

Characteristics and Outcomes of PhD Programs
Biology (CIP: 26.0101)
 Duke University



Enrollment Headcounts

	Fall 2017	
	Headcount	Percent
Total	58	
Domestic	43	74.1%
URM	8	18.6%
International	15	25.9%
Men	22	37.9%
Women	36	62.1%

Admissions

	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Applicants	88	82	86
Admits	17	18	14
Matriculants	9	8	7
Admit Rate	19.3%	22.0%	16.3%
Yield	52.9%	44.4%	50.0%

Degree Recipients

by Academic Year of Conferral

	AY 2009-11	AY 2012-14	AY 2015-17
Total	28	41	27
Domestic	24	32	17
URM	1	1	1
International	4	9	10
Men	12	15	15
Women	16	26	12

Median Time to Degree for Recipients

by Academic Year of Conferral

	AY 2009-11	AY 2012-14	AY 2015-17
Total	5.7	6.0	5.7
Domestic	5.7	6.3	5.7
URM	4.7	7.7	5.3
International	7.2	5.7	6.2
Men	5.7	6.0	5.7
Women	6.4	6.0	5.7

Cohort Completions

by Academic Year of Entry

	AY 2003-05	AY 2006-08	AY 2009-11
Total Entering	-	-	-
Not Enrolled Fall 2017	13	9	6
Left w/ Master's	8	8	4
Enrolled Fall 2017	-	-	1
Total Completed	25	38	27
< 3Yr	-	1	-
3-4	-	2	1
4-5	2	3	4
5-6	11	17	17
6-7	7	12	4
7-8	4	3	
8-9	1	-	
9-10	-		
> 10	-		

Cohort Completion Rates

by Academic Year of Entry

	AY 2003-05	AY 2006-08	AY 2009-11
All Recipients	65.8%	80.9%	79.4%
Domestic	72.0%	82.5%	80.0%
URM	0.0%	100%	0.0%
International	53.8%	71.4%	78.6%
Men	68.8%	82.4%	78.9%
Women	63.6%	80.0%	80.0%