

# POLY VIEW FALL 2018

## APPLICATIONS

**66,866**



**TOTAL**

An increase of 15% from last year.

**54,663**



**FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN**

An increase of 13% from last year.

**10,923**



**NEW TRANSFER**

An increase of 31% from last year

**New Enrolled First-Time Freshmen**




- Average High School GPA** **4.0**
- Average SAT Math\*** **674**
- Average SAT Reading/Writing\*** **655**
- Average ACT Composite** **28.9**

**>Record - high average HS GPA<**

\*SAT Evidence Based Reading & Writing (EBRW) and SAT Math Section reflect the new SAT exam scores.

**1,154**

**GRADUATE**  **POST-BACC**

## Academic Performance

Measure	Undergraduate	Post-Bacc	Graduate
Average Fall Term Units	14.58	16.73	11.30
Average GPA*	3.04	3.62	3.67

\*Based on the student's cumulative Cal Poly GPA, which does not include fall 2018 grades.



## College Size

College	Under-Gad	Post-Bacc	Graduate	Total	% of Total
Ag, Food & Env. Science	4,005	--	73	4,078	18.7%
Architecture & Env. Design	1,840	--	48	1,888	8.7%
Engineering	5,921	--	250	6,171	28.3%
Liberal Arts	3,348	--	91	3,439	15.8%
Orfalea Business	3,088	--	36	3,124	14.3%
Science & Math	2,784	112	150	3,046	14.0%
Other	51	15	--	66	0.3%



## Enrollment

**Total  
21,812**

Undergraduates

**21,037**

First-Time Freshmen

**5,253**

Transfer

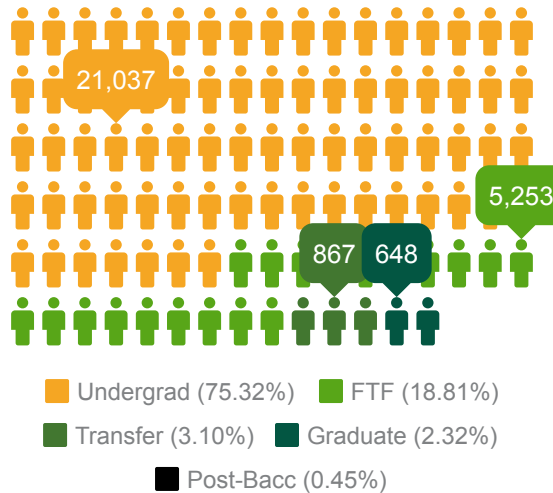
**867**

Graduate

**648**

Post-Bacc

**127**



First-Time Freshmen  
Decreased

**16.1%**  
(855 students)

New Transfers  
Decreased

**1.1%**  
(11 students)

Graduate  
Decreased  
**6.1%**  
(22 students)

Total Student  
Average Class Load

**14.5**

Total Decrease in 2018

**1.69%**

■ 2017

■ 2018



## Institution of Origin (New Undergraduates)

Top "feeder" schools for new undergraduates are:

### First-Time Freshmen - High Schools

Arroyo Grande High School  
Berkeley High School  
Amador Valley High School  
San Luis Obispo High School  
Granite Bay High School

Monte Vista High School  
Carlmont High School  
San Dieguito High  
Dougherty Valley High  
\*Mater Dei High School

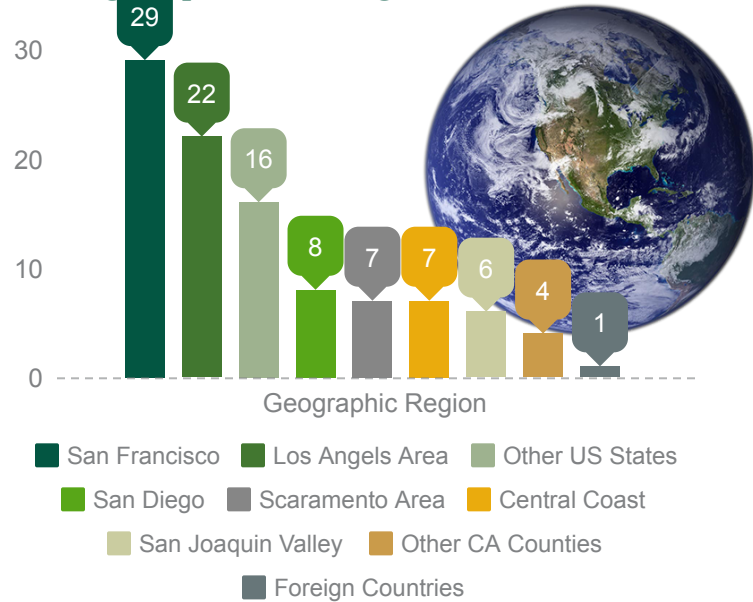
### New Transfers - Colleges

Cuesta College (San Luis Obispo)  
Allan Hancock College (Santa Maria)  
Santa Barbara City College  
Hartnell Community College  
Moorpark College  
Ventura College  
De Anza Community College

\*Private School



## Geographic Origin of New First-Time Freshmen



## Top "Feeder" Counties

10.9% Los Angeles    8.8% Santa Clara    8.1% San Diego

8.0% Orange

5.5% Alameda

## Study Abroad

541

Affiliated Partner  
Abroad Prog.

73

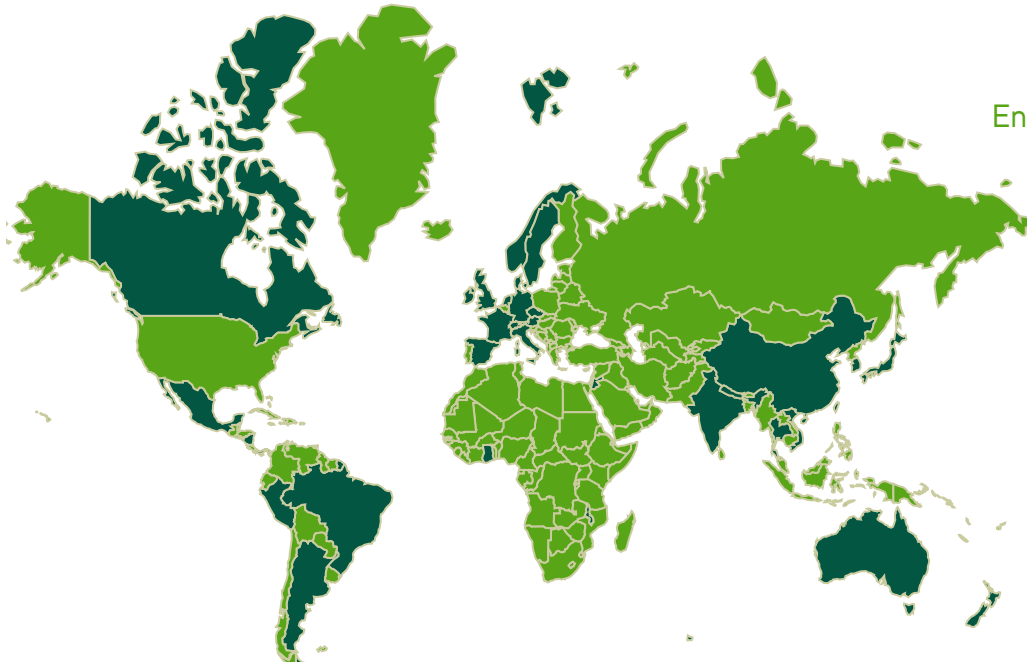
Global Programs

43

CSU International  
Programs

37

Outbound  
International  
Exchanges



## International Students

374

Enrolled international  
visa students.

288

Undergraduate

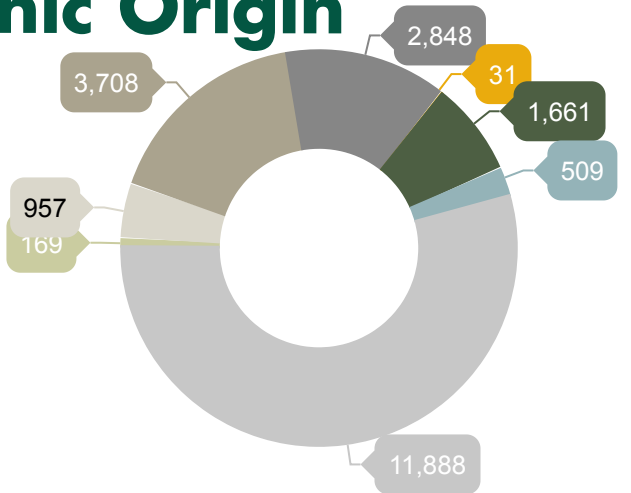
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Graduate

54

Non-degree

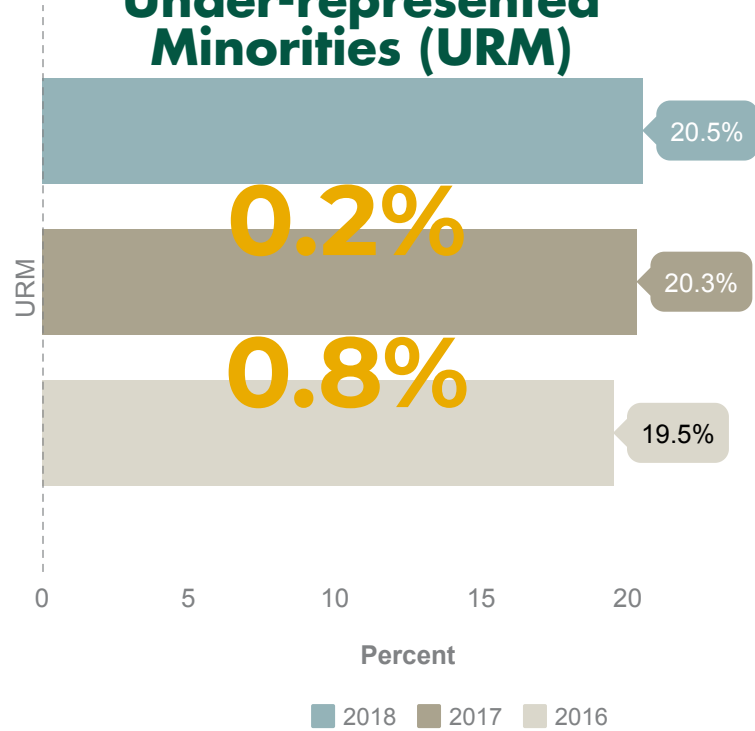
## Ethnic Origin



- African American (0.78%)
- Hispanic/Latino (17.03%)
- Native American (0.14%)
- Non-Resident Alien (2.34%)
- Unknown/Other (4.40%)
- Asian American (13.08%)
- Multi-Racial (7.63%)
- White (54.60%)

Note: Ethnic origin is self-reported

## Increase in Under-represented Minorities (URM)



## Average Student Age

20.2

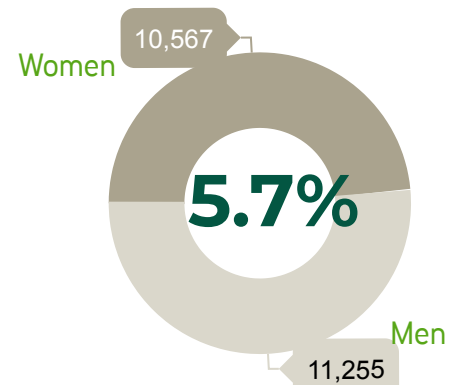
96.8%

Under The Age of 25



## Student Gender

Women (48.42%) Men (51.58%)



## ON CAMPUS HOUSING



99%

First-Time Freshmen



32%

Undergraduates



31%

Sophomores

# THIS IS WHAT WE DO

**Financial Aid  
Awarded 2017-18**  
Over 172  
million

**Federal Funds**  
60.3%

**State Funds**  
12.4%

**Institutional  
Funds**  
20.5%

## Degrees Awarded 2017-18

The College of Engineering awarded the most bachelor's degrees among the colleges in 2017-18. The College of Agriculture, Food and Environmental Sciences and the College of Liberal Arts followed with 953 (19.6%) and 875 (18%) respectively.

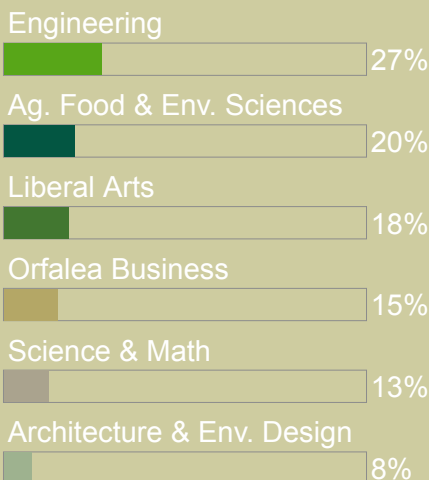
1,320  
College of  
Engineering

4,862  
Bachelor's

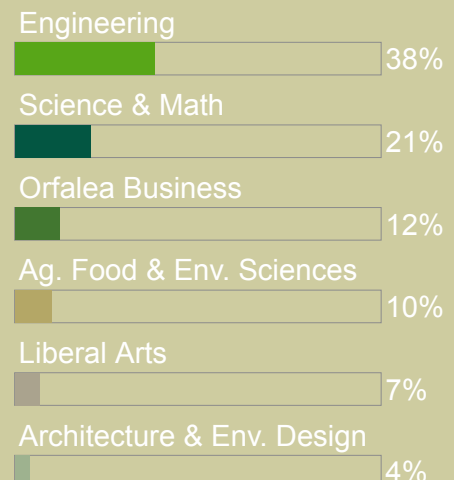
592  
Master's

## 2017-18 Degrees Awarded by College

### Bachelor's Degree

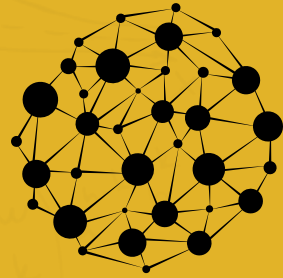


### Master's Degree



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## Fields of Study



### Bachelor's Degree Programs

66

The five with the highest enrollment for fall 2018 are:

- Business Administration
- Mechanical Engineering
- Biological Sciences
- Architecture
- Computer Science



### Master's Degree Programs

37

The five with the highest enrollment for fall 2018 are:

- Business Administration
- Civil & Environmental Engineering
- Edu. Leadership & Administration
- Higher Edu. Counseling & Student Affairs
- Biomedical Engineering

## Retention & Persistence to Graduation



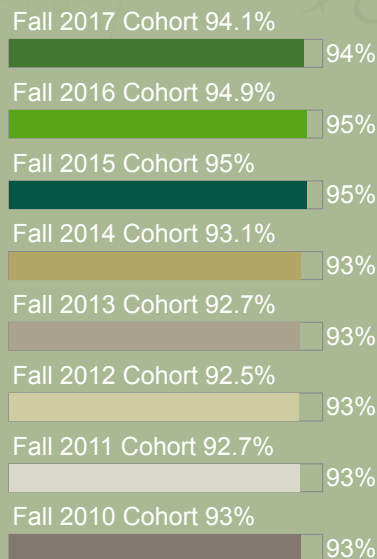
The one-year retention rate for fall 2017 cohort shows a decrease of 0.1 percentage points as compared to the previous year.

The six-year graduation rate of 82.1% for fall 2012 cohort is a decrease of 0.2 percentage points from last year.

Historical retention and persistence to graduation data can be found on the Institutional Research website at [ir.calpoly.edu](http://ir.calpoly.edu) under Retention & Graduation.

**Note:** Cohorts used for retention and graduation rates are based on the federal "Student Right-to-Know Act" methodology, which is defined as any student entering post-secondary education for the first time in fall term (or the preceding summer term) who is enrolled as full-time in the fall.

### One-year Retention Rate



### Six-year Graduation Rate

