Applicant, Admission and Arrival Patterns at UVic Fall, 2005

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Undergraduate Applicant, Admission and Arrival Patterns at UVic – Fall, 2005.

The following report describes the undergraduate applicant, admission and arrival patterns for the 2005/2006 academic year.

A total of 12,108 prospective students applied for Fall 2005 admission. Offers of admission were extended to 8,314 applicants who met the admissions cut-off approved by the VP Academic and Provost. Of those admitted applicants, 4,276 students accepted the offer of admission and registered in classes in the winter term. This translates to 3,464.9 new full-time equivalent (FTE) students.

For September 2005 admission to the Faculties of the Humanities, Social Sciences, and Science, the University of Victoria set its cut-off for secondary students at 76%; this is down from a cut-off of 80% for September 2004 admission. Admissions cut-off for post-secondary transfer students was set at 65%, down from 71% in 2004.

As in previous years, the majority of registrants (59.4%) are female and more than half are aged 19 or younger with a mean age of 21.5 years. Canadian citizens comprised 86.6% of all registrants, followed by Asia and the Pacific Rim (5.3%), Europe and the Middle East (3.7%) and the rest of the Americas (2.2%).

Fifty-two percent of our new registrants applied for entry with a secondary school credential, and forty-two percent with a post-secondary credential. The academic performance of new entrants this year was 83.8% mean GPA for secondary registrants, and 76.9% mean GPA for post-secondary registrants.

Yield rates

The key yield rate of Arrivals per Admission is up slightly from last year at 51.4% (compared to 50.0% in Fall 2004). Total undergraduate applications increased only slightly from 2004, but almost ten percent more applicants were granted admission than in 2004.

Table One:

Demographic Characteristics of Fall 2005 Total Applicants, Admitted Applicants and Arriving Students (Undergraduate)

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		All		mitted	Arriving		
	Appl	licants	App	olicants	Students		
Demographic Characteristics							
Gender	N	%	N	%	N	%	
female	6,895	56.9	4,882	58.7	2,539	59.4	
male	5,213	43.1	3,432	41.3	1,737	40.6	
Total	12,108		8,314		4,276		
Age (at Dec. 31/03)	N	%	N	%	N	%	
age less than 18	183	1.5	143	1.7	54	1.3	
age 18	5,619	46.4	4,265	51.3	1,717	40.2	
age 19	1,735	14.3	1,087	13.1	547	12.8	
age 20	996	8.2	582	7.0	362	8.5	
age 21	770	6.4	447	5.4	301	7.0	
age 22	599	4.9	378	4.5	258	6.0	
age 23	479	4.0	292	3.5	221	5.2	
age 24	319	2.6	196	2.4	150	3.5	
age 25 to 29	769	6.4	475	5.7	331	7.7	
age 30 to 34	251	2.1	168	2.0	125	2.9	
age 35 to 39	154	1.3	109	1.3	87	2.0	
age 40 or more	228	1.9	172	2.1	123	2.9	
	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	
mean age (overall)		20.6		20.5		21.5	
mean age (male)		20.4		20.1		20.9	
mean age (female)		20.8		20.8		21.8	
number	12,108		8,314		4,276		
Country of Citizenship							
Country of Chiladelians	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Canada	9,842	81.3	7,036	84.6	3,703	86.6	
Hong Kong	112	0.9	55	0.7	17	0.4	
Taiwan	184	1.5	96	1.2	32	0.7	
Other Asia/Pac. Rim	1,067	8.8	538	6.5	228	5.3	
Europe/Mideast	352	2.9	258	3.1	157	3.7	
Africa	171	1.4	74	0.9	32	0.7	
Rest of Americas	346	2.9	237	2.9	92	2.2	
Unknown	34	0.3	20	0.2	15	0.4	
Total	12,108		8,314		4,276		

Table Two:

Demographic Characteristics of Fall 2005 Total Applicants, Admitted Applicants and Arriving Students (Undergraduate)

	All		Admitt	ed	Arrivin	g
	Applica	nts	Applicants		Students	
Educational Characteristic						
Applicant Type						
Secondary	N	%	N	%	N	%
Current BC Secondary	5,034	41.6	3,863	46.5	1,577	36.9
Previous BC Secondary	519	4.3	309	3.7	205	4.8
Other Secondary (non-BC)	2,050	16.9	1,262	15.2	446	10.4
subtotal secondary	7,603		5,434		2,228	
Post Secondary						
BC College	2,107	16.7	1,382	15.8	1,019	23.0
BC University	220	2.5	131	2.4	100	3.2
Other post-secondary (non-BC)	1,869	15.4	1,090	13.1	681	15.9
subtotal post-secondary	4,196		2,603		1,800	
Other/special	307	2.5	276	3.3	247	5.8
Total Applicant Type	12,106		8,313		4,275	
Academic Performance		%		%		%
Secondary average (mean)		82.2		84.3		83.8
Post-secondary average (mean)		71.6		77.2		76.9
Previous Institution						
Out of Country	N	%	N	%	N	%
Secondary	535	4.4	308	3.7	86	2.0
Post Secondary	1,005	8.3	653	7.9	398	9.3
subtotal	1,540	12.7	961	11.6	484	11.3
Out of Province						
Secondary	151	1.2	86	1.0	34	0.8
Alberta	556	4.6	338	4.1	164	3.8
Ontario	494	4.1	333	4.0	97	2.3
subtotal	1,201	9.9	757	9.1	295	6.9
Post Secondary	531	4.4	290	3.5	188	4.4
Atlantic University	94	0.8	58	0.7	36	0.8
Quebec University	73	0.6	44	0.5	28	0.7
Ontario University	275	2.3	176	2.1	117	2.7
Man/Sask University	91	0.8	52	0.6	41	1.0
Alberta University	271	2.2	177	2.1	111	2.6
subtotal	1,335	11.0	797	9.6	521	12.2

Table Two (continued):

Educational Characteristics of Fall 2005 Total Applicants, Admitted Applicants and Arriving Students (Undergraduate)

	All Applica	nts	Admitt Applica		Arriving Students		
Educational Characteristic	1.						
Previous Institution (continued)	_						
	N	%	N	%	N	%	
BC secondary unknown	55	0.5	28	0.3	N 7	0.2	
Camosun region	1,034	8.5	845	10.2	612	14.3	
Capilano region	620	5.1	477	5.7	158	3.7	
Cariboo region	83	0.7	73	0.9	29	0.7	
Douglas region	539	4.5	380	4.6	62	1.4	
E. Kootenay region	79	0.7	61	0.7	31	0.7	
Fraser Valley region	152	1.3	112	1.3	48	1.1	
Kwantlen region	951	7.9	651	7.8	221	5.2	
Malaspina region	429	3.5	341	4.1	183	4.3	
New Caledonia region	58	0.5	45	0.5	22	0.5	
North Island region	213	1.8	172	2.1	112	2.6	
Northern Lights region	20	0.2	14	0.2	6	0.1	
Northwest region	53	0.4	41	0.5	25	0.6	
Okanagan region	313	2.6	234	2.8	108	2.5	
Selkirk region	21	0.2	17	0.2	7	0.2	
VCC region	903	7.5	651	7.8	130	3.0	
subtotal	5,523	45.6	4,142	49.8	1,761	41.2	
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BC college	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Kootenay School of Art	3	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Trinity Western College	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
Coquitlam College	39	0.3	16	0.2	10	0.2	
Columbia College	58	0.5	28	0.3	11	0.3	
Lester Pearson College	2	0.0	2	0.0	0	0.0	
Yukon College	9	0.1	5	0.1	4	0.1	
Kwantlen University College	152	1.3	80	1.0	55	1.3	
Vancouver Community College	26	0.2	14	0.2	6	0.1	
Langara College	239	2.0	133	1.6	79	1.8	
Camosun College	591	4.9	487	5.9	428	10.0	
North Island College	55	0.5	41	0.5	30	0.7	
College of the Rockies	32	0.3	24	0.3	21	0.5	
Northwest College	17	0.1	12	0.1	9	0.2	
Northern Lights College	18	0.1	17	0.2	11	0.3	
Emily Carr C of Art & Design	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	
BCIT	27	0.2	25	0.3	17	0.4	
Selkirk College	52	0.4	36	0.4	26	0.6	
Okanagan University College	90	0.7	58	0.7	47	1.1	
Capilano College	173	1.4	105	1.3	67	1.6	
College of New Caledonia	21	0.2	13	0.2	10	0.2	
Malaspina University-College	260	2.1	165	2.0	117	2.7	
University College of the Cariboo	79	0.7	41	0.5	24	0.6	
Douglas College UC of the Fraser Valley	146	1.2	80	1.0	57	1.3	
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Other	23	0.2	16	0.2	13	0.3	
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BC university	N 407	%	N	%	N	%	
UBC	137	1.1	92	1.1	66	1.5	
SFU	67	0.6	42	0.5	28	0.7	
other	100	0.8	63 197	0.8	43	1.0	
subtotal	304	2.5		2.4	137	3.2	
Total	12,108		8,314		4,276		

Table Three:

Demographic Characteristics of Fall 2005 Total Applicants, Admitted Applicants and Arriving Students (Undergraduate)

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Mar 05 782 6.5			
Apr 05 552 4.6			
May 05 421 3.5			
Jun 05 245 2.0			
after Jun 05 209 1.7			
Total 12,108			
Admission Status N %			
admitted 8,314 68.7			
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Table Three (continued):

Application Characteristics of Fall 2005 Total Applicants, Admitted Applicants and Arriving Students (Undergraduate)

			All icants	Admi Applic			iving dents
Application Chara	Application Characteristic						
BC Current Secon applied to	ndary Humanities Science Social Sciences	977 1,303	% 19.6 26.1 37.7				
	Engineering Fine Arts Total	1,880 477 353 4,990	9.6 7.1				
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applied to	Humanities Science Social Sciences Business Education Engineering Fine Arts HSD	667 486 1,222 226 183 343 346 619	15.9 11.6 29.1 5.4 4.4 8.2 8.2 14.7				
	Law (see Notes) Total	106 4,198	2.5				
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	Education Engineering Fine Arts HSD	130 124 699 616	70.3 11.6 71.5 86.9	52 80 397 403	75.4 12.1 74.1 87.4	48 40 229 305	75.0 13.7 72.2 89.4
	Law (see Notes) Total	81 1,246	63.3	79 996	62.7	77 404	64.2

Table Four:	
Fall 2005 Applicant Yield Summary (Undergraduate)	Page 1

					Admissions/	Arrivers/	FTE/	Arrivers/	FTE/
4 (1 5 - 04 (5 5)	Applicants	Admits	Arrivers	FTE	Applicant	Applicant	Applicant	Admission	Arriver
Age (at Dec. 31/05)									
<18	183	143	54	48.2	0.781	0.295	0.264	0.378	0.893
18	5,619	4,265	1,717	1568.9	0.759	0.306	0.279	0.403	0.914
19	1,735	1,087	547	469.0	0.627	0.315	0.270	0.503	0.857
20	996	582	362	289.4	0.584	0.363	0.291	0.622	0.799
21	770	447	301	229.1	0.581	0.391	0.297	0.673	0.761
22	599	378	258	203.3	0.631	0.431	0.339	0.683	0.788
23	479	292	221	164.3	0.610	0.461	0.343	0.757	0.743
24	319	196	150	106.7	0.614	0.470	0.334	0.765	0.711
25-29	769	475	331	225.7	0.618	0.430	0.294	0.697	0.682
30-34	251	168	125	65.5	0.669	0.498	0.261	0.744	0.524
35-39	154	109	87	41.4	0.708	0.565	0.269	0.798	0.476
<u>≥</u> 40	228	172	123	53.5	0.754	0.539	0.234	0.715	0.435
Gender									
female	6,895	4,882	2,539	2022.7	0.708	0.368	0.293	0.520	0.797
male	5,213	3,432	1,737	1442.2	0.658	0.333	0.277	0.506	0.830
Basis of Admission									
BCCUR	5,034	3,863	1,577	1437.2	0.767	0.313	0.285	0.408	0.911
BCGRD	519	309	205	170.9	0.595	0.395	0.329	0.663	0.834
other secondary	2,050	1,262	446	394.1	0.616	0.218	0.192	0.353	0.884
BCCOL	2,107	1,382	1,019	760.5	0.656	0.484	0.361	0.737	0.746
BCUNI	220	131	100	71.1	0.595	0.455	0.323	0.763	0.711
Associate	49	36	22	17.3	0.735	0.449	0.353	0.611	0.786
other post-secondary	1,869	1,090	681	490.5	0.583	0.364	0.262	0.625	0.720
other	307	276	247	123.3	0.899	0.805	0.402	0.895	0.499
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Faculty									
Humanities	2,123	1,596	872	718.3	0.752	0.411	0.338	0.546	0.824
Science	2,335	1,809	754	639.7	0.775	0.323	0.274	0.417	0.848
Social Sciences	4,283	2,921	1,406	1158.1	0.682	0.328	0.274	0.417	0.824
Business	299	133	109	63.3	0.445	0.365	0.210	0.481	0.524
Education	185	69	64	64.5	0.443	0.346	0.212	0.820	1.008
		662	293	265.7	0.620	0.346	0.349	0.928	0.907
Engineering	1,068 977								
Fine Arts	-	536	317	280.0	0.549	0.324	0.287	0.591	0.883
HSD	709	461	341	166.7	0.650	0.481	0.235	0.740	0.489
Law (see Notes)	128	126	120	108.5	0.984	0.938	0.848	0.952	0.904

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Fall 2005 Applicant Yield Summary (Undergraduate)

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Citizenship									
Canadian	9,842	7,036	3,703	3075.0	0.715	0.376	0.312	0.526	0.830
Other/Unknown	2,266	1,278	573	389.9	0.564	0.253	0.172	0.448	0.680
Secondary Average									
<65%	111	1	1	0.8					
65-66.99%	62	0	0	0.0					
67-69.99%	193	7	6	5.2	0.036	0.031	0.027	0.857	0.872
70%	93	10	10	7.9	0.108	0.108	0.085	1.000	0.793
71%	97	7	4	3.9	0.072	0.041	0.041	0.571	0.983
72%	123	13	10	8.5	0.106	0.081	0.069	0.769	0.850
73%	133	24	17	13.5	0.180	0.128	0.102	0.708	0.796
74%	138	41	34	27.6	0.297	0.246	0.200	0.829	0.813
75%	180	159	66	55.4	0.883	0.367	0.308	0.415	0.839
76%	213	191	87	69.8	0.897	0.408	0.328	0.455	0.803
77%	218	201	102	88.2	0.922	0.468	0.405	0.507	0.865
78%	248	239	109	92.3	0.964	0.440	0.372	0.456	0.847
79%	264	248	105	89.7	0.939	0.398	0.340	0.423	0.854
80%	343	324	146	128.3	0.945	0.426	0.374	0.451	0.879
81%	311	294	147	131.0	0.945	0.473	0.421	0.500	0.891
82%	314	295	137	122.3	0.939	0.436	0.389	0.464	0.893
83%	315	304	119	107.9	0.965	0.378	0.342	0.391	0.906
84%	336	315	129	118.2	0.938	0.384	0.352	0.410	0.917
85%	319	301	112	104.4	0.944	0.351	0.327	0.372	0.932
86%	317	306	95	88.5	0.965	0.300	0.279	0.310	0.932
87%	284	274	118	109.8	0.965	0.415	0.387	0.431	0.931
88%	271	257	97	91.1	0.948	0.358	0.336	0.377	0.939
89%	236	228	94	90.7	0.966	0.398	0.384	0.412	0.965
90% or more	885	861	328	320.6	0.973	0.371	0.362	0.381	0.977

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Fall 2005 Applicant Yield Summary (Undergraduate)

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	Applicants	Admits	Arrivers	FTE	Applicant	Applicant	Applicant	Admission	Arriver
Post-Secondary Average									
<60%	151	7	5	3.0	0.046	0.033	0.020	0.714	0.603
60-64.99%	164	17	13	8.4	0.104	0.079	0.051	0.765	0.646
65%	118	83	66	49.9	0.703	0.559	0.423	0.795	0.757
66%	124	92	73	56.0	0.742	0.589	0.451	0.793	0.766
67%	158	127	94	73.2	0.804	0.595	0.463	0.740	0.778
68%	152	133	88	62.4	0.875	0.579	0.410	0.662	0.709
69%	179	162	118	84.7	0.905	0.659	0.473	0.728	0.718
70%	138	130	86	68.6	0.942	0.623	0.497	0.662	0.798
71%	130	130	71	51.3	1.000	0.546	0.394	0.546	0.722
72%	128	122	82	63.1	0.953	0.641	0.493	0.672	0.770
73%	125	120	69	52.8	0.960	0.552	0.423	0.575	0.765
74%	113	108	74	58.3	0.956	0.655	0.516	0.685	0.788
75%	127	124	82	63.4	0.976	0.646	0.499	0.661	0.773
76%	126	123	82	60.0	0.976	0.651	0.477	0.667	0.732
77%	124	118	71	58.1	0.952	0.573	0.468	0.602	0.818
78%	115	115	82	68.2	1.000	0.713	0.593	0.713	0.832
79%	100	100	66	54.4	1.000	0.660	0.544	0.660	0.824
80-84.99%	330	329	231	188.3	0.997	0.700	0.571	0.702	0.815
85% or more	106	104	70	48.5	0.981	0.660	0.457	0.673	0.693
Geographic Location									
Outside Canada	1,540	961	484	314.7	0.624	0.314	0.204	0.504	0.650
Outside BC	2,545	1,559	820	647.1	0.613	0.322	0.254	0.526	0.789
Vancouver Island	2,583	2,051	1,482	1250.3	0.794	0.574	0.484	0.723	0.844
Greater Vancouver	3,563	2,503	806	676.1	0.702	0.226	0.190	0.322	0.839
Rest of Southern BC	1,089	758	395	346.6	0.696	0.363	0.318	0.521	0.877
Northern BC	187	142	83	76.4	0.759	0.444	0.409	0.585	0.921
Unknown/Unspec. BC	601	340	206	153.8	0.566	0.343	0.256	0.606	0.747
Total	12,108	8,314	4,276	3464.9	0.687	0.353	0.286	0.514	0.810

Table Five:

A Comparison of Selected Fall 2001 to Fall 2005 Application, Admission and Arrival Indicators

Indicator	Fall 2001	Fall 2002	Fall 2003	Fall 2004	Fall 2005	2004-2005 Change
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Total undergraduate applications to UVic	11821	11992	12861	12054	12108	0.4 %
BCCUR/BCGRD applications to UVic	5722	5606	5,640	5,479	5,553	1.4 %
BCCOL applications to UVic	2524	2345	2,358	2,157	2,107	-2.3 %
UVic applicants aged 18 or 19	55.9 %	57.0 %	57.6 %	58.5 %	60.7 %	2.3
Average age of UVic applicants	21.1	20.9	20.8	20.7	20.6	-0.1
Female applicants as percentage of total applicants	56.5 %	57.4 %	57.8 %	56.3 %	56.9 %	0.6
Canadian citizens as percentage of total applicants	83.9 %	83.5 %	81.9 %	79.7 %	81.3 %	1.6
Mean admission average of applicants (secondary)	80.1	80.4	82.2 %	82.7 %	82.2 %	-0.5
Mean admission average of applicants (post-secondary)	70.5	70.6	70.6	71.6	71.6	0.0
BC Secondary admission cutoff	76.0 %	81.0 %	81.0 %	80.0 %	76.0 %	-4.0 %
BC Post-secondary admission cutoff	71.0 %	73.0 %	71.0	71.0	65.0	-6.0 %
Percent of all applicants applying to Arts and Sciences	70.4 %	67.2 %	71.1 %	70.6 %	72.2 %	1.6 %
Percent of BCCUR applicants applying to Arts and Sciences	81.8 %	74.3 %	80.3	80.0	83.4	3.3
Percent of BCCOL applicants applying to Arts and Sciences	56 %	54.4 %	58.3	56.3	56.6	0.3
Applicant yield rates:						
Admissions per applicant	0.574	0.476818	0.556	0.589	0.687	0.097
Arrivals per applicant	0.329	0.26993	0.295	0.295	0.353	0.058
FTE per applicant	0.253	0.210455	0.229	0.237	0.286	0.049
Arrivals per admission	0.574	0.566107	0.530	0.500	0.514	0.014
FTE per arriver (overall)	0.768	0.779666	0.776	0.804	0.810	0.006
FTE per arriver (BCCUR)	0.862	0.900	0.891	0.917	0.911	-0.005
FTE per arriver (BCCOL)	0.737	0.74195	0.735	0.711	0.746	0.036

Note: The "Change" column shows percentage changes (for raw "volumes" entries) and absolute changes (for entries that are already in percentage or rate format)

Notes to Tables One to Five

- In Tables One to Four, applicants are defined as having entry points of September 2005 and a "U1" (undergraduate) application status. Admitted applicants are defined by the admission field on ISIS. Arriving applicants are those who were registered in one or more 2005/06 winter session units as at September 15, 2005. The number of arriving applicants does not reconcile exactly with IA registration statistics because this analysis includes only students with September 2005 entry points.
- All discussions of "secondary averages" include only those applicants whose admission was based on that average (i.e. BCCUR, BCGRD, other secondary) and who had valid data; other applicants with valid secondary average entries were excluded. Similarly, "post-secondary averages" include only BCCOL, BCUNI and other post-secondary applicants with valid data.
- Total applicant data for the Faculty of Law are not available on ISIS; only admitted and arriving applicant data are available. Tables Three and Four therefore exclude or limit Faculty of Law data. Stated applicant volumes (n=12,108) are therefore lower than actual by the unreported Law applications.
- The calculation of FTE values involved minor estimation in some cases. For the University overall, and within each faculty, FTE estimation is within .5 percent of actual data (as at September 15).
- 5 Applicant ages are calculated as the age at December 31, 2005.
- 6 The "previous institution" field captures the most recently attended institution.
- 7 The source for all tables is the September 15/2005 IA download of ISIS.