

Undergraduate Student Data

Diversity

Arts and Humanities includes 33% URM, 35% Pell, 33% First-Gen, compared to 25% URM, 28% Pell, 31% First-Gen of total campus undergraduates.

25.7% of all Arts and Humanities declared majors identify as Latinx, compared to 20.7% of total campus undergraduates. The Campus HSI goal is to accomplish 25% by 2025.

Arts and Humanities serves a disproportionate number of California residents: 85.9% of our declared majors are CA residents compared to 77.8% of all Berkeley undergraduates.

Over the last 10 years, on average 53% of Arts and Humanities majors have been transfer students, whereas they make up about 33% of the undergraduate student population.

Growth

The past 5 years have been a time of growth for our division. Across the UC system, Arts and Humanities majors fell from 19,223 in Fall 2019 to 18,525 in Fall 2023. **At Berkeley, though, Arts and Humanities majors rose from 1,385 to 1,686. Arts and Humanities have also risen as a share of L&S-declared majors** over that time frame.

Some majors, in particular, have seen exceptional increases in student interest. This year saw the highest major headcounts in a decade for seven departments, including **Ancient Greek & Roman Studies, Art Practice, Film & Media, History of Art, Middle Eastern Languages & Cultures, Music, and Theater, Dance & Performance Studies.**

Our **fastest-growing majors are Art Practice, Film & Media, and Music**, which are in the top-10 highest-growing majors on campus over the past 5 years.

Though Arts and Humanities has the smallest average undergraduate class size on campus, we have continually enrolled around 18,000 students per semester over the past decade.

Undergraduate diversity numbers taken from the public Fall Enrollment at a Glance Dashboard in the UC Information Center. Data aggregated by CIP code. This data sheet was prepared by the division of Arts and Humanities under the guidance and approval of the Office of Planning and Analysis in June 2024.