

Academic Doctoral Degrees Awarded to Graduates by Academic Discipline, 1966-2014

NSF Survey of Earned Doctorates - Detailed Academic Disciplines

Carleton College

NSF Detailed Academic Disciplines	# of Carleton College Degrees	% of Carleton College Degrees	Carleton College Rank (among 590 Baccalaureate Colleges)	Carleton College Rank (among 2,700 U.S. Colleges / Universities)
Biological Sciences	551	17.1%	2	69
Chemistry	262	8.1%	1	37
Psychology	242	7.5%	13	140
Earth Sciences	208	6.4%	1	3
English and Literature	205	6.3%	9	59
Physics	185	5.7%	2	43
History	172	5.3%	4	35
Non-Science Education	166	5.1%	38	406
Economics	117	3.6%	4	51
Mathematics and Statistics	116	3.6%	6	57
Political Science and Public Administration	104	3.2%	12	75
Other Humanities	103	3.2%	1	21
Arts and Music	94	2.9%	12	69
Foreign Languages	67	2.1%	11	73
Sociology	64	2.0%	8	81
Anthropology	57	1.8%	13	78
Astronomy	54	1.7%	1	24
Agricultural Sciences	53	1.6%	4	93
Religion and Theology	50	1.5%	15	65
Other Social Sciences	40	1.2%	9	99
Computer Science	38	1.2%	7	86
Business and Management	34	1.1%	9	206
Medical Sciences	32	1.0%	9	117
Area and Ethnic Studies	27	0.8%	5	31
Oceanography	25	0.8%	2	42
Communication and Librarianship	19	0.6%	10	174
Materials Engineering	18	0.6%	5	95
Linguistics	18	0.6%	10	74
Other Engineering	16	0.5%	13	199
Atmospheric Sciences	13	0.4%	1	51
Electrical Engineering	13	0.4%	20	230
Mechanical Engineering	10	0.3%	16	211
Social Service Professions	10	0.3%	26	197
History of Science	9	0.3%	3	22
Other Life Sciences	6	0.2%	124	667
Chemical Engineering	5	0.2%	18	188
Civil Engineering	4	0.1%	26	254
Science Education	4	0.1%	23	251
Social Science Education	3	0.1%	8	90
Industrial Engineering	3	0.1%	13	165
Law	2	0.1%	6	53
Aerospace Engineering	1	0.0%	32	240
All Carleton College Degrees	3229	100.0%	2	103

Source: National Science Foundation. Survey of Earned Doctorates / Baccalaureate Origins retrieved from WebCASPAR (<https://webcaspar.nsf.gov/>). Most recent data as of March 2016.

Notes: Rank places are skipped after ties. Institutions with no degrees in this period are not ranked.

Disciplines with few degrees (low Ns) may have many ties.

NSF did not collect/report degrees in several disciplines for the complete period.

