicants receiving offers in 2018. For master’s applicants, the admission rate is 22%.

47% 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 2018, our yield was 47%. Almost 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 our incoming students from?

34% California
35% International
31% Other US States

Top States
California
New York
Illinois
Massachusetts
Texas
Washington
District of Columbia
New Jersey
Virginia
Pennsylvania

Top Countries
United States
China
India
Canada
Korea
France
Japan
Taiwan
Brazil
Singapore

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