

Characteristics and Outcomes of PhD Programs

Molecular Medicine

Case Western Reserve University

Enrollment Headcounts

	Fall 2018		Fall 2019		Fall 2020	
	Count	(%)	Count	(%)	Count	(%)
Total	39	100%	41	100%	51	100%
Domestic	37	95%	39	95%	46	90%
URM	5	14%	6	15%	10	20%
International	2	5%	2	5%	5	10%
Male	15	38%	16	39%	21	41%
Female	24	62%	25	61%	30	59%

* COVID 2020

Admissions

	AY 2018	AY 2019	AY 2020
Applicants	54	55	113
Admits	16	18	16
Matriculants	10	10	15
Admit Rate	30%	33%	14%
Yield	63%	56%	94%

* COVID 2020

Degree Recipients*

by Academic Year of Conferral

	AY 2004-08	AY 2009-13	AY 2014-18
Total	NA	7	38
Domestic	NA	6	28
URM	NA	0	7
International	NA	1	10
Male	NA	2	18
Female	NA	5	20

Median Time to Degree for Recipients*

by Academic Year of Conferral

	AY 2004-08	AY 2009-13	AY 2014-18
Total	N/A	4.3	5.3
Domestic	N/A	4.3	5.3
URM	N/A	N/A	5.8
International	N/A	3.3	5.8
Male	N/A	3.8	5.3
Female	N/A	4.3	5.5

Cohort Completions*

by Academic Year of Entry

	AY 2004-08	AY 2009-13	AY 2013-15 *as of 8/21
Total Entering	8	41	20
Retained	0	3	4
Withdrawn	0	3	1
Left w/ Master's	0	2	2
Total Completed	8	33	13
Graduated in less than 4 years	2	0	2
4 yrs to less than 5 yrs	1	9	6
5 yrs to less than 6 yrs	1	16	1
6 yrs to less than 7 yrs	2	8	4
7 yrs or more	2	0	0

Cohort Completion Rates*

by Academic Year of Entry

	AY 2004-08	AY 2009-13	AY 2013-15 *as of 8/21
All Recipients (graduation rate)	100%	81%	65%
Domestic	100%	77%	85%
URM	N/A	88%	8%
International	100%	100%	15%
Male	100%	81%	67%
Female	100%	80%	64%

*First cohort accepted in Fall 2007

Notes:

- Underrepresented Minority (URM) includes individuals who self-identify with one or more of the following: African American/Black, Hispanic/Latino/a, Multiracial, Native American/Alaska Native, and Pacific Islander.
- Time to Degree for recipients is the elapsed time between entering a graduate program and degree conferral date (including any leave of absences).
- Academic Year (AY) begins in Summer and includes Fall and Spring.

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