

For-Profit Pathways into STEM

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Completing 2- and 4-year Stem Degrees
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Non-degree

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Four-Year

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Top Fields of Study

Public	Nonprofit	For-Profit
Health Professions & Related Programs	Business, Management, Marketing, & Related Support Services	Health Professions & Related Programs
Liberal Arts & Sciences, General Studies & Humanities	Health Professions & Related Programs	Personal & Culinary Services
Business, Management, Marketing, & Related Support Services	Social Sciences	Business, Management, Marketing, & Related Support Services
Social Sciences	Visual & Performing Arts	Mechanic & Repair Technologies/Technicians
Education	Psychology	Computer & Information Sciences & Support Services

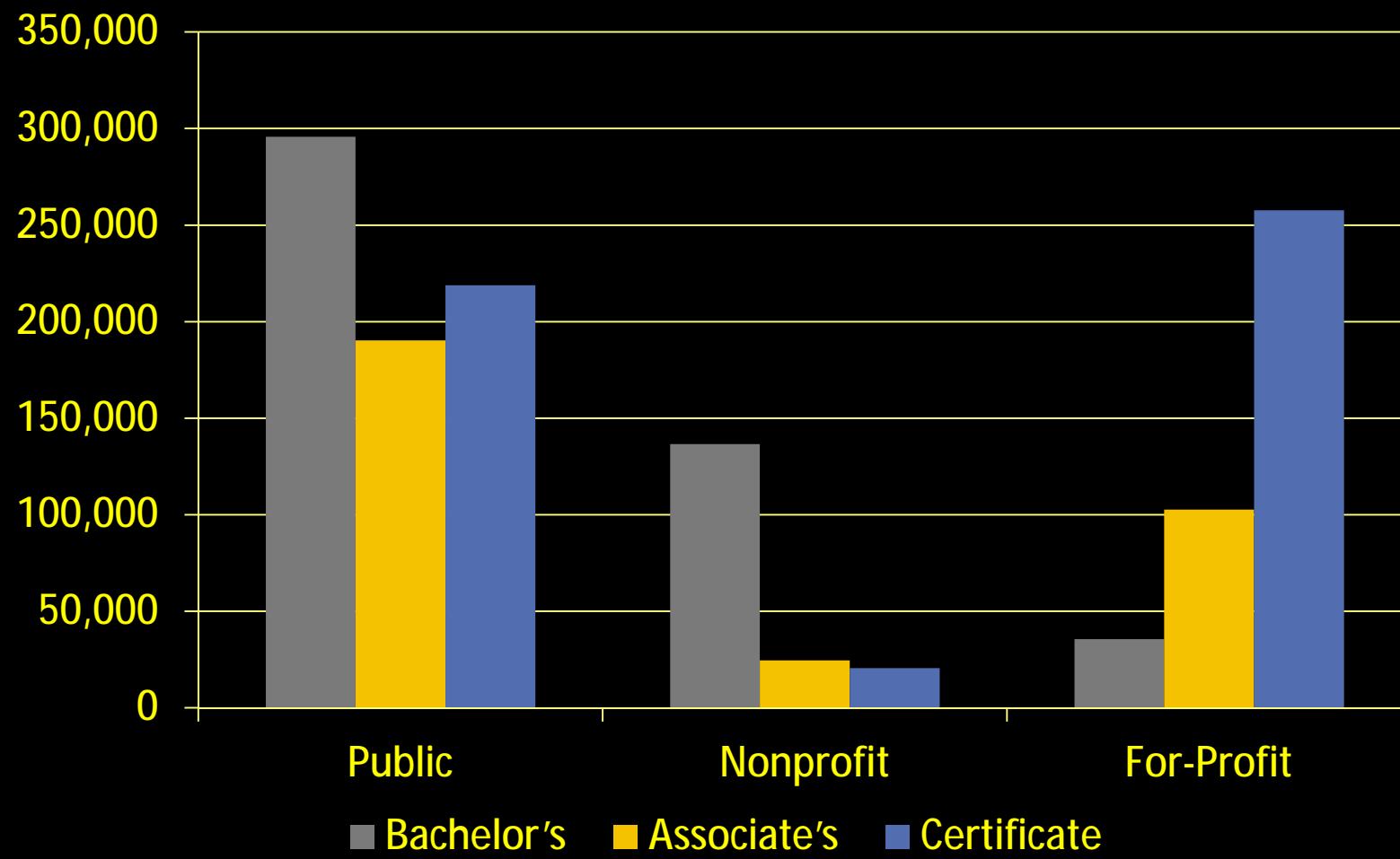
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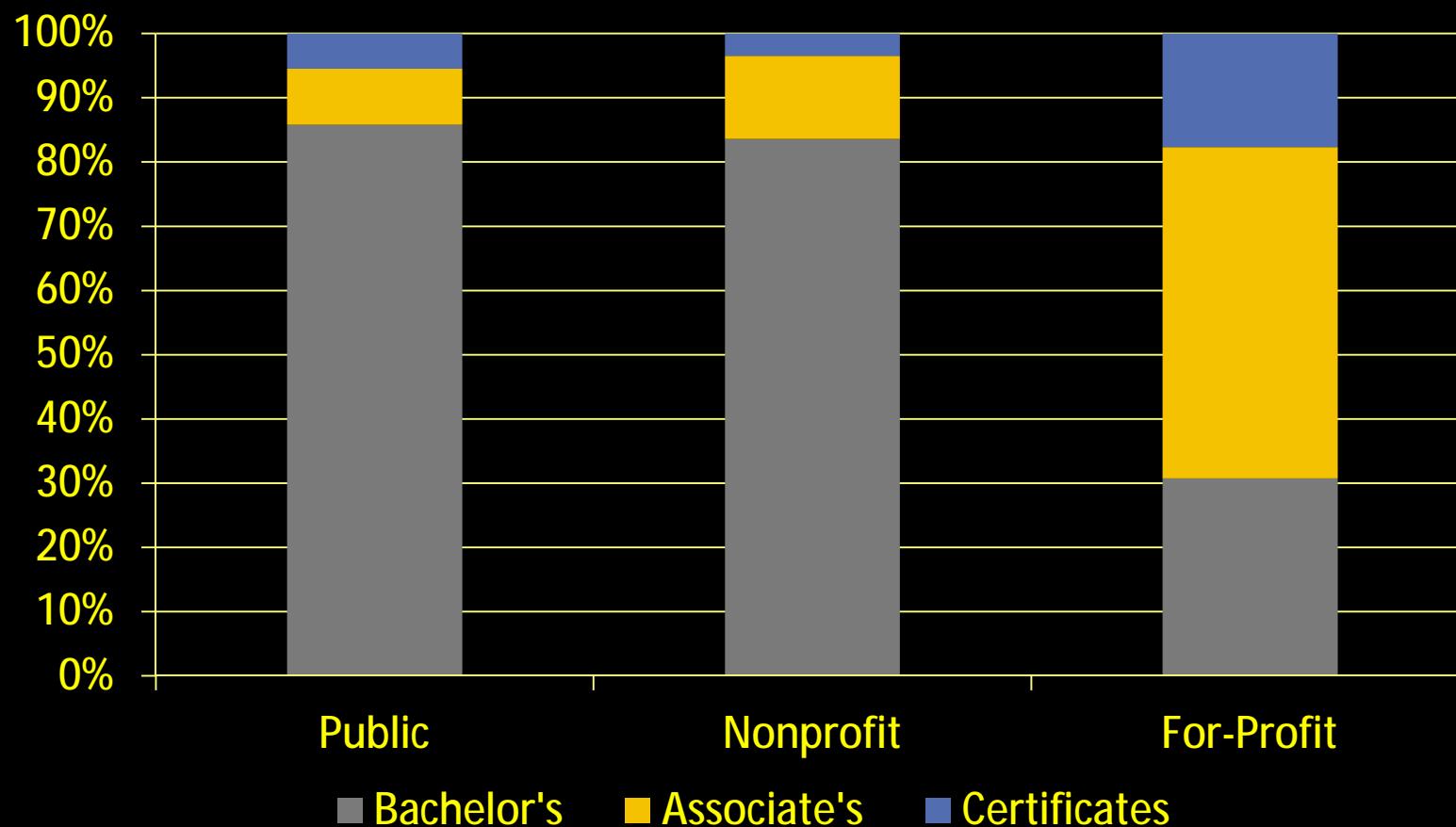
Completions in STEM Fields

Fields	Public	Nonprofit	For-Profit
Health Professions & Related Programs	401,479	97,544	330,964
Computer & Information Sciences & Support Services	64,906	15,462	38,597
Engineering Technologies & Engineering-related Fields	59,952	4,361	26,088
Engineering	68,353	20,049	382
Biological & Biomedical Sciences	72,452	32,122	201
Science Technologies/Technicians	3,514	188	100
Physical Sciences	23,040	9,021	27
Mathematics & Statistics	15,976	7,811	1
Total	709,672	186,558	396,360

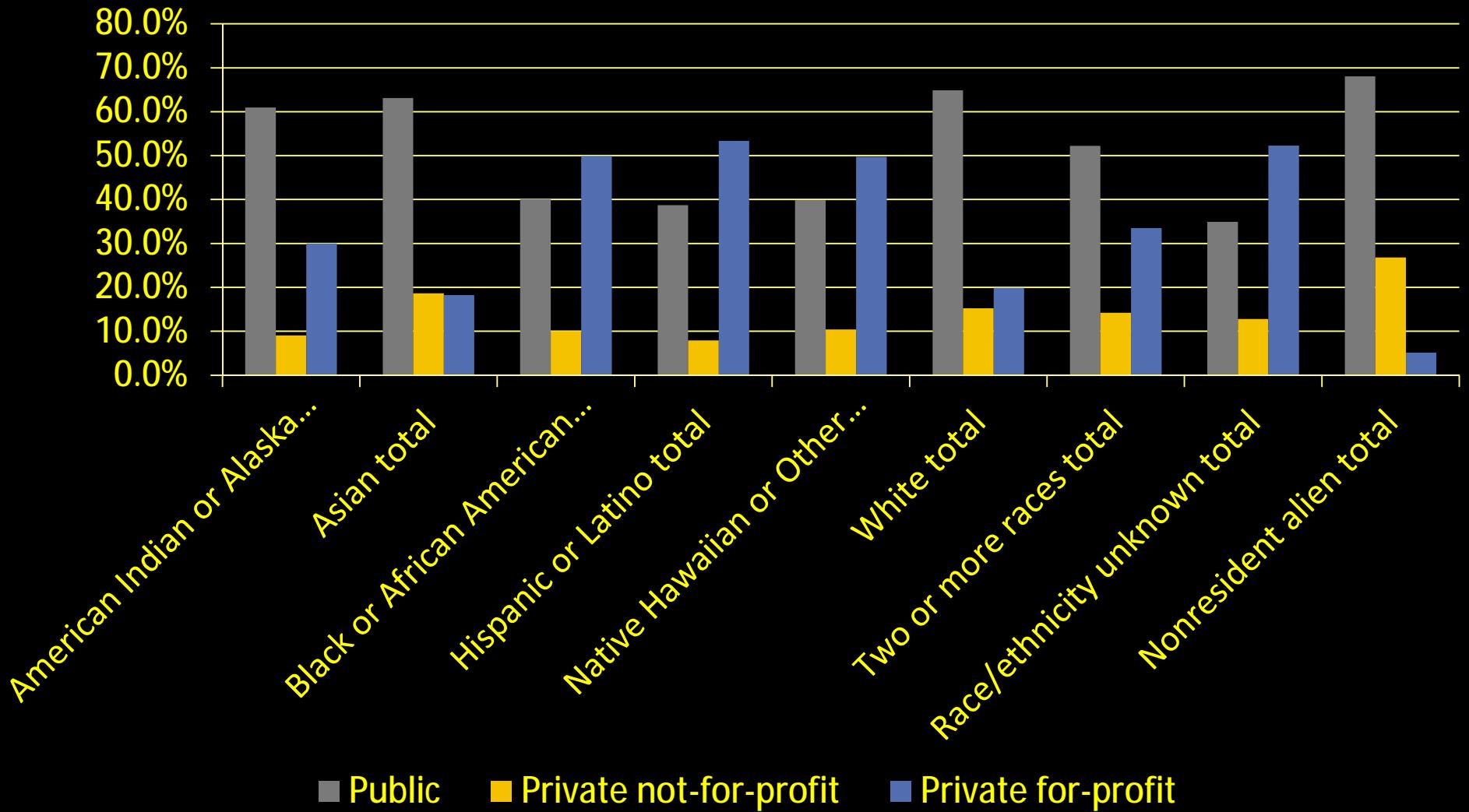
Level of Award in STEM Fields



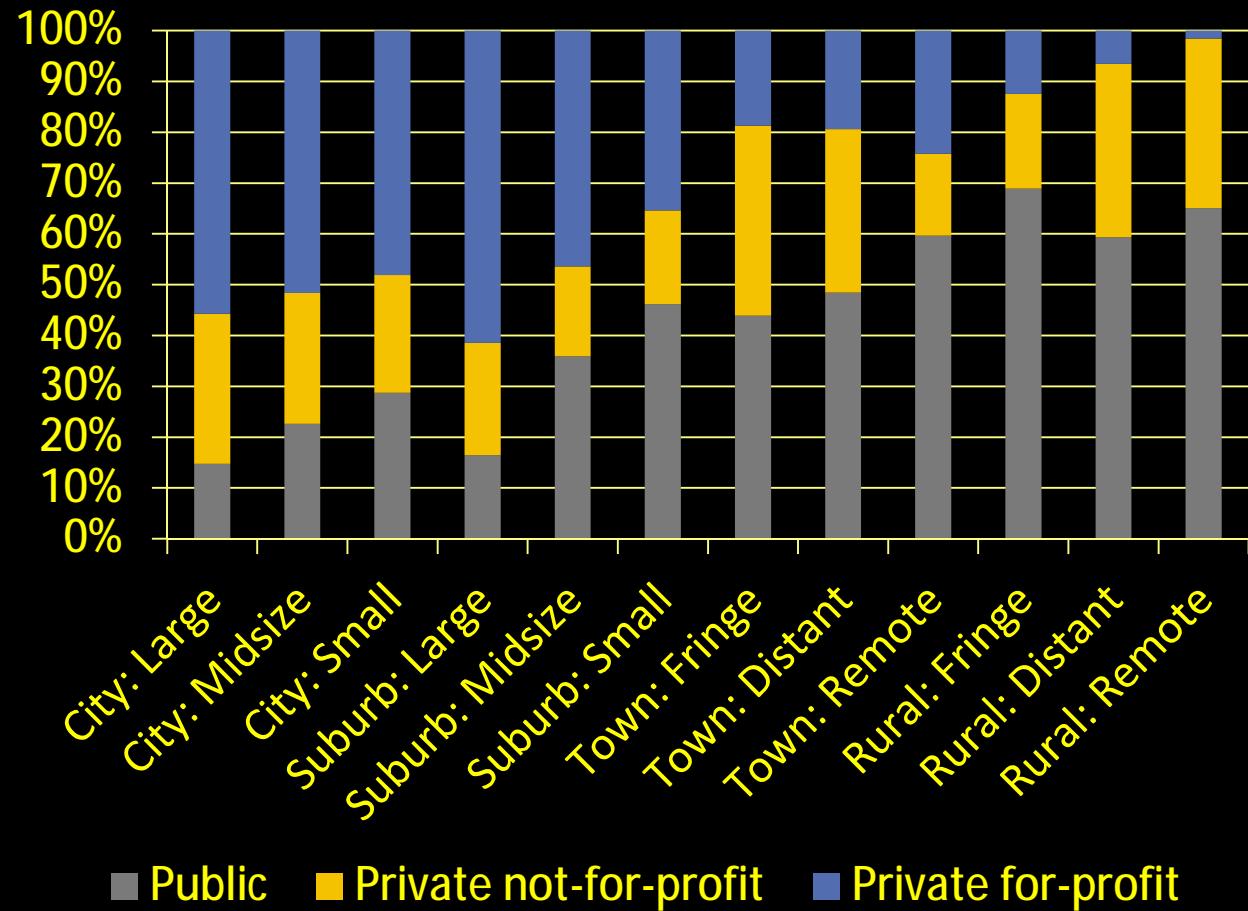
STEM Awards in 4-Year Institutions



Race/ethnicity in STEM Awards



Geographic Urbanization



For-Profit Sector: Top Health Programs

Program	Level	Awards
Medical/Clinical Assistant	Certificate	85,891
Massage Therapy/Therapeutic Massage	Certificate	21,905
Medical/Clinical Assistant	Associate's	19,758
Dental Assisting/Assistant	Certificate	17,586
Medical Insurance Specialist/Medical Biller	Certificate	14,177
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	Certificate	13,949
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant	Certificate	13,576
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	Bachelor's	10,894
Medical Insurance Coding Specialist/Coder	Certificate	10,435

Public Sector: Top Health Programs

Program	Level	Awards
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	Associate's	68,158
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	Bachelor's	48,735
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training	Certificate	41,091
Nursing Assistant/Aide & Patient Care Assistant/Aide	Certificate	38,424
Emergency Medical Technology/Technician (EMT Paramedic)	Certificate	20,058
Medical/Clinical Assistant	Certificate	8,881

For-Profit Sector: Top Computer Programs

Program	Level	Awards
Computer Systems Networking & Telecommunications	Associate's	8,222
Computer & Information Systems Security/Information Assurance	Bachelor's	2,786
Information Technology	Associate's	2,273
Network & System Administration/Administrator	Associate's	2,101
Information Technology	Bachelor's	1,819

Public Sector: Top Computer Programs

Program	Level	Awards
Computer & Information Systems Security/Information Assurance	Bachelor's	7,981
Computer Science	Bachelor's	5,879
Information Science/Studies	Bachelor's	4,215
Computer & Information Systems Security/Information Assurance	Associate's	3,723
Computer Systems Networking & Telecommunications	Certificate	3,619
Computer Systems Networking & Telecommunications	Associate's	3,600

For-Profit Sector: Top Engineer Tech Programs

Program	Level	Awards
Electrical, Electronic & Communications Engineering Technology/Technician	Associate's	4,863
Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Engineering Technology/Technician	Certificate	4,545
CAD/CADD Drafting &/or Design Technology/Technician	Associate's	3,035
Automotive Engineering Technology/Technician	Certificate	2,099

Public Sector: Top Engineer Tech Programs

Program	Level	Awards
Electrical, Electronic & Communications Engineering Technology/Technician	Associate's	3,369
Drafting & Design Technology/Technician, General	Certificate	2,956
Construction Engineering Technology/Technician	Bachelor's	2,049
Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Engineering Technology/ Technician	Certificate	1,922
Industrial Technology/Technician	Bachelor's	1,807
Electrical, Electronic & Communications Engineering Technology/Technician	Certificate	1,796
Drafting & Design Technology/Technician, General	Associate	1,714

Top For-Profit Locations for STEM

Location	Stem Awards
University of Phoenix-Online Campus	20798
United Education Institute-Huntington Park Campus	8179
Ultimate Medical Academy-Tampa	6198
ECPI University	3973
Instituto de Banca y Comercio	3412
Kaplan University-Davenport Campus	3254
Chamberlain College of Nursing-Missouri	3190
Grand Canyon University	2442
Florida Career College-Miami	2245
Colorado Technical University-Online	2096



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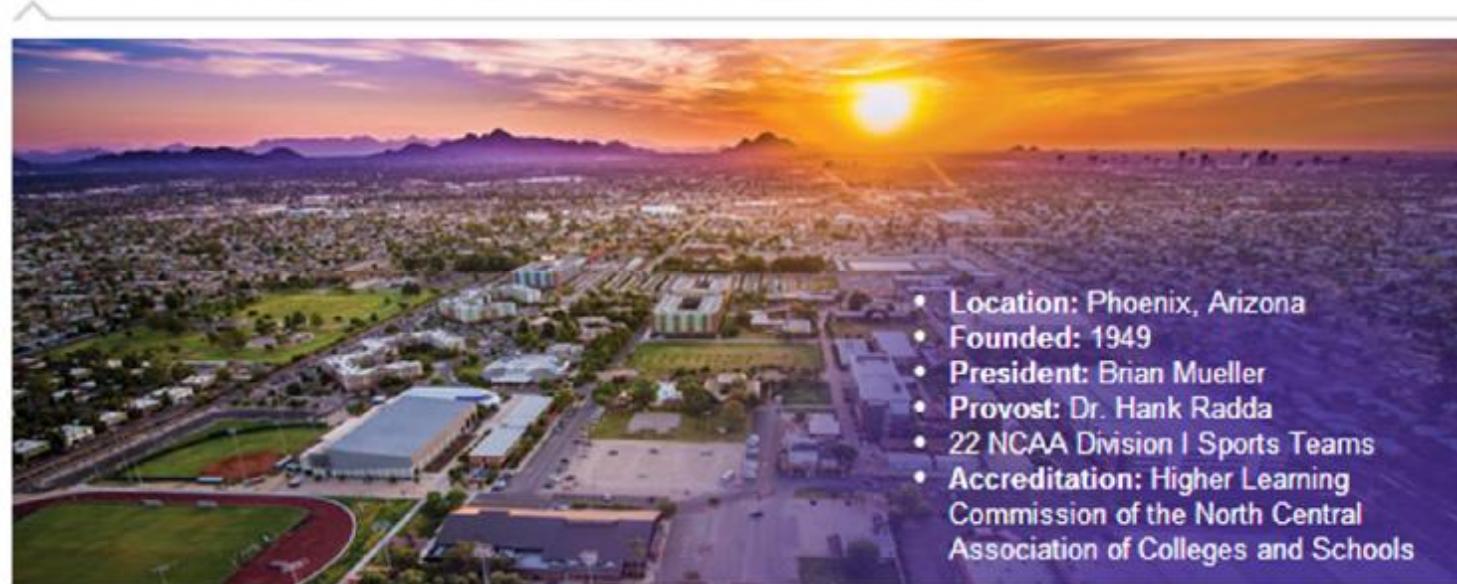
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Grand Canyon University prepares learners to become global citizens, critical thinkers, effective communicators, and responsible leaders by providing an academically challenging, values-based curriculum from the context of our Christian heritage. The curriculum at GCU is designed to prepare students with



Grand Canyon University

An Overview of Our Traditional Campus Statistics



- **Location:** Phoenix, Arizona
- **Founded:** 1949
- **President:** Brian Mueller
- **Provost:** Dr. Hank Radda
- **22 NCAA Division I Sports Teams**
- **Accreditation:** Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools

	September 2012	September 2013
Campus Enrollment	7,404	10,330
Online Enrollment	44,849	49,584



Grand Canyon University Traditional Campus

Top 5 Enrolled Programs

Bachelor of Science in Biology	21%
Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Pre-Licensure)	16%
Bachelor of Science in Business Management	6%
Bachelor of Science in Psychology	5%
Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science	5%

24% Hispanic/Latino

6% Black/African American



Grand Canyon University Undergraduate Awards

	Bachelor's	Certificate
Biological & Biomedical Sciences		
Biology/Biological Sciences, General	58	
Exercise Physiology	8	
Health Professions & Related Programs		
Athletic Training/Trainer	10	
Clinical Nurse Specialist		1
Critical Care Nursing		4
Family Practice Nurse/Nursing		6
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences, Other	144	
Health/Health Care Administration/Management	0	
Hospital and Health Care Facilities Administration/Management	27	
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	2,075	1
Respiratory Care Therapy/Therapist	48	
Substance Abuse/Addiction Counseling	57	3



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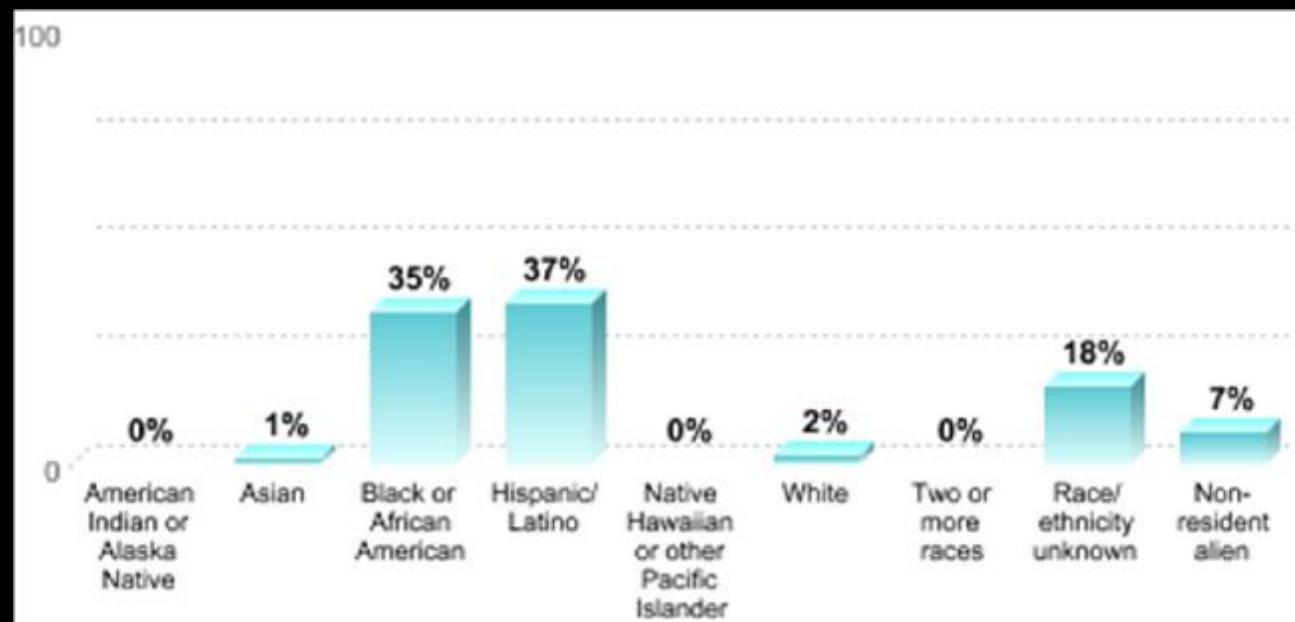
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MONROE COLLEGE

- Enrollment stable between 6000 and 7000 undergraduates
- Campuses in New York City area and St Lucia



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	Associate's	Bachelor's	Certificate
Computer & Information Sciences & Support Services			
Computer & Information Sciences, General	5	1	
Computer/Information Technology Services		78	
Administration & Management, Other			
Information Technology	83		
Health Professions & Related Programs			
Community Health & Preventive Medicine		87	
Health Services Administration		142	
Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse Training			26
Medical Office Management/Administration	168		
Medical/Clinical Assistant	129		
Pharmacy Technician/Assistant	25		
Registered Nursing/Registered Nurse	30		

Conclusions

- Contributor to STEM, especially certificate
- Enrollment driven, focus on access
- Scale and capacity: Online expertise
- Expensive (for students)
- Completion ratio questions
- Narrow curriculum
- Part of the policy equation