

## PROGRAM STATISTICAL REPORT

**Program: University Program**

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### About This Report

The Graduate Schools at the University of Florida, the University of Georgia, and North Carolina State University are working together to examine and optimize doctoral completion at our institutions. You are one of the thirty-seven programs at our three universities who have agreed to participate in this project, which is described at our project website (<http://www.grad.uga.edu/cgs>).

For one of our project activities, we are examining enrollment data across a ten-year time period in an attempt to establish benchmarks; we hope that these benchmarks will allow faculty members to better understand—and if necessary improve—their own doctoral programs.

We have compiled a single data set that describes complete enrollment histories for all doctoral students who enrolled in the thirty-seven programs between the Summer of 1992 and Spring of 2002. On the following pages, you will find a preliminary report delineating your program's enrollment and completion patterns, and providing you the data you'll need to compare your program's performance to other programs you might respect.

If you have any questions about the project, please contact your Graduate School. If you believe that there are inaccuracies in the data, please contact the project's data manager at your institution. The data managers are:

- University of Florida: Name (email address)
- University of Georgia: Name (email address)
- North Carolina State University: Name (email address)

We thank you for your continued efforts to improve doctoral education.

**PROGRAM STATISTICS**  
(Sample)

<i>Project Year</i>	<i>Time Period of Doctoral Enrollment</i>	<i>Number enrolled</i>	<i>Status (as of the end of Spring, 2002)</i>					
			<i>Still Enrolled</i>		<i>Earned PhD</i>		<i>Left Program</i>	
			<i>n</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>n</i>	<i>%</i>
1	<i>Sum. 1992 – Spr. 1993</i>	5	0	0	3	60	2	40.0
2	<i>Sum. 1993 – Spr. 1994</i>	4	0	0	4	100	0	0
3	<i>Sum. 1994 – Spr. 1995</i>	4	0	0	3	75	1	25.0
4	<i>Sum. 1995 – Spr. 1996</i>	4	1	25	2	50	1	25.0
5	<i>Sum. 1996 – Spr. 1997</i>	5	1	20	3	60	1	20.0
6	<i>Sum. 1997 – Spr. 1998</i>	4	3	75	0	0	1	25.0
7	<i>Sum. 1998 – Spr. 1999</i>	6	1	16.7	0	0	5	83.3
8	<i>Sum. 1999 – Spr. 2000</i>	6	5	83.3	0	0	1	16.7
9	<i>Sum. 2000 – Spr. 2001</i>	5	4	80.0	0	0	1	20
10	<i>Sum. 2001 – Spr. 2002</i>	9	8	100	0	0	0	0
<b><i>All Years</i></b>	<b><i>Sum. 1992 – Spr. 2002</i></b>	57	23	45.1	15	29.4	13	25.5

**SUMMARY STATISTICS  
(Sample)**

<i>Statistic</i>	<i>Your Program</i>	<i>All Programs at your University</i>		<i>All Programs at NCSU, UFL, and UGA</i>	
		<i>Median Rate</i>	<i>Your Rank (of 12 programs)</i>	<i>Median Rate</i>	<i>Your Rank (of 37 programs)</i>
<b>Completion Rate (ten-year)</b>  <i>Number of graduates divided by (the total of those who have finished the program, either by graduating or leaving)</i>	53.6	48.5	4	52.6	18
<b>Completion Rate (three-year cohort; students enrolling between Sum. of 1992 and Spr. of 1995).</b>  <i>Number of graduates divided by (the total of those who have finished the program, either by graduating or leaving)</i>	76.9	55.3	2	57.55	6
<b>Time to Degree (ten-year)</b>  <i>Median semesters to degree completion for all those who earned the doctorate.</i>	5 years, 1 semester	5 years	8	4 years, 2 semesters	25
<b>Time to Degree (three-year cohort; students enrolling between Sum. of 1992 and Spr. of 1995)</b>  <i>Median semesters to degree completion for all those who earned the doctorate.</i>	5 years, 2 semesters	5 years, 1 semester	10	5 years	29