

## Student Admissions, Outcomes, and Other Data

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### 1. Time to Completion of PhD

With regard to graduates of the Ph.D. clinical tracks (Clinical Psychology-Military Track; Medical Psychology-Clinical Track) between 2004 and 2010 (n=20):

Mean time to completion = **5.7** years

Median time to completion = **5.0** years

< 5 years (0%); 5 years (55%); 6 years (20%); 7 years (25%); > 7 years (0%)

Ten individuals had entered the program with a master's degree. For these individuals:

Mean time to completion = **5.9** years

Median time to completion = **5.5** years

< 5 years (0%); 5 years (50%); 6 years (10%); 7 years (40%); > 7 years (0%)

Note: There is no academic credit for previous master's degree

Ten individuals had entered the program without a master's degree. For these individuals:

Mean time to completion = **5.5** years

Median time to completion = **5.0** years

< 5 years (0%); 5 years (60%); 6 years (30%); 7 years (10%); > 7 years (0%)

### 2. Program Costs

Tuition and fees are waived for students. Civilian students do not incur service obligation to the United States government after the completion of their graduate studies. Students are required to purchase their text books.

The University offers stipends on a competitive basis to civilian doctoral students who are U.S. citizens or resident aliens. For the academic year 2010-2011, USU-supported stipends were \$26,000 for entering students and \$27,000 after advancement to Ph.D. candidacy. University support for the stipend is for the first three years. Subsequent support is obtained from research grants and fellowships. In addition to the USU stipend, a number of Dean's Special Fellowships are available on a competitive basis to recognize the outstanding scholarship and academic credentials of selected incoming students. The stipend for the Fellowship is the USU-supported graduate student stipend plus \$5,000/year for the duration of the three years of USU-stipend support. Foreign students (those without permanent resident status) cannot be supported by USU stipends and are generally supported by a designated laboratory in which they will complete their thesis work. Doctoral programs can, and sometimes do, admit civilian students without stipend support.

The Henry M. Jackson Foundation for the Advancement of Military Medicine (HMJ) annually provides support for three graduate fellowships. The fellowships are competitively awarded annually to outstanding USU civilian doctoral candidates in the USU School of Medicine. Graduate student fellowship support is also competitively available from many other sources, such as the NIH, the Howard Hughes Medical Foundation, various private foundations such as the American Heart Association, Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, etc.

USU maintains a special fund to finance doctoral student research. This resource is designed to provide funds to graduate students in addition to those provided by their major advisor. Funds are available to graduate students who have completed two years of graduate study at USU or who have been advanced to candidacy and are devoting a majority of their time to their dissertation research. Graduate research funds are currently available for two academic years. Funding beyond two years is evaluated on a case by case basis and must be approved by the Graduate Education Committee. In recent years, the maximum amount of funds available each year to eligible graduate students has varied between \$1,500 and \$2,500.

### 3. Internships

<i>Based on students applying for internships for the last seven academic years:<sup>1</sup></i>	2010-2011	2009-2010	2008-2009	2007-2008	2006-2007	2005-2006	2004-2005
The total number of students who sought or applied for internships	6	4	4	3	3	3	2
The number and percent of total who obtained internships	5 (83%)	4 (100%)	4 (100%)	3 (100%)	3 (100%)	3 (100%)	2 (100%)
The number and percent of total who obtained paid internships	5 (83%)	4 (100%)	4 (100%)	3 (100%)	3 (100%)	3 (100%)	2 (100%)
The number and percent of total who obtained APA/CPA-accredited internships	3 (50%)	4 (100%)	4 (100%)	3 (100%)	3 (100%)	3 (100%)	2 (100%)
The number and percent of total who obtained non-accredited, APPIC member internships	2* (33%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
The number and percent of total who obtained non-accredited, other membership organization internships (e.g., CAPIC)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)
The number and percent of total who obtained two-year, half-time internships ( <i>if applicable</i> )	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)

<sup>a</sup>Data for 2010-2011 pertain to individuals who applied for internship in 2009-2010; data for 2009-2010 pertain to individuals who applied for internship in 2008-2009, and so on. \*These internship placements were at the instruction of navy psychology and students were required to attend a non APA Approved Navy site for 2010-2011 only.

#### 4. Attrition

Year of first enrollment	Number of students enrolled	Number and percentage who graduated with doctorate	Number and percentage of students still enrolled in program	Number and percentage of students no longer enrolled for any reason other than graduation
2004	4	3 (75%)	1 (25%)	0
2005	6	3 (50%)	1 (17%)	2 (33%)
2006	5	0	5 (100%)	0
2007	7	0	7 (100%)	0
2008	9	0	7 (78%)	2* (22%)
2009	6	0	6 (100%)	0
2010	10	0	10 (100%)	0

\*One of these two students initially enrolled on the Medical Psychology – Clinical Track but switched to the Medical Psychology (non-clinical) track after approximately one and a half years because of change in professional goals.

#### 5. Licensure

Total number of program graduates between 2000 and 2008 = 16

Number of those graduates who became licensed psychologists = 15

The licensure percentage = **94%**

**Note. The one student that is yet to be licensed is a full time faculty member in an academic psychology department.**