

UW-Madison Trends in Degrees Conferred: MASTER'S DEGREES, 2007-2016 (Head Count)

Status	Code	Major Name	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	5 Yr Avg	10 Yr Avg
	018	African Languages and Literature	3	3	5	8	5	2	6	0	1	1	2.0	3.4
	020	Afro-American Studies	8	5	2	6	3	6	4	2	3	2	3.4	4.1
	021	Agricultural and Applied Economics	12	7	8	5	9	12	9	7	6	16	10.0	9.1
	051	Agroecology			5	9	9	6	6	6	12	7	7.4	7.5
	054	Agronomy	4	3	3	1	4	5	2	6	4	0	3.4	3.2
	065	Animal Sciences	3	1	3	3	3	2	6	5	2	4	3.8	3.2
	067	Anthropology	13	13	10	6	12	10	13	9	7	6	9.0	9.9
	081	Art	41	54	47	41	43	34	38	67	52	52	48.6	46.9
	085	Art Education	2	4	1	1	2	1	1	0	3	0	1.0	1.5
	090	Art History	6	6	3	3	6	6	4	1	6	3	4.0	4.4
	094	Astronomy	5	6	3	4	3	4	9	1	4	7	5.0	4.6
	675	Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences	12	12	8	12	9	14	8	12	12	8	10.8	10.7
	099	Bacteriology	19	16	13	17	18	18	19	15	12	12	15.2	15.9
	103	Biochemistry	5	3	3	3	3	1	2	5	1	2	2.2	2.8
	038	Biological Systems Engineering	10	3	5	4	5	6	6	5	8	6	6.2	5.8
	115	Biomedical Engineering	21	19	24	26	25	29	33	22	41	21	29.2	26.1
New	119	Biomedical Data Science									0	0	0.0	0.0
Low Award	116	Biometry	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	2	0.8	1.0
	117	Biophysics	1	1	0	0	1	1	3	1	1	1	1.4	1.0
	040	Biotechnology	16	22	24	24	24	26	22	23	24	24	23.8	22.9
	121	Botany	5	3	1	5	3	3	2	3	2	2	2.4	2.9
	004	Business: Accounting	72	69	72	94	88	104	99	103	88	125	103.8	91.4
Ended	009	Business: Actuarial Science	15	5	6	9	5	2					2.0	7.0
	091	Business: Arts Administration	11	1	7	6	4	6	5	5	5	5	5.2	5.5
	423	Business: Finance, Investment and Banking	32	36	33	38	30	31	32	27	33	25	29.6	31.7
Reorg	456	Business: General Management	38	31	42	42	112	63	89	81	81	89	80.6	66.8
Ended	571	Business: Information Systems	5	6										5.5
	623	Business: Management and Human Resources	20	12	13	12	12	9	8	5	5	8	7.0	10.4
	625	Business: Marketing	23	28	29	31	37	39	31	27	31	30	31.6	30.6
	848	Business: Operations and Technology Management	2	7	8	5	7	9	8	5	8	9	7.8	6.8
	859	Business: Real Estate and Urban Land Economics	16	17	12	17	30	18	16	19	19	28	20.0	19.2
	882	Business: Risk Management and Insurance	4	3	1	1	5	0	3	3	3	5	2.8	2.8
	134	Business: Supply Chain Management	5	10	9	13	10	15	16	9	7	9	11.2	10.3
	236	Cancer Biology	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	3	2	1	1.8	1.2
	146	Cartography and Geographic Information Systems	2	3	0	3	1	2	3	3	4	4	3.2	2.5
	147	Cellular and Molecular Biology	4	0	2	4	4	3	2	4	1	1	2.2	2.5
	149	Cellular and Molecular Pathology	4	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0.6	0.8
	148	Chemical Engineering	5	7	5	2	5	2	10	5	4	2	4.6	4.7
	153	Chemistry	23	21	28	22	24	31	16	18	28	26	23.8	23.7
	171	Chinese	7	3	15	6	9	4	10	3	2	7	5.2	6.6
	175	Civil and Environmental Engineering	36	29	22	37	48	44	44	33	29	29	35.8	35.1
	189	Classical and Ancient Near Eastern Studies	3	7	3	1	7	2	1	2	0	5	2.0	3.1
New	204	Clinical Investigation				3	4	3	4	1	3	3	2.8	3.0
	201	Communication Arts	11	9	10	6	13	7	6	5	6	4	5.6	7.7
Rename	216	Communication Sciences and Disorders	27	20	27	22	28	30	33	33	25	34	31.0	27.9
Ended	886	Community and Environmental Sociology	3	0	1	1	0	2	1				1.5	1.1

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	221	Comparative Biomedical Sciences	7	5	5	9	6	6	5	7	3	4	5.0	5.7
	225	Comparative Literature and Folklore Studies	8	4	2	4	4	5	1	0	3	4	2.6	3.5
	229	Computer Sciences	35	35	31	59	70	70	78	98	58	101	81.0	63.5
End	228	Conservation Biology and Sustainable Development	11	12	8	10	9	13	8	11	6	4		
End	233	Continuing and Vocational Education	3	2										2.5
	239	Counseling	23	16	14	19	12	15	15	12	15	14	14.2	15.5
	243	Creative Writing	6	6	6	7	6	6	6	6	6	6	6.0	6.1
	242	Curriculum and Instruction	39	44	19	26	39	23	29	20	38	22	26.4	29.9
	247	Dairy Science	4	7	7	6	4	8	5	6	7	6	6.4	6.0
	261	Economics	23	21	22	19	35	29	44	28	74	82	51.4	37.7
End	346	Education and Mathematics	0	2	0	0	2	1					1.0	0.8
End	364	Education and Spanish	1											1.0
	273	Educational Leadership and Policy Analysis	41	50	45	47	55	44	43	58	58	59	52.4	50.0
	279	Educational Policy Studies	6	7	2	7	9	7	11	11	2	4	7.0	6.6
	283	Educational Psychology	28	26	24	11	34	30	30	14	33	27	26.8	25.7
	382	Electrical Engineering	64	71	41	65	84	71	63	83	133	93	88.6	76.8
	391	Endocrinology - Reproductive Physiology	2	3	4	0	1	2	3	2	1	1	1.8	1.9
	396	Engineering	35	46	49	40	48	45	31	46	52	60	46.8	45.2
	400	Engineering Mechanics	6	7	4	1	11	10	6	9	6	6	7.4	6.6
	405	English	21	32	14	16	19	24	11	29	16	9	17.8	19.1
	409	Entomology	5	2	2	4	4	3	3	3	6	5	4.0	3.7
	593	Environment and Resources	10	17	12	13	11	16	6	18	14	18	14.4	13.5
	411	Environmental Chemistry and Technology	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0.8	0.7
Rename	228	Environmental Conservation										25	25.0	25.0
Ended	413	Environmental Monitoring	5	2										3.5
New	421	Epidemiology						1	1	5	2		2.3	2.3
Ended	526	Family and Consumer Journalism	3	1										2.0
	436	Food Science	9	0	6	8	4	8	14	7	4	13	9.2	7.3
	441	Forestry	2	4	4	2	1	1	3	2	3	2	2.2	2.4
	445	French	8	3	1	6	3	3	3	7	1	3	3.4	3.8
	452	French Studies	7	12	20	10	16	7	19	7	6	10	9.8	11.4
Rename	617	Freshwater and Marine Sciences	0	3	4	1	0	3	0	2	2	2	1.8	1.7
	975	Gender and Women's Studies	0	0	3	3	3	6	9	4	5	4	5.6	3.7
	459	Genetics	4	2	1	0	2	1	4	0	3	2	2.0	1.9
	463	Geography	8	7	5	2	8	9	1	11	3	2	5.2	5.6
	465	Geological Engineering	2	5	2	4	1	6	3	6	5	2	4.4	3.6
Reorg	468	Geoscience	14	13	14	18	9	18	4	13	13	11	11.8	12.7
	477	German	5	4	5	0	7	7	5	3	6	3	4.8	4.5
Susp. Admits	497	Hebrew and Semitic Studies	2	5	2	2	2	2	4	3	1	1	2.2	2.4
	499	History	19	22	16	17	21	28	18	19	13	8	17.2	18.1
	517	History of Science, Medicine and Technology	5	2	1	4	2	5	0	3	2	2	2.4	2.6
	531	Horticulture	1	3	5	0	4	2	1	2	2	2	1.8	2.2
	549	Human Ecology	17	12	8	10	13	15	15	8	14	15	13.4	12.7
	564	Industrial Engineering	49	41	39	52	72	53	39	54	52	28	45.2	47.9
End	567	Industrial Relations	0	0	1									0.3
	577	International Public Affairs	23	18	17	17	10	17	16	18	18	10	15.8	16.4

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	580	Italian	1	3	1	2	1	6	1	1	2	1	2.2	1.9
	583	Japanese	5	4	3	6	4	2	4	1	4	3	2.8	3.6
	590	Journalism and Mass Communication	10	26	12	12	12	18	11	9	7	8	10.6	12.5
	768	Kinesiology	2	3	6	4	2	4	7	7	8	11	7.4	5.4
	594	Landscape Architecture	5	10	1	4	4	2	6	0	4	2	2.8	3.8
Susp. Admits	596	Languages and Cultures of Asia	6	6	3	6	0	1	2	4	3	1	2.2	3.2
	553	Latin American, Caribbean and Iberian Studies	4	13	2	12	5	6	6	2	1	2	3.4	5.3
	603	Law	6	6	2	6	2	3	0	3	3	1	2.0	3.2
Reorg	607	Legal Institutions	37	14	28	39	34	76	48	57	37	44	52.4	41.4
	612	Library and Information Studies	71	93	90	95	95	65	96	73	86	71	78.2	83.5
	615	Life Sciences Communication	11	12	5	11	3	8	5	5	3	4	5.0	6.7
	621	Linguistics	7	0	4	3	3	4	4	0	5	1	2.8	3.1
Ended	624	Manufacturing Systems Engineering	8	18	5	4	16	9	26	11	21	23	18.0	14.1
Ended	670	Materials Engineering	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5	1.2	0.6
Ended	632	Materials Science	15	20	17	24	15	11	19	25	19	12	17.2	17.7
Rename	671	Materials Science and Engineering										0	0.0	0.0
	634	Mathematics	29	23	26	23	19	6	11	21	29	34	20.2	22.1
	643	Mechanical Engineering	48	39	47	53	59	65	69	74	43	61	62.4	55.8
	461	Genetic Counselor Studies	4	5	5	8	5	5	5	5	5	6	5.2	5.3
	652	Medical Microbiology and Immunology	5	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0.4	1.1
	655	Medical Physics	23	22	21	29	25	12	17	19	23	17	17.6	20.8
Rename	682	Molecular & Environmental Toxicology	2	3	0	1	1	1	3	0	0	2	1.2	1.3
	749	Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology	1	0	2	2	0	0	2	1	2	1	1.2	1.1
	687	Music	7	3	8	8	3	10	4	3	3	2	4.4	5.1
	697	Music: Education	4	2	4	3	2	3					3.0	3.0
	688	Music: Performance	24	21	31	26	20	23	24	19	14	24	20.8	22.6
	710	Neuroscience	1	0	2	0	2	0	1	2	0	2	1.0	1.0
	713	Nuclear Engineering and Engineering Physics	22	18	16	12	27	28	30	19	33	23	26.6	22.8
No Admits	712	Nursing	47	40	58	55	72	56	11	0	1	0	13.6	34.0
	717	Nutritional Sciences	1	2	4	3	3	5	3				4.0	3.0
	720	Occupational Therapy	0	15	17	25	23	24	23	23	24	25	23.8	19.9
	744	Pharmaceutical Sciences	1	0	0	1	3	3	0	3	1	0	1.4	1.2
	756	Pharmacy	6	4	4	3	6	2	5	4	4	4	3.8	4.2
	765	Philosophy	5	12	7	12	7	3	5	15	8	4	7.0	7.8
Shift to CD	778	Physical Therapy	36	37	40									37.7
New	780	Physician Assistant						26	34	37	58	61	43.2	43.2
	783	Physics	16	24	12	10	15	17	13	16	10	7	12.6	14.0
	792	Physiology	5	6	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0.2	1.5
	794	Plant Breeding and Plant Genetics	6	5	3	6	2	4	2	5	2	2	3.0	3.7
	796	Plant Pathology	2	3	6	4	1	1	3	1	5	1	2.2	2.7
	805	Political Science	9	26	15	19	18	8	14	12	4	12	10.0	13.7
	807	Population Health	12	11	15	13	10	5	10	7	8	9	7.8	10.0
Low Award	810	Portuguese	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	1	1.0	0.8
	832	Psychology	12	12	9	13	13	11	14	8	19	7	11.8	11.8
	837	Public Affairs	31	35	24	31	31	33	33	34	40	31	34.2	32.3
	775	Public Health	19	11	17	38	32	53	38	21	38	44	38.8	31.1

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	868	Rehabilitation Psychology	22	11	18	14	23	17	28	16	24	14	19.8	18.7
	894	Russian, East European and Central Asian Studies	2	2	3	1	0	5	4	2	6	2	3.8	2.7
	900	Scandinavian Studies	4	5	2	1	0	3	4	3	0	3	2.6	2.5
End	904	Science Education	2	3	2	0	0	0	1				0.5	1.1
	913	Slavic Languages and Literatures	3	6	3	5	2	5	2	1	0	4	2.4	3.1
	912	Social and Administrative Sciences in Pharmacy	1	2	1	1	2	3	0	1	1	3	1.6	1.5
	918	Social Work	108	116	110	99	92	132	198	154	173	172	165.8	135.4
	922	Sociology	21	8	21	12	12	16	17	17	7	7	12.8	13.8
	931	Soil Science	1	2	2	4	5	7	2	8	5	4	5.2	4.0
	935	Southeast Asian Studies	4	7	3	4	8	4	12	6	2	4	5.6	5.4
	936	Spanish	9	10	6	7	5	16	11	6	6	10	9.8	8.6
	101	Special Education	6	9	5	5	5	8	1	12	8	1	6.0	6.0
	942	Special Graduate Committee	1	0	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	1	0.4	0.8
	949	Statistics	18	11	11	17	13	12	17	15	12	43	19.8	16.9
	970	Theatre and Drama										2	2.0	2.0
	971	Theatre and Drama	9	6	25	8	3	19	4	3	16	5	9.4	9.8
End	972	Therapeutic Science	1											1.0
	979	Urban and Regional Planning	19	20	21	17	20	15	23	25	22	15	20.0	19.7
	989	Water Resources Management	19	16	8	13	17	13	10	11	6	10	10.0	12.3
	991	Wildlife Ecology	1	1	3	4	5	3	4	3	8	3	4.2	3.5
	995	Zoology	2	1	2	5	1	1	0	1	1	4	1.4	1.8
Total Number of Degrees			1,938	1,926	1,803	1,918	2,124	2,132	2,137	2,048	2,148	2,170	2,127	2,034

Sources: UW-Madison Retention Awards Dataviews. Counts effective as of October 1, 2016

Status: indicates major programs that have been implemented (New), discontinued (Ended), or renamed (Renamed) in the past 10 years.

For renamed and reorganized programs, antecedent programs are included in the trend counts under the new name

LowEnmt: Indicates a major in which fewer than five degrees have been awarded in the last five years. See Policy on Program Review and Low Enrollment Majors.

Recently approved majors in which no degrees have been awarded are not listed.

Counts are given as the count of degree majors. For example, a student earning two majors and one degree in one term is counted twice, once in each major.

Counts are a sum of awards in the summer, fall, and spring term.

Note: In 2011 three Master's level programs in Professional careers (Master of Physical Assistant Studies (MED), Master of Public Health (MED) and Master of Legal Institutions (LAW)) are now reported as Master's Degrees, to