

## NEW FRESHMEN AND TRANSFERS

### ADMISSION

|                           | Freshmen | Transfers |
|---------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Applied                   | 102,242  | 21,859    |
| Admitted                  | 16,456   | 5,531     |
| Enrolled                  | 6,038    | 3,167     |
| Admit rate                | 16%      | 25%       |
| Yield (% admits enrolled) | 37%      | 57%       |

Other statistics on this page refer to new students enrolled in Fall 2017. Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

### TEST SCORES

|                       | 25th %-ile | 75th %-ile |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|
| SAT Reading & Writing | 630        | 730        |
| SAT Math              | 610        | 760        |
| ACT Composite         | 27         | 33         |

### INCOMING GPA

|         | Freshmen | Transfers |
|---------|----------|-----------|
| Average | 4.36     | 3.73      |

Freshmen GPA is calculated taking into account a 5-point scale for AP courses. Transfer GPA is based on a 4-point scale.

### GENDER

|        | Freshmen | Transfers |
|--------|----------|-----------|
| Male   | 40%      | 45%       |
| Female | 60%      | 55%       |

### ETHNICITY

|                     | Freshmen | Transfers |
|---------------------|----------|-----------|
| Total Domestic      | 89%      | 85%       |
| African American    | 3%       | 4%        |
| Am Indian/AK Native | <1%      | <1%       |
| Asian               | 28%      | 22%       |
| Hispanic            | 22%      | 24%       |
| Pacific Islander    | <1%      | <1%       |
| White               | 27%      | 29%       |
| Two or more races   | 6%       | 4%        |
| Other Domestic      | 2%       | 2%        |
| Total International | 11%      | 15%       |

### AGE

|             | Freshmen | Transfers |
|-------------|----------|-----------|
| Average age | 19       | 23        |

### FIRST LANGUAGE

|                       | Freshmen | Transfers |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|
| English only          | 45%      | 33%       |
| English and another   | 33%      | 29%       |
| Another language only | 22%      | 38%       |

### GEOGRAPHIC ORIGIN

|                       | Freshmen | Transfers |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|
| Southern California   | 48%      | 70%       |
| Los Angeles County    | 27%      | 51%       |
| Orange County         | 8%       | 10%       |
| Riverside County      | 4%       | 2%        |
| San Bernardino County | 4%       | 3%        |
| San Diego County      | 6%       | 3%        |
| Rest of California    | 25%      | 21%       |
| Rest of U.S.          | 15%      | 2%        |
| International         | 12%      | 8%        |

### SCHOOL OF ORIGIN

|                                     | Percent |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Freshmen                            |         |
| California                          | 73%     |
| Los Angeles County Public           | 24%     |
| Other California Public             | 40%     |
| Los Angeles County Private          | 4%      |
| Other California Private            | 5%      |
| Outside California (Public/Private) | 27%     |

### Transfers

|                                     |     |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| California                          | 97% |
| California Community College        | 92% |
| University of California            | 4%  |
| California State University         | 1%  |
| California Private                  | <1% |
| Outside California (Public/Private) | 4%  |

### LIVING ARRANGEMENTS

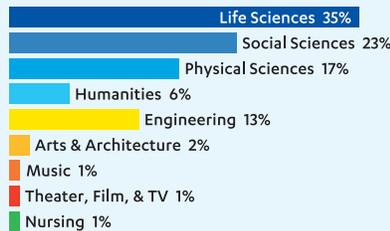
|                                      | Percent |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| New freshmen living in UCLA housing  | 98%     |
| New transfers living in UCLA housing | 51%     |

### GEOGRAPHIC DIVERSITY

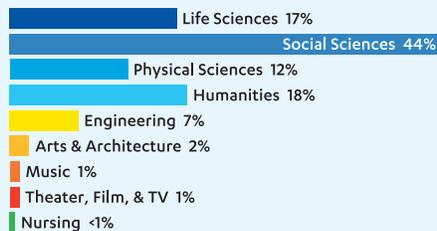
|                                     | Number |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| States represented                  | 48     |
| Countries represented, all students | 92     |

### FIELDS OF STUDY: NEW UNDERGRADS

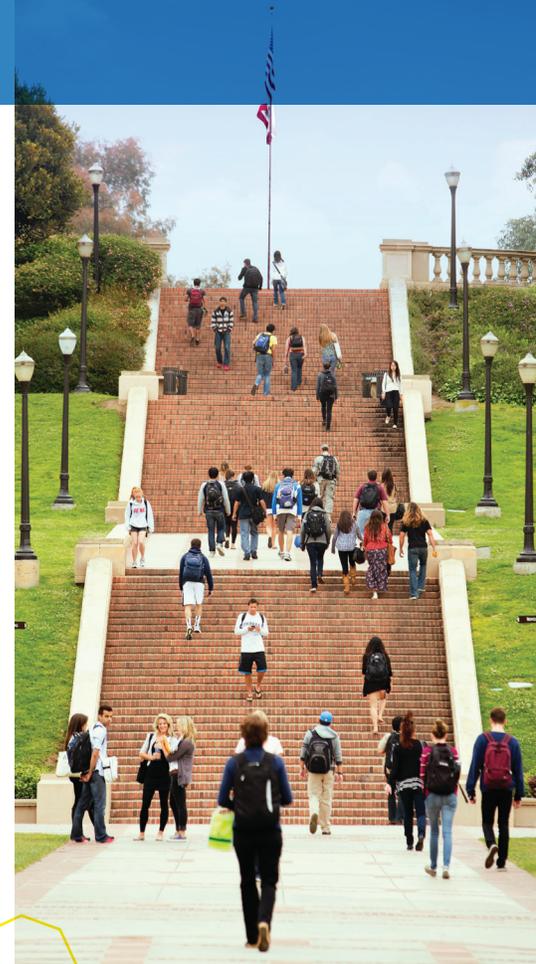
#### NEW FRESHMEN



#### NEW TRANSFERS



“ IN RETROSPECT, THE MOST MEANINGFUL THING I LEARNED IS THAT THERE IS SO MUCH TO LEARN. I LOVE LEARNING, AND I WILL NEVER STOP LEARNING. ”



Janss Steps lead from Wilson Plaza up to a terrace and Shapiro Fountain at one end of UCLA's iconic quad.

## FIRST-YEAR EXPERIENCE

The first year at UCLA is the first year of a great adventure. Students find friends, their academic passion, even their lifelong mission in this diverse community of highly motivated scholars. With 134 undergraduate majors and more than 3,800 courses, UCLA offers an unparalleled range and variety of study options. No other university does more to give students an extraordinary academic and personal growth experience.

Most freshmen begin their academic program during the summer in New Student Orientation, where 96% of new freshmen meet with academic advisers and sign up for their first classes. Beginning in Fall Quarter, programs like the True Bruin Welcome, *Fiat Lux* seminars, Cluster courses, and the Common Book program provide shared experiences that set many freshmen on the path to their future. New transfers come to UCLA already accomplished in their fields and prepared for advanced instruction that further hones their expertise and focuses their direction.

Whether coming to campus as freshmen or transfers, UCLA students can expect to strengthen both academic and interpersonal skills, build supportive relationships, and complete their undergraduate experience with a profound sense of belonging and accomplishment.

# ALL UCLA UNDERGRADUATES



## ENROLLMENT

### COLLEGE OF LETTERS AND SCIENCE

|                              | <i>Undergrad</i> | <i>Grad</i>  |
|------------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| Humanities                   | 2,548            | 497          |
| Life Sciences                | 9,193            | 576          |
| Physical Sciences            | 4,202            | 901          |
| Social Sciences              | 9,013            | 801          |
| Institute of the Environment | 293              | 22           |
| International Institute      | 528              | 33           |
| General                      | 148              |              |
| <b>TOTAL COLLEGE</b>         | <b>25,924</b>    | <b>2,829</b> |

### PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS

|                               |              |              |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Arts and Architecture         | 616          | 297          |
| Education and Info Studies    |              | 839          |
| Engineering and Applied Sci   | 3,619        | 2,260        |
| Law                           |              | 1,151        |
| Management                    |              | 2,261        |
| Music                         | 296          | 142          |
| Public Affairs                |              | 533          |
| Theater, Film, and Television | 360          | 378          |
| <b>TOTAL PROF SCHOOLS</b>     | <b>4,889</b> | <b>7,860</b> |

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|---|---------------|---------------|
| <b>GENERAL CAMPUS</b><br>(College and Prof Schools) | <b>30,813</b> | <b>10,689</b> |
|---|---------------|---------------|

### HEALTH SCIENCES

|                              |            |              |
|------------------------------|------------|--------------|
| Dentistry                    |            | 427          |
| Medicine                     |            | 979          |
| Nursing                      | 189        | 415          |
| Public Health                |            | 591          |
| Interns and Residents        |            | 1,401        |
| <b>TOTAL HEALTH SCIENCES</b> | <b>189</b> | <b>3,816</b> |

|                   |               |               |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>UCLA TOTAL</b> | <b>31,002</b> | <b>14,505</b> |
|-------------------|---------------|---------------|

## DIVERSITY

### ETHNICITY/VISA STATUS

|                            | <i>Undergrad</i> | <i>Grad</i> |
|----------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| <i>Total Domestic</i>      | 88%              | 75%         |
| African American           | 3%               | 3%          |
| Am Indian/AK Native        | <1%              | <1%         |
| Asian                      | 28%              | 18%         |
| Hispanic                   | 22%              | 12%         |
| Pacific Islander           | <1%              | <1%         |
| White                      | 27%              | 34%         |
| Two or more races          | 5%               | 4%          |
| Other domestic/unknown     | 2%               | 4%          |
| <i>Total International</i> | 12%              | 26%         |

### GENDER

|        | <i>Undergrad</i> | <i>Grad</i> |
|--------|------------------|-------------|
| Male   | 43%              | 53%         |
| Female | 57%              | 47%         |

Above figures include State Supported and Self Supporting programs. Detail may not add to totals due to rounding. Fall 2017.

## TRANSFERS

Transfer students enter UCLA as juniors (third-year students), having taken enough courses at another institution to finish a bachelor's degree in two more years.

In Fall 2017, transfers accounted for 34% of new undergraduates, with 92% coming to UCLA from 100 different California Community Colleges, making a total of 97% from California's system of

public higher education—including 13 California State Universities and all 8 of the other UC campuses offering undergraduate programs.

In the degree year 2016-17, 36% of bachelor's degree recipients had started UCLA as transfer students. Academic outcomes for transfers are comparable to those for freshman entrants.

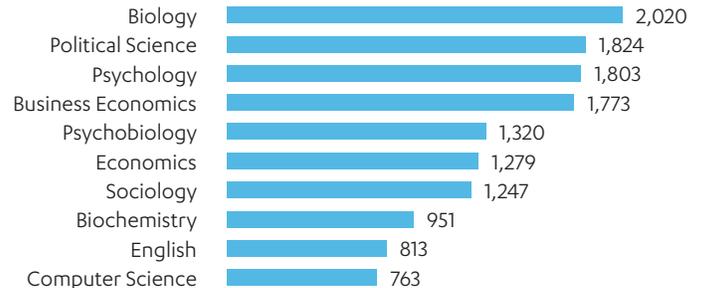
## MAJORS

The College of Letters and Science is home to most UCLA undergraduate majors, while specialized schools provide additional degree options. The newest of these, the UCLA Herb Alpert School of Music, formally opened Winter 2016, offering bachelor's degree programs in Music, Music History, and Ethnomusicology,

as well as minors in Music History and Music Industry. The School of Music joins four other distinguished schools offering undergraduate majors—the Henry Samueli School of Engineering and Applied Science, School of Nursing, School of the Arts and Architecture, and School of Theater, Film, and Television.

**IN FALL 2017, UCLA OFFERED MORE THAN 130 UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS.**

**THESE WERE THE TOP 10.**



Sailing at UCLA Recreation's Marina Aquatic Center.



## MINORS

UCLA offers more than 90 undergraduate minors—programs that provide in-depth study in a subject outside the major without the level of coursework required to complete a second major. One in four undergraduates completes a minor program in addition to the degree major.

### TOP 10 MINORS



Minors are offered by the College and by four schools with undergraduate majors—the School of the Arts and Architecture, the Herb Alpert School of Music, the School of Theater, Film, and Television and the Luskin School of Public Affairs. Professional schools that don't have undergraduate programs—Management, Education and Information Studies, and Public Health—offer minors to undergrads who want to explore these advanced fields. Minors such as “Food Studies” and “Disability Studies” are interdisciplinary programs designed by collaborating faculty from different fields of study.

## UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

Many undergraduates think of research as something reserved for graduate students, but more than half of UCLA bachelor's degree recipients graduate with research experience. At UCLA, research experiences are available to undergraduates through specialized courses, seminars, tutorials, and departmental honors programs. Two undergraduate research centers—one focused on science, math and engineering and the other on the arts, humanities and social sciences—give students access to research projects, scholarships, and other opportunities. Working with a professor on a research project is not just for graduate students; from their first day at UCLA, new freshmen and transfers can participate in research or creative projects under the direction of a faculty mentor through the Student Research Program.

## UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION AND INITIATIVES

- 2,742 instructional faculty teaching 4,256 courses in more than 130 undergraduate majors
- 20 faculty in residence living on campus and providing academic programming in the residential area in addition to regular classes on campus
- Entrepreneurship minor and programs designed to give students opportunities to learn the basics of startup thinking and to provide a community where students can develop and launch their ideas
- Up to 200 small-group seminars with faculty from across the campus through the *Fiat Lux* program
- UCLA Cluster Program: year-long learning communities focused on interdisciplinary themes of enduring importance
- University Studies: courses specifically designed to help students transition into and succeed at UCLA
- Honors Programs: individually tailored, interdisciplinary-focused undergraduate experiences
- Capstone majors available in all undergraduate divisions, including research, creative performance, product design, community service, and leadership projects

## EXPENSES

|                                |                  |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>2018-19 IN-STATE BUDGET</b> | <b>\$ 34,677</b> |
| Tuition and fees               | 13,225           |
| Health insurance               | 2,225            |
| Room and board                 | 15,816           |
| Books and other supplies       | 1,509            |
| Transportation                 | 432              |
| Personal expenses              | 1,470            |
| <b>OUT-OF-STATE BUDGET</b>     | <b>\$ 63,669</b> |
| Tuition and fees               | 42,217           |
| Health insurance               | 2,225            |
| Room and board                 | 15,816           |
| Books and other supplies       | 1,509            |
| Transportation                 | 432              |
| Personal expenses              | 1,470            |

Academic year budget for students living on campus.

## FINANCIAL AID

In the 2017-18 academic year, 15,739 undergraduates (more than 50%) received need-based scholarship or grant aid, with an average award of \$20,489. Of UCLA's 2016-17 graduating class, 57% had no student loan debt, and the 43% who did borrow had an average debt of \$22,013—well below the national average of about \$39,400.

Thanks to UCLA's Blue + Gold Opportunity Plan, California residents whose family income is less than \$80,000 are guaranteed grants (institutional, federal, and state) that fully cover UC tuition and fees. More than 35% of undergraduates receive a Federal Pell Grant, and roughly 32% work part time to help meet college costs.

## ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

### Student Groups:

- From the Engineering Society to Grupo Folklórico to UCLA Wushu, more than 1,200 student groups offer every undergraduate a place to find kindred spirits
- 74% of undergraduates participate in student clubs or organizations; 35% are active more than 5 hours a week

### Community Service:

- The Center for Community Learning provides opportunities to earn academic credit while engaging in community service
- 60% of undergraduates perform community service or volunteer activities; 21% spend more than 5 hours a week on service activities

### Work:

- The Career Center supports Bruins applying for internships and experiential learning options
- 49% worked for pay (21% did paid work related to their academic interests)

### Recreation:

- UCLA Recreation affords access to world-class facilities and organized activities, both on and off campus. The Club Sports program consists of more than 50 clubs and over 2,800 participants.
- 86% engaged in some form of physical exercise or recreational sport; 39% exercised more than 5 hours each week

“ I FOUND AN INTEREST I WILL BE PASSIONATE ABOUT THE REST OF MY LIFE. I MET PEOPLE I HOPE TO STAY IN CONTACT WITH LONG AFTER GRADUATION. I LEARNED ABOUT OTHERS’ EXPERIENCES AND I LEARNED ABOUT MYSELF. I LEARNED ABOUT WHAT IT MEANT AND WHAT IT FELT LIKE TO BE DEDICATED TO SOMETHING GREATER THAN MYSELF. ”

## GRADUATION RATES

With graduation rates for undergraduates at UCLA now exceeding 90% for both freshmen (six-year rate, includes time off) and transfers (four-year rate, includes time off), average time to degree continues to improve. Below are the most recent freshman and transfer graduation rates:

### FRESHMEN

79% graduate in 4 years or less  
89% within 5 years  
91% within 6 years  
93% eventually graduate from UCLA

### TRANSFERS

68% graduate in 2 years or less  
89% within 3 years  
91% within 4 years  
93% eventually graduate from UCLA

Graduation rates and time-to-degree data are based on bachelor's degrees awarded through Summer 2016.

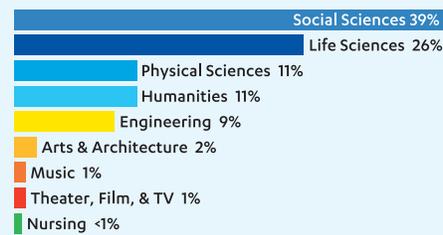
## FIRST GENERATION

More than one-third of undergraduates earning a degree in 2016-17 were first-generation college graduates, with neither parent having a 4-year degree. These students were well represented by both freshmen and transfers, with 53% of first-generation graduates starting as freshmen, and 47% starting as transfers. The most recent graduation rates for first-generation degree recipients are 87% (six-year) for freshman entrants and 91% (four-year) for transfers.

## DEGREES AWARDED

| ALL DEGREES                   | 13,611 |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| Bachelor's degrees            | 9,010  |
| Master's degrees              | 3,227  |
| Doctoral degrees              | 726    |
| Professional Practice degrees | 648    |

### UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES



Degrees awarded from Fall 2016 through Summer 2017. Data current at time of print.

## TIME TO DEGREE

UCLA students who focus on four-year degree completion are meeting their goal. Of freshman entrants graduating in 2016-17, 85% registered for 12 or fewer quarters. For students finishing in the three most popular departments, the percent finishing in 12 or fewer quarters was 93%.

The average time to degree was 12.0 registered quarters (excludes time off) for freshman entrants who graduated in 2016-17; students who entered as transfers and graduated in 2016-17 registered for an average of 6.5 academic quarters. Of these transfers, 72% registered for 6 or fewer quarters.

## SUMMER

Summer programs continue to be popular at UCLA. Nearly 80% of undergraduates complete at least one Summer Sessions course as part of their studies. More than 12,700 UCLA undergraduates attended Summer Sessions in 2017. Students may participate in summer programs at any point during their undergraduate careers, which can assist in managing their degree progress.

From the College Summer Institute, which enrolls participating freshmen in classes for credit prior to their first Fall Quarter, to Summer Travel Study, where students earn credit for academic courses taken abroad, summer programs provide flexibility and variety. More than 1,000 of UCLA's academic courses—including online classes and courses from every College division and every professional school with an undergraduate program—are offered during the summer in two sessions.

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