

Doctoral Program Profile: Public Administration

This program is part of the School of Public Affairs and Administration in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences. Additional information available at http://www.kupa.ku.edu/

Department Faculty: Public Affairs and Administration	Fall 2017
Total Faculty	23
Tenured and Tenure Track Faculty	18
Tenured Faculty	15
Non-tenured Faculty on Tenure Track	3
Other Faculty/Instructors/Lecturers	5
Total Faculty FTE	17.3

Doctoral Enrollment	Fall 14-16 Avg	Fall 2017
Total	15.7	17
Full time	85.1%	82.4%
Minority	21.3%	35.3%
International	14.9%	17.6%
Female	42.6%	41.2%
Average Hours for Doctoral Students	5.8	6.6

Includes tenured and tenure-track faculty paid by the department.

Doctoral Admissions: Summer / Fall 2015, 2016, and 2017						
	3-Year Average Mean GPA Mean Verbal GR		Mean Verbal GRE	Mean Quantitative GRE	Mean Analytical GRE	
Applications	28.3	3.6	151.7	154.2	3.5	
Admissions	5.3	3.8	156.1	153.1	4.3	
Matriculations	3.0	3.7	155.4	151.7	4.0	

All programs are encouraged to use holistic admissions. See program website for many factors that are considered in admissions.

Support for Fall 2017 Doctoral Students	Head Count	Avg AY Amount
Number Receiving Support / Average Per-Student Support (excluding loans)	12	\$31,965
Number Receiving Educational Loans / Average Amount	6	\$12,427

Includes support disbursed through or recorded in the university HR Pay, financial aid, or third party payment systems as of February 15, 2018. KUMC support included whenever possible. Some external support may not be included. Assistantships as of Fall 2017 calculated for 9 months; assistantships may be outside program. Other institutional support may include tuition waivers and adjustments, scholarships, grants and fellowships, and other grant-funded or institutional support.

Type of Support	Head Count
GTAs	5
GRAs	7
GAs	1
Other Institutional Support	12

Students may have more than one type of support.

Doctoral Degrees Completed \ Median Years to Degree			% of D	egrees Comp	oleted	
Year of Completion (Su\Fa\Sp)	Count	Yrs to Degr from 1st Graduate Enrl 1st Doctoral Enrl		Within 5 Yrs	Within 7 Yrs	Within 10 Yrs
FY 2012 - 2014	8	5.3	4.7	50.0%	62.5%	75.0%
FY 2015 - 2017	8	5.8	5.6	25.0%	87.5%	100.0%

Median years to degree may include both full- and part-time students. Yrs to Degr from 1st Graduate Enrl may include those obtaining a master's degree during the time interval. % of Degrees Completed calculated from first graduate enrollment.

	Employer or Training Type					
Postdoctoral Plans of Doctoral Degree Recipients FY 2012 - 2017	Higher Education in U.S.	Education - Other	Government	Private Sector or Other	No Response or No Survey	Total
Firm plans for postdoc or further training	1					1
Firm plans for employment	10	1	1			12
Negotiating with a specific organization, or more than one						
Seeking appointment but have no specific prospects	2					2
Other student-specific response			1			1
No response / did not take survey						

Source: Doctoral Completions Survey. Postdoctoral plans as reported at time of dissertation submission.