

Characteristics and Outcomes of PhD Programs

Neuroscience (CIP: 26.1501)

Weill Cornell Graduate School of Medical Sciences

COALITION FOR
NEXT GENERATION LIFE SCIENCE



Enrollment Headcounts

	Fall 2017	
	Headcount	Percent
Total	60	
Domestic	49	81.7%
URM	11	18.3%
International	11	18.3%
Men	20	33.3%
Women	40	66.7%

Admissions

	AY	AY	AY
	2015	2016	2017
Applicants	127	96	133
Admits	26	30	29
Matriculants	9	13	15
Admit Rate	20.5%	31.3%	21.8%
Yield	34.6%	43.3%	51.7%

Degree Recipients

by Academic Year of Conferral

	AY 2012-2014	AY 2015-2017
	Total	17
Domestic	13	14
URM	--	--
International	4	5
Men	6	4
Women	11	15

Median Time to Degree for Recipients

by Academic Year of Conferral

	AY 2012-2014	AY 2015-2017
	Total	5.75
Domestic	5.42	5.79
URM	4.75	4.58
International	6.25	5.75
Men	5.08	6.17
Women	5.75	5.75

Cohort Completions

by Academic Year of Entry

	AY 2006-2008	AY 2009-2011	AY 2011-2012
	Total Entering	22	18
Not Enrolled Fall 2017	22	18	7
Left with M.Sc. Degree	5	2	-
Enrolled Fall 2017	-	-	11
Total Completed	16	16	6
< 3Yr	-	-	-
3-4	-	-	-
4-5	1	3	5
5-6	8	9	1
6-7	5	4	-
7-8	2	-	-
8-9	-	-	-
9-10	-	-	-
> 10	-	-	-

Cohort Completion Rates

by Academic Year of Entry

	AY 2006-2008	AY 2009-2011	AY 2011-2012
	All Recipients	72.73%	88.89%
Domestic	76.47%	84.62%	33.00%
URM	--	100.00%	66.67%
International	60.00%	100.00%	66.67%
Men	83.33%	100.00%	20.00%
Women	68.75%	85.71%	38.46%

Notes:

*Enrollment headcounts are consistent with data reported to the Integrated Post Secondary Data System (IPEDS)

*URM includes US citizens who self-identify with one or more of the following: African American/Black; Hispanic/Latino/a; Native American/Alaska Native

*Admissions definitions are consistent with the Council of Graduate Schools (CGS)

*Degree recipients exclude dual degree recipients (i.e. PhD/MD)

*Time to degree for recipients is the elapsed time between entering a graduate program and degree conferral date