

ABOUT US

UMass Boston - The only public university in metropolitan Boston, located on Boston harbor, the Boston campus offers 80 undergraduate degree programs, 40 master's degree programs, 14 doctoral programs, and 12 undergraduate certificate programs through its seven colleges and Division of Corporate, Continuing, and Distance Education (CCDE). UMass Boston serves the most diverse student population in New England. As a key institution in Boston that sponsors 30 research centers and institutes, UMass Boston contributes substantially to public policy discussion and formulation in such areas as economic development, social well-being, environmental affairs, and health care. UMass Boston is integral to the city and its neighborhoods, as it reaches out through partnerships with the Boston Public Schools, local businesses, community programs, and youth sports.

OIRP- The Office of Institutional Research and Policy Studies (OIRP) is responsible for reporting student, course, faculty, staff, and academic program data to state and federal agencies, and to UMass Boston faculty, students, and administrators. We also conduct surveys and complete special analyses and reports.

Fast Facts- Fast Facts is a summary of the most commonly requested statistics. The report contains summary data on the undergraduate entering class, enrollments by gender and race, tuition and fees, five year enrollment trends, degrees awarded for the most recent academic year, graduate enrollment, and number of faculty. It is a quick reference for describing the institution.

Fall 2006 Institutional Enrollment

	Undergraduate		Graduate		TOTAL	
State Supported	8,323	77.1%	2,470	22.9%	10,793	100%
CCDE	1,860	71.2%	754	28.8%	2,614	100%
*Total Headcount	9,246	74.8%	3,116	25.2%	12,362	100%

**Unduplicated Headcount*

Fall 2006 Undergraduate Entering Class

	Number	% of Total Entering Cohort
Full-Time Freshman	846	34%
Part-Time Freshman	128	5%
Total First-Time Freshman	974	39%
Transfers w/ Freshman Standing	474	19%
Transfers w/ Sophomore Standing	438	18%
Transfers w/ Upper Division Standing	471	19%
Transfers in CPCS or special programs	120	5%
Total new transfer	1,503	61%
Total new students	2,477	

Enrollment Trends Fall Term 2002-2006

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Undergraduate Students					
Headcount Enrollment	10,071	9,650	8,832	8,958	9,246
Full-Time Equivalent Enrollment	7,057	6,904	6,484	6,510	6,732
Graduate Students					
Headcount Enrollment	2,648	2,744	2,850	2,904	3,116
Full-Time Equivalent Enrollment	1,795	1,891	1,976	2,019	2,123
*Total Headcount	12,719	12,394	11,682	11,862	12,362

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Fall 2006 Student Characteristics by Gender

	Undergraduate		Graduate		TOTAL	
Female	5,287	57%	2,145	69%	7,432	60%
Male	3,959	43%	971	31%	4,930	40%
Total	9,246	74.8%	3,116	25.2%	12,362	100%

Fall 2006 Student Characteristics by Race/Ethnicity

	Undergraduate		Graduate		TOTAL	
African-American	1,275	16%	204	8%	1,479	13%
Cape Verdean	123	1%	18	.7%	141	1%
Hispanic	679	9%	116	5%	795	7%
Asian/Pacific Islander	1,081	14%	145	6%	1,226	10%
Native American	42	.5%	6	.2%	48	.4%
Subtotal	3,200	42%	489	19%	3,689	36%
White	4,339	57%	2,080	80%	6,419	57%
Non-Resident Alien	285	3%	215	6%	500	4%
Did Not Report	1,422		332		1,754	
Total	9,246		3,116		12,362	

Tuition & Fees per Semester 2005-2006

	Full Time		Part Time*	
	Undergrad.	Grad.	Undergrad.	Grad.
Resident Fees**	\$3,276	\$3,295	\$1,638	\$1,648
Resident Tuition	\$857	\$1,295	\$429	\$648
Total Resident Costs	\$4,133	\$4,590	\$2,391	\$2,394
Non-Res. Fees**	\$4,781	\$4,787	\$2,391	\$2,394
Non-Res. Tuition	\$4,879	\$4,879	\$2,439	\$2,439
Total Non-Resident Costs	\$9,660	\$9,666	\$4,830	\$4,833

**Based on 6 credits per semester, tuition & fees per credit.*

***Excluding one-time fees.*

Faculty Fall 2006

	Full-Time Faculty		Part-Time Faculty	
Female	206	47%	221	58%
Male	229	53%	159	42%
Total	435	100%	380	100%

Degrees Awarded

July 1, 2005-June 30, 2006

Undergraduate Certificate	48
Bachelor's Degree	1,606
Post-Bach. Certificate	92
Master's Degree	641
Post-Master's Degree	45
Doctoral Degree	21
Total Degrees Awarded	2,453

Top 5 Bachelor's Degrees Awarded 2005-2006

1. Management	358
2. Psychology	187
3. Nursing	129
4. English	120
5. Political Science	94

Top 5 Master's Degrees Awarded 2005-2006

1. Education	172
2. MBA	68
3. Applied Linguistics	44
4. Special Education	36
5. English	33

Number of Academic Programs Offered

Undergraduate Degree Programs	80
Undergraduate Certificate Programs	12
Master's Degree Programs	40
Graduate Certificate Programs	20
Certificates of Advanced Graduate Study	3
Doctoral Degree Programs (incl. tracks)	14

Doctoral Programs Offered

Education (2 Tracks)	Ed.D
Biology (2 Tracks)	PhD
Biomedical Engineering & Biotech.*	Ph.D
Chemistry (1 Track)	Ph.D
Clinical Psychology	Ph.D
Computer Science	Ph.D
Environmental Sciences (1 Track)	Ph.D
Gerontology	Ph.D
Marine Science & Technology*	Ph.D
Nursing	Ph.D
Public Policy	Ph.D

**Note: Joint UMass Ph.D Programs*

MISCELLANEOUS

Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) is calculated by dividing the total credit hours generated by all undergraduates by 15 and total credit hours generated by all graduates by 9.

Headcount Enrollment is the count of students regardless of whether they are full or part time.

Unless otherwise stated, all student statistics are based on Fall 2005 cohorts, and include both State Supported and Continuing Education Students.



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