Engineering Master's Degrees

38,986 (2008)

43,023

Master's Degrees by Residency, 2010

Permanent Resident - 53.9%

Nonresident Alien - 46.1%

Master's Degrees by Ethnicity, 2010

20% 40% 60% 80% 100% 0%

Unknown 11.7%

Hispanic 6.0%

Asian American 14.9%

African American 5.1%

White **60.9%**

39,015 (2006)

39,837

31,089 (2002)

^{*} Data on ethnicity do not include schools in Puerto Rico or foreign nationals. The share of Hispanic graduates is 6.6% if the two universities in Puerto Rico are included. American Indians (0.4%), Hawaiian/Pacific Islanders (0.1%) and Two or More (0.9%) are combined under Other. Eight institutions reported virtually all of their U.S. residents in the Unknown field. These institutions were removed from the calculations for race, ethnicity, and residency.

41,632 36,983 (2007)

RENEWED GROWTH IN **ENGINEERI** MASTER'S DEGR

Master's degree recipients reached a new all-time high of 43,023 in the academic year ending in 2010. This was the third consecutive year of growth after a dip from 2006 to 2008. Master's enrollment has increased by 25 percent since 2005, reaching 103,335 this past fall. Degree growth is expected to continue for the next several years.



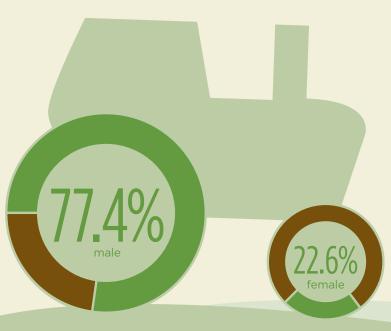




35,196 (2003)

30,669

Master's Degrees by Gender, 2010



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