

DIVERSITY at MAC

FROM 2000 TO 2017



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135%

More Students of Color

The number of U.S. students of color has grown 135%: from 210 to 494. In 2000, they were 12% of all students; they now comprise 23% of students. From 2000-2017, Mac's student body grew by 19%.

41%

More International Students

The number of international students has grown 41%: from 235 to 332. In 2000, they were 13% of Mac students; they now comprise 16% of all students.

52%

More Faculty of Color

The number of full-time U.S. faculty of color has grown 52%: from 29 to 44. In 2000, they were 19% of full-time faculty; they now are 24% of full-time faculty. From 2000-2017, the faculty grew by 25%.

More Female Faculty

47%

The number of full-time faculty who are women has grown 47%: from 66 to 97. In 2000, they were 44% of faculty; they are now 52%.

Valuing Diversity

71%

of our first-year students say that "helping to promote racial understanding" is very important or essential to them.



High Retention Rates

93%

From 2008-2017, the retention rate for students of color averages 93% while the retention rate for all students averages 94%.

Successful Students

Six-year graduation rates
(2008-2017)

88%

Mac's overall
graduation rate

84%

average graduation rate of
our U.S. students of color

91%

average graduation rate of
our international students

89%

average graduation rate of
our lower-income students
(2010-2017)