

Princeton University Graduate School - Department Profile
Department of COMPARATIVE LITERATURE

1. OPENING ENROLLMENT	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08
Degree Candidates					
1st Year	4	8	4	4	5
2nd Year	5	4	8	4	5
3rd Year	6	5	4	9	4
4th Year	5	7	5	4	8
5th Year (plus)	5	5	6	4	4
DCE				6	4
TOTAL	25	29	27	31	30
Non-degree	0	1	0	0	0
Demographics					
Underrepresented Minorities	3	4	3	2	1
Women - US	6	11	10	10	9
Women - International	4	5	4	7	6
All International	11	11	9	11	10
2. ADMISSION DATA (2/20/08 - Degree Candidates Only)					
Number Applied	86	86	79	84	87
Number Admitted	9	10	7	6	7
Percent Admitted	10%	12%	9%	7%	8%
Number Accepted	4	9	4	4	5
Yield Overall	44%	90%	57%	67%	71%
Top 1/2 Accepted	2.5	4	3.5	3	1.5
Yield Top 1/2	56%	80%	100%	100%	43%
Underrepresented Minorities					
Applied	6	3	3	6	6
Admitted	0	0	0	0	0
Accepted					
Women - US					
Applied	34	37	30	38	32
Admitted	3	5	2	2	2
Accepted	0	5	1	0	1
Women - International					
Applied	9	17	12	17	24
Admitted	0	2	0	3	0
Accepted		2		3	
All International					
Applied	17	26	18	26	34
Admitted	2	2	1	3	0
Accepted	2	2	1	3	
3. DEGREES					
Dept - Ph.D.'s Awarded	6	5	4	3	
Dept - Median Time-to-Degree	6.9	6.7	6.5	5.7	
Division - Ph.D.s Awarded	56	61	56	65	
Division - Median Time-to-Degree	6.9	6.5	6.6	6.4	
Note: median time-to-degree is of those who completed the Ph.D.					
4. PLACEMENT					
Research Universities	5	3	1	2	
Colleges and Other Academic	0	2	0	0	
Post-Doctoral	0	0	3	0	
Non-Academic	0	0	0	1	
Not Placed or Unknown	1	0	0	0	