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Masters Retention and Completion Rates - Overall

Cohort	N	Retention %						Graduation %				
		Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	5+ Years
2005	4	75%	25%	25%	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	50%	75%	75%
2006	8	75%	75%	13%	13%	0%	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	63%
2007	9	67%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	11%	44%	67%	67%	89%
2008	13	38%	31%	0%	0%	0%	0%	15%	23%	46%	54%	54%
2009	24	83%	25%	8%	0%	0%	0%	4%	38%	63%	75%	75%
2010	12	67%	33%	8%	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	50%	67%	67%
2011	14	100%	50%	7%	0%	0%	0%	0%	36%	71%	86%	86%
2012	17	94%	41%	29%	6%	0%	0	0%	18%	35%	41%	59%
2013	15	87%	20%	7%	7%	0%		0%	33%	47%	60%	67%
2014	13	100%	23%	15%	8%			0%	38%	62%	69%	
2015	21	86%	43%	5%				5%	33%	76%		
2016	21	76%	38%					0%	10%			
2017	25	76%						4%				

How to interpret retention table:

75% of the 2005 cohort were still enrolled after one year

Note: "Cohort" refers to all students entering in a given academic year

Retention and graduation rates do not include students who are deceased.

Graduation rates are cumulative, e.g. 86% of the 2011 cohort graduated in 4 years or less.

PhD students who earn a master's degree during their PhD program are not included in this table.

Master's students who switched into a PhD program are entered into a PhD cohort at the time of switching.

Students who changed to a different program are dropped from the original program and entered into a new cohort at the time of switching.

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Masters Retention and Completion Rates - Women

Cohort	Retention %						Graduation %					
	N	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5+
2005	2	50%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	50%	50%	50%	50%
2006	4	75%	75%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	75%	75%	75%
2007	4	75%	25%	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	50%	75%	75%	100%
2008	4	25%	25%	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	25%	50%	50%	50%
2009	13	77%	23%	8%	0%	0%	0%	8%	38%	54%	69%	69%
2010	6	50%	33%	17%	0%	0%	0%	0%	17%	33%	50%	50%
2011	4	100%	50%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	75%	75%	75%
2012	9	100%	33%	22%	11%	0%	0%	0%	33%	56%	56%	67%
2013	5	80%	40%	20%	20%	0%		0%	20%	20%	40%	60%
2014	5	100%	20%	20%	0%			0%	0%	40%	60%	
2015	3	67%	33%	33%				0%	33%	67%		
2016	10	70%	50%					0%	0%			
2017	7	71%						14%				

