

## The 2007 Report of Top First Professional\* Degree Producing Colleges and Universities

Below are the data charts that capture the top Midwest\*\* colleges and universities that graduated the largest number of American racial minority students (for first professional degrees) in 2005-06 as reported in the July 12, 2007 issue of *Black Issues in Higher Education* (BIHE).

The data can be useful in planning recruitment strategies for many mid-level and select senior-level administrative positions at our member schools as well as for some adjunct teaching positions. Additionally, many MA holders will be excellent candidates for a second graduate degree or an initial professional degree. Therefore these charts can assist graduate and professional school admission offices as they put together Fall 2007 recruitment schedules for their next class.

By providing this data on local Midwest schools, it is hoped our member schools will maximize diversity recruitment efforts for senior staff employees, tenure-track and adjunct faculty of color and experience a cost savings in the process.

Additionally, because some reporting schools provided combined school data for the annual report to BIHE, MPCC will consider compiling our collective MA graduation data from IPEDS and submit a combined report to BIHE. CI contends that, over time, our combined statistics would likely place MPCC among top BA producers in the Midwest. At a minimum, we will be able to strategically share the stats widely with all appropriate audiences.

A similar report of undergraduate, master's and doctorate degree producers was produced.

\* includes law, medicine and dentistry

\*\* includes MN, WI, MI, IA, ND, SD, NE, OH, KS, MO, CO, IL and IN

## Background and legend

This edition of the Top 100 analysis considers degree awarded during the 2004-05 academic year. The data come from the U.S. Department of Education's National Center for Education Statistics (NCES) Integrated Postsecondary Education Data Set (IPEDS).

The Data for this study are collected by NCES through the IPEDS program Completer's Survey. Specifically this Survey asks for the number of degrees and other formal awards conferred in academic, vocational and continuing professional education programs. NCES uses the Classification of Instructional Program (CIP) codes which provide a common set of categories from which institutions can report their data, allowing comparisons across all colleges and universities.

The lists included in this analysis are based on the students' racial or ethnic status. Students self-report this information during their college career by choosing among a set of categories. Only U.S. citizens or permanent residents are included in the minority categories – Blacks, non-Hispanic; American Indian or Alaskan Native; Asian or Pacific Islander; and Hispanic.

The lists presented in the this issue array the Top 100 degree-granting institutions for each minority group overall, and the Top 50 institutions that conferred degrees within specific disciplinary areas. Within each list, we present the total number of degrees conferred by the institution for the prior year (2004-05), followed by the count for the current year (2005-06) for men, women and then total. The counts are followed by two percentages. The first one shows how the number of degrees conferred to that particular racial/ethnic group stands in the proportion to all degrees conferred at the institution (across all disciplines for the Top 100 lists and within each discipline for the Top 50 discipline lists). The second percentage column represents the percentage change in total degrees between the prior and the current year.

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AFRICAN –AMERICAN FIRST PROFESSIONAL –HBCU's VS. TWI's

2006 RANK	INSTITUTION	STATE	'04-'05 TOTAL	PRELIMINARY 2005 – 2006				
				MEN	WOMEN	TOTAL	%GRAD.	%CHG.
<b>HBCU's</b>	<i>(INCLUDES ALL TOP HBCU'S)</i>							
1	HOWARD UNIVERSITY	DC	398	121	230	351	76	-12
2	FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY	FL	122	39	90	129	62	6
3	TEXAS SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY	TX	144	37	66	103	37	-28
4	VIRGINIA UNION UNIVERSITY	VA	105	46	50	96	89	-9
8	INTERDENOMINATIONAL THEOLOGICAL CTR	GA	81	43	43	86	95	6
9	MEHARRY MEDICAL COLLEGE	TN	77	35	48	83	81	8
16	XAVIER UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA	LA	0	15	47	62	79	Na
28	NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY	NC	41	12	27	39	33	-5
35	HAMPTON UNIVERSITY	VA	33	7	27	34	85	3
47	UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	DC	17	7	21	28	37	65
51	MOREHOUSE SCHOOL OF MEDICINE	GA	29	5	22	27	71	-7
51	SHAW UNIVERSITY	NC	24	10	17	27	100	13
72	TUSKEGEE UNIVERSITY	AL	21	6	15	21	42	0
<b>TWI's</b>								
4	SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY LAW CENTER	LA	79	45	51	96	70	22
6	THOMAS M. COOLEY LAW SCHOOL	MI	103	23	70	93	15	-10
17	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN	Mi	43	27	32	59	8	37
21	OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY	OH	43	17	35	52	6	21
26	WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY	MI	44	18	29	47	9	7
27	INDIANA UNIV.-PERDUE UNIV- INDIANAPOLIS	IN	29	13	29	42	7	45
28	UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO	IL	30	10	29	39	8	30
35	ANDREWS UNIVERSITY	MI	29	29	5	34	31	17
51	UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN	WI	27	8	19	27	4	0

## Dentistry

### Total Minority First Professional

2006 RANK	INSTITUTION	STATE	'04-'05 TOTAL	PRELIMINARY 2005 – 2006				
				MEN	WOMEN	TOTAL	%GRAD.	%CHG.
1	NEW YORK UNIVERSITY	NY	130	59	79	138	48	6
2	UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA-SAN FRANCISCO	CA	59	21	36	57	56	-3
3	TUFTS UNIVERSITY	MA	73	26	29	55	32	-25
4	UNIVERSITY OF THE PACIFIC	CA	52	23	31	54	36	4
5	HOWARD UNIVARSITY	D.C.	55	15	36	51	76	-7
18	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN – ANN ARBOR	MI	34	11	14	25	25	-26
21	UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO	IL	28	8	15	23	37	-18
23	UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI – KANSAS CITY	MO	19	10	9	19	21	0
26	UNIVERSITY OF IOWA	IA	8	9	7	16	21	100
28	MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY	WI	10	4	11	15	19	50
31	INDIANA UNIV-PURDUE UNIV-INDIANAPOLIS	IN	13	7	6	13	13	0
36	CREIGHTON UNIVERSITY	NE	17	3	8	11	13	-35
36	OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY	OH	13	5	6	11	11	-15
40	UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT MERCY	MI	11	4	6	10	13	-9
43	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIV - EDWARDSVILLE	IL	2	4	4	8	16	300
45	UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA – TWIN CITIES	MN	8	3	3	6	7	-25
45	CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY	Oh	12	4	2	6	8	-50
48	UNIV. OF COLO. AT DENVER / HEALTH SCI.CTR	CO	5	1	4	5	11	0

**Law**

**Total Minority First Professionals – Top 5 Schools and Top Midwest Schools**

2006 RANK	INSTITUTION	STATE	'04-'05 TOTAL	PRELIMINARY 2005 – 2006				
				MEN	WOMEN	TOTAL	%GRAD.	%CHG.
1	THOMAS M. COOLEY LAW SCHOOL	MI	154	64	108	172	28	12
2	HARVARD UNIVERSITY	MA	145	71	88	159	87	10
3	GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY	DC	153	60	88	148	29	-3
4	UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA COLLEGE OF LAW	CA	140	63	79	142	35	1
5	UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN	TX	116	63	77	140	27	21
14	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN	MI	77	54	61	115	27	49
21	UNIVERSITY OF DENVER	CO	83	34	35	69	19	-17
34	UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS	IL	62	23	46	69	32	11
38	THE JOHN MARSHALL LAW SCHOOL	IL	55	35	33	68	16	24
38	DEPAUL UNIVERSITY	IL	57	25	43	68	18	19
41	NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY	IL	68	35	32	67	25	-1
48	UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO	IL	56	30	32	62	32	11

## Medicine

### Total Minority First Professional – Top 5 Schools and Top Midwest Schools

2006 RANK	INSTITUTION	STATE	'04-'05 TOTAL	PRELIMINARY 2005 – 2006				
				MEN	WOMEN	TOTAL	%GRAD.	%CHG.
1	UNIV OF MEDICINE AND DENTISTRY OF NEW JERSEY	NJ	163	79	90	169	55	4
2	UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT CHICAGO	IL	150	75	68	143	51	-5
3	DREXEL UNIVERSITY	PA	99	50	56	106	45	7
4	SUNY HEALTH SCIENCE CENTER AT BROOKLYN	NY	96	47	55	102	52	6
5	UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA- SAN DIEGO	CA	57	51	45	96	52	68
10	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN	MI	55	40	41	81	48	47
13	WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY	MI	85	34	42	76	32	-11
19	ROSALIND FRANKLIN UNIV. OF MED AND SCIENCE	IL	91	30	38	68	40	-25
23	OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY	OH	56	27	34	61	30	9
31	RUSH UNIVERSITY	IL	46	28	27	55	44	20
40	WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST. LOIS	MO	33	23	25	48	40	45
41	INDIANA UNIV-PURDUE UNIV.-INDIANAPOLIS	IN	29	20	26	46	18	59
44	CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY	OH	44	21	24	45	35	2
44	UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI – KANSAS CITY	MO	31	19	24	43	46	39
46	ST. LOIS UNIVERSITY	MO	48	22	22	44	30	-8