

STUDENT AND FACULTY COMPOSITION IN PAB-ACCREDITED PROGRAMS

2018 Annual Report

Planning Accreditation Board

Introduction

This report provides a summary of student enrollment, faculty headcount and status, as well as race and ethnicity, in PAB-accredited planning programs. The data is based on the 2018 Annual Reports, which all accredited programs are required to complete. Information provided in the Annual Reports is self-reported by each program.

As of December 31, 2018 PAB accredited 72 graduate and 17 undergraduate programs in planning at North American universities. The following institutions were excluded from this report: University of British Columbia and Tufts University (graduate program).

Student data is reported as of December 31, 2018. Faculty data is reported for the academic year 2018-2019.

For the complete 2018 data set or to view past Annual Report data, please visit the [Annual Report Online Database \(AROD\)](#) available on the PAB website.

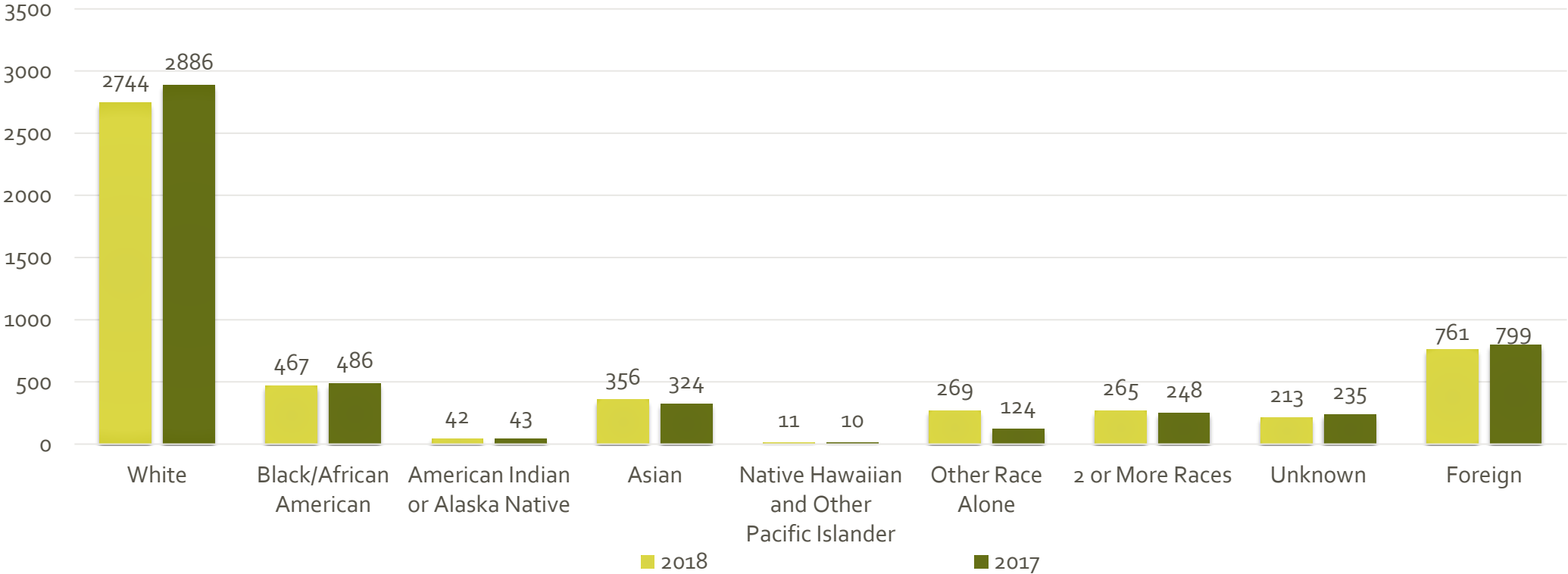
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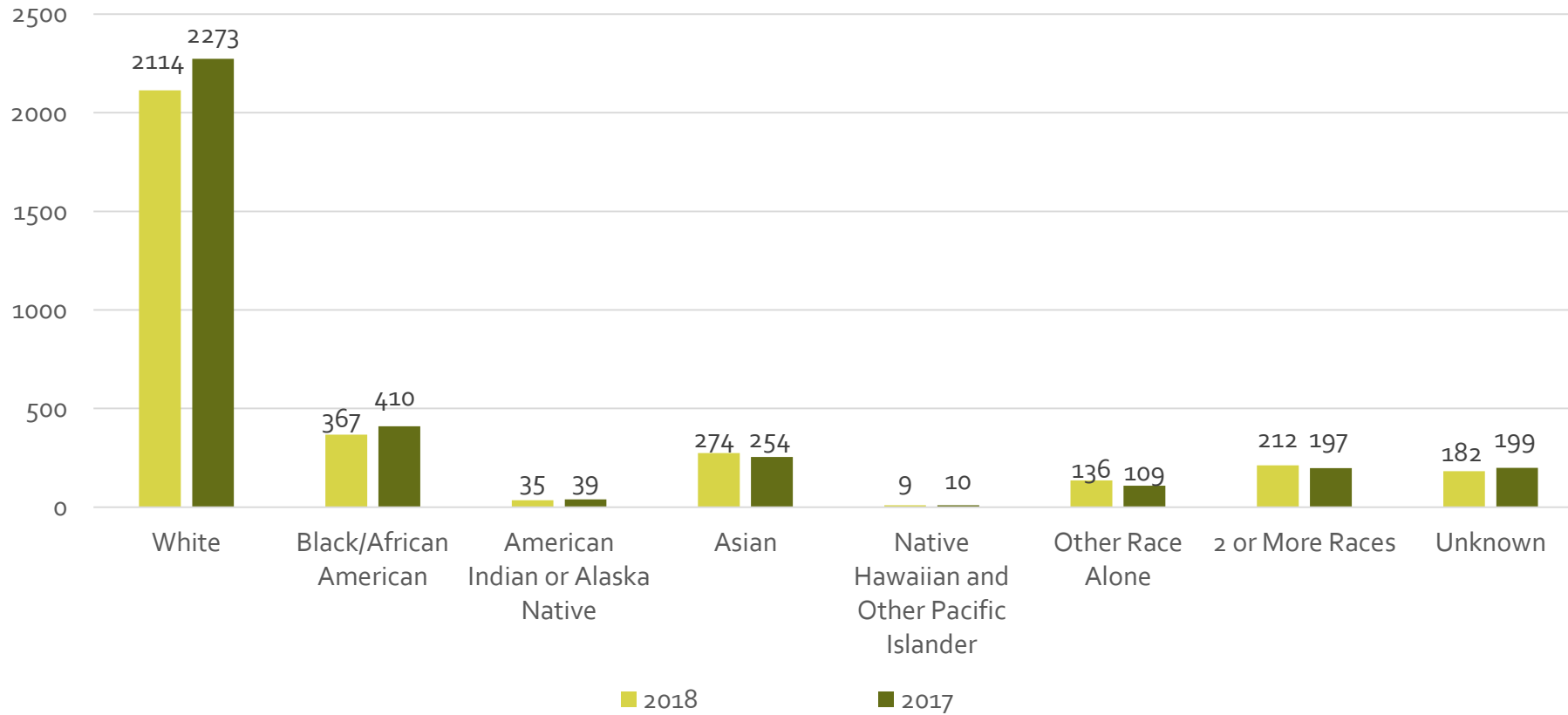
Figure 1. Total Students Enrolled in PAB-Accredited Programs



	2018	2017	Change from 2017-2018
Total US Citizens and Resident Students	4367	4356	0.3%
Total Foreign Students	761	799	-4.8%
Total Student Population	5128	5155	-0.5%

Note: Total student enrollment presented: for 2018 include 87 accredited programs (70 graduate, 17 undergraduate).
 Total student enrollment presented: for 2017 include 87 accredited programs (71 graduate, 16 undergraduate).

Figure 2. Graduate Students Enrolled: by Race (U.S. Citizens and Residents)



	2018	2017
Total Graduate Student Population (U.S. Citizens and Residents)	3329	3491
Graduate Student Population Growth from 2017-2018	-4.6%	

Table 1. Graduate Students Enrolled: by Race (U.S. Citizens and Residents)

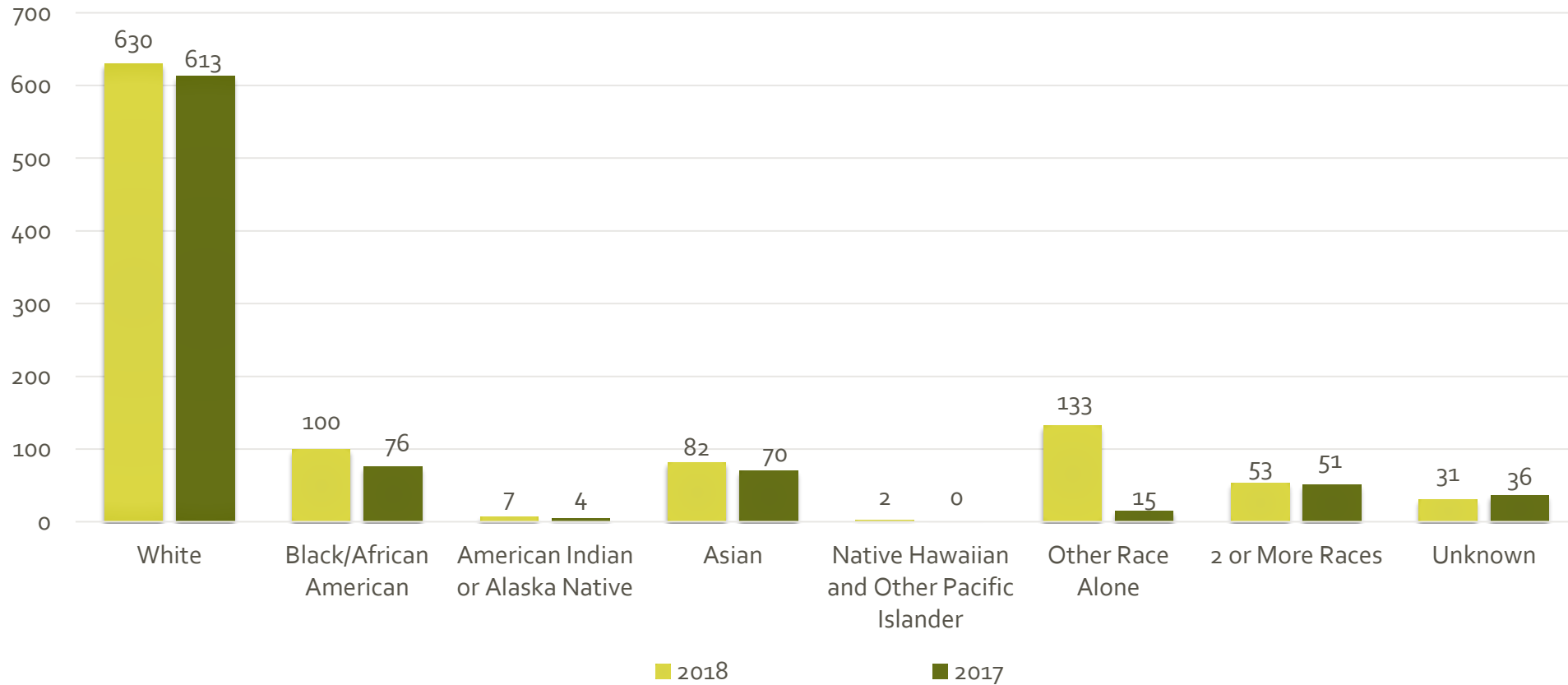
	Full-time Graduate Students						Part-time Graduate Students					
	2018				2017		2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
White	846	865	1711	64.2%	1839	66.2%	200	203	403	60.9%	434	60.8%
Black/African American	119	152	271	10.2%	283	10.2%	40	56	96	14.5%	127	17.8%
American Indian or Alaska Native	10	19	29	1.1%	27	1.0%	2	4	6	0.9%	12	1.7%
Asian	93	142	235	8.8%	214	7.7%	17	22	39	5.9%	40	5.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2	6	8	0.3%	8	0.3%	1	0	1	0.2%	2	0.3%
Other Race Alone	68	48	116	4.3%	92	3.3%	12	8	20	3.0%	17	2.4%
2 or More Races	76	95	171	6.4%	172	6.2%	15	26	41	6.2%	25	3.5%
Unknown	56	70	126	4.7%	142	5.1%	30	26	56	8.5%	57	8.0%
Total (US Citizens)	1270	1397	2667	100%	2777	100%	317	345	662	100%	714	100%

Table 2. Number of Students Who Graduated

Academic Year	2017 - 2018	2016 - 2017
Graduate Program	1663	1761

Figure 3.

Undergraduate Students Enrolled: by Race (U.S. Citizens and Residents)



	2018	2017
Total Undergraduate Student Population (U.S. Citizens and Residents)	1038	865
Undergraduate Student Population Growth from 2017-2018	20%	

Table 3. Undergraduate Students Enrolled: by Race (U.S. Citizens and Residents)

	Full-Time Undergraduate Students						Part-Time Undergraduate Students					
	2018				2017		2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
White	350	257	607	60.9%	591	71.5%	16	7	23	56.1%	22	57.9%
Black/African American	51	46	97	9.7%	66	8.0%	3	0	3	7.3%	10	26.3%
American Indian	6	1	7	0.7%	4	0.5%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%
Asian	45	36	81	8.1%	70	8.5%	1	0	1	2.4%	0	0%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	1	2	0.2%	0	0%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%
Other Race Alone	77	46	123	12.3%	13	1.6%	8	2	10	24.4%	2	5.3%
2 or More Races	28	25	53	5.3%	49	5.9%	0	0	0	0%	2	5.3%
Unknown	13	14	27	2.7%	34	4.1%	2	2	4	9.8%	2	5.3%
Total (US Citizens)	571	426	997	100%	827	100%	30	11	41	100%	38	100%

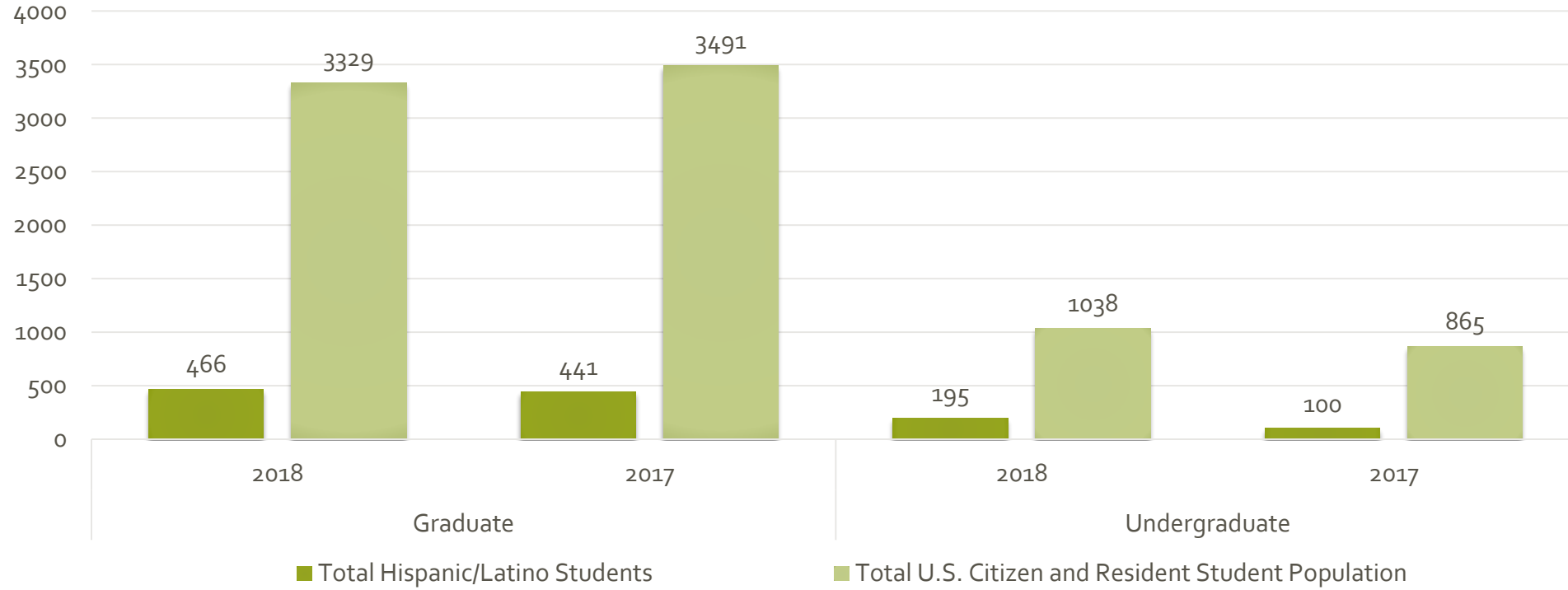
Table 4. Number of Students Who Graduated

Academic Year	2017 – 2018	2016 - 2017
Undergraduate Program	297	298

Table 5 / Figure 4.

Student Enrollment: Hispanic / Latino Ethnicity

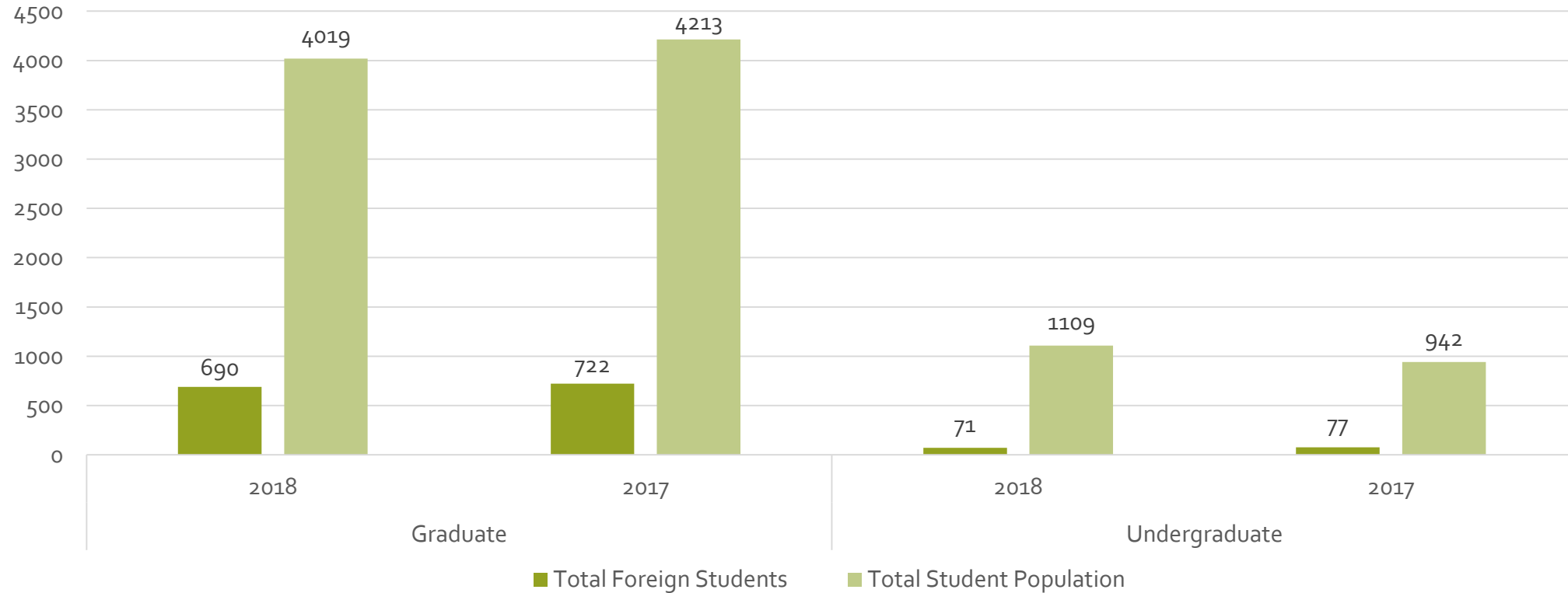
(U.S. Citizens and Residents)



	Graduate Students						Undergraduate Students					
	2018				2017		2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Hispanic/Latino Full-time Students	184	188	372	13.9%	347	12.5%	111	71	182	18.3%	97	11.7%
Total Full-time Student Population	1270	1397	2667	100%	2777	100%	571	426	997	100%	827	100%
Hispanic/Latino Part-time Students	44	50	94	14.2%	94	13.2%	11	2	13	31.7%	3	7.9%
Total Part-time Student Population	317	345	662	100%	714	100%	30	11	41	100%	38	100%

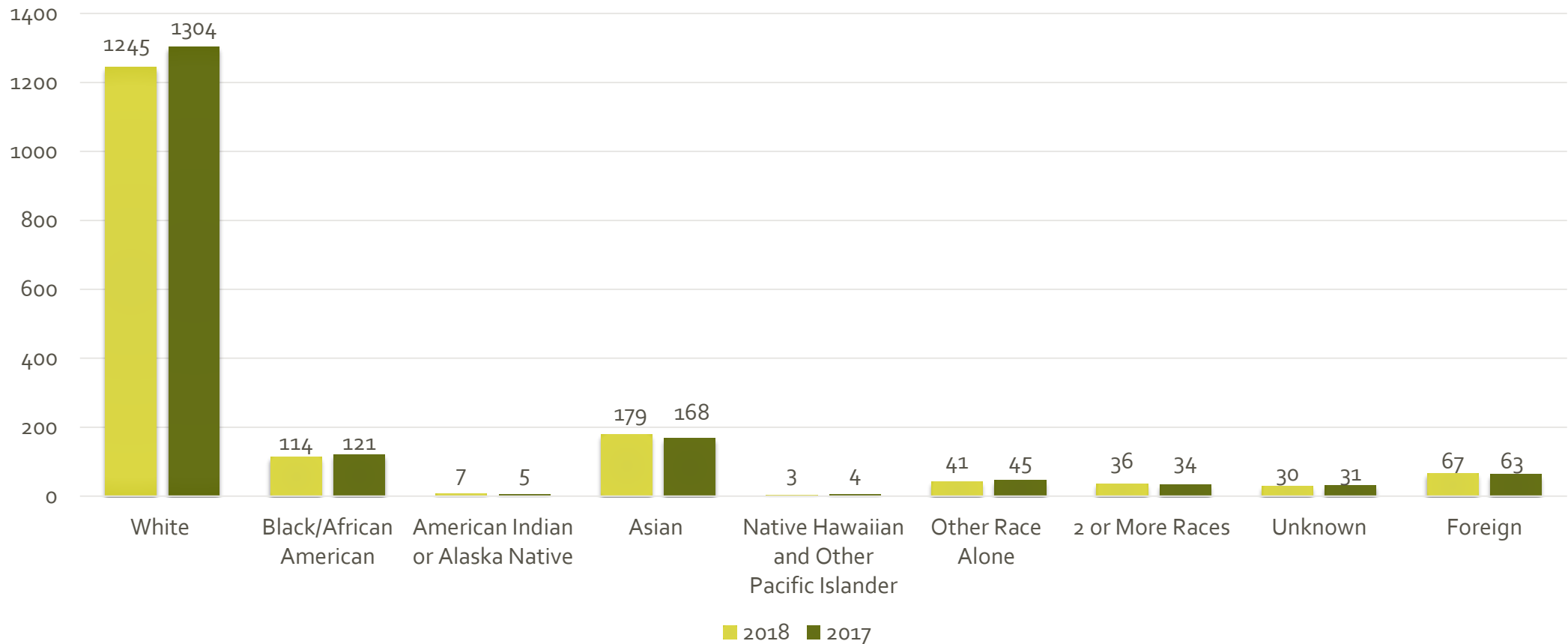
Table 6 / Figure 5.

Foreign Student Enrollment



	Graduate Students						Undergraduate Students					
	2018				2017		2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Foreign Full-time Students	249	388	637	19.3%	679	19.6%	38	33	71	6.6%	77	8.5%
Total Full-time Student Population	1519	1785	3304	100%	3456	100%	609	459	1068	100%	904	100%
Foreign Part-time Students	22	31	53	7.4%	43	5.7%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%
Total Part-time Student Population	339	376	715	100%	757	100%	30	11	41	100%	38	100%

Figure 6. Graduate Program Faculty



	2018	2017	Change from 2017-2018
Total U.S. Citizens and Resident Faculty	1655	1712	-3.3%
Total Foreign Faculty	67	63	6.3%
Total Faculty Population	1722	1775	-3%

Table 7. Graduate Program Faculty: by Status and Race

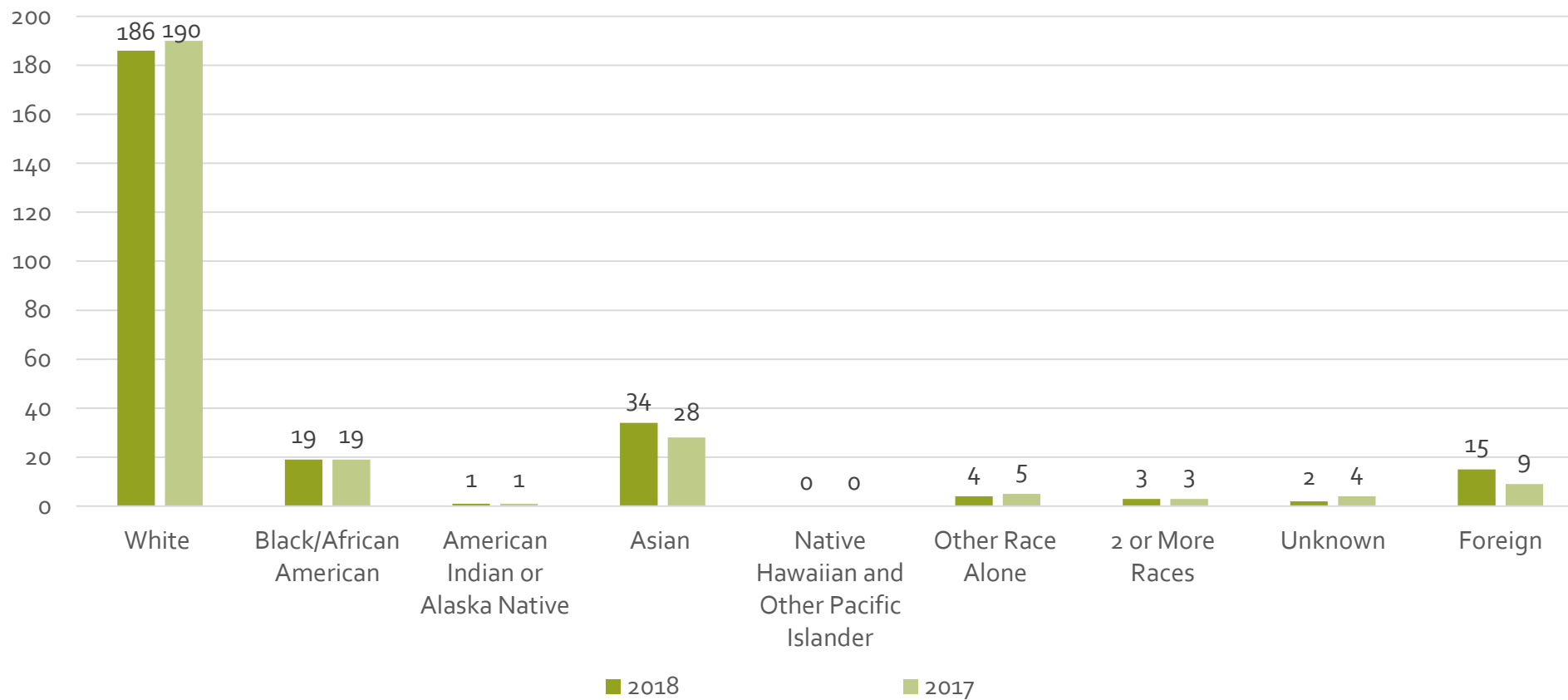
(U.S. Citizens and Residents)

	Full-Time in Unit						Part-Time in Unit						Adjunct/Contract in Unit					
	2018				2017		2018				2017		2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
White	268	167	435	68.5%	445	69.5%	122	73	195	77.1%	198	81.5%	398	217	615	80.2%	661	79.7%
Black/African American	28	23	51	8.0%	52	8.1%	12	10	22	8.7%	19	7.8%	26	15	41	5.3%	50	6.0%
American Indian or Alaska Native	1	3	4	0.6%	3	0.5%	0	1	1	0.4%	0	0%	1	1	2	0.3%	2	0.2%
Asian	60	46	106	16.7%	93	14.5%	12	8	20	7.9%	19	7.8%	29	24	53	6.9%	56	6.8%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	2	2	0.3%	2	0.3%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%	1	0	1	0.1%	2	0.2%
Other Race Alone	8	5	13	2.0%	19	3.0%	4	1	5	2.0%	5	2.1%	11	12	23	3.0%	21	2.5%
2 or More Races	9	12	21	3.3%	20	3.1%	0	1	1	0.4%	1	0.4%	11	3	14	1.8%	13	1.6%
Unknown	2	1	3	0.5%	6	0.9%	6	3	9	3.6%	1	0.4%	14	4	18	2.3%	24	2.9%
Total Faculty	376	259	635	100%	640	100%	156	97	253	100%	243	100%	491	276	767	100%	829	100%

Note 1: 2018 data presented for 70 accredited graduate programs and 2017 data presented for 71 accredited graduate programs.

Note 2: Full-time in planning is defined as tenure track faculty with a primary appointment in the planning unit. Part-time in planning unit is defined as tenure track faculty from other academic departments in the University who teach: graduate core courses required for the planning degree; courses in other departments required for planning specializations; and/or courses in other departments taken as an elective by a critical mass of planning students. Adjunct/Contract in unit is defined as faculty who are non-tenure track and/or hired on a contract basis. Graduate teaching assistants are excluded.

Figure 7. Undergraduate Program Faculty



	2018	2017	Change from 2017-2018
Total U.S. Citizens and Resident Faculty	249	250	-0.4%
Total Foreign Faculty	15	9	66.7%
Total Faculty Population	264	259	1.9%

Table 8. Undergraduate Program Faculty: by Status and Race

(U.S. Citizens and Residents)

	Full-time in Unit						Part-time in Unit						Adjunct/Contract in Unit					
	2018				2017		2018				2017		2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
White	45	32	77	65.3%	75	68.8%	20	11	31	81.6%	32	82.1%	50	28	78	83.9%	83	81.4%
Black/African American	10	3	13	11.0%	10	9.2%	1	1	2	5.3%	2	5.1%	3	1	4	4.3%	7	6.9%
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	1	1	0.8%	1	0.9%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%
Asian	12	11	23	19.5%	19	17.4%	2	2	4	10.5%	3	7.7%	5	2	7	7.5%	6	5.9%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%
Other Race Alone	0	1	1	0.8%	1	0.9%	1	0	1	2.6%	1	2.6%	1	1	2	2.2%	3	2.9%
2 or More Races	1	2	3	2.5%	2	1.8%	0	0	0	0%	1	2.6%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%
Unknown	0	0	0	0%	1	0.9%	0	0	0	0%	0	0%	0	2	2	2.2%	3	2.9%
Total Faculty	68	50	118	100%	109	100%	24	14	38	100%	39	100%	59	34	93	100%	102	100%

Note 1: 2018 data presented for 17 institutions and 2017 presented for 16 institutions. Eleven institutions maintain an accredited graduate degree, therefore faculty may be double-counted across both degrees.

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Table 9 / Figure 8.

Hispanic / Latino Faculty (U.S. Citizens and Residents)

Hispanic/Latino Faculty Status	Graduate Programs					
	2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Hispanic/Latino Full-time	24	24	48	7.6%	47	7.3%
Total Full-time Faculty	376	259	635	100%	640	100%
Hispanic/Latino Part-time	11	6	17	6.7%	16	6.6%
Total Part-time Faculty	156	97	253	100%	243	100%
Hispanic/Latino Adjunct	29	23	52	6.8%	48	5.8%
Total Adjunct Faculty	491	276	767	100%	829	100%

Hispanic/Latino Faculty Status	Undergraduate Programs					
	2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Hispanic/Latino Full-time	2	4	6	5.1%	4	3.3%
Total Full-time Faculty	68	50	118	100%	109	100%
Hispanic/Latino Part-time	1	0	1	2.6%	2	5.1%
Total Part-time Faculty	24	14	38	100%	39	100%
Hispanic/Latino Adjunct	1	1	2	2.2%	5	5.1%
Total Adjunct Faculty	59	34	93	100%	102	100%

	Graduate		Undergraduate	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Hispanic/Latino Faculty	117	111	9	11
Total U.S. Citizen and Resident Faculty	1655	1712	249	250

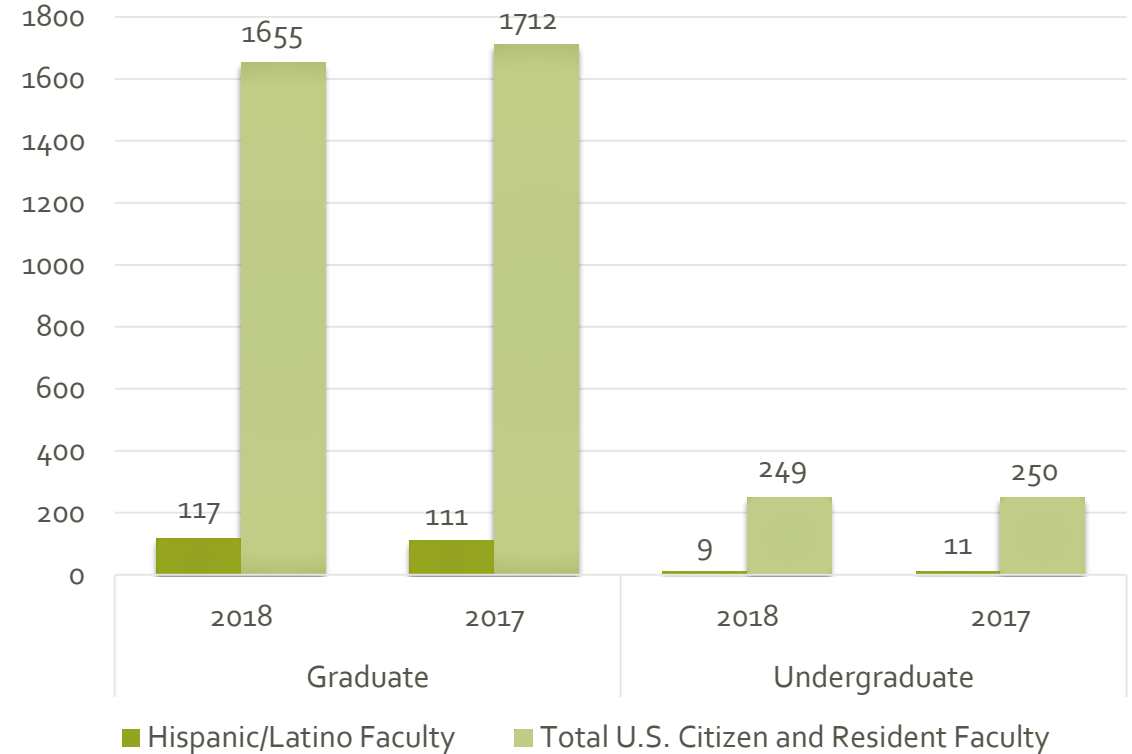
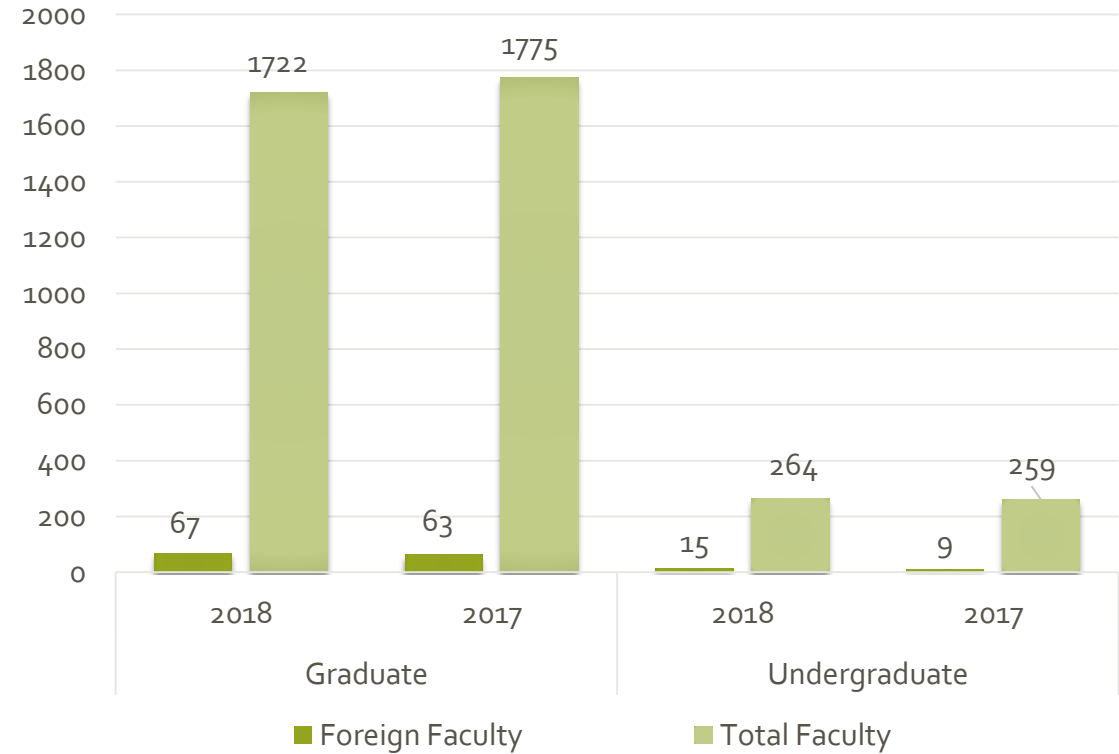


Table 10 / Figure 9.

Foreign Faculty

Foreign Faculty by Status	Graduate Programs					
	2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Full-Time in Unit	11	19	30	4.5%	36	5.3%
Total Full-Time Faculty	387	278	665	100%	676	100%
Part-Time in Unit	9	8	17	6.3%	12	4.7%
Total Part-Time Faculty	165	105	270	100%	255	100%
Adjunct in Unit	12	8	20	2.5%	15	1.8%
Total Adjunct Faculty	503	284	787	100%	844	100%

Foreign Faculty by Status	Undergraduate Programs					
	2018				2017	
	Male	Female	Total	% of Total	Total	% of Total
Full-Time in Unit	1	4	5	4.1%	5	4.4%
Total Full-Time Faculty	69	54	123	100%	114	100%
Part-Time in Unit	3	3	6	13.6%	0	0%
Total Part-Time Faculty	27	17	44	100%	39	100%
Adjunct in Unit	2	2	4	4.1%	4	3.8%
Total Adjunct Faculty	61	36	97	100%	106	100%



	Graduate		Undergraduate	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Foreign Faculty	67	63	15	9
Total Faculty	1722	1775	264	259

Table 11. Faculty with AICP Credentials

	Graduate		Undergraduate	
	2018	2017	2018	2017
Full-Time AICP Faculty	94	100	24	22
Part-Time AICP Faculty	30	40	6	3
Adjunct AICP Faculty	133	122	21	24
Total AICP Faculty	257	262	51	49

Table 12. Mean Faculty per PAB-Accredited Program

	Graduate Program				Undergraduate Program			
	2018		2017		2018		2017	
	Mean	Standard Deviation	Mean	Standard Deviation	Mean	Standard Deviation	Mean	Standard Deviation
Full-time Faculty (US Citizens and Residents)	9.1	5.3	9.0	5.1	6.9	3.5	6.8	3.2
Part-time Faculty (US Citizens and Residents)	3.6	5.8	3.4	5.5	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.4
Adjunct/Contract Faculty (US Citizens and Residents)	11.0	11.6	11.7	14.4	5.5	4.0	6.4	4.8
Foreign Faculty	1.0	1.3	0.9	1.4	0.9	1.2	0.6	1.0
Total Faculty	24.6	17.1	25.0	19.7	13.4	6.0	16.2	7.6

Table 13.

Mean Faculty per Accredited Graduate Program by Gender, Race and Ethnicity

(U.S. Citizens and Residents)

	Full-time in Unit				Part-time in Unit				Adjunct/Contract			
	2018		2017		2018		2017		2018		2017	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
White	3.8	2.4	4.0	2.3	1.7	1.0	1.8	1.0	5.7	3.1	6.1	3.2
Black/African American	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Asian	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Race Alone	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1
2 or More Races	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1
Unknown	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.1
Total US Citizens and Residents	5.4	3.7	5.5	3.5	2.2	1.4	2.3	1.2	7.0	3.9	7.4	4.2
Hispanic/Latino	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3

Table 14.

Mean Faculty per Accredited Undergraduate Program by Gender, Race and Ethnicity

(U.S. Citizens and Residents)

	Full-time in Unit				Part-time in Unit				Adjunct/Contract			
	2018		2017		2018		2017		2018		2017	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
White	2.6	1.9	2.8	1.9	1.2	0.6	1.1	0.9	2.9	1.6	3.4	1.8
Black/African American	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Asian	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.2	0.2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Race Alone	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
2 or More Races	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Unknown	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1
Total US Citizens and Residents	4.0	2.9	4.0	2.8	1.4	0.8	1.4	1.1	3.5	2.0	4.0	2.4
Hispanic/Latino	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2



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