

# AY 2014 - AY 2017 DEGREES AWARDED AND TOP-TEN DEGREES

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## AUGUST 2017 ACADEMIC PROGRAM SUMMARY



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**AY 2014 - AY 2017**  
**Degrees Awarded and Top-Ten Degrees**

# IHL System

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Certificate	84	75	88	85
Associate's	96	80	66	46
Bachelor's	12,012	12,066	12,516	13,010
Master's	3,344	3,423	3,273	3,336
Specialist	149	168	134	168
Professional	533	493	501	541
Doctoral	462	508	524	574
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,680</b>	<b>16,813</b>	<b>17,102</b>	<b>17,760</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Certificate	55	14	16	24	61
Associate's	32	12	2	4	42
Bachelor's	8,564	3,722	724	5,059	7,951
Master's	2,055	917	364	1,239	2,097
Specialist	50	109	9	31	137
Professional	439	53	49	251	290
Doctoral	314	130	130	269	305
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,509</b>	<b>4,957</b>	<b>1,294</b>	<b>6,877</b>	<b>10,883</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### CIP Degree Program

Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	957
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	699
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	614
Psychology, General - 420101	558
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	527
Accounting - 520301	524
Kinesiology and Exercise Science - 310505	484
Social Work - 440701	450
Marketing/Marketing Management, General - 521401	423
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other - 309999	407

### AY 2017 Degrees

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### CIP Degree Program

Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	381
Nursing - 513899	210
Social Work - 440701	184
Accounting - 520301	172
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services - 131101	111
Curriculum and Instruction - 130301	96
Computer and Information Sciences, General - 110101	89
Public Health, General (MPH, DPH) - 512201	83
Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	75
Geology/Earth Science, General - 400601	68

### AY 2017 Degrees

Note: AY 2017 indicates academic year and includes Summer and Fall 2016, and Spring 2017 terms. Top ten baccalaureate and master's programs reflect the most awarded degrees.

# Alcorn State University

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Associate's	54	34	25	5
Bachelor's	404	348	388	433
Master's	128	118	140	172
Specialist	2	4	7	1
Total	588	504	560	611

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Associate's	2	3	0	0	5
Bachelor's	15	408	10	149	284
Master's	20	120	32	68	104
Specialist	0	1	0	0	1
Total	37	532	42	217	394

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - 240101	72
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	71
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies - 430104	28
Psychology, General - 420101	22
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	21
Social Work - 440701	20
Agriculture, General - 010000	20
Child Development - 190706	19
Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	18
Mass Communication/ Media Studies - 090102	14

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	36
Community College Education - 130407	33
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	22
Computer and Information Sciences, General - 110101	22
Nursing - 513899	18
Military Technologies and Applied Sciences, Other - 299999	13
Agriculture, General - 010000	9
Teacher Education, Multiple Levels - 131206	6
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	6
Biotechnology - 261201	4

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# Delta State University

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Certificate	0	0	0	8
Bachelor's	438	452	499	512
Master's	302	250	241	230
Specialist	62	53	39	55
Doctoral - Res.	6	11	10	20
<b>Total</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>825</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Certificate	5	0	3	7	1
Bachelor's	326	173	13	181	331
Master's	126	79	25	85	145
Specialist	11	40	4	15	40
Doctoral - Res.	13	5	2	5	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>532</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Physical Education Teaching and Coaching - 131314	63
Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	62
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	41
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	34
Family and Consumer Sciences/Human Sciences, General - 190101	34
Business/Commerce, General - 520101	31
Social Work - 440701	27
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	22
Psychology, General - 420101	18
Marketing/Marketing Management, General - 521401	16

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	82
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	33
Aviation/Airway Management and Operations - 490104	21
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services - 131101	21
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching - 131314	16
Nursing - 513899	13
Teacher Education, Multiple Levels - 131206	9
Accounting - 520301	8
Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	5
Science Technologies/Technicians, Other - 419999	5
Special Education and Teaching, General - 131001	5

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

Note: AY 2017 indicates academic year and includes Summer and Fall 2016, and Spring 2017 terms. Top ten baccalaureate and master's programs reflect the most awarded degrees.



# Jackson State University

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Bachelor's	1,093	989	984	942
Master's	424	424	434	391
Specialist	17	19	13	27
Doctoral - Res.	71	80	86	91
Total	1,605	1,512	1,517	1,451

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Bachelor's	64	856	22	318	624
Master's	53	321	17	87	304
Specialist	4	23	0	0	27
Doctoral - Res.	20	61	10	34	57
Total	141	1,261	49	439	1,012

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### CIP Degree Program

Social Work - 440701	112
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	104
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other - 309999	87
Education, Other - 139999	63
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies - 430104	62
Health/Health Care Administration/Management - 510701	56
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	52
Accounting - 520301	45
Physical Education Teaching and Coaching - 131314	35
Psychology, General - 420101	34

### AY 2017 Degrees

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### CIP Degree Program

Social Work - 440701	90
Kindergarten/PreSchool Education and Teaching - 131209	38
Public Health, General (MPH, DPH) - 512201	35
Sport and Fitness Administration/Management - 310504	21
Technology Teacher Education/Industrial Arts Teacher Education - 131309	21
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	19
Vocational Rehabilitation Counseling/Counselor - 512310	19
Teacher Education, Multiple Levels - 131206	18
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services - 131101	17
Engineering, General - 140101	17
Public Administration - 440401	17

### AY 2017 Degrees

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# Mississippi State University

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Bachelor's	3,088	3,046	3,145	3,350
Master's	783	726	695	709
Specialist	18	15	9	22
Doctoral - Prof.	80	80	83	80
Doctoral - Res.	138	146	153	176
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,107</b>	<b>4,013</b>	<b>4,085</b>	<b>4,337</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Bachelor's	2,631	552	167	1,683	1,667
Master's	561	76	72	385	324
Specialist	12	8	2	5	17
Doctoral - Prof.	75	3	2	19	61
Doctoral - Res.	96	23	57	95	81
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,375</b>	<b>662</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>2,187</b>	<b>2,150</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Kinesiology and Exercise Science - 310505	251
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other - 309999	233
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	170
Communication Studies/Speech Communication and Rhetoric - 090101	168
Marketing/Marketing Management, General - 521401	134

Mechanical Engineering - 141901	132
Accounting - 520301	129
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	124
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	121
Psychology, General - 420101	105

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	93
Geology/Earth Science, General - 400601	68
Accounting - 520301	39
Mechanical Engineering - 141901	30
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services - 131101	29
Kinesiology and Exercise Science - 310505	27
Computer and Information Sciences, General - 110101	25
Nutrition Sciences - 301901	24
Aerospace, Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering - 140201	23
Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	23

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# Mississippi State University - Meridian

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Bachelor's	167	165	157	168
Master's	32	34	21	28
Specialist	9	10	8	8
Total	208	209	186	204

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Bachelor's	107	55	6	50	118
Master's	20	7	1	8	20
Specialist	2	5	1	1	7
Total	129	67	8	59	145

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	36
Multi-/Interdisciplinary Studies, Other - 309999	32
Social Work - 440701	23
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	18
Kinesiology and Exercise Science - 310505	13
Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	11
Psychology, General - 420101	10
Criminology - 450401	7
Accounting - 520301	5
History, General - 540101	5

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services - 131101	8
Community College Education - 130407	7
Educational Leadership and Administration, General - 130401	5
Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	4
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	4

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# Mississippi University for Women

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Associate's	42	46	41	41
Bachelor's	616	731	739	731
Master's	74	81	83	104
Doctoral - Res.	5	2	1	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>737</b>	<b>860</b>	<b>864</b>	<b>882</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Associate's	30	9	2	4	37
Bachelor's	476	244	11	95	636
Master's	73	29	2	19	85
Doctoral - Res.	5	1	0	1	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>584</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>763</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	399
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	70
Public Health Education and Promotion - 512207	45
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - 240101	21
Health and Physical Education, General - 310501	20
Culinary Arts and Related Services, Other - 120599	19
Speech-Language Pathology/Pathologist - 510203	18
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	18
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	16
Communication Studies/Speech Communication and Rhetoric - 090101	14

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	33
Health Teacher Education - 131307	23
Speech-Language Pathology/Pathologist - 510203	12
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	11
Educational Leadership and Administration, General - 130401	8
Reading Teacher Education - 131315	6
Acting - 500506	5
Education/Teaching of the Gifted and Talented - 131004	4
Women's Studies - 050207	1
Secondary Education and Teaching - 131205	1

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# Mississippi Valley State University

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Bachelor's	386	324	305	322
Master's	70	106	108	91
Total	456	430	413	413

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Bachelor's	15	302	5	94	228
Master's	3	84	4	17	74
Total	18	386	9	111	302

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Social Work - 440701	64
Kindergarten/PreSchool Education and Teaching - 131209	37
Sport and Fitness Administration/Management - 310504	33
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	29
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	25
Criminal Justice/Safety Studies - 430104	24
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - 240101	20
Public Relations/Image Management - 090902	16
Industrial Technology/Technician - 150612	16
Mathematics, General - 270101	11

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Social Work - 440701	31
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	22
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Administration - 430103	13
Teacher Education, Multiple Levels - 131206	7
Bioinformatics - 261103	6
Environmental Health - 512202	5
Special Education and Teaching, General - 131001	3
Public Administration - 440401	2
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	2

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# University of Mississippi

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Certificate	1	0	0	0
Bachelor's	2,989	3,255	3,394	3,745
Master's	627	666	662	627
Specialist	37	55	49	50
Doctoral - Prof.	228	206	208	236
Doctoral - Res.	96	98	93	82
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,978</b>	<b>4,280</b>	<b>4,406</b>	<b>4,740</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Certificate	0	0	0	0	0
Bachelor's	2,991	456	298	1,571	2,174
Master's	498	64	65	277	350
Specialist	18	31	1	8	42
Doctoral - Prof.	185	28	23	107	129
Doctoral - Res.	43	14	25	45	37
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,735</b>	<b>593</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>2,008</b>	<b>2,732</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

General Studies - 240102	253
Accounting - 520301	228
Finance, General - 520801	223
Marketing/Marketing Management, General - 521401	203
Psychology, General - 420101	194
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	191
Digital Communication and Media/Multimedia - 090702	189
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	168
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Administration - 430103	154
Kinesiology and Exercise Science - 310505	147

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Curriculum and Instruction - 130301	91
Accounting - 520301	90
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	83
Engineering Science - 141301	36
Higher Education/Higher Education Administration - 130406	34
Audiology/Audiologist and Speech-Language Pathology - 510204	31
Journalism - 090401	26
Counselor Education/School Counseling and Guidance Services - 131101	23
Foreign Languages, Literatures, and Linguistics, Other - 169999	22
Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement Administration - 430103	21

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# University of Mississippi Medical Center

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Certificate	15	14	21	16
Bachelor's	406	404	432	427
Master's	176	224	246	265
Doctoral - Prof.	225	207	210	225
Doctoral - Res.	24	22	39	43
<b>Total</b>	<b>846</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>948</b>	<b>976</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Certificate	10	4	2	2	14
Bachelor's	326	77	24	68	359
Master's	204	34	27	54	211
Doctoral - Prof.	179	22	24	125	100
Doctoral - Res.	31	6	6	19	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>708</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	312
Radiologic Technology/Science ? Radiographer - 510911	42
Dental Hygiene/Hygienist - 510602	25
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences, Other - 519999	23
Clinical Laboratory Science/Medical Technology - 511005	19
Health Information/Medical Records Administration - 510706	6

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Nursing - 513899	135
Biological and Biomedical Sciences, Other - 269999	61
Occupational Therapy/Therapist - 512306	34
Health Information/Medical Records Administration - 510706	13
Health/Health Care Administration/Management - 510701	10
Nuclear Medical Technology/Technologist - 510905	5
Magnetic Resonance Imaging(MRI) Technology/Technician - 510920	5
Materials Engineering - 141801	1
Pathology/Experimental Pathology - 260910	1

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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# University of Southern Mississippi

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Certificate	62	60	67	61
Bachelor's	1,986	1,903	2,062	1,948
Master's	656	666	604	661
Specialist	2	11	9	5
Doctoral - Res.	108	137	133	142
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,814</b>	<b>2,777</b>	<b>2,875</b>	<b>2,817</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Certificate	40	10	11	15	46
Bachelor's	1,303	522	123	716	1,232
Master's	464	94	103	211	450
Specialist	3	1	1	2	3
Doctoral - Res.	96	19	27	60	82
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,906</b>	<b>646</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>1,004</b>	<b>1,813</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	118
Psychology, General - 420101	116
Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202	94
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	89
Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101	86

Kinesiology and Exercise Science - 310505	73
Journalism - 090401	62
Architectural Engineering Technology/Technician - 150101	57
English Language and Literature, General - 230101	57
Liberal Arts and Sciences/Liberal Studies - 240101	56

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Social Work - 440701	49
Public Health, General (MPH, DPH) - 512201	48
Library Science/Librarianship - 250101	44
Nursing - 513899	44
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	33

Audiology/Audiologist and Speech-Language Pathology - 510204	30
Accounting - 520301	25
Educational Leadership and Administration, General - 130401	24
Psychology, General - 420101	23
Music, General - 500901	23
Computer and Information Sciences, General - 110101	23

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# University of Southern Mississippi - Gulf Park

## Total Degrees Awarded

	AY 2014	AY 2015	AY 2016	AY 2017
Certificate	6	1	0	0
Bachelor's	439	449	411	432
Master's	72	128	39	58
Specialist	2	1	0	0
Doctoral - Res.	14	12	9	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>504</b>

## AY 2017 Degrees Awarded by Ethnicity and Gender

	White	Black	Other	Male	Female
Certificate	0	0	0	0	0
Bachelor's	310	77	45	134	298
Master's	33	9	16	28	30
Specialist	0	0	0	0	0
Doctoral - Res.	10	1	3	10	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>332</b>

## Top Ten Bachelor's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Nursing/Registered Nurse (RN,ASN,BSN,MSN) - 513801	48
Psychology, General - 420101	46
Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	42
Accounting - 520301	31
Social Work - 440701	30

Family Systems - 190704

Elementary Education and Teaching - 131202

Biology/Biological Sciences, General - 260101

Public Health, General (MPH, DPH) - 512201

Music Management - 501003

English Language and Literature, General - 230101

Marketing/Marketing Management, General - 521401

### **AY 2017 Degrees**

## Top Ten Master's Degrees

### **CIP Degree Program**

Business Administration and Management, General - 520201	16
Social Work - 440701	14
Computer and Information Sciences, General - 110101	14
Marine Biology and Biological Oceanography - 261302	7
Human Resources Development - 521005	4

Political Science and Government, General - 451001

Oceanography, Chemical and Physical - 400607

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### **AY 2017 Degrees**

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Note: AY 2017 indicates academic year and includes Summer and Fall 2016, and Spring 2017 terms. Top ten baccalaureate and master's programs reflect the most awarded degrees.

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**Academic Program Summary**

## Definition of Terms

The academic degrees and their descriptions are listed below:

AS	Associate in Science	BSGE	Bachelor of Science in Geological Engineering	MD	Doctor of Medicine
ASN	Associate in Science in Nursing	BSIS	Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies	MEd	Master of Education
AuD	Doctor of Audiology	BSJC	Bachelor of Science in Social Justice & Criminology	MENG	Master of Engineering
BA	Bachelor of Arts	BSME	Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering	MFA	Master of Fine Arts
BACcy	Bachelor of Accountancy	BSN	Bachelor of Science in Nursing	MHS	Master of Health Sciences
BAEd	Bachelor of Arts in Education	BSW	Bachelor of Social Work	MLA	Master of Landscape Architecture
BAJ	Bachelor of Arts in Journalism	CP	Certificate Program	MLIS	Master of Library and Information Science
BArch	Bachelor of Architecture	DA	Doctor of Arts	MM	Master of Music
BAS	Bachelor of Applied Science	DHA	Doctor of Health Administration	MMEd	Master of Music Education
BAT	Bachelor of Applied Technology	DMA	Doctor of Musical Arts	MOT	Master of Occupational Therapy
BBA	Bachelor of Business Administration	DMD	Doctor of Dental Medicine	MPA	Master of Professional Accountancy
BCA	Bachelor of Commercial Aviation	DNP	Doctor of Nursing Practice	MPAC	Master of Professional Accountancy
BE	Bachelor of Engineering	DPH	Doctor of Public Health	MPAS	Master of Physician's Assistant Studies
BFA	Bachelor of Fine Arts	DPT	Doctor of Physical Therapy	MPH	Master of Public Health
BGS	Bachelor of General Studies	DVM	Doctor of Veterinary Medicine	MPPA	Master of Public Policy and Administration
BIS	Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies	EdD	Doctor of Education	MS	Master of Science
BLA	Bachelor of Landscape Architecture	EdS	Specialist in Education	MSEd	Master of Science in Education
BLS	Bachelor of Liberal Studies	EMBA	Executive Master of Business Administration	MSES	Master of Science in Exercise Science
BM	Bachelor of Music	JD	Doctor of Jurisprudence	MSIS	Master of Science in Information Systems
BMEd	Bachelor of Music Education	LLM	Master of Laws	MSIT	Master of Science in Instructional Technology
BPS	Bachelor of Paralegal Studies	MA	Master of Arts	MSJC	Masters of Science in Soc. Justice & Criminology
BS	Bachelor of Science	MABM	Master of Agribusiness Management	MSN	Master of Science in Nursing
BSBA	Bachelor of Science in Business Administration	MAccy	Master of Accountancy	MSNS	Master of Science in Natural Science
BSCE	Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering	MALS	Master of Arts in Liberal Studies	MST	Master of Science in Teaching
BSchE	Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering	MAS	Master of Applied Science	MSW	Master of Social Work
BSCJ	Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice	MAT	Master of Arts in Teaching	MTx	Master of Taxation
BSCS	Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	MATL	Master of Arts in Teaching of Languages	OTD	Doctor of Occupational Therapy
BSEd	Bachelor of Science in Education	MBA	Master of Business Administration	PharmD	Doctor of Pharmacy
BSEE	Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering	MCA	Master of Commercial Aviation	PhD	Doctor of Philosophy
BSES	Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science	MCJ	Master of Criminal Justice		

Alcorn State University (ASU)  
 Delta State University (DSU)  
 Jackson State University (JSU)  
 Mississippi State University (MSU)  
 Mississippi University for Women (MUW)

Mississippi Valley State University (MVSU)  
 University of Mississippi (UM)  
 University of Mississippi Medical Center (UMMC)  
 University of Southern Mississippi (USM)

## Academic Program Summary A

Degree Level	ASU	DSU	MUW	MVSU	JSU	MSU	UM	UMMC	USM	Total
Certificate	0	8	0	1	0	6	4	12	32	63
Associate's	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Bachelor's	29	38	36	25	46	85	80	7	81	427
Master's	12	17	11	11	36	63	43	12	58	263
Specialist	1	3	0	0	2	1	3	0	1	11
Doctoral - Professional	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	6
Doctoral - Research	0	2	1	0	13	34	23	13	26	112
Total:	43	68	49	37	97	190	155	47	198	884

## Academic Program Summary B

Degree Level	ASU	DSU	MUW	MVSU	JSU	MSU	UM	UMMC	USM	Total
Certificate	0	7	0	1	0	6	4	12	26	56
Associate's	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Bachelor's	29	35	26	25	42	77	71	7	72	384
Master's	12	16	11	11	35	58	38	12	50	243
Specialist	1	3	0	0	2	1	3	0	1	11
Doctoral - Professional	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	6
Doctoral - Research	0	2	1	0	13	34	21	13	24	108
Total:	43	63	39	37	92	177	139	47	173	810

For a listing of active degree programs by institution see: [http://www.mississippi.edu/research/downloads/api\\_admin.xlsx](http://www.mississippi.edu/research/downloads/api_admin.xlsx)

Note: Summary A contains more degrees because it counts each degree separately. Summary B contains fewer degrees because it groups each degree by level. For instance, a B.S. and a B.A. are counted as two separate bachelor's degrees in Summary A, but are only counted as one bachelor's degree in Summary B. A Ph.D. and Ed.D. are counted as two different doctoral degrees in Summary A, but are only counted as one doctoral degree in Summary B.