# RETENTION OF ALL FRESHMEN FALL 1989-2008

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		Retention Rate:
Year	Number of Freshmen	Freshmen to Sophomore
2007-2008	541	68.9%
2006-2007	455	76.9%
2005-2006	391	68.0%
2004-2005	389	73.3%
2003-2004	427	68.9%
2002-2003	415	81.0%
2001-2002	291	77.1%
2000-2001	375	76.5%
1999-2000	399	79.9%
1998-1999	422	83.4%
1997-1998	439	82.0%
1996-1997	379	79.7%
1995-1996	229	75.1%
1994-1995	286	69.2%
1993-1994	307	72.9%
1992-1993	228	71.0%
1991-1992	228	79.8%
1990-1991	254	76.7%
1989-1990	276	72.5%

## STUDENT RETENTION

## FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN RETENTION

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled	Returned	Freshmen to Sophomore Retention
2003 - 2004	427	294	68.9%
2004 - 2005	389	285	73.3%
2005 - 2006	391	266	68.0%
2006 - 2007	455	350	76.9%
2007 - 2008	541	373	68.9%

#### FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN RETAINED TO SENIOR YEAR

These data represent first-time freshmen who completed one or more hours of credit during the fall of their senior year. It is possible that some of these students "stopped-out" during this period of time. A stop-out can be defined as a student who pauses their continuous enrollment but intends to resume their education at a later date.

Freshman to Senior Year	Enrolled as a Freshman	Returned as a Senior or Graduated	Freshmen to Senior Retention
2001 - 2004	294	186	63.3%
2002 - 2005	417	235	56.3%
2003 - 2006	424*	231*	54.5%*
2004 - 2007	394	227	57.6%
2005 - 2008	391	215	55.0%

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from previous Fact Books

## FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN FOUR-YEAR GRADUATION RATE

These data represent the number and percentage of first-time freshmen who complete a degree and graduate in four years.

Freshmen Year to	Enrolled as a	Graduated in	Four-Year Freshmen
Graduation	Freshman	Four Years	Graduation Rate
2000 - May 2004	381	157	41.2%
2001 - May 2005	292	121*	41.4%*
2002 - May 2006	419	162*	38.7%*
2003 - May 2007	424	146	35.8%
2004 - May 2008	394	148	37.6%

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from previous Fact Books

## **GRADUATE STUDENT RETENTION**

## FIRST-TIME GRADUATE RETENTION

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled First- Time	Returned or Graduated	First-Year to Second-Year Retention
2003 - 2004	147	80	54.4%
2004 - 2005	168	82	48.8%
2005 - 2006	200	116*	58.0%*
2006 - 2007	210	134	63.8%
2007 - 2008	289	181	62.6%

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from previous Fact Books

## FIRST-TIME GRADUATE THREE-YEAR GRADUATION

These data include all first-time graduate students who graduated by August of the third year or sooner.

	Enrolled First-	Graduated in	Three-Year Graduation
Fall to Fall Retention	Time	Three Years	Rate
2001 - August 2004	117	35	30.0%
2002 - August 2005	168	74	44.0%
2003 - August 2006	172	72*	41.9%*
2004 - August 2007	172	74	43.0%
2005 - August 2008	200	94	47.0%

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from previous Fact Books

## LAW STUDENT RETENTION

## FIRST-TIME LAW STUDENT RETENTION

Fall to Fall Retention	Enrolled	Returned	First-Year to Second-Year Retention
2003 - 2004	148	122	82.4%
2004 - 2005	185	156	84.3%
2005 - 2006	207	169*	81.6%*
2006 - 2007	197	174	88.3%
2007 - 2008	192	174	90.6%

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from previous Fact Books

## FIRST-TIME LAW STUDENTS RETAINED TO FALL OF THE THIRD YEAR

There may be a few students who stopped-out or graduated who are not represented in these numbers. The purpose of these data is to estimate how many new law students return for the final year of their three-year degree.

First-year to Fall of Third-Year	Enrolled	Returned Fall of Third-Year or Graduated	First-Year to Fall of Third-Year Retention
2002 - 2004	131	112	85.5%
2003 - 2005	148	118	79.7%
2004 - 2006	185	154*	83.2%*
2005 - 2007	207	166	80.2%
2006 - 2008	197	168	85.3%

<sup>\*</sup>Corrected from previous Fact Books

## FIRST-TIME LAW STUDENT THREE-YEAR GRADUATION

These data include all first-time law students who graduated by August of the third year or sooner.

	Enrolled First- Time	Graduated in Three Years	Three-Year Graduation Rate
2001 - August 2004	122	100	82.0%
2002 - August 2005	131	113	86.3%
2003 - August 2006	144	111*	77.1%*
2004 - August 2007	185	147	82.7%
2005 - August 2008	207	164	79.2%

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