Yale Facts and Statistics

Yale University is a private, independent institution founded in 1701; semester system; 342-acre central campus in New Haven, Connecticut; total acreage 1,095.

Yale University is a large research university with a wide array of programs, departments, Schools (Yale College, Graduate School of Arts & Sciences, and Yale Professional Schools), centers, museums, and many affiliated organizations. This summary addresses some frequently asked statistical questions about Yale, especially those concerning the undergraduate programs. Only a subset of Yale's resources is represented here.

**Enrollment** (Fall, 2013):*

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<td><strong>Yale College:</strong></td>
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<td>2,738</td>
<td>2,671</td>
<td>5,409</td>
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<td>Special (Degree and Non-Degree)</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>6</td>
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<td><strong>Graduate School of Arts &amp; Sciences:</strong></td>
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<td>1,520</td>
<td>1,340</td>
<td>2,860</td>
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<td><strong>Professional School Programs:</strong></td>
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<td>Architecture</td>
<td>119</td>
<td>81</td>
<td>200</td>
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<td>Art</td>
<td>60</td>
<td>66</td>
<td>126</td>
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<td>Divinity</td>
<td>183</td>
<td>156</td>
<td>339</td>
<td>7%</td>
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<td>Drama</td>
<td>105</td>
<td>105</td>
<td>210</td>
<td>13%</td>
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<td>Forestry &amp; Environmental Studies</td>
<td>119</td>
<td>182</td>
<td>301</td>
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<td>Institute of Sacred Music</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>62</td>
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<td>Law</td>
<td>385</td>
<td>312</td>
<td>697</td>
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<td>Management</td>
<td>390</td>
<td>225</td>
<td>615</td>
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<td>Music</td>
<td>111</td>
<td>76</td>
<td>187</td>
<td>44%</td>
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<td>M.D.</td>
<td>238</td>
<td>208</td>
<td>446</td>
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<td>Nursing</td>
<td>32</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>55</td>
<td>4%</td>
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<td>Physician Associate</td>
<td>32</td>
<td>68</td>
<td>100</td>
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<td>Public Health</td>
<td>61</td>
<td>160</td>
<td>221</td>
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<td><strong>Professional Schools Total:</strong></td>
<td>1,185</td>
<td>1,944</td>
<td>3,139</td>
<td>19%</td>
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<td><strong>Total University:</strong></td>
<td>6,148</td>
<td>5,961</td>
<td>12,109</td>
<td>18%</td>
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* Students reporting two or more races are counted in each race/ethnicity category.

**Total University Enrollments** (non-International):

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<td>Black or African American</td>
<td>8%</td>
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<td>American Indian/Alaska Native</td>
<td>2%</td>
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<td>Asian</td>
<td>17%</td>
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<td>Countries Represented</td>
<td>119</td>
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<td>Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander</td>
<td>&lt;1%</td>
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<td>Hispanic</td>
<td>8%</td>
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<tr>
<td>White</td>
<td>62%</td>
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<td>Race/ethnicity unknown</td>
<td>3%</td>
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**Yale College student body characteristics:**

- 85% of undergraduates live in University housing.
- 99% of freshmen return for their sophomore year.
- 96% of undergraduates graduate within five years; 98% graduate within six years.
- 94% of undergraduates are from out of state (including nonresident aliens).
- Average age of an undergraduate is 20.
- 815 regular and summer term students studied abroad in 2012-13.

**Freshmen class statistics (Fall, 2013):**

- # of Applicants: 29,610 % Admitted: 6.9%
- # of Matriculants: 1,139 Yield: 68.2%

- 55% of matriculants came from public high schools.
- 45% of matriculants came from independent, parochial, and other schools.
- 14% of matriculants were children of Yale alumni.
- 12% of matriculants were international students.

**Degrees conferred:** (Between July 1, 2012 and June 30, 2013)

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<th>Type of Activity</th>
<th>Bachelors</th>
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<td>M.A. Masters &amp; Post-Masters Certificates</td>
<td>1,031</td>
<td>1,078</td>
<td>2,118</td>
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<td>Research &amp; Scholarship</td>
<td>214</td>
<td>184</td>
<td>398</td>
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<td>Professional Practice</td>
<td>144</td>
<td>148</td>
<td>292</td>
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<td>Doctorates</td>
<td>358</td>
<td>332</td>
<td>690</td>
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<td><strong>Total:</strong></td>
<td>2,038</td>
<td>2,078</td>
<td>4,116</td>
<td>20%</td>
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**Yale College Graduates - Activities one year after graduation:**

Class of 1975:
- 36% 50% 60% 67% 67% 73% 75% 75%

Class of 1990:
- 36% 50% 60% 67% 67% 73% 75% 75%

**Library Holdings** (2012-13):

- Number of volumes: 15.2 million
- Periodicals: 470,118
- Units of audiovisual materials: 459,518

**Yale Properties in New Haven (2013-14):**

- Acres: 9,469
- (an additional 57 in West Haven)

**Undergraduate Financial Aid** (2012-13):

- $20.7 million
- Total research expenditures including all restricted and unrestricted funds from all sources: $558.9 million
- Total library acquisitions expenditures: $46.2 million
- Total operating expenditures: $2.98 billion

**International Students (2012-13):**

There were 2,395 international students representing 96 countries.

**University Staff** (Fall, 2013):

- Number: 1,918
- Postdoctoral Fellows (Non-Employees): 797
- Postdoctoral Associates (Employees): 1,121

**International Scholars** (2012-13):

There were 2,395 international scholars representing 96 countries.
The work of Yale University is carried on in the following schools:

Yale College (Est. 1701)
Courses in humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, mathematical and computer sciences, and engineering. Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) and Bachelor of Science (B.S.).

Yale Graduate School of Arts and Sciences (Est. 1847)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Arts (M.A.), Master of Science (M.S.), Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.), and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.).

School of Architecture (Est. 1916)
Courses for college graduates. Professional degree: Master of Architecture (M.Arch.); nonprofessional degree: Master of Environmental Design (M.E.D.). Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

School of Art (Est. 1869)
Professional courses for college and art school graduates. Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A.).

Divinity School (Est. 1822)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Divinity (M.Div.), Master of Arts in Religion (M.A.R.). Individuals with an M.Div. degree may apply for the program leading to the degree of Master of Sacred Theology (S.T.M.).

School of Drama (Est. 1925)

School of Engineering & Applied Science (Est. 1852)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

School of Forestry & Environmental Studies (Est. 1900)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Forestry (M.F.), Master of Forest Science (M.F.Sc.), Master of Environmental Management (M.E.M.). Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

Law School (Est. 1824)
Courses for college graduates. Jurs Doctor (J.D.). Graduate programs: Master of Laws (LL.M.), Doctor of the Science of Law (J.S.D.), Master of Studies in Law (M.S.L.). Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

School of Management (Est. 1976)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Business Administration (M.B.A.), Master of Advanced Management (M.A.M.). Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

School of Medicine (Est. 1810)
Courses for college graduates and students who have completed requisite training in approved institutions. Doctor of Medicine (M.D.). Postgraduate study in the basic sciences and clinical subjects. Five-year combined program leading to Doctor of Medicine and Master of Health Science (M.D./M.H.S.). Combined program with the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences leading to Doctor of Medicine and Doctor of Philosophy (M.D./Ph.D.). Master of Medical Science (M.M.Sc.) by the Psychiatric Associate Program.

School of Music (Est. 1894)

School of Nursing (Est. 1923)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Science in Nursing (M.S.N.). Post Master's Certificate, Doctor of Nursing Practice (D.N.P.). Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

School of Public Health (Est. 1915)
Courses for college graduates. Master of Public Health (M.P.H.), Master of Science (M.S.) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) awarded by the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

Yale Summer Session:
Every summer approximately 1,500 Yale and non-Yale students enroll for various summer programs in the Summer Session. Many are conducted abroad, and some are offered completely online. Courses in the Yale Summer Session are in most cases identical in content and method to courses offered in Yale College during the regular academic year.

Undergraduate Majors:
African American Studies; African Studies; American Studies; Anthropology; Applied Mathematics; Applied Physics; Archaeological Studies; Architecture; Art; Astronomy; Astronomy and Physics; Chemistry; Chinese; Classical Civilization; Classics (Greek); Classics (Greek and Latin); Classics (Latin); Cognitive Science; Computer Science; Computer Science and Mathematics; Computer Science and Psychology; Computing and the Arts; East Asian Languages and Literatures; East Asian Studies; Ecology and Evolutionary Biology; Economics; Economics and Mathematics; Electrical Engineering and Computer Science; Biomedical Engineering; Chemical Engineering; Electrical Engineering; Engineering Sciences (Chemical, Electrical, Environmental, or Mechanical); Environmental Engineering; Mechanical Engineering; English; Environmental Studies; Ethics, Politics, and Economics; Ethnicity, Race, and Migration; Film Studies; French; Geography and Geophysics; German; German Studies; Global Affairs; Greek, Ancient and Modern; History; History of Art; History of Science; History of Medicine; History of Science, Medicine, and Public Health; Humanities; Italian; Japanese; Judaic Studies; Latin American Studies; Linguistics; Literature; Mathematics; Mathematics and Philosophy; Mathematics and Physics; Modern Middle East Studies; Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry; Molecular, Cellular, and Developmental Biology; Music; Near Eastern Languages and Civilizations; Philosophy; Physics; Physics and Geosciences; Physics and Philosophy; Political Science; Portuguese; Psychology; Religious Studies; Russian; Russian and East European Studies; Sociology; South Asian Studies; Spanish; Special Divisional Major; Statistics; Theater Studies; and Women's, Gender, and Sexuality Studies.
The most popular majors in 2012-13 were: Economics (11.0%), Political Science (10.4%), Social Sciences (7.4%), History (7.4%), and Psychology (6.5%). Percentage of Junior and Senior majors in general categories - Arts & Humanities: 30%; Social Sciences: 38%; Biological & Physical Sciences: 25%; and Other FAS and Professional Schools: 7%.

Athletics:
Of the 35 intercollegiate sports offered at Yale, 16 are for men, 18 are for women, and one is co-ed: crew (m/w), lightweight/heavyweight crew (m), cross country (m/w), field hockey (w), football (m), golf (m/w), soccer (m/w), tennis (m/w), volleyball (w), basketball (m/w), fencing (m/w), gymnastics (w), ice hockey (m/w), squash (m/w), swimming & diving (m/w), track/indoor (m/w), track/outdoor (m/w), baseball (m), lacrosse (m/w), sailing (co-ed, w) and softball (w). Yale's intramural sports programs revolves around the E.S.C. and the 16 residential colleges, with over 1,600 contests scheduled in over 35 sports. Competition is designed for coed, men's, and women's leagues. 20% of students participate in intercollegiate sports. 50% of students participate in intramural sports. Yale is a member of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (Division I, FCS Football), the Eastern (ECAC), athletic conference (ECAC), and the Ivy League. Yale sponsors fifty club sports teams in addition to its varsity and intramural programs. Some of Yale's more active club sports are men's and women's rugby, men's and women's water polo, downhill skiing, Taekwondo Do, equestrian, ballroom dance, and cycling. Graduate and Professional students compete in their own intramural sports leagues and participate in some club sports. The Athletics Department also offers more than 75 sections of physical education instruction in both the fall and spring semesters, with approximately 1,250 students, faculty, and staff enrolled in those classes.

University Accreditation:
Yale University. New England Association of Schools and Colleges
Arts & Sciences:
Engineering - ABET, Inc. accredits B.S. programs in Chemical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, and Mechanical Engineering
Psychology - Committee on Accreditation of the American Psychological Association
Professional Schools:
Architecture: National Architectural Accrediting Board
Divinity: Association of Theological Schools
Forestry & Environmental Studies: Society of American Foresters
Law: American Bar Association
Management: Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business
Medicine: American Medical Association and Association of American Medical Colleges joint sponsors of the Liaison Committee on Medical Education; Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education; Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education; American Psychological Association
Nursing: Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education, American College of Nurse Midwives, Pediatric Nursing Certification Board, Connecticut State Board of Nurse Examiners
Physician Associate: Accreditation Review Commission on Education for the Physician Assistant
Public Health: Council on Education for Public Health

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Web links:
For general information about Yale, go to: www.yale.edu
This Factsheet and more detailed statistical information can be found at: oir.yale.edu
Prospective students requesting admissions information, go to: www.yale.edu/admissions