

Graduate School

Program: Mass Communication

College: Journalism and Communications

http://www.jou.ufl.edu/academics/ph-d-degree/

Cost of Education at UF: http://www.admissions.ufl.edu/annualcosts.html

Admissions

Ph.D. admissions averaged over last 5 years (UF master's students entering a Ph.D. program are not included.)

Applications	Admissions	Matriculations	Quantitative GRE	Verbal GRE	GPA
69.8	21.2	9.2	151.4	156.4	3.5

[•] GRE scores and GPAs for matriculated students

Average number of UF master's or graduates admitted to Ph.D. program over last 5 years: 7.4

GRE concordance table: http://www.ets.org/s/gre/pdf/concordance_information.pdf

Department Comments:

Our college uses the master's degree GPA as our doctoral students are required to have earned a master's degree before admission into our doctoral program. Our average GPA is 3.5-3.6.

Enrolled Students Fall 2016

Ph.D. Program Demographics

Total Enrollment	57
Female Enrolled	57.9%
Minority Enrolled	10.5%
International Enrolled	35.1%

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- Only includes Ph.D. students with university funding as a Teaching Assistant, Research Assistant, Graduate Assistant or Fellow (Tuition Waiver, Stipend, Health Insurance included)
- Funding is generally given to full-time students
- Some departments support students from UF Foundation funds

Department Comments:

Our college includes Ph.D. students who are continuing from their master's degree in our program, so our numbers are slightly higher than what is represented.

Our college accepts a number of doctoral students who are full-time employees in the university system or have outside employers. They are part-time students, so are not eligible for appointments or funding. These students appear in the "students without appointments" data. Therefore, the percentage of non-funded students is actually much lower.

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Ph.D. Completion and Time-to-Degree Data

Cohort Year	Matriculated	Registered in Fall 2016	Graduated as of Fall 2016	Completion Rate from This Cohort	Not Registered in Fall 2016 & Not Yet Graduated	Median Time-to-Degree
2009	20	0	16	80.0%	4	3.8
2010	16	1	14	87.5%	1	4.2
2011	14	0	1	7.1%	13	3.3
2012	18	4	10	55.6%	4	3.4
2013	14	9	4	28.6%	1	3.0
2014	18	15	0	0.0%	3	-
2015	13	12	0	0.0%	1	-

Ph.D.s Awarded 2015-2016: 18

Department Comments:

Because our college accepts a number of part-time doctoral students who are full-time employees in the university system or have outside employers, they take approximately 1 - 1 1/2 years longer to complete their degree.

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Post Graduation

Ph.D. Job Placement Information 2011-2016

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Domestic Ph.D. Student Debt 2011-2016

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- The majority of students receive Federal Stafford loans
- Includes private loans certified by UF
- Only includes loans assumed during Ph.D. Program

Average debt amount for students with loans: \$50,529.00

Recent Reports on Student Loans and Debt:

http://www.cgsnet.org/data-sources-graduate-student-loans-and-debt-0 http://chronicle.com/article/federal-loan-changes-may-curb/132665/

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