

# CLEMSON UNIVERSITY Fact Sheet Fall 2015

The mission of Clemson University is to fulfill the covenant between its founder and the people of South Carolina to establish a "high seminary of learning" through its historical land-grant responsibilities of teaching, research and extended public service.

Clemson University is a selective, public, land-grant university in a college-town setting along a dynamic southeastern corridor. The University is committed to world-class teaching, research and public service in the context of general education, student development and continuing education. Clemson's desire is to attract a capable, dedicated and diverse student body of 18,048 undergraduates and 4,650 graduate students, with priority to students from South Carolina.

Clemson offers a wide array of high quality baccalaureate programs built around a distinctive core curriculum. Graduate and continuing education offerings respond to the professions, while doctoral and research programs contribute to the economic future of the state, nation and world. The University emphasizes agriculture, architecture, business, education, engineering, natural resources, science and technology. The University also promotes excellence in education and scholarship in selected areas of the creative arts, health, human development, the humanities and social sciences. In all areas, the goal is to develop students' communication and critical thinking skills, ethical judgment, global awareness and scientific and technological knowledge. Students remain the primary focus of the University.

## STUDENT ENROLLMENT FALL SEMESTER 2015

	U/G	Mast.	Doct.	Spec	Non-Deg	Total
Ag, Forestry & Life Sciences	3,711	336	173	-	8	4,228
Architecture, Arts & Humanities	1,792	340	49	-	4	2,185
Business & Behavioral Sci.	4,527	572	141	-	23	5,263
Engineering & Science	5,855	922	841	-	23	7,641
Health, Education & Human Dev.	1,320	250	89	-	72	1,731
School of Education	535	410	156	45	231	1,377
Other	-	-	20	-	253	273
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,740</b>	<b>2,830</b>	<b>1,469</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>614</b>	<b>22,698</b>

## DEGREES AWARDED DEC 2014, MAY 2015, & AUG 2015

	U/G	Mast.	Doc	Spec.	Certs	Total
Ag, Forestry & Life Sciences	728	36	157	-	-	921
Architecture, Arts & Humanities	436	10	145	-	28	619
Business & Behavioral Sci.	1,180	19	244	-	52	1,495
Engineering & Science	895	133	424	-	56	1,508
Health & Human Dev.	387	21	89	-	49	546
School of Education	128	19	167	38	15	367
Inter-Discipline		4			3	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,754</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>1,226</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>5,463</b>

## UNIVERSITY EMPLOYEES

	Full Time Regular		Part Time & Temp			Total
	Female	Male	Female	Male	Uncleared	
<b>Faculty</b>						
Instructional	410	724	50	79	-	1,263
Research	3	20	33	82	-	138
Public Service	1	2	-	-	-	3
Librarians	16	11	-	-	-	27
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>161</b>		
<b>Executive/Administrative/Managerial</b>						
w/o Faculty Rank	50	93	6	7	-	156
w/ Faculty Rank	21	44	1	1	-	67
<b>Staff</b>	1,367	1,075	538	433	2	3,415
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,868</b>	<b>1,969</b>	<b>628</b>	<b>602</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5,069</b>

## RACE/ETHNICITY/GENDER

Non-Resident Alien	7%
Hispanic	3%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<1%
Asian	2%
Black or African American	6%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	<1%
White	78%
Two or More Races (non-Hispanic)	2%
Unknown	1%

53% Male, 47% Female

## FULL TIME EQUIVALENTS

Undergraduate *FTE	18,053
Graduate *FTE	3,601
Total Student *FTE	21,654

\*Student FTE are based upon 15 student credit hours (SCH) for undergraduate, 12 SCH for Masters, and 9 SCH for Doctoral

## FALL 2015 FRESHMAN CLASS

Applied	22,396	Average SAT: 1251
Accepted	11,483	Average ACT: 28.5
Enrolled	3,448	

56% graduated in the top 10% of their class  
54% of applicants from SC were accepted to Clemson

## First Time Freshman Retention Cohorts

Cohort:				
2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
90.3%	91.3%	92.0%	92.4%	92.9%

## Cumulative 6 Year Graduation Rate Cohorts

2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
80.4%	81.6%	82.5%	82.3%	80.9%

## STUDENT DISTRIBUTION

	Full Time	Part Time	Total	Age	Average
Freshman	3,244	25	3,269	16-77	18
Sophomore	4,436	62	4,498	17-50	20
Junior	4,132	134	4,266	18-64	21
Senior	5,363	344	5,707	19-61	22
Uncl. U/G	63	213	276	15-68	21
Master's	1,648	1,182	2,830	21-72	28
Doctoral	1,220	249	1,469	21-68	30
Specialists	2	43	45	22-57	38
Uncl. Grad	17	331	338	22-64	39
<b>Total</b>	<b>20,125</b>	<b>2,573</b>	<b>22,698</b>	<b>15-77</b>	<b>22</b>

## 10 LEADING COUNTIES OF ORIGIN

2,793	Greenville
1,173	Charleston
1,155	Anderson
973	Richland
886	York
811	Lexington
804	Spartanburg
754	Pickens
493	Oconee
462	Dorchester

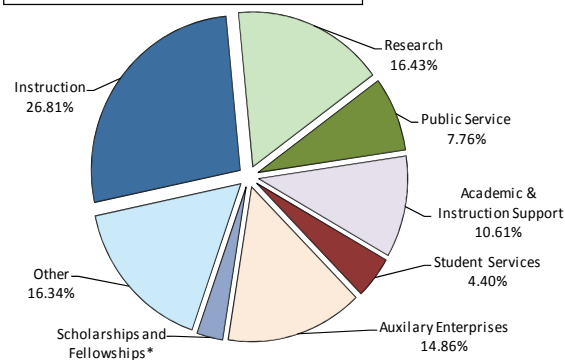
## 10 LEADING STATES OF ORIGIN

13,939	South Carolina
1,219	North Carolina
832	Georgia
550	Virginia
522	New Jersey
467	Maryland
385	Florida
366	Pennsylvania
321	Massachusetts
282	New York

## Entering Class FACTS

299 Freshmen in Calhoun Honors College  
526 of Transfers participated in the Bridge program  
255 SC High Schools  
930 Out-of-State High Schools

## EXPENDITURES FY 2014-15



\* excludes the LIFE Scholarship  
+ taken from the Clemson Annual Financial Report

## TOP 9 FEEDER SCHOOLS FOR TRANSFERS

- Tri-County Tech
- Greenville Tech
- Trident Tech
- College of Charleston
- Spartanburg Com
- Midlands Tech College
- USC-Columbia
- Anderson University
- York Tech College