

**Median Elapsed Time in Years to Doctorate from Entry into Graduate School  
2010-11 to 2012-13**

Department/Program	2010-2011		2011-2012		2012-2013	
	N	Median	N	Median	N	Median
History	11	7.3	9	7.0	13	7.0
Literature	12	6.8	21	6.8	17	6.3
Music	10	5.0	8	5.6	15	7.8
<i>DMA</i>	5	4.8	1	5.8	3	5.8
<i>PhD</i>	5	5.8	7	5.5	12	7.8
Philosophy	4	7.0	5	8.8	1	7.0
Theatre & Dance	3	6.3	1	7.8	3	6.0
Visual Arts	2	6.0	2	6.8	6	6.8
<b>Arts &amp; Humanities</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>6.9</b>
<b>Biological Sciences</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5.5</b>
Bioengineering	20	5.9	31	5.8	24	5.8
Bioinformatics	6	5.9	3	6.8	7	5.8
Chemical Engineering	1	6.3	1	7.3	0	N/A
Computer Science & Engineering	26	6.3	34	6.1	32	6.0
Electrical & Computer Engineering	47	5.8	40	5.5	36	5.5
Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering	16	5.3	17	4.8	22	5.3
Materials Science	11	5.3	12	4.8	10	4.6
Structural Engineering	6	5.3	10	5.0	11	4.8
<b>Jacobs School of Engineering</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>5.5</b>
Chemistry & Biochemistry	33	5.5	32	5.8	16	5.8
Mathematics	18	5.6	22	4.9	21	5.0
Physics	16	7.0	28	6.0	22	6.0
<b>Physical Sciences</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>5.8</b>
<b>Scripps Institution of Oceanography</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>6.0</b>
Anthropology	7	8.3	7	9.3	7	7.8
Cognitive Science	6	5.3	4	6.5	3	5.5
Communication	2	7.5	3	7.3	7	7.0
Economics	21	5.8	17	5.8	18	5.8
Education Studies	24	3.5	19	3.5	15	3.3
Ethnic Studies	4	6.3	2	6.1	3	9.0
Linguistics	1	7.3	2	5.6	2	6.9
Political Science	15	6.8	13	6.3	13	6.8
Psychology	4	6.9	14	6.4	11	6.3
Sociology	6	7.5	4	7.9	7	9.3
<b>Social Sciences</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>6.8</b>
<b>SUB TOTALS-General Campus</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>5.9</b>
Biomedical Sciences	27	5.8	28	5.4	30	5.8
Molecular Pathology	11	5.8	7	5.8	2	6.4
Neurosciences	22	5.0	16	5.8	14	5.0
<b>SUB TOTALS-Health Sciences</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>5.8</b>
<b>GRAND TOTALS</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>486</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>5.8</b>

Does not include Joint Doctoral students except EDS and THEA