



Enrollment Summary

Fall 2008

Buffalo State
State University of New York

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Executive Summary

Enrollment – Fall 2008

- Total enrollment is 11,234. This is an increase of 241 students (2.2%) from the previous fall semester and this is the highest enrollment since fall 2003.
- Total undergraduate enrollment is 9,371. This is an increase of 232 students (2.5%) from the previous fall semester and this is the highest undergraduate enrollment since fall 2002. The School of Professions undergraduate enrollment increased by 208 students (7.2%), the largest enrollment (394) and percentage (14.7%) increases among the four schools since fall 2006; School of Art and Humanities increased by 126 students (6.8%); the School of Natural and Social Sciences increased by 66 students (3.2%); and school of Education decreased by 105 students (9.1%).
- Degrees granted for both the undergraduate and graduate populations are lower this year.
- Total graduate enrollment is 1,863. This is an increase of 9 students (0.5%) from the previous fall semester. Graduate full-time enrollment increased 1.0% to 614 from previous fall and this is the highest full-time enrollment in the history of the graduate school.
- Total enrollment in the residence halls program is 2,312. This is an increase of 158 students (7.3%) from fall 2007. Since fall 2000, total enrollment in the residence hall program has increased each year by an average of 4.5 percent.

Demographics – Fall 2008

- Ninety-eight (97.7) percent of total enrollment is from New York State. Sixty (60.2) percent is from Erie County and this is higher than fall 2007; 10.0 percent is from Niagara County, 9.4 percent is from the Metro NYC area (1.1% lower than fall 2007), and 17.4 percent is from other New York State Counties.
- Twenty-two (22.2) percent of the college's undergraduate enrollments are minority students with 20.5 percent being underrepresented minorities. Educational Opportunity Program accounts for thirty-six (35.8) percent of the college undergraduate minority student population. The program also accounts for thirty-eight (37.7) percent of the college's underrepresented minority student population.
- Graduate minority students enrollment is 236 (12.7%), an increase of 49 students from the previous fall semester. Graduate underrepresented minority student enrollment is 208 (11.2%), an increase of 39 students from the previous fall semester.
- Women represent sixty-one (60.7) percent of the total student population. Fifty-nine (59.1) percent of our undergraduates and sixty-nine percent of graduate student population are women.

New Students – Fall 2008

- New freshman enrollment is 1,559. This is an increase of 109 students (7.5%) from fall 2007. This is the largest freshman class since fall 1990.
- New transfer enrollment is 1,185, an increase of 69 students (6.2%) from fall 2007. This the second largest transfer class since fall 1997.
- New graduate enrollment is 502. This is an increase of 102 students (25.5%) from previous fall. This is the largest percentage increase in the history of the Graduate school.

Academic Profile, First-time Full-time – Fall 2008

- The mean high school average for all first-time, fulltime remained the same as this past fall at 85.4. The mean SAT score for all first-time, full-time is 968, the highest since fall 2005.
- The mean high school average for honors is 94.1. The mean SAT score for honors students is 1,198, a decrease of 11 points from the previous fall.
- The mean high school average for general freshmen is 86.2 and the mean SAT Composite score is 998, the same as fall 2007.
- The mean high school average for Special Consideration decreased from 87.0 in fall 2007 to 82.2 this fall. The mean SAT score for Special Consideration increased from 747 in fall 2007 to 880 this fall.
- The mean high school average for EOP students is 82.2, the highest in over 13 years. The mean SAT score is 810, the lowest since fall 2005.

FTE – Fall 2008

- Total FTE is 9,626. This is an increase of 441 FTE (4.8%) from fall 2007.
- Total undergraduate FTE is 8,682. This is an increase of 380 FTE (4.6%) from fall 2007.
- Total graduate FTE is 944. This is an increase of 62 FTE (7.0 %) from fall 2007.

School of Arts and Humanities – Fall 2008

- Total enrollment is 2,231, an increase of 5.3 percent from fall 2007. The school represents 19.9 percent of the total college enrollment and 21.1 percent of the undergraduate population, an increase of 1% from 2007. This is also the school largest undergraduate enrollment since fall 2002.

School of Education – Fall 2008

- Total enrollment is 1,795, a decrease of 6.4 percent from fall 2007. It represents 16.0 percent of the total college enrollment and 11.1 percent of the undergraduate population. The School of Education represents 40.4 percent of the graduate population, the largest of the four graduate schools. The school undergraduate enrollment has decreased by 24.8% since fall 2006.

School of Natural and Social Sciences – Fall 2008

- Total enrollment is 2,372, an increase of 3.4 percent from fall 2007. The school represents 21.1 percent of the total college enrollment and 22.6 percent of the undergraduate population. Since fall 2004, the school of Natural and Social Sciences increased its undergraduate enrollment population by 9.0 percent.

School of the Professions – Fall 2008

- Total enrollment is 3,452, an increase of 5.7 percent from fall 2007. It is the largest of the four schools in total enrollment and represents 30.7 percent of the college's enrollment. It is the largest of the four schools in total undergraduate enrollment and represents 32.9 percent of the undergraduate enrollment. Since fall 2004, the School of the Professions increased its undergraduate enrollment by 29.0 percent.

First-Time, full-time, One Retention Rate

- All First-time, full-time retention rate is 77.7 percent. This is an increase of 2.1 percent from fall 2006 and the highest since fall 2003.
- First-year retention rate for the School of Arts and Humanities improved 8.0 percent to 85.6 percent, the highest among all the schools. The school of Natural and Social Sciences improved 4.6 percent to 78.3 percent.
- First-year retention rate for residential students (78.5%) is higher than commuter students (76.6%) for the second year in a row.
- First-year retention rate for female students (79.4%) is higher than first-year male students (75.1).
- Since fall 2003, first-year EOP students continue to persist at the highest percentage rate of all University college student groups. This year's 82.8 percent one-year retention rate is the second highest in the program history.

FALL 2008, TRENDS IN ENROLLMENT AND FTE

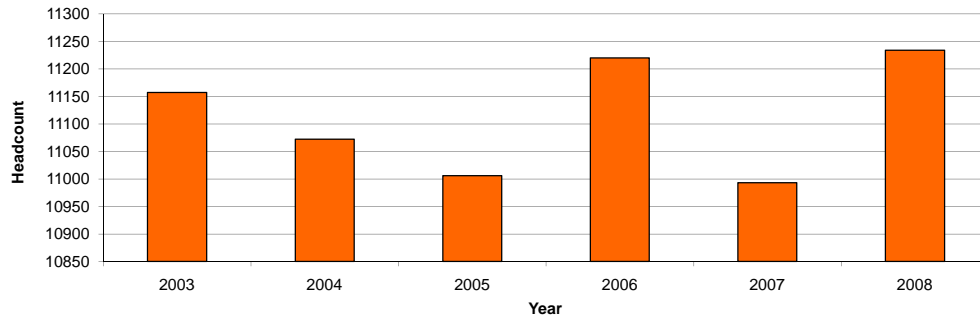
	HEADCOUNT												FTE COUNT																						
	Fall 2003			Fall 2004			Fall 2005			Fall 2006			Fall 2007			Fall 2008			Fall 2003			Fall 2004			Fall 2005			Fall 2006			Fall 2007			Fall 2008	
Undergraduate	Enrolled	Enrolled	% Change	Enrolled	% Change	Enrolled	% Change	Enrolled	% Change	Enrolled	% Change	Enrolled	% Change	FTE	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change	FTE	% Change					
Full-time	7,745	7,813	0.88	7,818	0.06	8,063	3.13	8,052	(0.14)	8,245	2.40	7,524	7,622	1.30	7,619	(0.04)	7,854	3.08	7,832	(0.28)	8,204	4.75	7,524	7,622	1.30	7,619	(0.04)	7,854	3.08	7,832	(0.28)	8,204	4.75		
Part-time	1,258	1,195	(5.01)	1,192	(0.25)	1,251	4.95	1,087	(13.11)	1,126	3.59	530	499	(5.85)	509	1.96	526	3.25	470	(10.58)	477	1.57	530	499	(5.85)	509	1.96	526	3.25	470	(10.58)	477	1.57		
Undergraduate Totals	9,003	9,008	0.06	9,010	0.02	9,314	3.37	9,139	(1.88)	9,371	2.54	8,054	8,121	0.83	8,128	0.08	8,379	3.09	8,302	(0.92)	8,682	4.57	8,054	8,121	0.83	8,128	0.08	8,379	3.09	8,302	(0.92)	8,682	4.57		
Graduate	516	543	5.23	564	3.87	587	4.08	608	3.58	614	0.99	348	385	10.72	414	7.45	427	3.20	431	0.92	451	4.54	348	385	10.72	414	7.45	427	3.20	431	0.92	451	4.54		
Full-time	1,638	1,521	(7.14)	1,432	(5.85)	1,319	(7.89)	1,246	(5.53)	1,249	0.24	573	550	(4.13)	520	(5.45)	490	(5.79)	451	(7.83)	493	9.27	573	550	(4.13)	520	(5.45)	490	(5.79)	451	(7.83)	493	9.27		
Part-time	408	461	12.99	391	(15.18)	452	15.60	400	(11.50)	502	25.50	259	311	20.24	192	(38.26)	313	63.06	278	(11.28)	339	22.02	259	311	20.24	192	(38.26)	313	63.06	278	(11.28)	339	22.02		
Graduate Totals	2,154	2,064	(4.18)	1,996	(3.29)	1,906	(4.51)	1,854	(2.73)	1,863	0.49	921	935	1.48	934	(0.13)	917	(1.80)	882	(3.75)	944	6.96	921	935	1.48	934	(0.13)	917	(1.80)	882	(3.75)	944	6.96		
New Students*	1,379	1,363	(1.16)	1,250	(8.29)	1,495	19.60	1,450	(3.01)	1,559	7.52	1,272	1,260	(0.94)	1,145	(9.11)	1,397	22.01	1,386	(0.76)	1,548	11.62	1,272	1,260	(0.94)	1,145	(9.11)	1,397	22.01	1,386	(0.76)	1,548	11.62		
Freshman	1,011	1,014	0.30	1,081	6.61	1,133	4.81	1,116	(1.50)	1,185	6.18	844	852	1.03	852	(0.09)	958	12.49	978	2.12	1,014	3.65	844	852	1.03	852	(0.09)	958	12.49	978	2.12	1,014	3.65		
Transfer	408	461	12.99	391	(15.18)	452	15.60	400	(11.50)	502	25.50	259	311	20.24	192	(38.26)	313	63.06	278	(11.28)	339	22.02	259	311	20.24	192	(38.26)	313	63.06	278	(11.28)	339	22.02		
Graduate	2,798	2,838	1.43	2,722	(4.09)	3,080	13.15	2,966	(3.70)	3,246	9.44	2,374	2,423	2.07	2,189	(9.68)	2,668	21.91	2,642	(0.96)	2,901	9.76	2,374	2,423	2.07	2,189	(9.68)	2,668	21.91	2,642	(0.96)	2,901	9.76		
New Student Totals	2,798	2,838	1.43	2,722	(4.09)	3,080	13.15	2,966	(3.70)	3,246	9.44	2,374	2,423	2.07	2,189	(9.68)	2,668	21.91	2,642	(0.96)	2,901	9.76	2,374	2,423	2.07	2,189	(9.68)	2,668	21.91	2,642	(0.96)	2,901	9.76		
Grand Totals	11,157	11,072	(0.76)	11,006	(0.60)	11,220	1.94	10,993	(2.02)	11,234	2.19	8,976	9,056	0.90	9,062	0.06	9,296	2.59	9,185	(1.20)	9,626	4.80	8,976	9,056	0.90	9,062	0.06	9,296	2.59	9,185	(1.20)	9,626	4.80		

Fall 2008 Actual Enrollment 11,234
 Fall 2008 Approved Enrollment Target 11,100

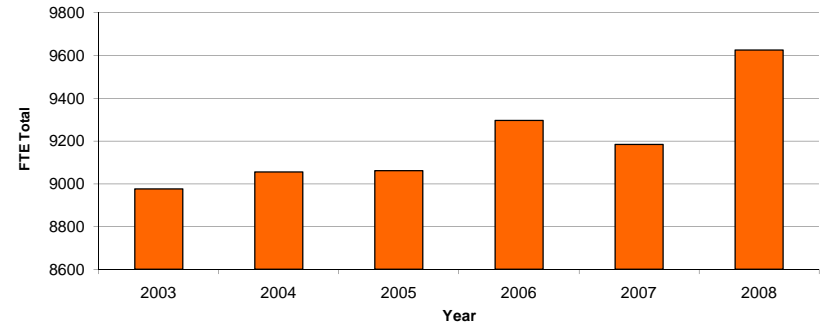
Fall 2008 Actual FTE 9,626
 2008-09 Approved AAFTE Target 9,004

FTE Formula
 Undergraduate = Total Credit Hours / 15
 Graduate = Total Credit Hours / 12
 Certificate of Advance Study=# of Full-time Headcount x1
 Certificate of Advance Study=# of Part-time Headcount x .75

Trend in Fall Enrollment



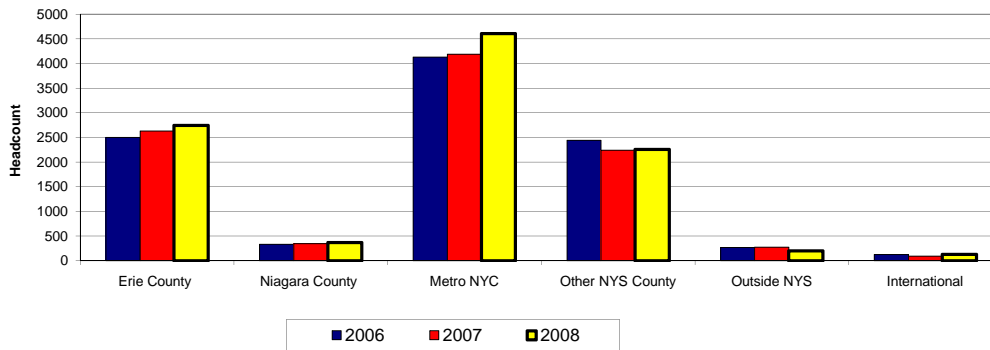
Trend in Fall FTE



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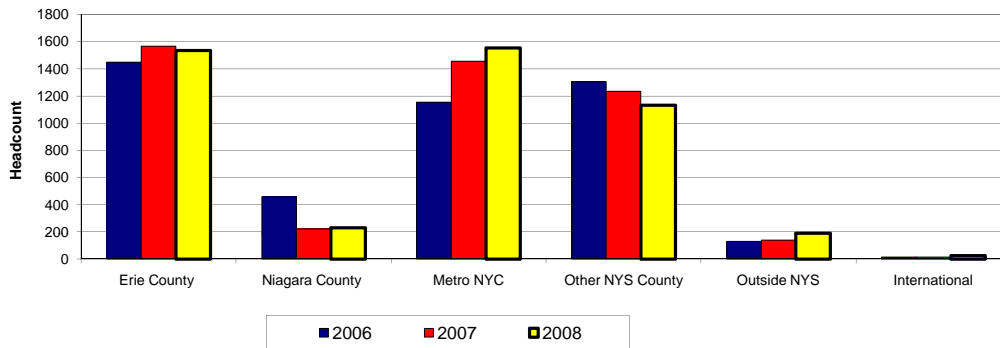
FALL 2006 THRU FALL 2008

APPLICATIONS



Freshmen applications increased from 9,762 to 10,304 (5.5%) from previous fall 2007.

ACCEPTS

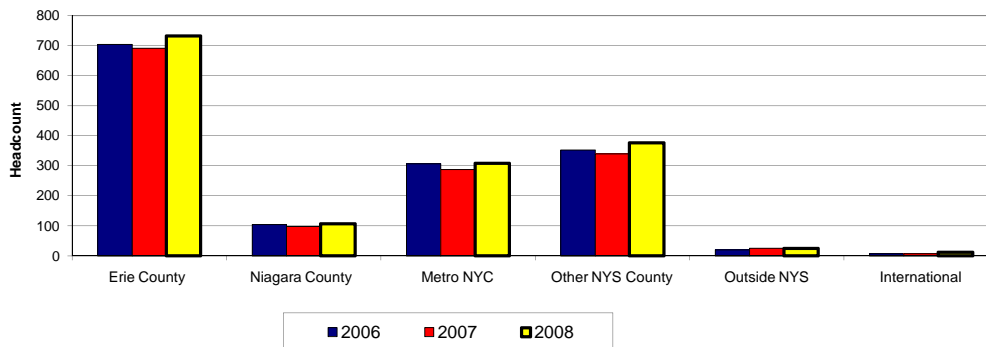


Acceptance rate is down to 45.0 percent, a decrease of 2.4 percent from previous fall 2007
 The acceptance yield increased to 33.6 percent. This is a 2.3 percent increase from last fall 2007.

The mean high school average for the freshmen class remained at 85.4
 The mean high school average for regular admit is 86.1. The mean SAT Composite (998) score for regular admit is the same as last fall.

Total enrollment for the Fall 2008 freshman class is 1,559. This is the largest freshman since fall 1990. Twenty (20) percent of our freshmen class is from the Metro NYC area.

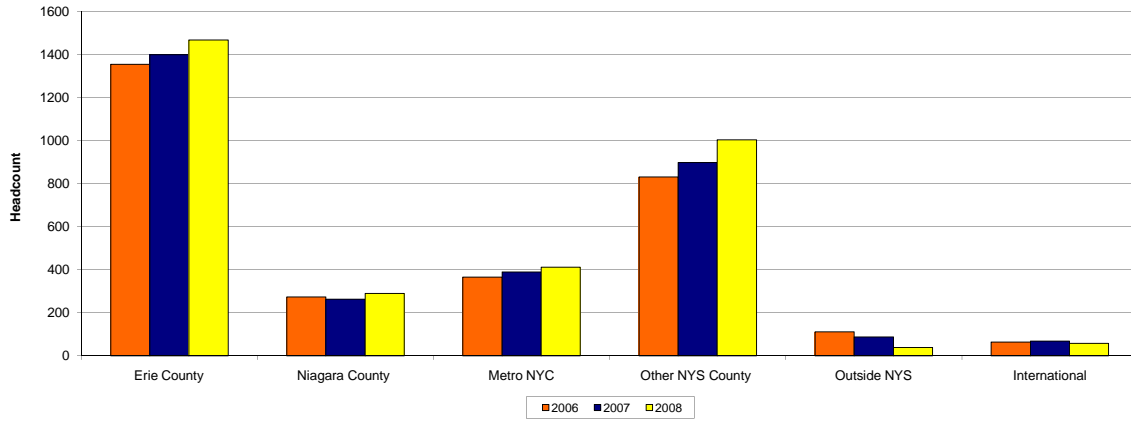
ENROLLMENTS



UNDERGRADUATE TRANSFER ADMISSIONS

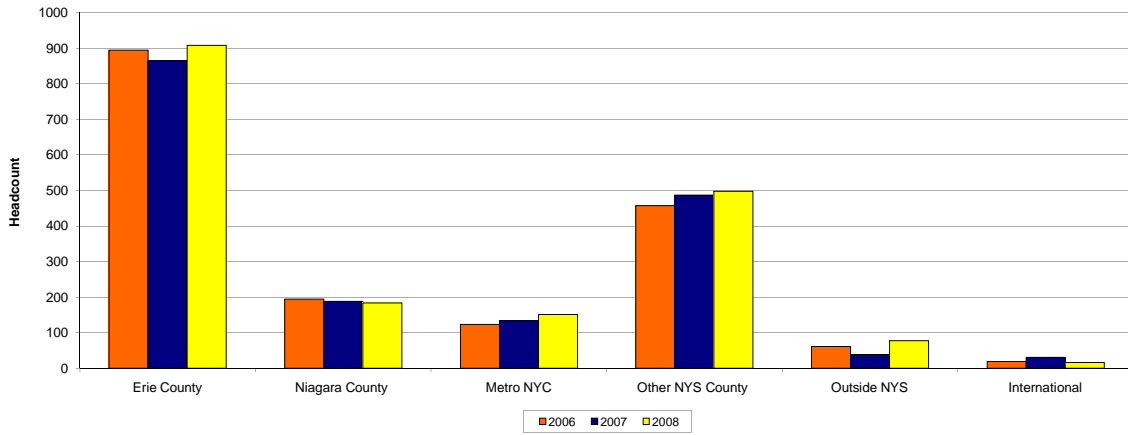
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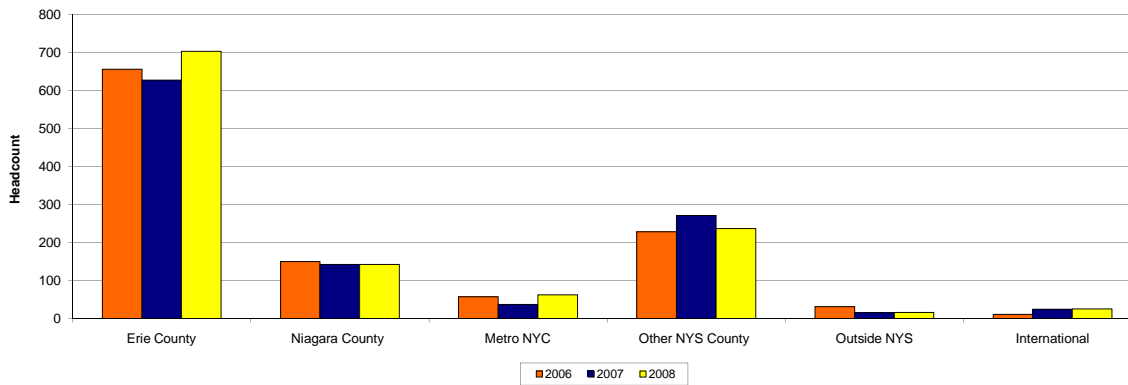
Total Undergraduate transfer applications reached 3,268. This is an increase of 5.4% from fall 2007 and 37.4% increased from fall 2000. Transfer applications in Erie county increased by 5 percent and in other NYS counties by 12 percent.

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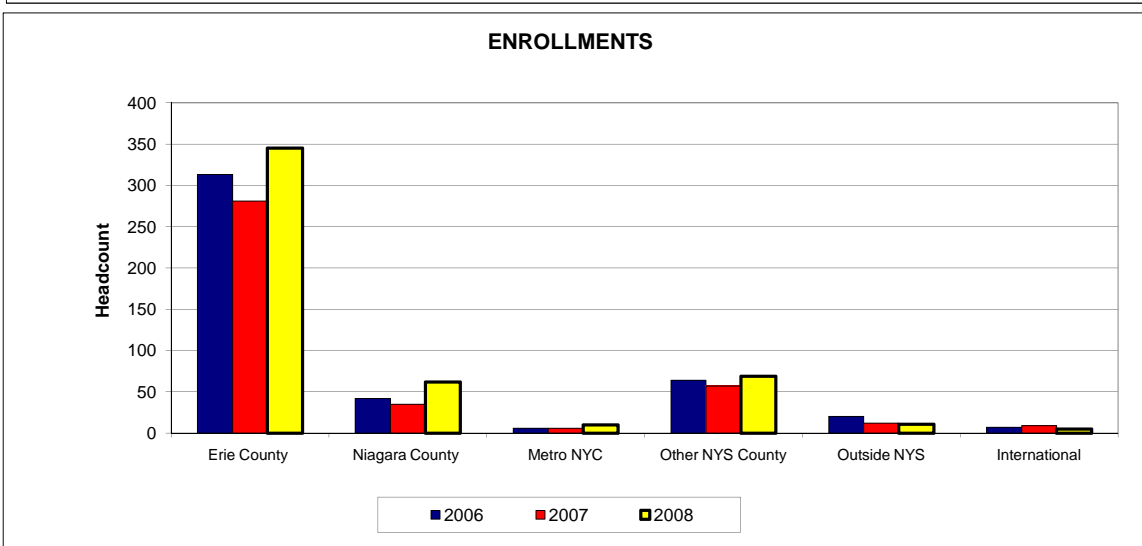
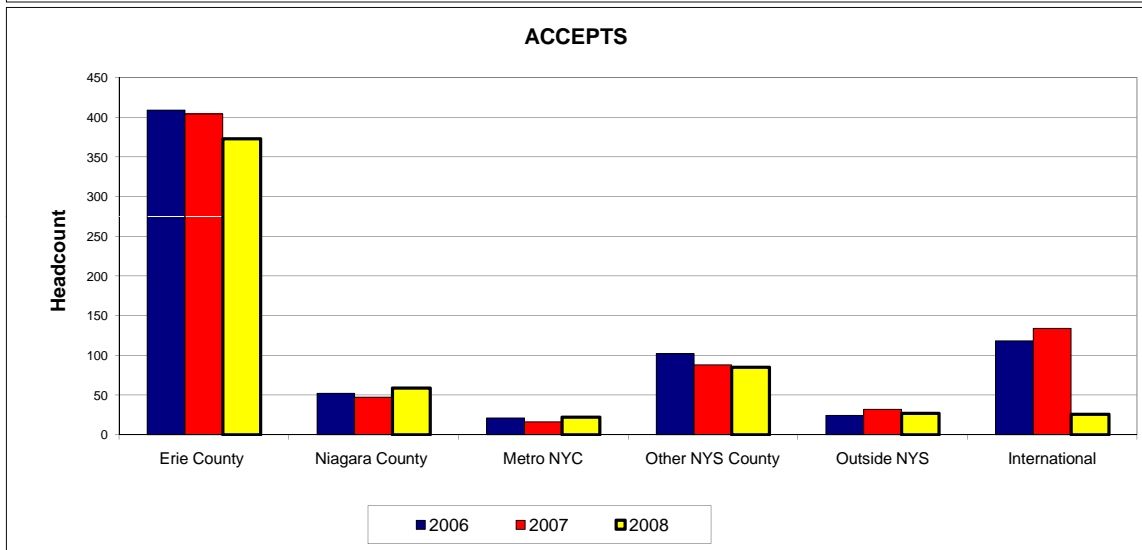
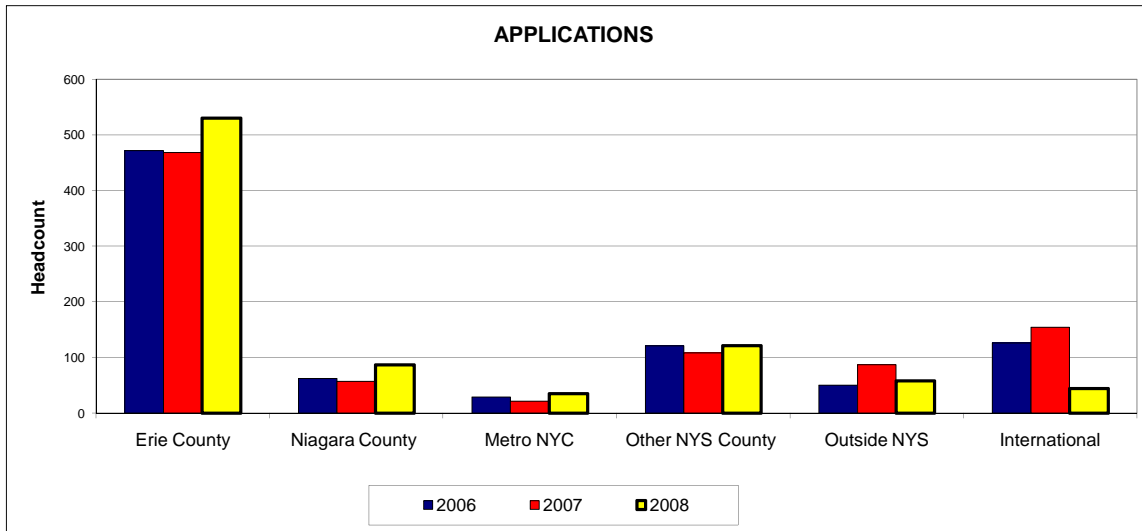


Transfer acceptance rate remained the same as last fall at 56 percent . The acceptance yield remained at 64 percent. Total transfer enrollment is 1,184. This is an increased of 6.1% from fall 2007. This is the largest transfer class since fall 1997. Transfer enrollment increased by 12 percent. This is due to an increase in student transfers from private schools and out-of-state public institutions.

ENROLLMENTS



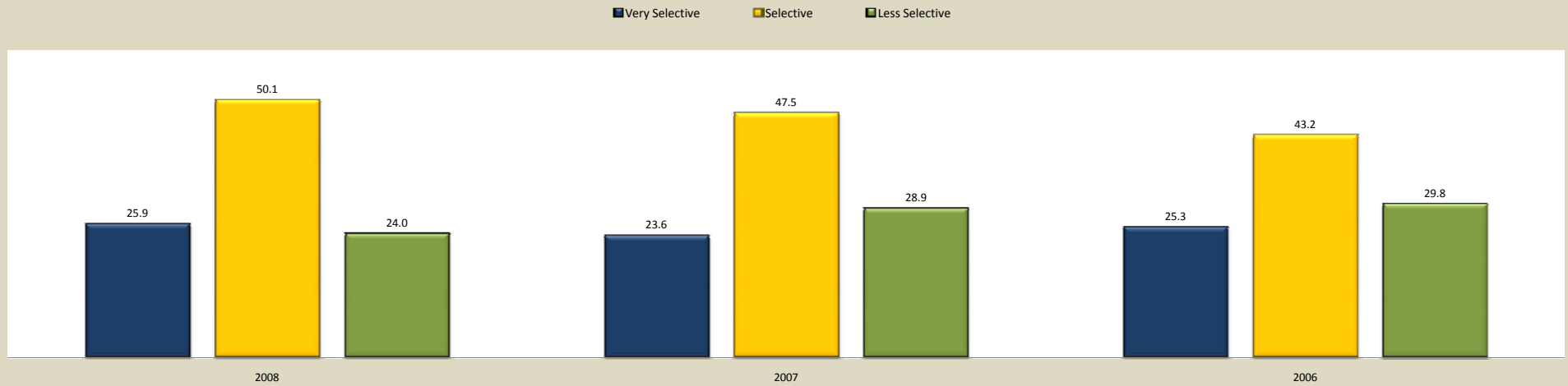
GRADUATE ADMISSIONS FALL 2006 THRU 2008



ACADEMIC PROFILE
All First-Time Full-Time Matriculated
Fall 2005 thru Fall 2008

	FALL 2008				FALL 2007				FALL 2006				FALL 2005			
	**Student Count w. Scores	Mean Score	Median Score	Middle 50 Percentile	**Student Count w. Scores	Mean Score	Median Score	Middle 50 Percentile	**Student Headcount Valid Scores	Mean Score	Median Score	Middle 50 Percentile	**Student Headcount Valid Scores	Mean Score	Median Score	Middle 50 Percentile
All Freshmen																
SAT COMPOSITE	1415	968.0	970.0	890.0 - 1050.0	1319	952.0	950.0	850.0 - 1050.0	1223	964.0	960.0	870.0 - 1070.0	1046	971.0	970.0	870.0 - 1070.0
HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGE	1372	85.4	85.0	82.0 - 88.8	1372	85.4	85.0	82.0 - 88.8	1290	84.9	84.7	81.6 - 88.2	1105	84.7	84.8	81.1 - 88.2
TOTAL FRESHMEN	1,507				1,390				1,400				1,180			
Regular Admit w/o Spec. Status																
SAT COMPOSITE	1161	998.0	990.0	920.0 - 1070.0	998	998.0	990.0	910.0 - 1080.0	940	1000.0	990.0	900.0 - 1090.0	745	1008.0	1000.0	910.0 - 1100.0
HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGE	1216	86.2	85.6	83.0 - 88.8	1038	86.5	86.0	83.1 - 89.4	975	86.3	86.0	83.1 - 89.2	747	86.8	86.7	83.7 - 89.6
Subtotal	1237				1042				1048				805			
All EOP Full-time Freshmen																
SAT COMPOSITE	193	810.0	810.0	730.0 - 880.0	194	781.0	780.0	690.0 - 870.0	138	807.0	820.0	710.0 - 910.0	183	828.0	830.0	740.0 - 930.0
HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGE	201	82.2	81.7	78.9 - 85.0	199	81.0	80.5	77.6 - 83.6	181	80.4	80.0	77.6 - 82.5	237	79.7	79.4	76.8 - 81.9
Subtotal	203				204				194				252			
All Spec. Consideration Full-time First-time																
SAT COMPOSITE	55	879.0	840.0	770.0 - 1000.0	74	880.0	875.0	820.0 - 930.0	151	883.0	880.0	820.0 - 940.0	118	957.0	945.0	870.0 - 1030.0
HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGE	65	82.0	80.4	78.0 - 80.4	83	81.2	81.0	79.9 - 82.9	134	81.8	81.9	79.9 - 83.4	121	81.5	79.4	79.4 - 83.1
Subtotal	67				84				151				136			
All Honors Full-time First-time*																
SAT COMPOSITE	34	1198.0	1200.0	1170.0 - 1220.0	39	1209.0	1200.0	1150.0 - 1270.0	39	1204.0	1200.0	1120.0 - 1280.0	23	1221.0	1220.0	1160.0 - 1260.0
HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGE	38	94.1	93.5	92.0 - 96.1	40	94.3	94.7	92.3 - 96.0	36	93.4	93.9	91.9 - 95.5	22	94.9	94.7	92.9 - 96.7
Subtotal	38				44				39				23			
All SSSP																
SAT COMPOSITE	20	866.0	850.0	800.0 - 930.0	26	817.0	820.0	730 - 910								
HIGH SCHOOL AVERAGE	20	86.4	87.4	83.5 - 89.0	25	85.1	84.8	82.0 - 87.4								
Subtotal	20				28											

Trend in First-Time, Full-time Matriculated Admission Selectivity

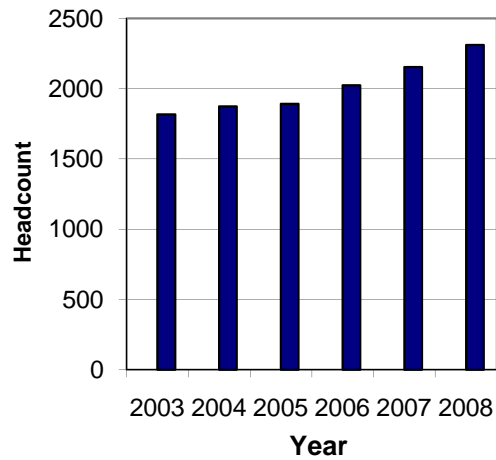


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 ** Student Headcount with Valid SAT Scores and Averages

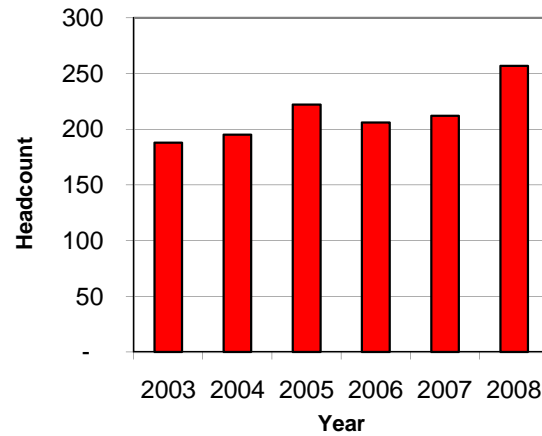
Trends in Residence Hall Occupancy and Degrees Granted

Fall Enrollment	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Diff
Residence Hall Occupancy	1,620	1,641	1,730	1,818	1,875	1,892	2,024	2,154	2,312	158
Out-of-State Residents	129	154	170	188	195	222	206	212	257	45
Undergraduate	109	125	143	146	148	155	147	158	174	16
Graduate	20	29	27	42	47	67	59	54	83	29
Degrees Granted	2,147	2,156	2,275	2,443	2,474	2,440	2,621	2,535		
Bachelors	1,685	1,640	1,661	1,728	1,656	1,686	1,791	1,767		
Masters/CAS	462	516	614	715	818	754	830	768		

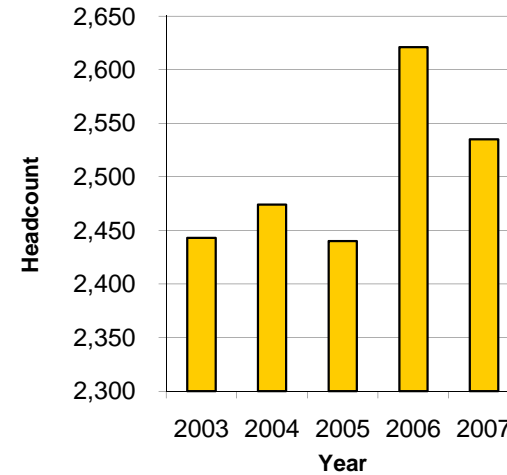
Trends in Residence Hall Occupancy



Trends in Out-of State Student Enrollment

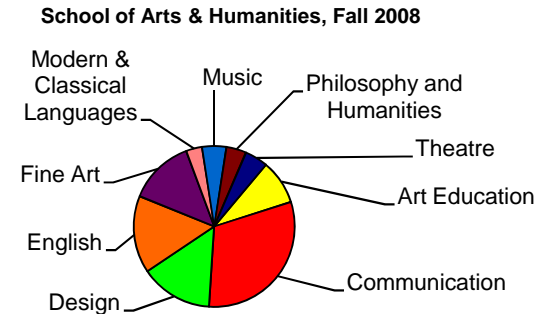


Trends in Degrees Granted

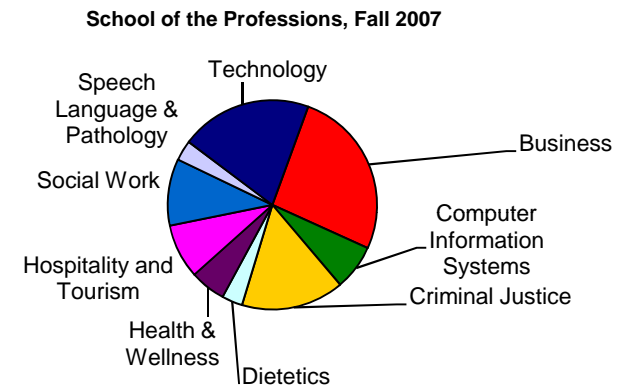


UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL AND DEPARTMENT

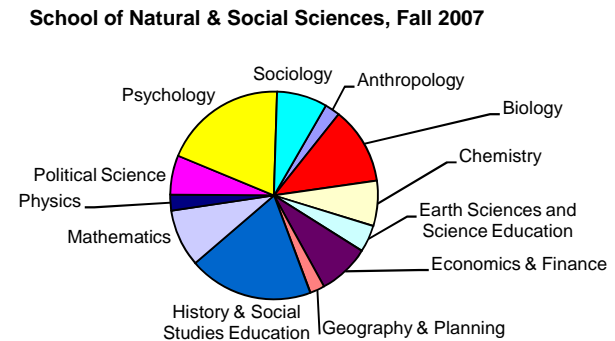
School of Arts & Humanities	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Art Education	178	197	187	213	219	233	260
Communication	613	539	560	546	509	488	541
Design	289	268	307	295	346	367	382
English	307	302	371	332	344	364	381
Fine Art	262	263	255	209	250	205	197
Modern & Classical Languages	63	61	53	69	69	79	93
Music	97	82	77	74	72	58	54
Philosophy and Humanities	80	70	75	49	45	51	60
Theatre	92	73	78	75	75	69	59
School Totals	1981	1855	1963	1862	1929	1914	2027



School of the Professions	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Business	808	717	649	565	514	493	525
Computer Information Systems	216	238	229	243	299	337	357
Criminal Justice	490	469	477	456	442	409	411
Dietetics	98	93	68	56	42	40	43
Health & Wellness	170	144	146	142	133	125	120
Hospitality and Tourism	260	244	199	172	150	135	119
Social Work	317	257	251	193	186	230	249
Speech Language & Pathology	97	89	79	87	90	85	68
Technology	625	622	589	555	533	558	555
School Totals	3081	2873	2687	2469	2389	2412	2447



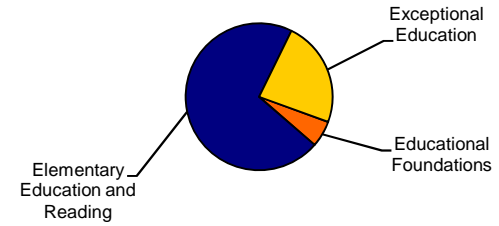
School of Natural & Social Sciences	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Anthropology	50	28	38	42	44	44	35
Biology	254	224	238	201	196	182	212
Chemistry	149	158	179	173	176	146	113
Earth Sciences and Science Education	89	86	88	92	85	81	87
Economics & Finance	170	167	134	105	88	84	82
Geography & Planning	49	52	41	38	25	27	33
History & Social Studies Education	410	409	419	418	392	381	396
Mathematics	190	199	215	232	221	217	201
Physics	52	43	32	29	39	27	32
Political Science	129	114	106	101	103	77	86
Psychology	407	381	368	339	360	370	360
Sociology	166	188	193	193	196	184	209
School Totals	2115	2049	2051	1963	1925	1820	1846



UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL AND DEPARTMENT

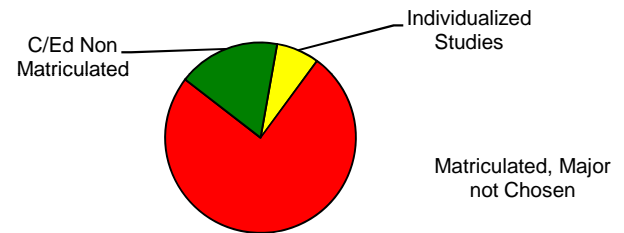
School of Education	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Educational Foundations	61	82	104	94	99	92	125
Elementary Education and Reading	739	820	1010	965	797	733	711
Exceptional Education	243	246	273	317	307	289	377
School Totals	1043	1148	1387	1376	1203	1114	1213

School of Education, Fall 2007



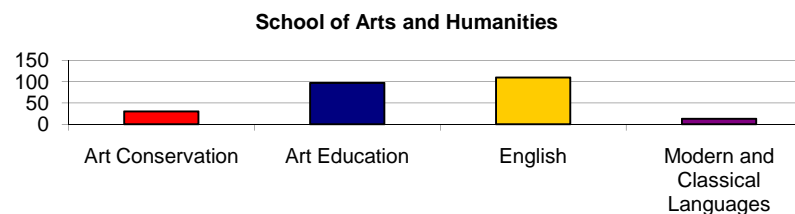
University College	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Individualized Studies	84	67	50	43	52	39	41
Matriculated, Major not Chosen	868	945	892	1,042	1,259	1,398	1468
C/Ed Non Matriculated	199	202	284	255	251	306	453
Subtotal	1,151	1,214	1,226	1,340	1,562	1,743	1,962
Total Undergraduate Enrollment	9,371	9,139	9,010	9,008	9,003	9,495	9,590

University College Enrollment, Fall 2007

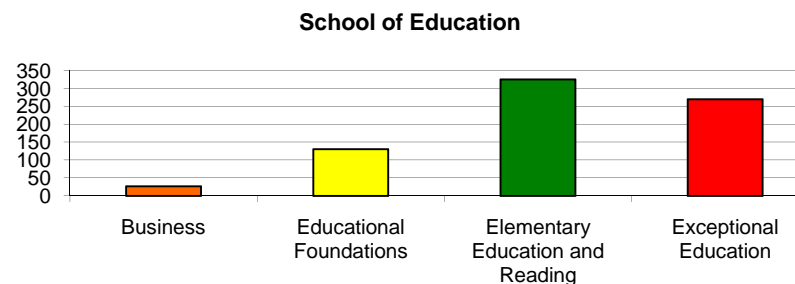


GRADUATE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL AND DEPARTMENT

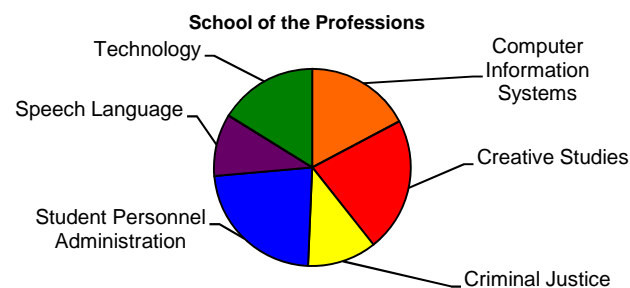
School of Arts & Humanities	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Art Conservation	30	29	30	30	30	30
Art Education	97	100	102	110	106	127
English	110	122	117	114	130	115
Modern and Classical Languages	13	12	8	10	13	10
School Totals	250	263	257	264	279	282



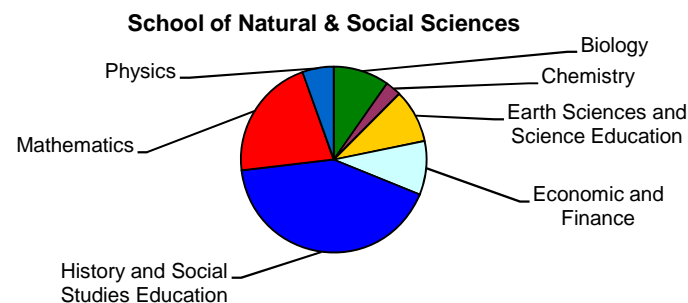
School of Education	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Business	26	24	29	24	36	37
Educational Foundations	130	145	142	142	149	149
Elementary Education and Reading	326	345	386	371	394	441
Exceptional Education	270	256	255	256	252	277
School Totals	752	770	812	793	831	904



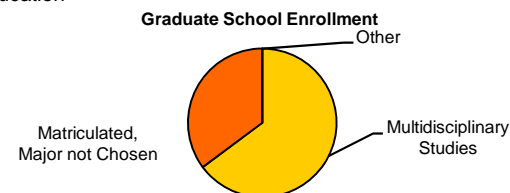
School of the Professions	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Computer Information Systems	64	90	96	123	136	159
Creative Studies	82	81	85	96	73	84
Criminal Justice	42	31	32	21	25	29
Student Personnel Administration	85	90	93	85	89	99
Speech Language	38	38	40	39	39	38
Technology	60	62	60	63	59	75
School Totals	371	392	406	427	421	484



School of Natural & Social Sciences	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Biology	25	30	28	42	36	18
Chemistry	7	7	7	8	11	7
Earth Sciences and Science Education	24	20	18	31	29	33
Economic and Finance	24	17	21	20	16	14
History and Social Studies Education	108	93	92	122	121	115
Mathematics	55	63	52	56	61	50
Physics	14	14	11	17	16	16
School totals	257	244	229	296	290	253



Graduate School Enrollment	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003
Multidisciplinary Studies	151	121	122	123	134	139
Matriculated, Major not Chosen	82	62	78	78	105	65
Other	0	2	2	15	4	26
	233	185	202	216	243	231



Total Graduate Enrollment	1,863	1,854	1,906	1,996	2,064	2,154
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TRENDS IN UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT -- MINORITY AND WOMEN STUDENTS

Academic Semesters	Total Headcount	African American		Asian		Hispanic		Native American		Under Represented Minority	Minority	Women	Women
		Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
FALL 2008	9,371	1,374	14.7	163	1.7	491	5.2	52	0.5	20.5	22.2	5,538	59.1
FALL 2007	9,139	1,309	14.3	152	1.7	430	4.7	47	0.5	19.5	21.2	5,399	59.1
FALL 2006	9,314	1,261	13.5	149	1.6	387	4.2	50	0.5	18.2	19.8	5,493	59.0
FALL 2005	9,010	1,127	12.5	148	1.6	349	3.9	46	0.5	16.9	18.5	5,236	58.1
FALL 2004	9,008	1,014	11.3	151	1.7	326	3.6	48	0.5	15.4	17.1	5,378	59.7
FALL 2003	9,003	1,004	11.2	121	1.3	317	3.5	55	0.6	15.3	16.6	5,369	59.6
FALL 2002	9,495	1,026	10.8	140	1.5	313	3.3	54	0.6	14.7	16.1	5,656	59.6
FALL 2001	9,590	1,070	11.2	138	1.4	358	3.7	57	0.6	15.5	16.9	5,724	59.7
FALL 2000	9,386	1,068	11.4	128	1.4	329	3.5	61	0.6	15.5	16.9	5,472	58.3
FALL 1999	9,252	1,052	11.4	119	1.3	301	3.3	58	0.6	15.3	16.5	5,309	57.4
FALL 1998	9,173	1,037	11.3	141	1.5	305	3.3	57	0.6	15.3	16.8	5,115	55.8
FALL 1997	9,078	1,008	11.1	137	1.5	291	3.2	64	0.7	15.0	16.5	5,062	55.8

TRENDS IN UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT BY REGION

Academic Semesters	Total Headcount	Erie County		Niagara County		Metro NYC		Other NYS		Outside NYS		Outside USA	Unknwn County
		Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Percent	Headcount	Headcount
FALL 2008	9,371	5,430	58.0	920	9.8	1,031	11.0	1,747	18.6	90	1.0	84	69
FALL 2007	9,139	5,207	57.0	916	10.0	1,124	12.3	1,702	18.6	93	1.0	65	32
FALL 2006	9,314	5,416	58.1	979	10.5	1,030	11.1	1,712	18.4	110	1.2	37	30
FALL 2005	9,010	5,436	60.3	937	10.4	836	9.3	1,620	18.0	119	1.3	36	26
FALL 2004	9,008	5,450	60.5	953	10.6	716	7.9	1,705	18.9	100	1.1	48	36
FALL 2003	9,003	5,572	61.9	975	10.8	618	6.9	1,662	18.5	85	0.9	61	30
FALL 2002	9,495	6,085	64.1	1,020	10.7	603	6.4	1,616	17.0	82	0.9	61	28
FALL 2001	9,590	6,213	64.8	1,014	10.6	624	6.5	1,588	16.6	67	0.7	58	26
FALL 2000	9,386	6,202	66.1	964	10.3	515	5.5	1,565	16.7	45	0.5	64	31
FALL 1999	9,252	6,212	67.1	970	10.5	585	6.3	1,343	14.5	43	0.5	70	29
FALL 1998	9,173	6,228	67.9	957	10.4	540	5.9	1,298	14.2	32	0.3	89	29
FALL 1997	9,078	6,095	67.1	954	10.5	562	6.2	1,292	14.2	41	0.5	107	27

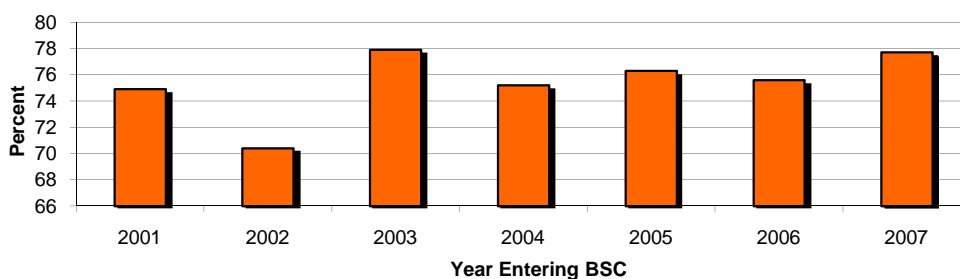
TRENDS IN GRADUATE ENROLLMENT -- MINORITY AND WOMEN STUDENTS

Academic Semesters	Total Headcount	African American	Percent	Asian	Percent	Hispanic	Percent	Native American	Percent	Under Represented		Women	Women Percent
										Minority	Percent		
FALL 2008	1,863	136	7.3	28	1.5	62	3.3	10	0.5	11.2	12.7	1,286	69.0
FALL 2007	1,854	108	5.8	18	1.0	50	2.7	11	0.6	9.1	10.1	1,253	67.6
FALL 2006	1,906	119	6.2	20	1.0	42	2.2	12	0.6	9.1	10.1	1,327	69.6
FALL 2005	1,996	131	6.6	23	1.2	50	2.5	7	0.4	9.4	10.6	1,391	69.7
FALL 2004	2,064	117	5.7	15	0.7	45	2.2	7	0.3	8.2	8.9	1,429	69.2
FALL 2003	2,154	111	5.2	13	0.6	33	1.5	8	0.4	7.1	7.7	1,508	70.0
FALL 2002	2,308	127	5.5	19	0.8	47	2.0	8	0.3	7.9	8.7	1,601	69.4
FALL 2001	2,153	133	6.2	17	0.8	41	1.9	8	0.4	8.5	9.2	1,517	70.5
FALL 2000	2,013	127	6.3	16	0.8	46	2.3	10	0.5	9.1	9.9	1,400	69.5
FALL 1999	1,910	147	7.7	10	0.5	54	2.8	13	0.7	11.2	11.7	1,321	69.2
FALL 1998	1,857	160	8.6	8	0.4	46	2.5	13	0.7	11.8	12.2	1,286	69.3
FALL 1997	1,743	131	7.5	5	0.3	35	2.0	10	0.6	10.1	10.4	1,243	71.3

TRENDS IN GRADUATE ENROLLMENT BY REGION

Academic Semesters	Total Headcount	Erie County		Niagara County		Metro NYC		Other NYS		Outside NYS		Outside USA	Unkwn County
		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent		
FALL 2008	1,863	1,337	71.8	203	10.9	24	1.3	204	11.0	42	2.3	42	11
FALL 2007	1,854	1,360	73.4	191	10.3	25	1.3	211	11.4	27	1.5	27	13
FALL 2006	1,906	1,389	72.9	210	11.0	24	1.3	207	10.9	24	1.3	35	17
FALL 2005	1,996	1,450	72.6	227	11.4	36	1.8	207	10.4	21	1.1	47	8
FALL 2004	2,064	1,498	72.6	230	11.1	30	1.5	249	12.1	15	0.7	32	10
FALL 2003	2,154	1,558	72.3	252	11.7	33	1.5	261	12.1	16	0.7	26	8
FALL 2002	2,308	1,712	74.2	261	11.3	34	1.5	256	11.1	10	0.4	17	18
FALL 2001	2,153	1,592	73.9	242	11.2	42	2.0	238	11.1	9	0.4	20	10
FALL 2000	2,013	1,514	75.2	211	10.5	37	1.8	222	11.0	5	0.2	15	9
FALL 1999	1,910	1,430	74.9	219	11.5	36	1.9	184	9.6	9	0.5	20	12
FALL 1998	1,857	1,364	73.5	220	11.8	44	2.4	201	10.8	1	0.1	18	9
FALL 1997	1,743	1,311	75.2	209	12.0	20	1.1	179	10.3	6	0.3	15	3

One-Year Retention Rate for All First-time Full-time Matriculated



Student Type	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
All First-time	77.7	75.6	76.3	75.2	77.9	70.4	74.9
Commuters	76.6	70.1	76.5	76.7	78.2	70.7	76.9
Residential	78.5	81.7	76.1	73.9	77.5	70.1	72.4
School of Education	84.8	84.8	81.3	83.7			
School of Arts and Humanities	85.6	77.6	79.3	74.7			
School of Natural & Social Sciences	78.3	73.8	77.1	71.1			
School of the Professions	75.9	76.6	74.6	77.0			
University College	74.4	74.3	74.4	75.8			
E.O.P.*	82.8	83.1	80.9	78.5	80.1	57.8	73.1
S.T.A.R.*	78.0	79.4	75.9	75.0	75.3	72.1	75.4
SSSP*	79.2	77.8	86.4	76.9	64.3	50.0	54.5
Special Consideration*	78.0						
Female	79.4	77.6	76.7	77.5	79.1	70.9	75.7
Male	75.1	72.4	75.6	71.5	75.8	69.7	73.6
All College Honors	79.5	79.5	95.7	95.6	100.0	93.1	76.0
High School GPA							
95-100	80.1	87.1	92.9	88.0	85.7	84.0	88.2
90-94	79.6	79.9	80.5	81.5	83.4	83.9	81.4
85-89	77.9	76.3	78.4	80.7	83.2	74.1	75.3
80-84	76.2	73.6	71.7	70.1	74.7	69.0	75.7
79-70	79.5	79.5	77.5	73.4	76.1	71.3	75.0
Unreported	76.6	73.1	71.6	65.3	69.4	54.5	61.6
Ethnicity							
African-American	83.0	82.8	78.9	78.7	82.6	63.1	78.0
Asian	75.0	70.6	75.0	69.7	77.8	51.6	63.6
Caucasian	76.3	74.0	75.5	75.0	76.0	72.0	75.2
Hispanic	82.4	78.3	80.8	71.2	76.3	60.0	61.0
Native American**	50.0	100.0	57.1	25.0	85.7	87.5	75.0
Undisclosed	75.3	72.2	75.2	76.3	83.4	73.9	78.7

Glossary

Continuing Students

Undergraduate – an undergraduate student registered in the current term who was enrolled at Buffalo State during the previous term. In the case of the Fall term, “previous term” shall mean either the previous Summer or Spring term; e.g., those undergraduate students in the Fall 2008 who were enrolled at Buffalo State during Summer 2008 or Spring 2008 are continuing students.

Graduate – a graduate student registered in the current term who was enrolled at Buffalo State as a Graduate Student during the previous term. In the case of the Fall term, “previous term” shall mean either the previous Summer or Spring term; e.g., those graduate students in the Fall 2008 who were enrolled at Buffalo State during Summer 2008 or Spring 2008 are continuing students.

First-time Retention rate

The retention rate is based on first-time, full-time, matriculated students (*A student who has not been previously enrolled at any college or university and who is enrolled for the first time at Buffalo State this term*) who were enrolled for the fall 2006 term and are currently enrolled for fall 2008 term with either a full-time or part-time status. Students who are on any leave of absence are counted in the retention rate.

FTE

Full-time Equivalent Workload is a unit of measure usually derived from student credit hours. One FTE workload is equivalent to 15 student credit hours in undergraduate courses, or 12 student credit hours in graduate courses. Certificate of Advance Study are calculated as follows: One FTE for full-time Advance Graduate Students, 0.75 FTE for part-time Advance Graduate Students.

Matriculated

A student enrolled at the Buffalo State and is considered by the institution to be currently pursuing a specific type of degree (such as bachelors, masters, etc...) and who has or has not yet chosen a major field of study.

Non-Matriculated

A student enrolled at Buffalo State to take certain credit courses and is not considered by the institution to be currently pursuing a specific type of degree (such as bachelors, masters, etc...).

New Students

Freshman

A student who has not been previously enrolled at any college or university and who is enrolled for the first time at Buffalo State this term. A student whose previous post-secondary education was only at a non-collegiate institution such as a business school or technical institute is a first-time student, unless Buffalo State expects to give college credit for such activities in which case the student is a transfer student.

Transfer

An undergraduate student who is enrolled at your institution for the first time in the current term, but who has attended other colleges or universities prior to the current term. The actual number of credit hours he/she is allowed to transfer is not relevant to the distinction between a transfer and a first-time student, even if no credits were ultimately transferable.

Graduate

A graduate student, whose first enrollment as a graduate student at your institution, occurs during the current term.

Returning Students

Undergraduate – an undergraduate student registered in the current term and who has been enrolled at Buffalo State but was **not** enrolled in the previous term. In the case of the fall term, “previous term” shall include either the previous summer or spring term; e.g., an undergraduate student in the fall 2008 is a returning student if he/she was previously enrolled at Buffalo State but in neither the spring 2008 nor summer 2008 terms.

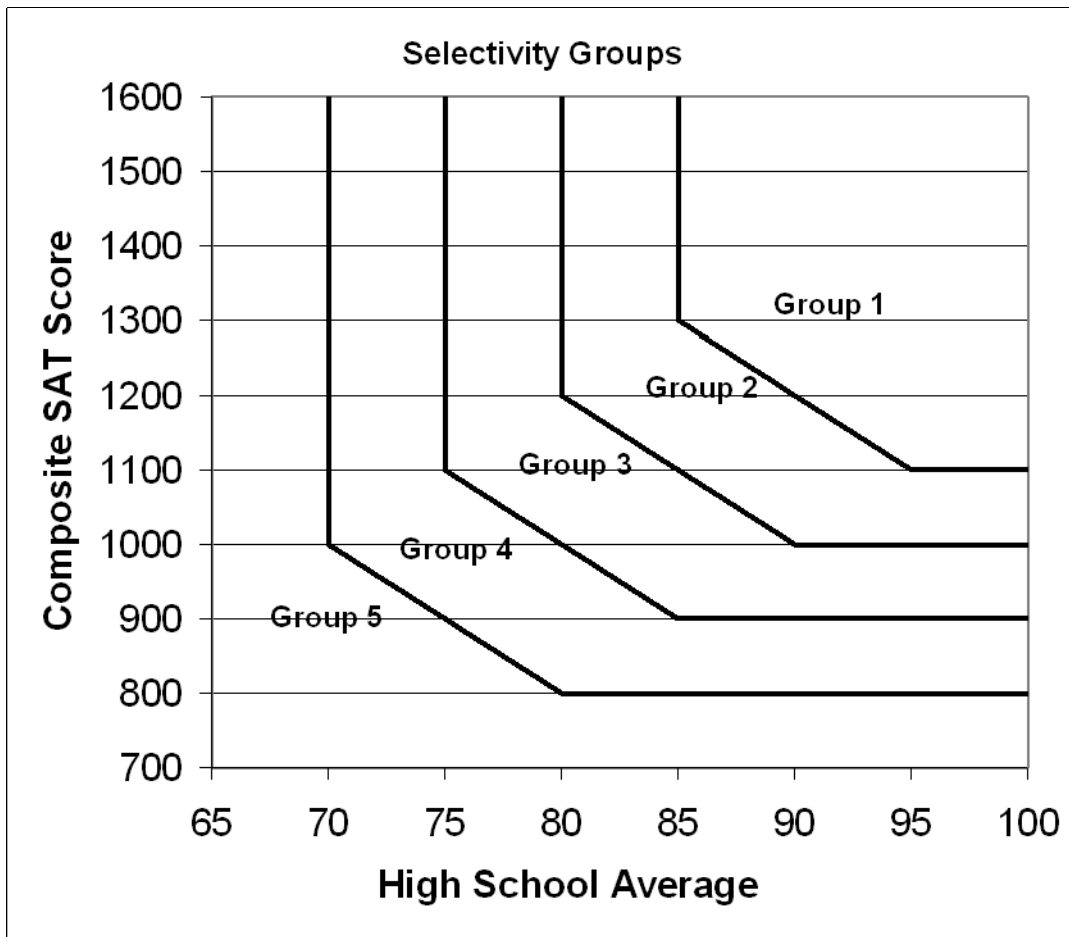
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Selectivity Groups

Very Selective is comparable to SUNY's Memorandum of Understandings of Group 1 and Group 2.

Selective is comparable to SUNY's Memorandum of Understandings of Group 3.

Less Selective is comparable to SUNY's Memorandum of Understandings of Group 4.



Underrepresented Minority Students include African-American, Hispanic, and Native-American.