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GRADUATE STUDENT TERMS TO DEGREE STUDY

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Introduction

- The purpose of this study is to evaluate the graduate student terms enrolled to degree for the different graduate degree programs at Loyola.
- Quinlan School of Business is not included in this analysis, there is a separate analysis for Quinlan.
- The study identifies only those students how have graduated from Loyola.
 - By using degree conferred cohort years a student’s enrollment pattern is assessed to see:
 - The number of terms a student was enrolled at Loyola = “terms enrolled to degree”.
 - The start and finish terms to establish “terms to degree”.
 - Terms being analyzed are identified as Fall, Spring and Summer (Summer I & II are only considered once as a combined summer term). Hence, a year would comprise of these three terms.
- Each College/School graduate program is assessed to see how long a student takes to obtain their graduate degree. Certifications are not included in this analysis.
- The analysis looks at all degrees conferred from 2017-18 through 2023-24 as graduating cohorts.
 - Note: the 2023-24 cohort only analyzed those students finishing in Fall 2023 (as Spring and Summer terms has not completed at the time of this analysis).
- This analysis looks at each cohort individually and, as a whole, to determine the “average” time to degree for each graduate program.
- The accompanying graphs show the distributions of time to degree for all graduate degree programs, highlighting the 80% completion times for each graduating year.

Reflection Questions

- In what ways are these patterns
 - in alignment with curriculum design?
 - of enrollment contributing to expected student learning outcomes of graduating students?
 - reflecting the most efficient AND effective use of program resources?
 - contributing to optimal graduating student debt to student income ratios?



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College of Arts & Science

College of Arts & Science: MA, MS and Ph.D programs

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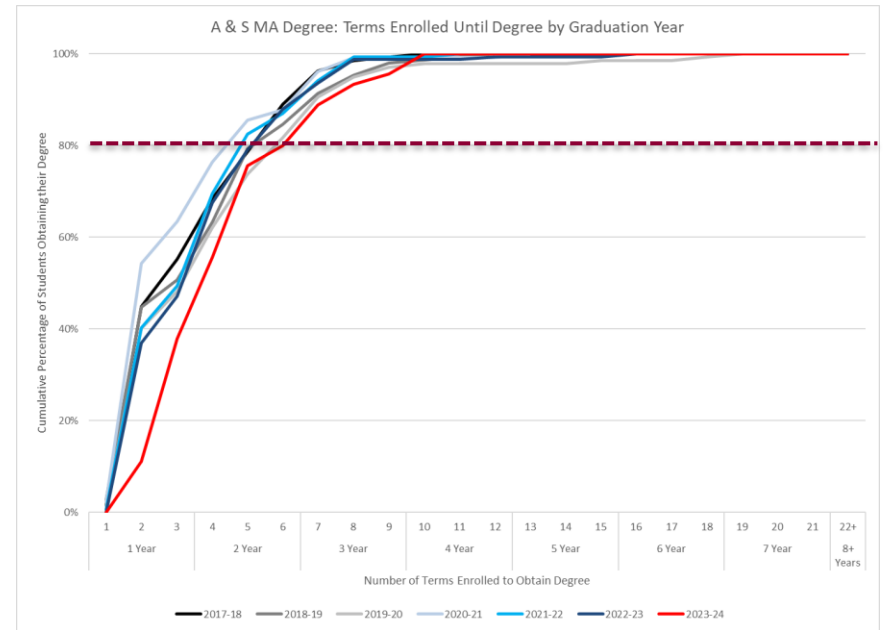
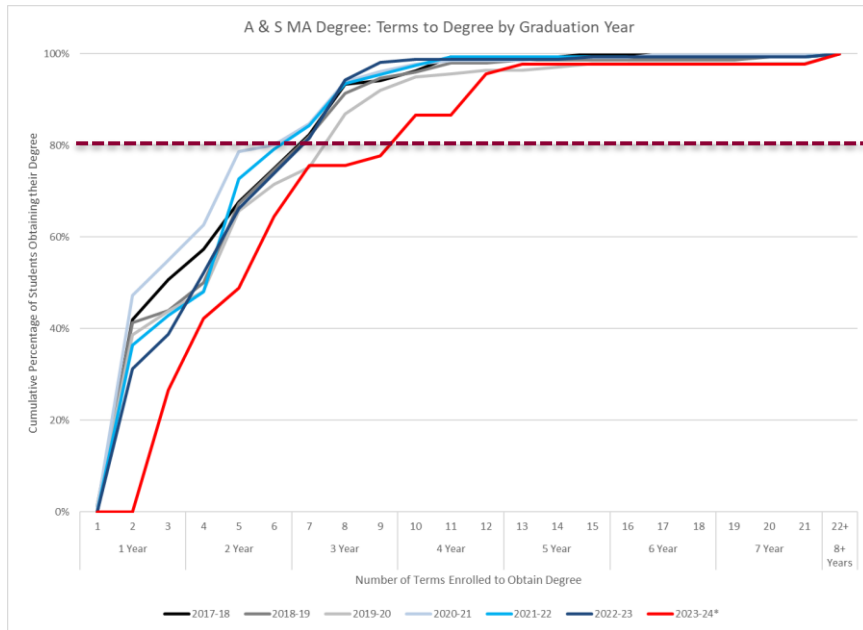
SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Students	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
A&S	MA	2017-18	136	4.4	3.7	64.7%	3.0	3.0
A&S	MA	2018-19	150	4.7	3.9	63.6%	4.5	3.0
A&S	MA	2019-20	137	5.2	4.3	60.0%	5.0	4.0
A&S	MA	2020-21	131	4.1	3.4	67.4%	3.0	2.0
A&S	MA	2021-22	154	4.6	3.8	57.7%	5.0	4.0
A&S	MA	2022-23	157	4.8	4.0	57.8%	4.0	4.0
A&S	MA	2023-24*	45	6.4	4.6	28.9%	6.0	4.0
A & S MA Overall			921	4.7	3.9	60.0%	4.0	3.0

A&S	MS	2017-18	86	5.5	4.1	29.1%	5.0	4.0
A&S	MS	2018-19	80	5.2	3.9	32.5%	5.0	3.0
A&S	MS	2019-20	76	6.0	4.4	26.3%	5.0	4.0
A&S	MS	2020-21	64	6.3	4.5	29.7%	5.0	4.0
A&S	MS	2021-22	87	5.3	4.1	33.3%	4.0	4.0
A&S	MS	2022-23	80	6.4	4.8	25.0%	5.0	4.0
A&S	MS	2023-24*	30	6.0	4.9	40.0%	6.0	4.0
A & S MS Overall			503	5.8	4.3	30.0%	5.0	4.0

A&S	PH.D	2017-18	34	20.2	14.9	8.8%	18.5	14.0
A&S	PH.D	2018-19	40	21.1	15.9	5.0%	20.0	16.0
A&S	PH.D	2019-20	35	21.3	15.7	8.6%	19.0	15.0
A&S	PH.D	2020-21	36	18.8	14.4	11.1%	18.0	14.0
A&S	PH.D	2021-22	39	20.5	15.1	5.1%	18.0	14.0
A&S	PH.D	2022-23	34	20.5	15.3	11.8%	18.0	14.5
A&S	PH.D	2023-24*	26	20.7	15.3	0.0%	18.0	15.0
A & S Ph.D Overall			244	20.4	15.2	7.4%	18.0	14.0

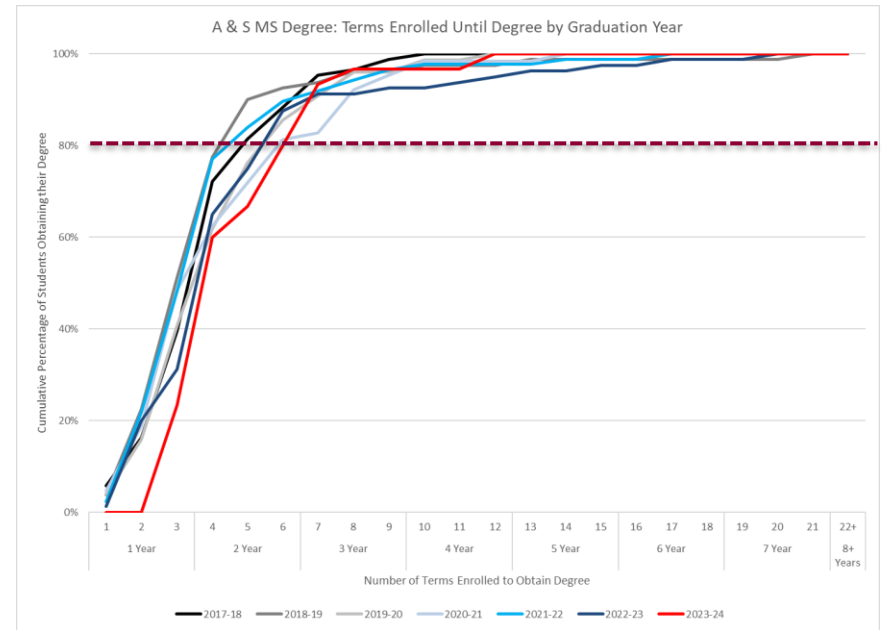
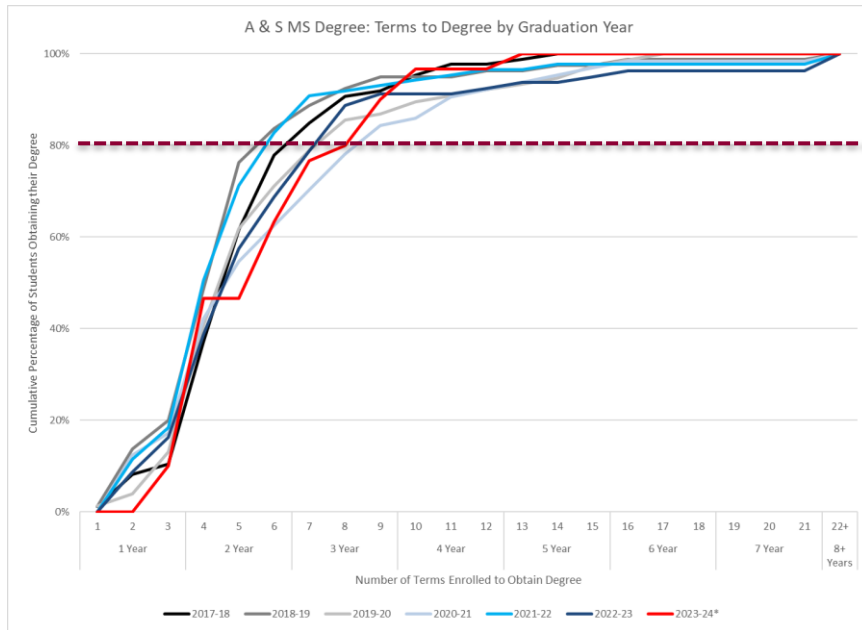
- The average number of terms to degree for A&S MA students is 4.7 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 3.9 terms. 60% of MA students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for A&S MS students is 5.8 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.3 terms. 30% of MS students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for A&S Ph.D students is 20.4 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 15.2 terms. 7.4% of Ph.D students are enrolled throughout the program.

A&S MA: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



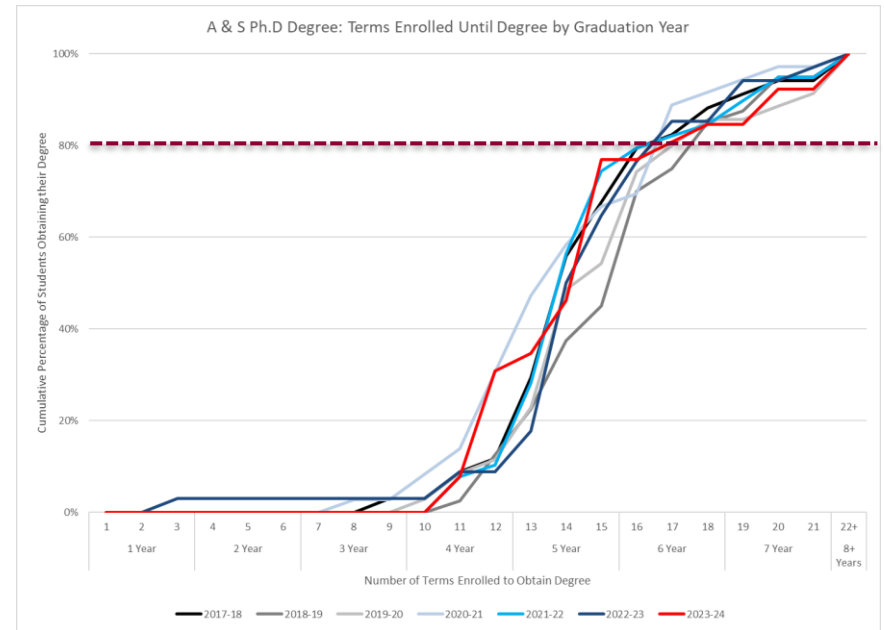
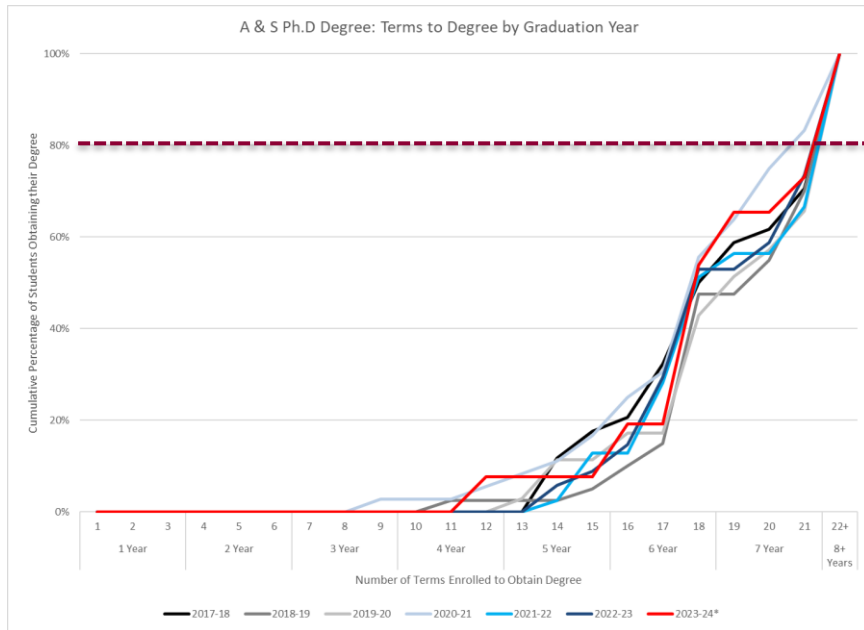
- 80% of A&S MA students are finished within 4-7 terms from “start to finish” to obtain an MA degree.
- 80% of A&S MA students are “enrolled” in 4-5 terms, or less, to complete their MA degree.

A&S MS: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of A&S MS students are finished within 5-7 terms from “start to finish” to obtain an MS degree.
- 80% of A&S MS students are “enrolled” in 4-6 terms, or less, to complete their MS degree.

A&S Ph.D: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of A&S Ph.D students are finished within 20 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a Ph.D degree.
- 80% of A&S Ph.D students are “enrolled” in 14-16 terms, or less, to complete their Ph.D degree.



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School of Education

School of Education: Ed.D, Ed.S and M. Ed programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Degree Awarded	Year	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
EDUC	ED.D	2017-18	25	16.2	12.2	12.0%	14.0	11.0
EDUC	ED.D	2018-19	19	19.5	13.5	5.3%	16.0	13.0
EDUC	ED.D	2019-20	29	16.8	13.1	6.9%	16.0	13.0
EDUC	ED.D	2020-21	28	11.1	7.6	64.3%	6.0	6.0
EDUC	ED.D	2021-22	32	11.2	8.5	56.3%	6.0	6.0
EDUC	ED.D	2022-23	45	11.0	8.6	31.1%	6.0	6.0
EDUC	ED.D	2023-24*	24	9.6	7.9	58.3%	6.0	6.0
Education Ed. D. Overall			202	13.2	9.9	34.7%	10.0	9.0

EDUC	ED.S	2017-18	27	5.3	4.9	81.5%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	ED.S	2018-19	31	5.4	4.9	74.2%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	ED.S	2019-20	27	5.7	5.3	88.9%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	ED.S	2020-21	34	5.1	4.9	94.1%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	ED.S	2021-22	22	5.5	5.3	86.4%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	ED.S	2022-23	30	7.5	5.8	23.3%	8.0	6.0
EDUC	ED.S	2023-24*	9	6.4	6.2	77.8%	6.0	6.0
Education Ed. S. Overall			180	5.8	5.2	74.4%	5.0	5.0

EDUC	M.ED	2017-18	140	5.2	4.7	69.3%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	M.ED	2018-19	130	5.7	4.9	70.8%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	M.ED	2019-20	109	5.5	4.7	65.1%	5.0	4.0
EDUC	M.ED	2020-21	113	5.1	4.6	65.5%	5.0	4.0
EDUC	M.ED	2021-22	113	5.3	4.4	61.1%	5.0	4.0
EDUC	M.ED	2022-23	105	5.4	4.7	54.3%	5.0	4.0
EDUC	M.ED	2023-24*	87	5.3	5.0	83.9%	4.0	4.0
Education M.Ed Overall			797	5.4	4.7	66.9%	5.0	4.0

- The average number of terms to degree for School of Education Ed.D students is 13.2 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 9.9 terms. 34.7% of Ed.D students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Education Ed.S students is 5.8 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 5.2 terms. 74.4% of Ed.S students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Education M.Ed students is 5.4 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.7 terms. 66.9% of M.Ed students are enrolled throughout the program.

School of Education: MA and Ph.D programs

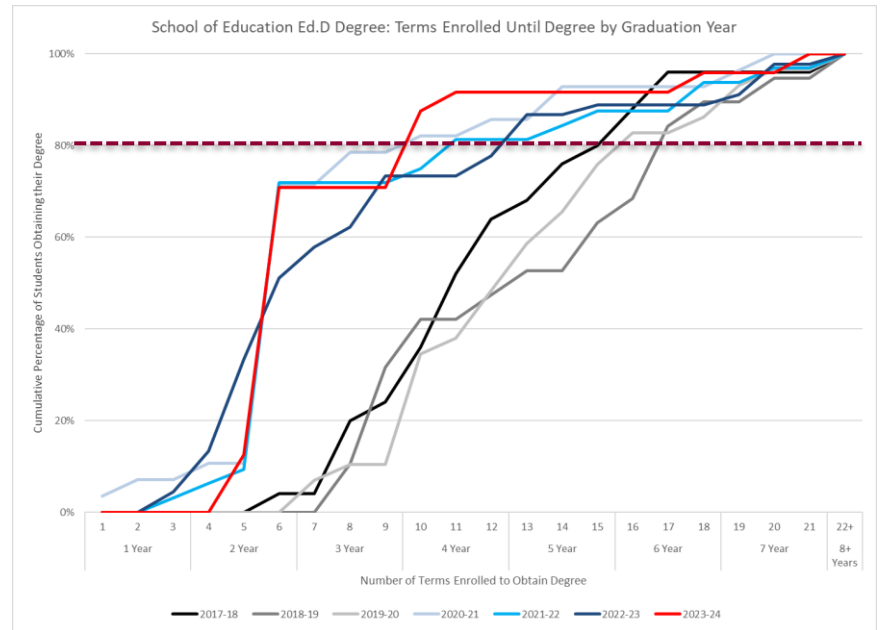
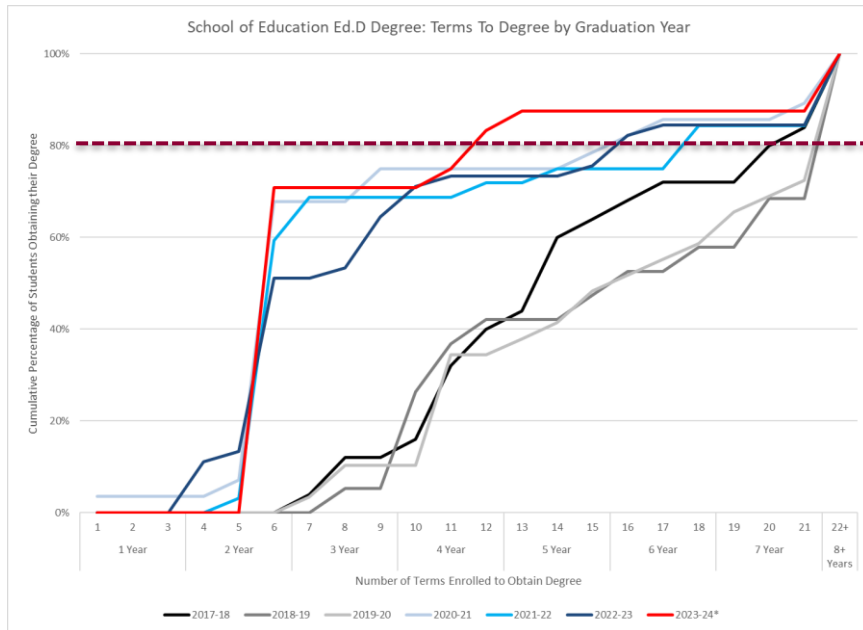
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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Degree Year Awarded	Students	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
EDUC	MA	2017-18	7	16.4	6.7	28.6%	12.0	5.0
EDUC	MA	2018-19	10	8.2	5.8	10.0%	7.5	5.5
EDUC	MA	2019-20	7	8.7	6.6	28.6%	8.0	6.0
EDUC	MA	2020-21	5	9.2	7.0	40.0%	5.0	5.0
EDUC	MA	2021-22	4	6.0	4.5	25.0%	5.5	4.5
EDUC	MA	2022-23	7	7.3	5.9	28.6%	7.0	5.0
EDUC	MA	2023-24*	2	12.0	4.0	0.0%	12.0	4.0
Education MA Overall			42	9.6	6.0	23.8%	7.5	5.0

EDUC	PH.D	2017-18	20	15.4	11.8	0.0%	15.0	12.0
EDUC	PH.D	2018-19	17	16.2	12.5	5.9%	15.0	12.0
EDUC	PH.D	2019-20	19	16.3	12.8	5.3%	15.0	12.0
EDUC	PH.D	2020-21	9	18.4	14.6	22.2%	15.0	15.0
EDUC	PH.D	2021-22	11	15.5	12.3	0.0%	16.0	13.0
EDUC	PH.D	2022-23	16	16.4	12.3	6.3%	15.0	12.5
EDUC	PH.D	2023-24*	6	19.3	13.3	0.0%	15.5	13.5
Education Ph.D Overall			98	16.4	12.6	5.1%	15.0	12.0

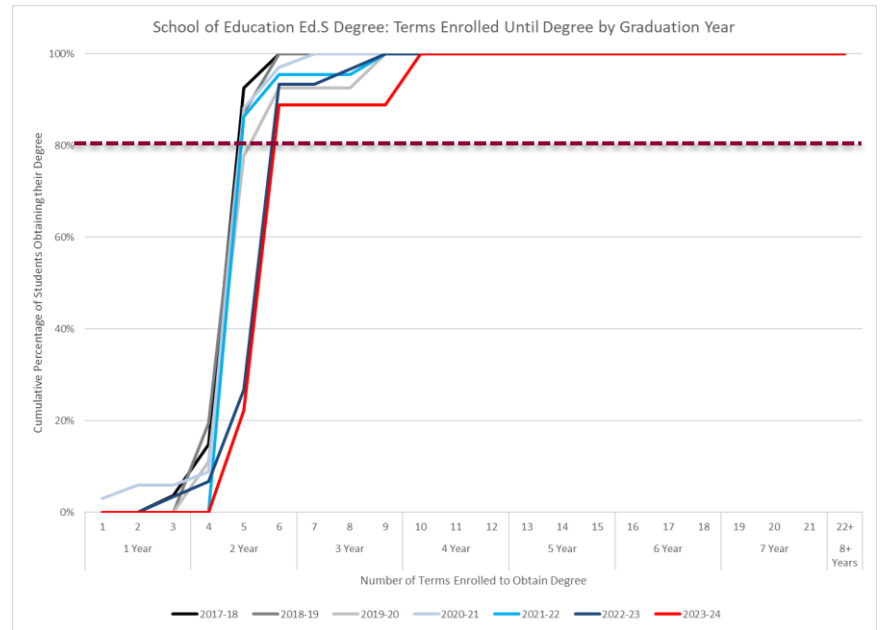
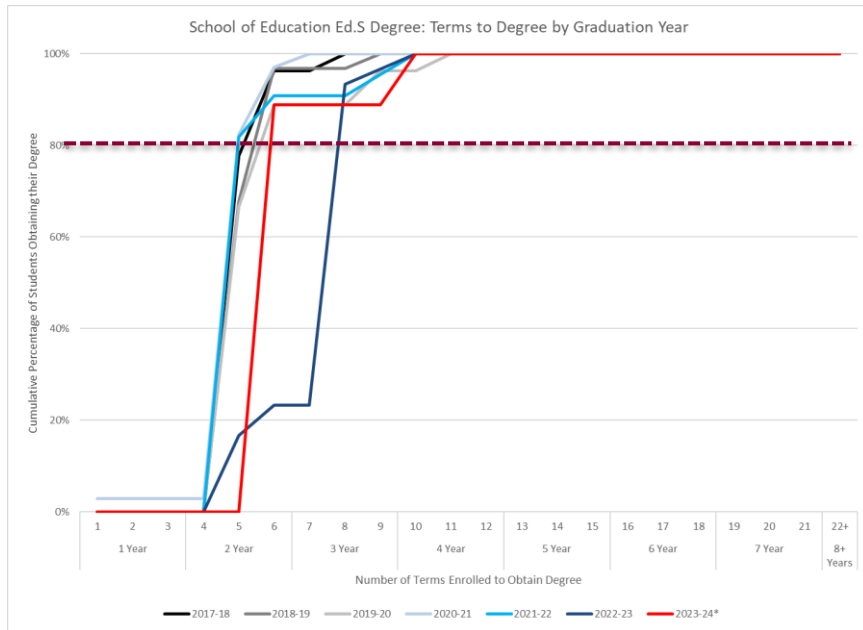
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Education MA students is 9.6 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 6 terms. 23.8% of MA students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Education Ph.D students is 16.4 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 12.6 terms. 5.1% of Ph.D students are enrolled throughout the program.

School of Education Ed. D: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



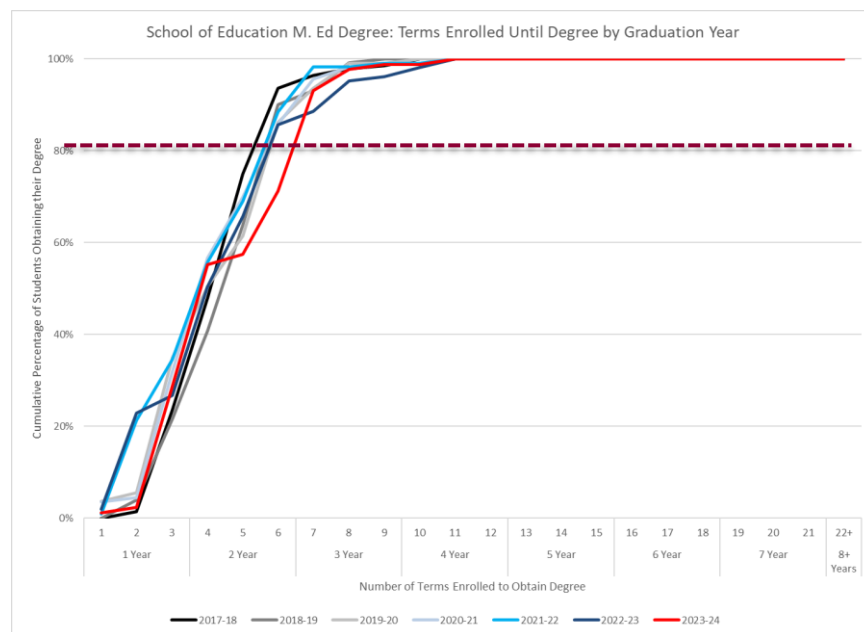
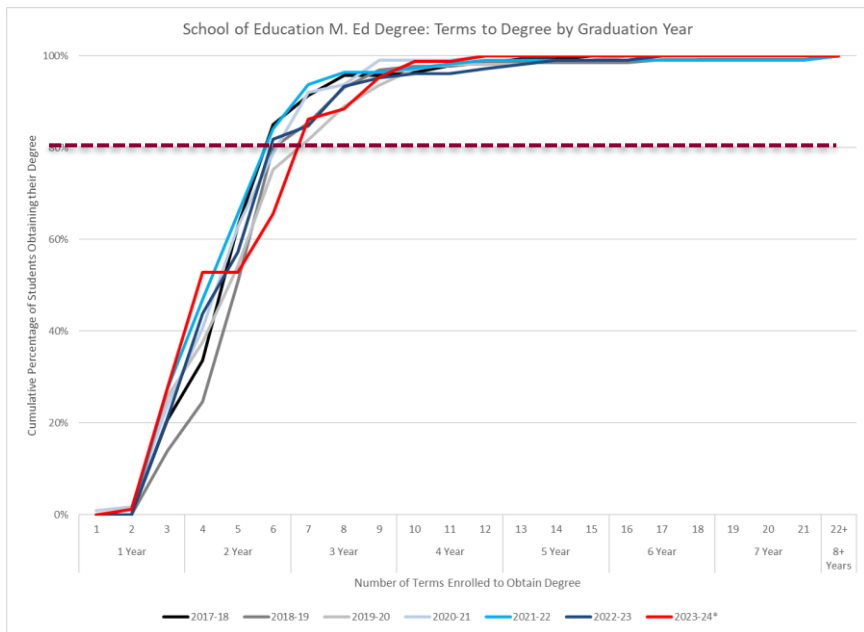
- 80% of School of Education Ed. D students are finished within 14-16 terms from “start to finish” to obtain an Ed. D degree post COVID.
- 80% of School of Education Ed. D students are “enrolled” in 7-10 terms, or less, to complete their Ed. D degree post COVID.

School of Education Ed. S: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



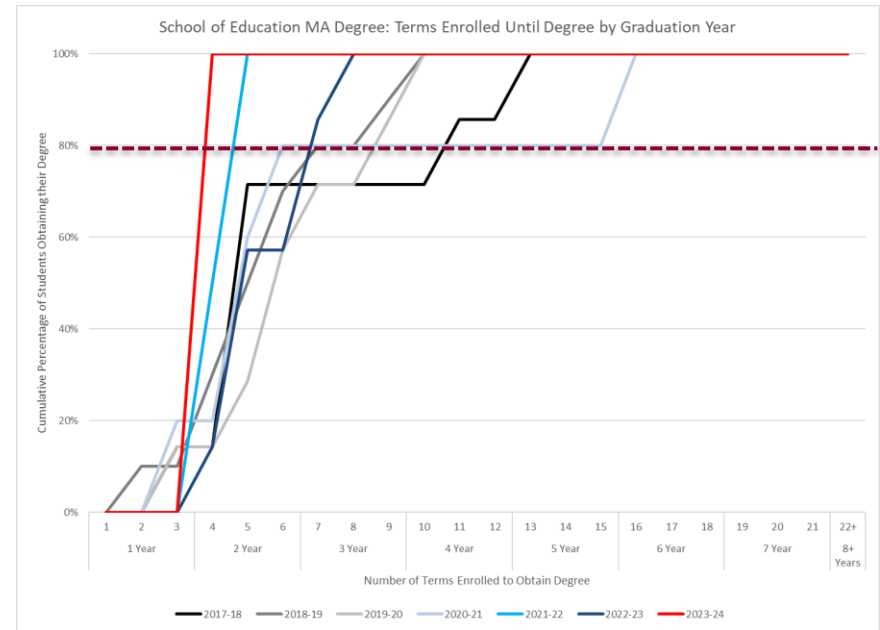
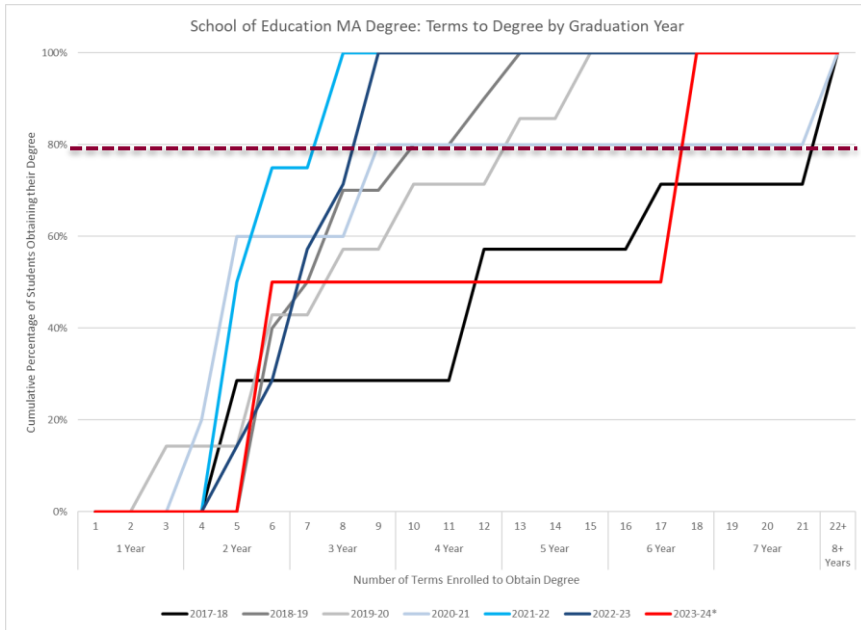
- 80% of School of Education Ed. S students are finished within 4-5 terms from “start to finish” to obtain an Ed. S degree.
- 80% of School of Education Ed. S students are “enrolled” in 4-5 terms, or less, to complete their Ed. S degree.

School of Education M. Ed: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



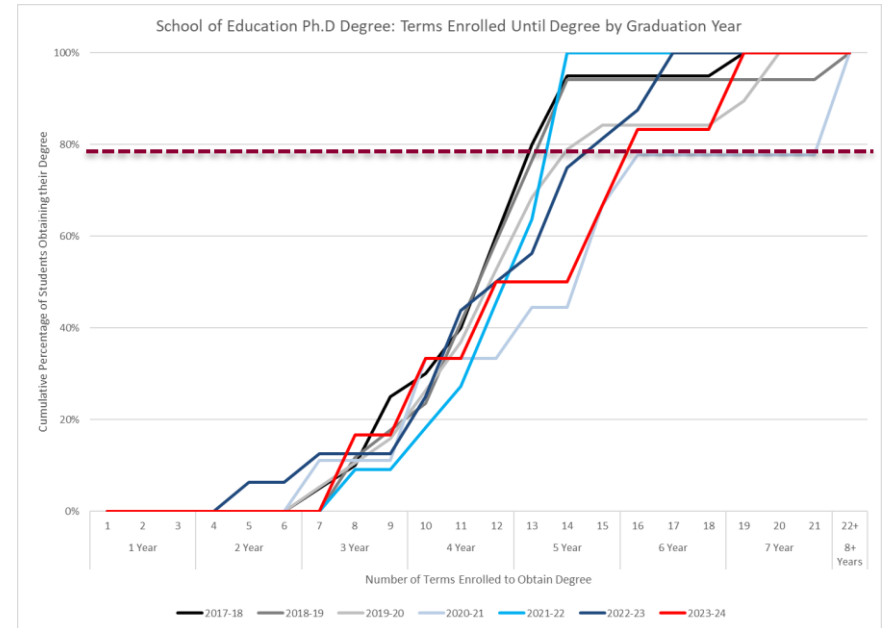
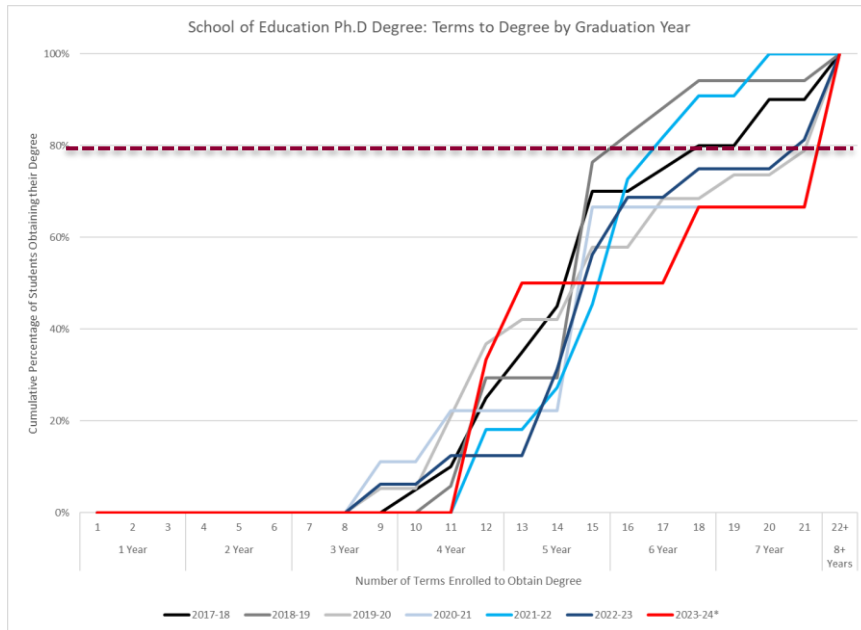
- 80% of School of Education M. Ed students are finished within 5-6 terms from “start to finish” to obtain an M. Ed degree.
- 80% of School of Education M. Ed students are “enrolled” in 4-5 terms, or less, to complete their M. Ed degree.

School of Education MA: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Education MA students are finished within 10-16 terms from “start to finish” to obtain an MA degree.
- 80% of School of Education MA students are “enrolled” in 4-8 terms, or less, to complete their MA degree.

School of Education Ph.D: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Education Ph.D students are finished within 14-20 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a Ph.D degree.
- 80% of School of Education Ph.D students are “enrolled” in 12-15 terms, or less, to complete their Ph.D Degree.



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Parkinson School of Health Sciences and Public Health

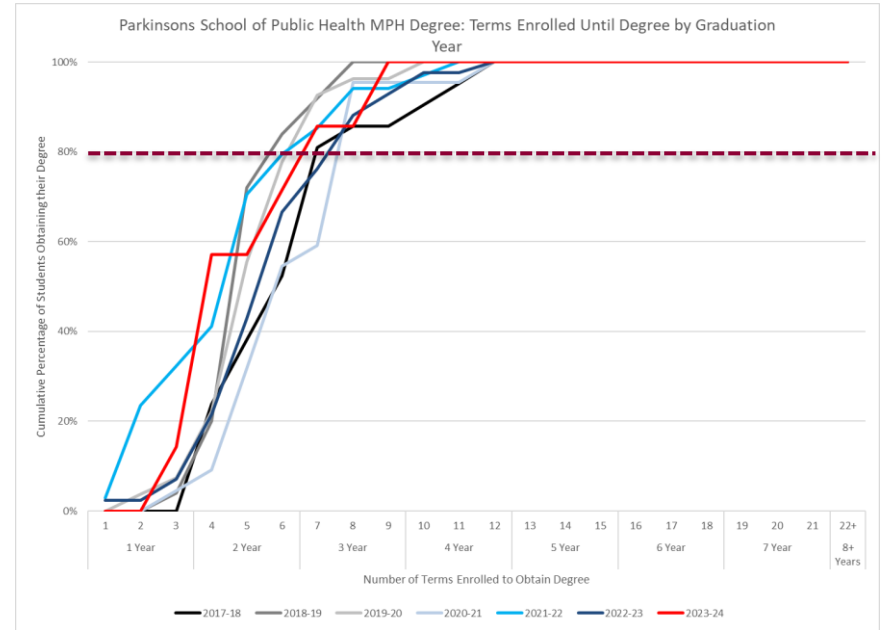
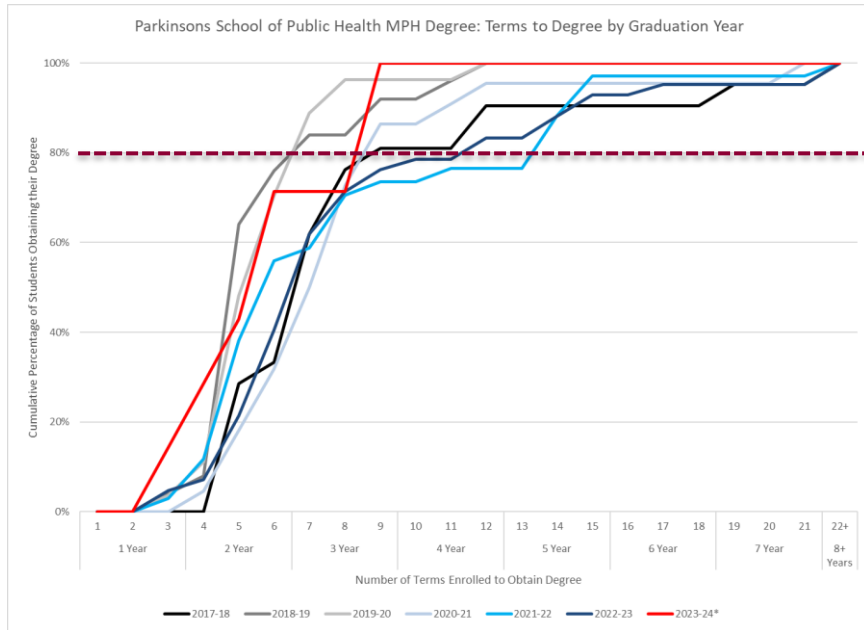
Parkinson School of Health Sciences and Public Health: MPH and MS programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Students	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
HSPH	MPH	2017-18	21	8.5	6.5	28.6%	7.0	6.0
HSPH	MPH	2018-19	25	6.0	5.3	64.0%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MPH	2019-20	27	5.9	5.5	70.4%	6.0	5.0
HSPH	MPH	2020-21	22	8.0	6.6	54.5%	7.5	6.0
HSPH	MPH	2021-22	34	8.4	4.8	47.1%	6.0	5.0
HSPH	MPH	2022-23	42	8.5	6.0	42.9%	7.0	6.0
HSPH	MPH	2023-24*	7	6.0	5.3	57.1%	6.0	4.0
HSPH MPH Overall			178	7.6	5.7	51.1%	6.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2017-18	11	5.1	5.0	90.9%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2018-19	13	5.2	4.5	69.2%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2019-20	20	6.7	5.1	70.0%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2020-21	21	4.6	4.5	90.5%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2021-22	34	5.3	4.9	61.8%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2022-23	27	5.5	4.9	55.6%	5.0	5.0
HSPH	MS	2023-24*	9	6.2	5.0	11.1%	6.0	5.0
HSPH MS Overall			135	5.5	4.8	65.9%	5.0	5.0

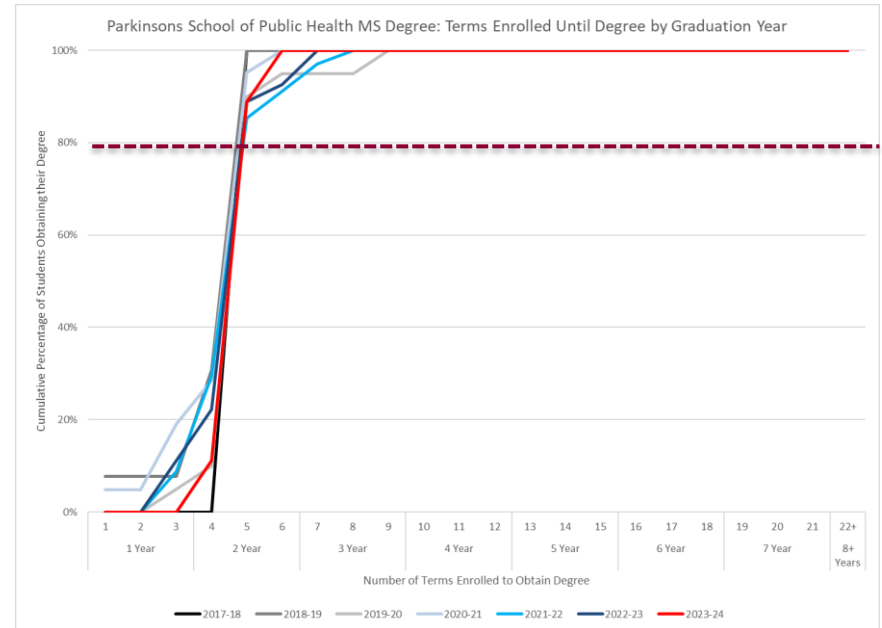
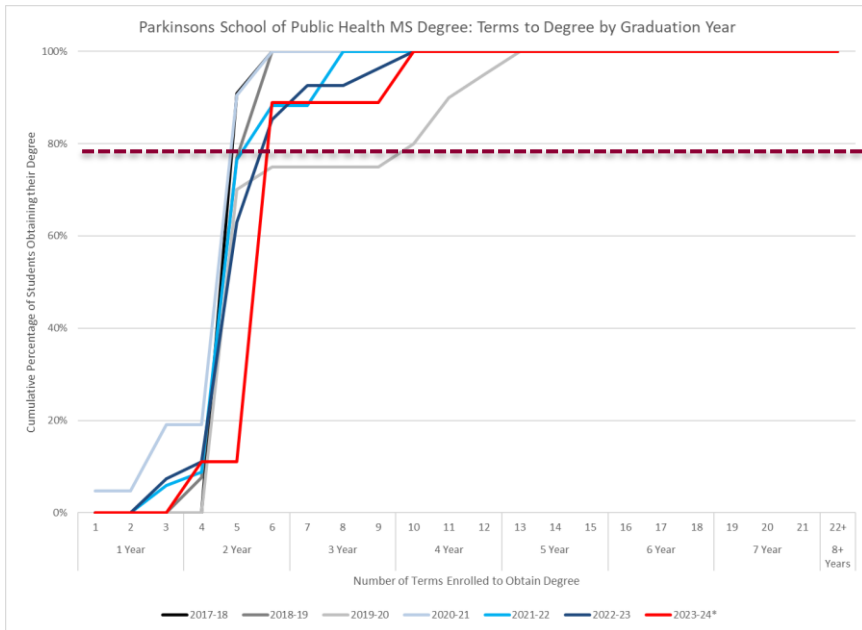
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Health Sciences and Public Health MPH students is 7.6 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 5.7 terms. 51.1% of MPH students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Health Sciences and Public Health MS students is 5.5 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.8 terms. 65.9% of MS students are enrolled throughout the program.

Parkinson School of Health Sciences and Public Health MPH: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Health Sciences and Public Health MPH students are finished within 7-12 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MPH degree.
- 80% of School of Health Sciences and Public Health MPH students are “enrolled” in 4-6 terms, or less, to complete their MPH Degree.

Parkinson School of Health Sciences and Public Health MS: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Health Sciences and Public Health MS students are finished within 5-6 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MS degree.
- 80% of School of Health Sciences and Public Health MS students are “enrolled” in 4 terms, or less, to complete their MS Degree.



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Institute of Pastoral Studies

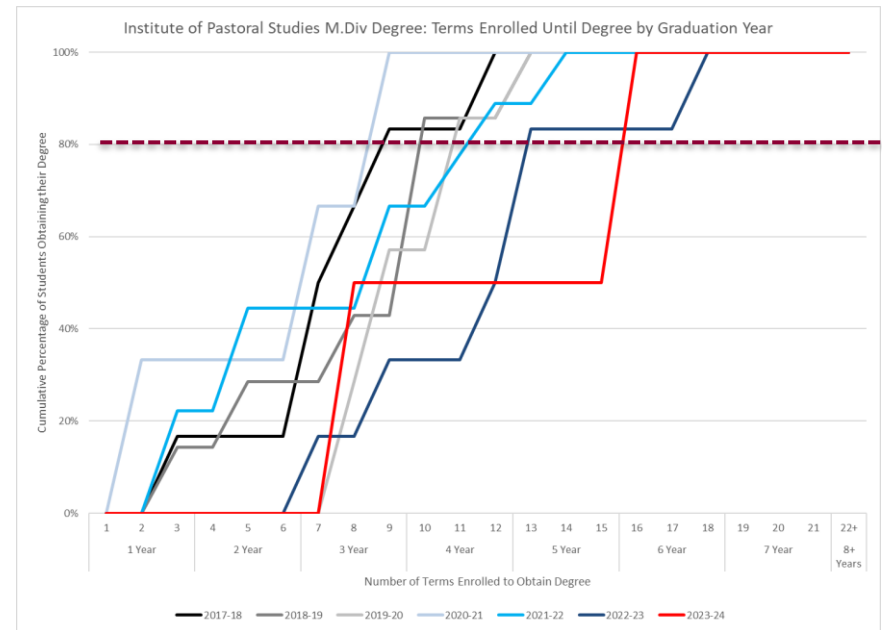
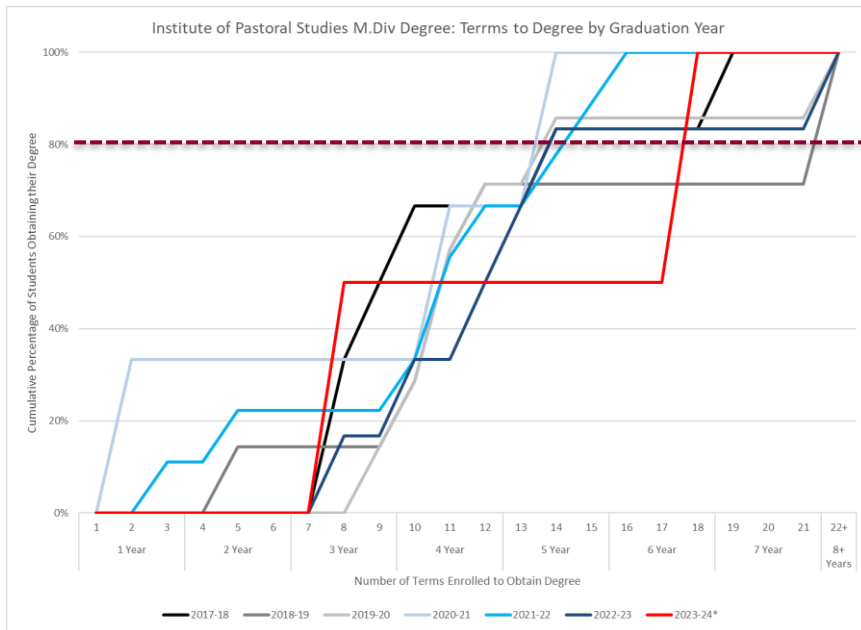
Institute of Pastoral Studies: M. Div and MA programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled	
IPS	M.DIV	2017-18	6	11.3	7.7	16.7%	9.5	7.5
IPS	M.DIV	2018-19	7	15.6	8.4	28.6%	11.0	10.0
IPS	M.DIV	2019-20	7	20.6	9.9	42.9%	11.0	9.0
IPS	M.DIV	2020-21	3	8.7	5.7	33.3%	11.0	7.0
IPS	M.DIV	2021-22	9	10.8	7.9	22.2%	11.0	9.0
IPS	M.DIV	2022-23	6	15.8	12.0	33.3%	12.5	12.5
IPS	M.DIV	2023-24*	2	13.0	12.0	50.0%	13.0	12.0
IPS M.DIV Overall			40	14.1	9.0	30.0%	11.0	9.0
IPS	MA	2017-18	51	10.6	7.3	27.5%	8.0	7.0
IPS	MA	2018-19	39	9.6	7.1	28.2%	9.0	7.0
IPS	MA	2019-20	39	9.8	7.4	17.9%	9.0	7.0
IPS	MA	2020-21	36	9.5	6.7	22.2%	9.0	7.0
IPS	MA	2021-22	37	10.4	7.8	18.9%	10.0	8.0
IPS	MA	2022-23	25	10.2	7.3	32.0%	10.0	7.0
IPS	MA	2023-24*	22	9.5	7.9	54.5%	7.0	7.0
IPS MA Overall			249	10.0	7.3	26.9%	9.0	7.0

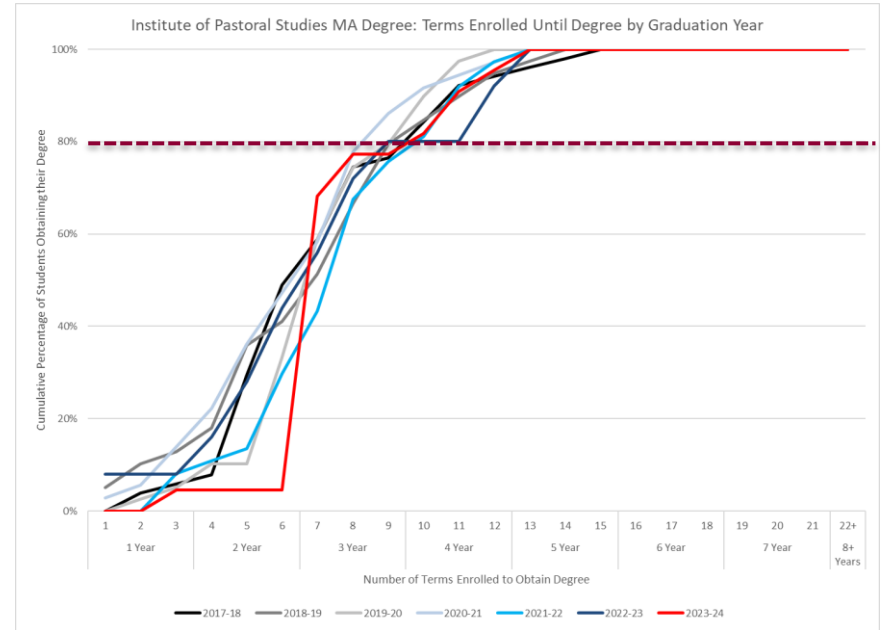
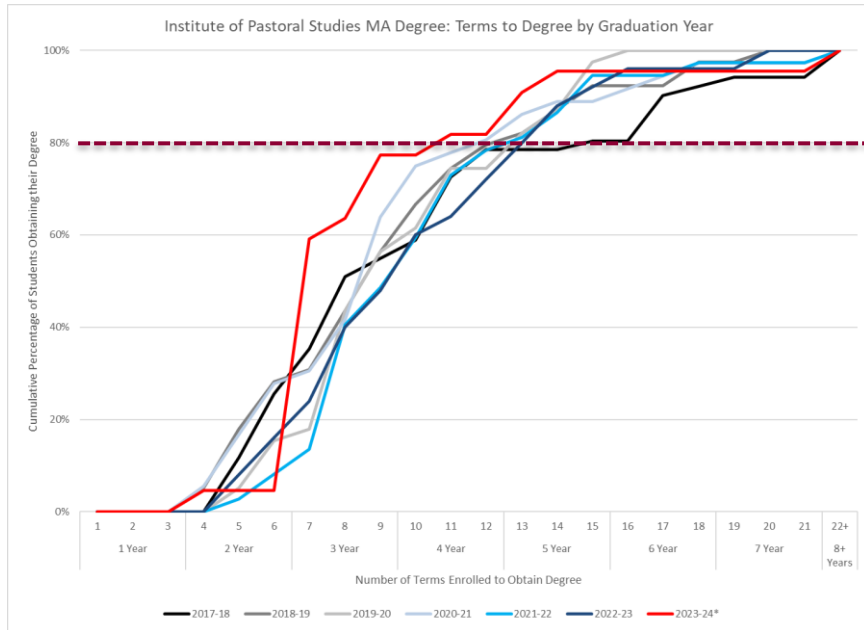
- The average number of terms to degree for Institute of Pastoral Studies M.Div students is 14.1 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 9.0 terms. 30% of M.Div students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for Institute of Pastoral Studies MA students is 10 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 7.3 terms. 26.9% of MS students are enrolled throughout the program.

Institute of Pastoral Studies M.Div Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of Institute of Pastoral Studies M.Div students are finished within 11-12 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a M.Div degree.
- 80% of Institute of Pastoral Studies M.Div students are “enrolled” in 7-11 terms, or less, to complete their M.Div Degree.

Institute of Pastoral Studies MA Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of Institute of Pastoral Studies MA students are finished within 10-12 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MA degree.
- 80% of Institute of Pastoral Studies MA students are “enrolled” in 8-9 terms, or less, to complete their MA Degree.



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School of Law

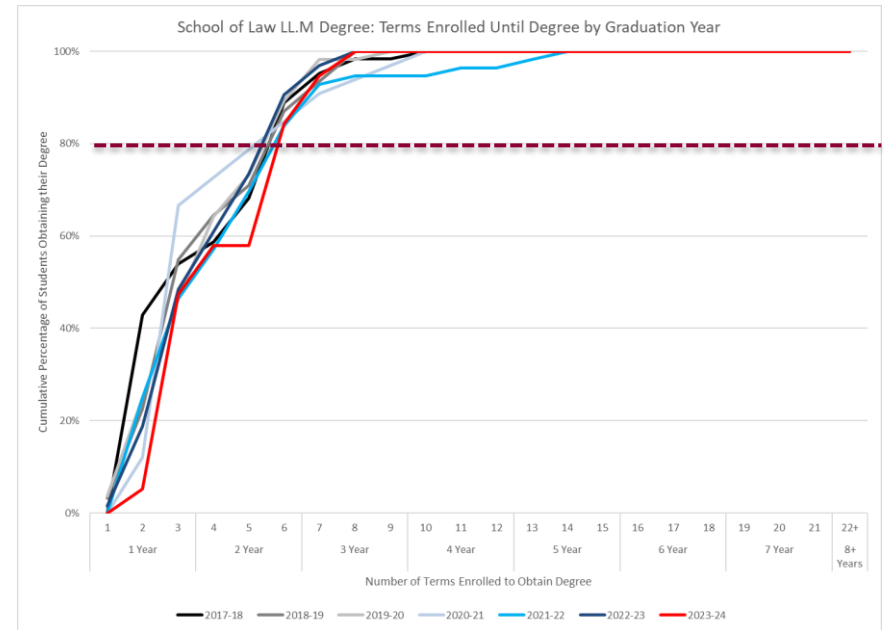
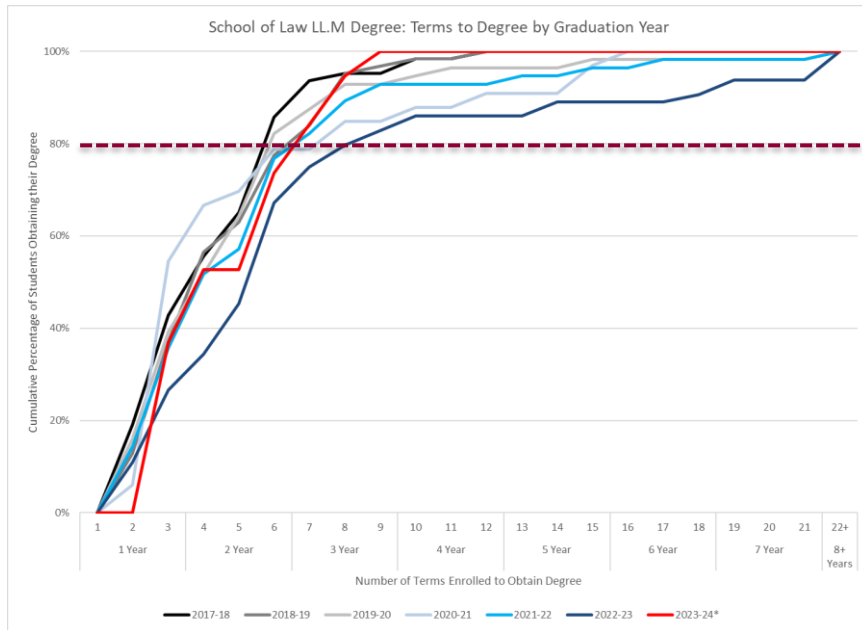
School of Law: LL.M and M.J. programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled	
LAW	LL.M	2017-18	63	4.5	4.0	60.3%	4.0	3.0
LAW	LL.M	2018-19	62	4.8	4.0	59.7%	4.0	3.0
LAW	LL.M	2019-20	56	5.1	4.0	58.9%	4.0	4.0
LAW	LL.M	2020-21	33	5.3	4.0	66.7%	3.0	3.0
LAW	LL.M	2021-22	56	5.6	4.5	51.8%	4.0	4.0
LAW	LL.M	2022-23	64	7.3	4.1	51.6%	6.0	4.0
LAW	LL.M	2023-24*	19	5.1	4.5	68.4%	4.0	4.0
Law LL.M Overall			353	5.4	4.1	58.1%	4.0	3.0
LAW	M.J.	2017-18	91	7.2	6.1	54.9%	6.0	6.0
LAW	M.J.	2018-19	102	6.8	5.7	67.6%	6.0	6.0
LAW	M.J.	2019-20	98	6.4	5.4	59.2%	6.0	6.0
LAW	M.J.	2020-21	102	7.2	6.0	69.6%	6.0	6.0
LAW	M.J.	2021-22	86	7.3	5.8	53.5%	6.0	6.0
LAW	M.J.	2022-23	79	6.2	5.5	68.4%	6.0	6.0
LAW	M.J.	2023-24*	55	6.7	5.8	69.1%	6.0	6.0
Law M.J. Overall			613	6.8	5.8	63.0%	6.0	6.0

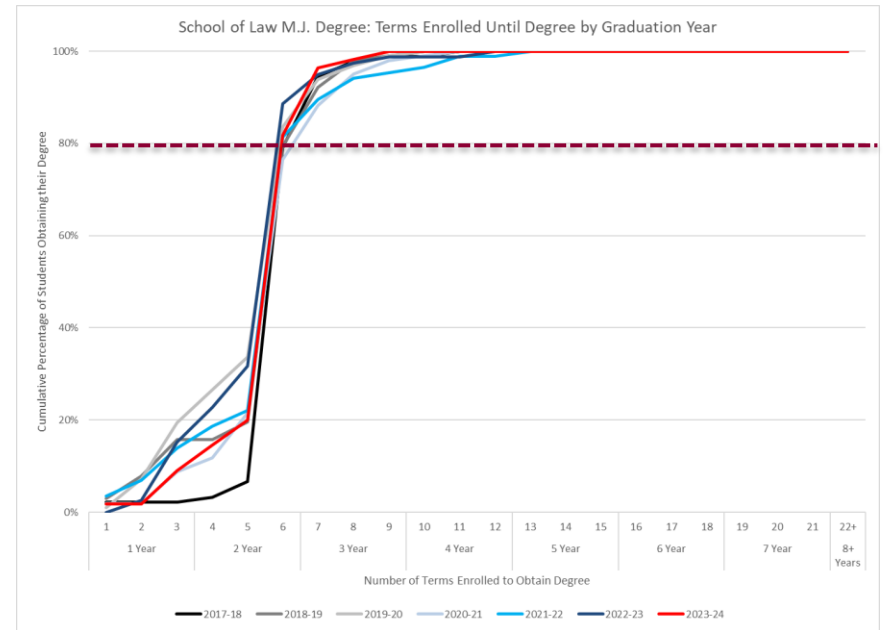
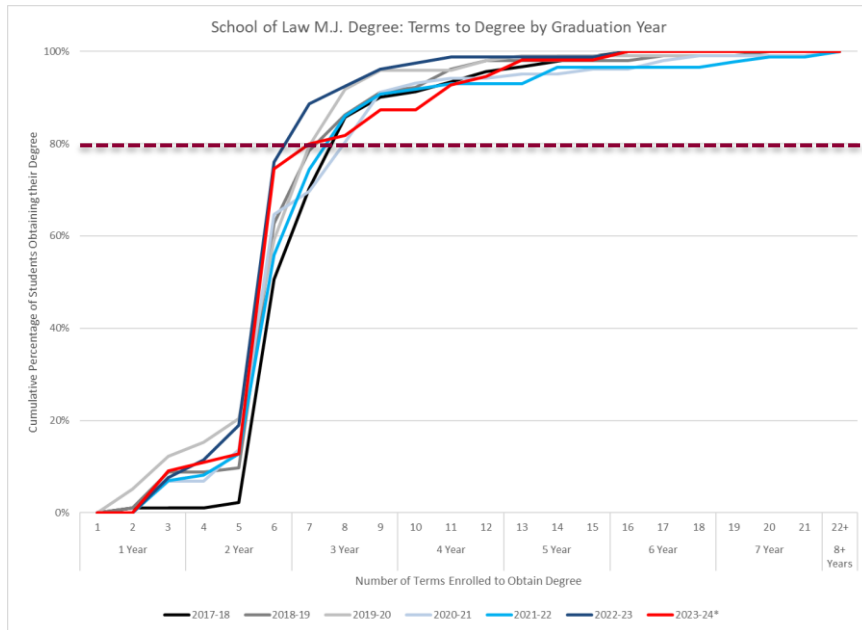
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Law LL.M students is 5.4 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.1 terms. 58.1% of LL.M students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Law M.J. students is 6.8 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 5.8 terms. 63% of M.J. students are enrolled throughout the program.

School of Law LL.M: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Law LL.M students are finished within 5-7 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a LL.M degree.
- 80% of School of Law LL.M students are “enrolled” in 5 terms, or less, to complete their LL.M Degree.

School of Law M.J.: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Law M.J. students are finished within 5-6 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a M.J. degree.
- 80% of School of Law M.J. students are “enrolled” in 5 terms, or less, to complete their M.J. Degree.



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Stritch School of Medicine

Stritch School of Medicine: DBE and MA programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled	
MEDS	DBE	2017-18	15	8.7	6.6	33.3%	8.0	6.0
MEDS	DBE	2018-19	11	7.5	7.3	72.7%	8.0	8.0
MEDS	DBE	2019-20	9	9.8	8.3	33.3%	10.0	9.0
MEDS	DBE	2020-21	10	9.4	8.1	30.0%	10.0	8.0
MEDS	DBE	2021-22	15	8.5	6.7	53.3%	7.0	6.0
MEDS	DBE	2022-23	17	9.4	8.4	70.6%	9.0	8.0
MEDS	DBE	2023-24*	9	8.3	6.7	22.2%	8.0	7.0
Med DBE Overall			86	8.8	7.4	47.7%	8.0	7.0
MEDS	MA	2017-18	28	8.7	6.6	35.7%	8.0	7.0
MEDS	MA	2018-19	35	8.9	5.9	28.6%	7.0	6.0
MEDS	MA	2019-20	25	8.5	6.7	40.0%	8.0	6.0
MEDS	MA	2020-21	25	10.5	7.7	16.0%	10.0	8.0
MEDS	MA	2021-22	34	9.1	6.9	38.2%	8.5	7.0
MEDS	MA	2022-23	20	9.8	6.9	25.0%	9.0	7.0
MEDS	MA	2023-24*	7	7.3	6.9	71.4%	6.0	6.0
Med MA Overall			174	9.1	6.7	32.8%	8.0	7.0

- The average number of terms to degree for School of Medicine DBE students is 8.8 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 7.4 terms. 47.7% of DBE students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Medicine MA students is 9.1 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 6.7 terms. 32.8% of MA students are enrolled throughout the program.

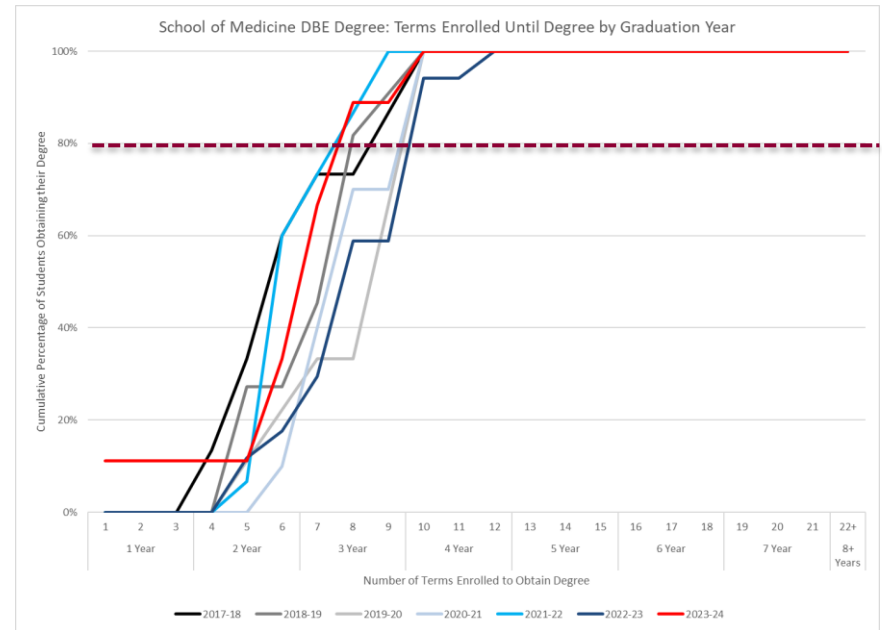
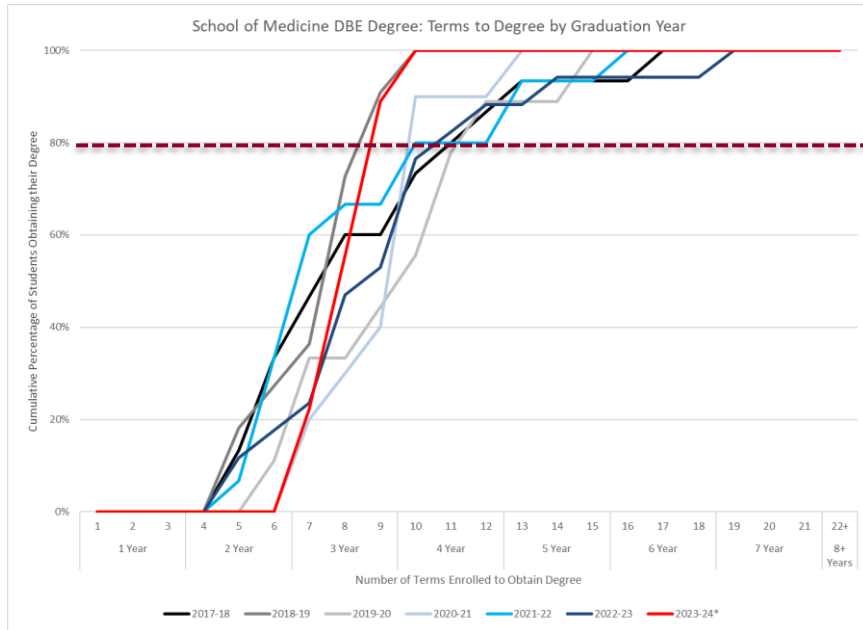
Stritch School of Medicine: MS and Ph.D programs

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SchoolCD	Year Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled	
MEDS	MS	2017-18	4.2	2.7	58.7%	2.0	2.0	
MEDS	MS	2018-19	4.3	2.8	57.9%	2.0	2.0	
MEDS	MS	2019-20	3.7	2.8	60.5%	2.0	2.0	
MEDS	MS	2020-21	4.3	2.6	74.4%	2.0	2.0	
MEDS	MS	2021-22	3.4	2.9	55.9%	2.0	2.0	
MEDS	MS	2022-23	19	4.4	47.4%	2.0	2.0	
MEDS	MS	2023-24*	11	6.6	4.4	6.0	4.0	
Med MS Overall			229	4.0	2.8	57.6%	2.0	
MEDS	PH.D	2017-18	11	16.8	11.6	8.3%	17.0	12.0
MEDS	PH.D	2018-19	10	13.7	11.5	20.0%	12.0	11.0
MEDS	PH.D	2019-20	14	15.4	12.3	7.1%	15.0	13.0
MEDS	PH.D	2020-21	11	15.0	12.5	9.1%	16.0	15.0
MEDS	PH.D	2021-22	10	15.7	13.3	0.0%	16.5	13.0
MEDS	PH.D	2022-23	14	14.8	12.3	0.0%	13.5	11.5
MEDS	PH.D	2023-24*	8	18.3	17.1	37.5%	19.0	18.5
Med Ph.D Overall			79	15.5	12.7	10.1%	15.5	13.0

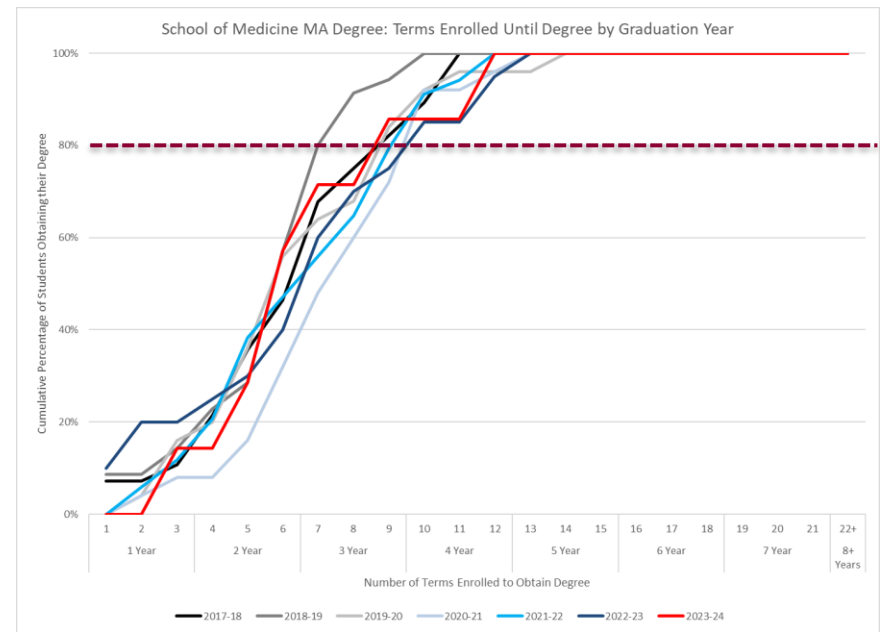
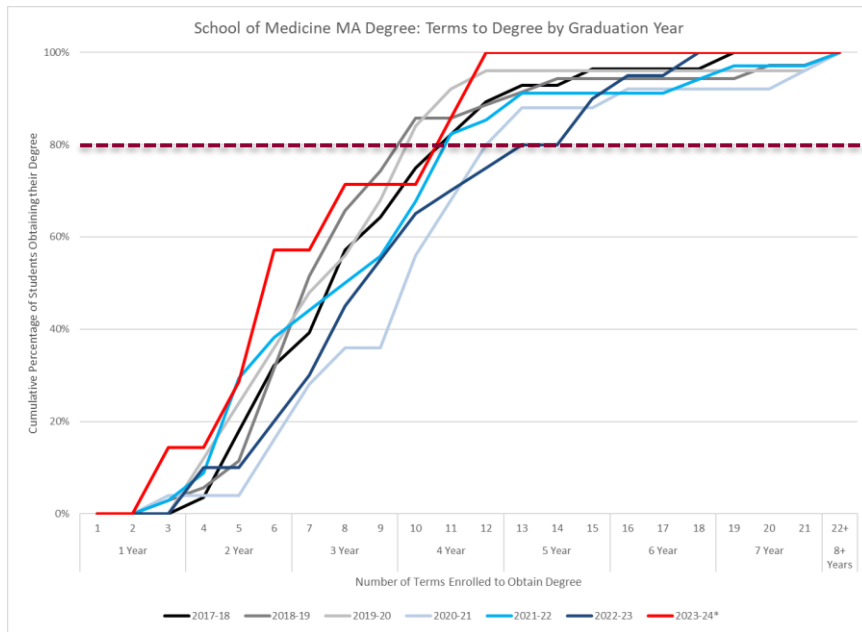
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Medicine MS students is 4.0 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 2.8 terms. 57.6% of MS students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Medicine Ph.D students is 15.5 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 12.7 terms. 10.1% of Ph.D students are enrolled throughout the program.

Stritch School of Medicine DBE: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



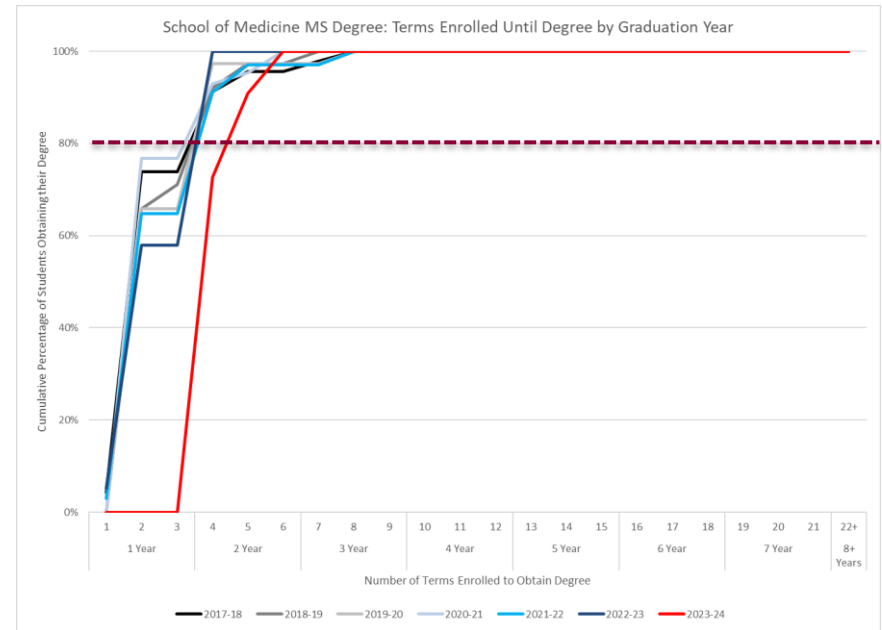
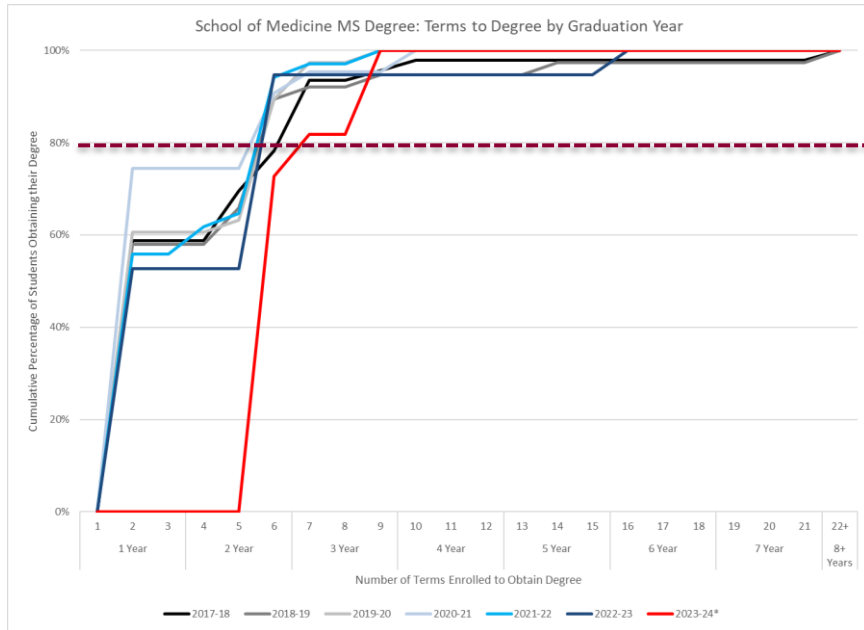
- 80% of School of Medicine DBE students are finished within 7-10 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a DBE degree.
- 80% of School of Medicine DBE students are “enrolled” in 6-8 terms, or less, to complete their DBE Degree.

Stritch School of Medicine MA: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



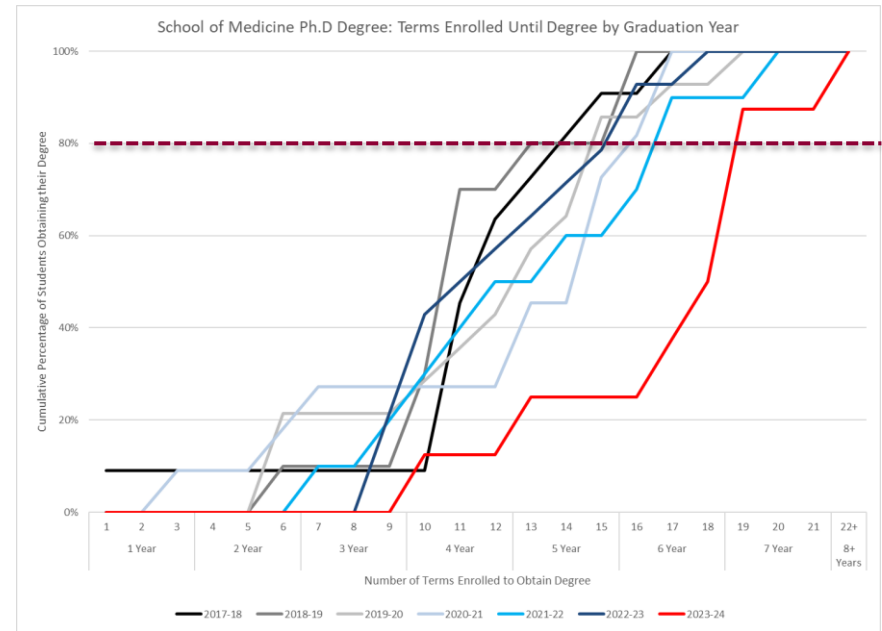
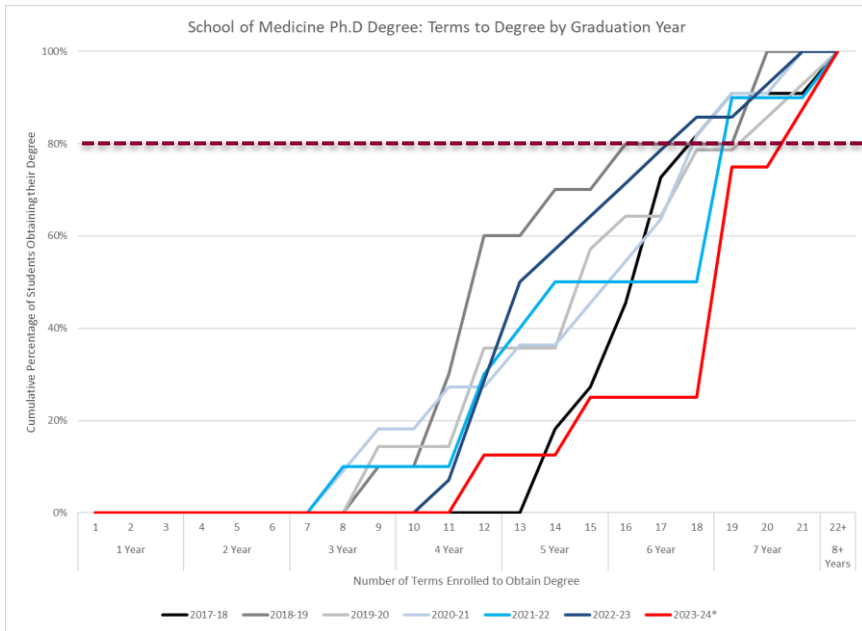
- 80% of School of Medicine MA students are finished within 8-11 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MA degree.
- 80% of School of Medicine MA students are “enrolled” in 6-8 terms, or less, to complete their MA Degree.

Stritch School of Medicine MS: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Medicine MS students are finished within 4-5 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MS degree.
- 80% of School of Medicine MS students are “enrolled” in 2-3 terms, or less, to complete their MS Degree.

Stritch School of Medicine Ph.D: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Medicine Ph.D students are finished within 16-19 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a Ph.D degree.
- 80% of School of Medicine Ph.D students are “enrolled” in 12-15 terms, or less, to complete their Ph.D Degree.



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Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing

Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing: DNP, MSN and Ph.D Programs

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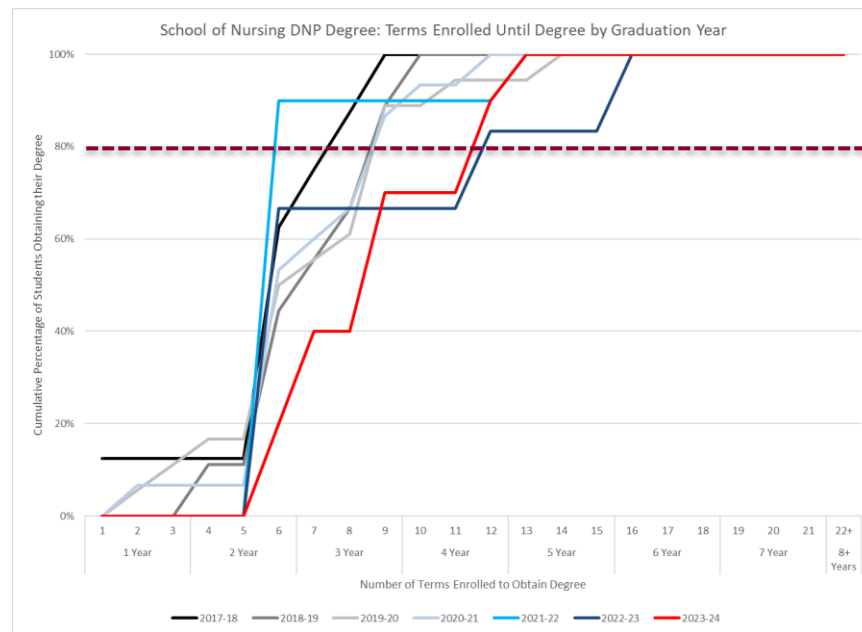
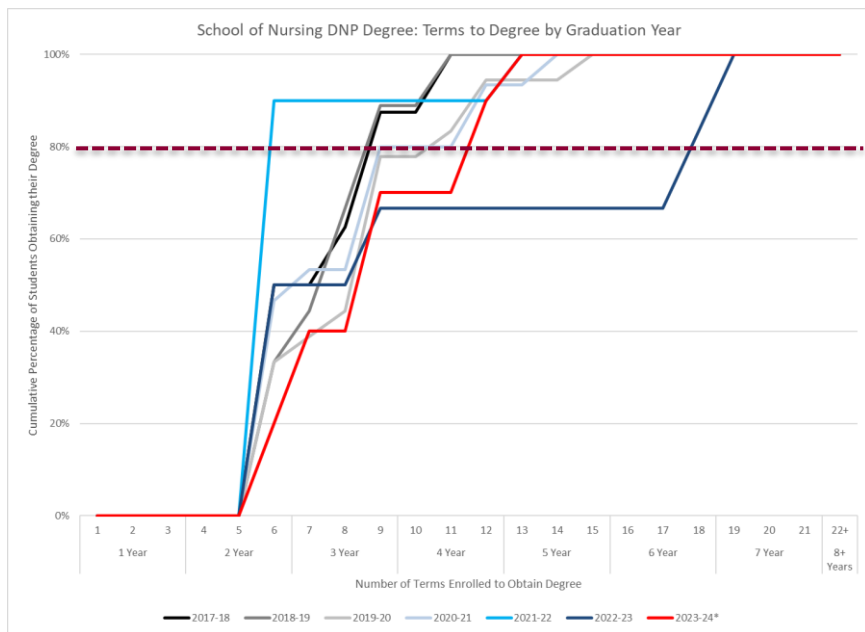
SchoolCD	Degree Type	Degree Awarded	Year	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
NURS	DNP	2017-18		7.6	6.1	62.5%	7.0	6.0
NURS	DNP	2018-19		7.8	7.2	66.7%	8.0	7.0
NURS	DNP	2019-20		8.6	7.2	77.8%	9.0	6.5
NURS	DNP	2020-21		8.2	7.2	73.3%	7.0	6.0
NURS	DNP	2021-22		6.7	6.7	100.0%	6.0	6.0
NURS	DNP	2022-23		10.7	8.7	50.0%	7.5	6.0
NURS	DNP	2023-24*		9.0	9.0	100.0%	9.0	9.0
Nursing DNP Overall				8.3	7.4	77.6%	7.0	6.0

NURS	MSN	2017-18		10.4	9.3	67.9%	10.0	10.0
NURS	MSN	2018-19		10.4	9.7	71.6%	10.0	10.0
NURS	MSN	2019-20		10.5	9.6	72.5%	10.0	10.0
NURS	MSN	2020-21		11.4	9.9	53.8%	11.0	10.0
NURS	MSN	2021-22		10.7	9.7	68.8%	10.0	10.0
NURS	MSN	2022-23		10.3	9.6	75.6%	10.0	10.0
NURS	MSN	2023-24*		10.8	10.2	61.9%	10.0	10.0
Nursing MSN Overall				10.6	9.6	68.2%	10.0	10.0

NURS	PH.D	2017-18		19.8	16.6	0.0%	15.0	14.0
NURS	PH.D	2018-19		34.3	17.9	0.0%	24.0	17.0
NURS	PH.D	2019-20		22.3	19.3	0.0%	20.0	17.0
NURS	PH.D	2020-21		23.3	18.7	0.0%	18.0	15.0
NURS	PH.D	2021-22		23.0	18.0	50.0%	23.0	18.0
NURS	PH.D	2022-23		19.3	15.3	0.0%	18.0	14.5
NURS	PH.D	2023-24*		23.0	18.0	0.0%	24.0	17.0
Nursing Ph.D Overall				24.5	17.7	3.2%	20.0	16.0

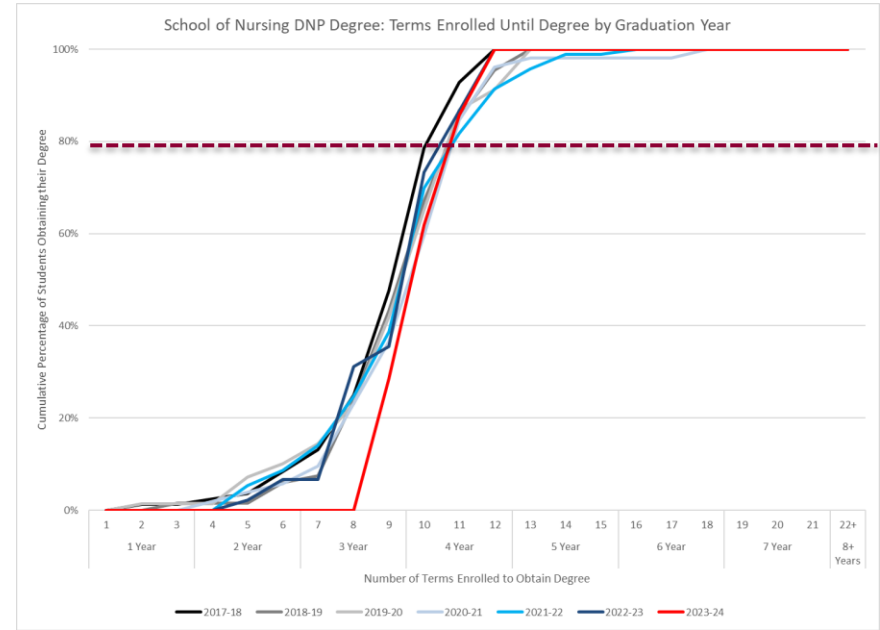
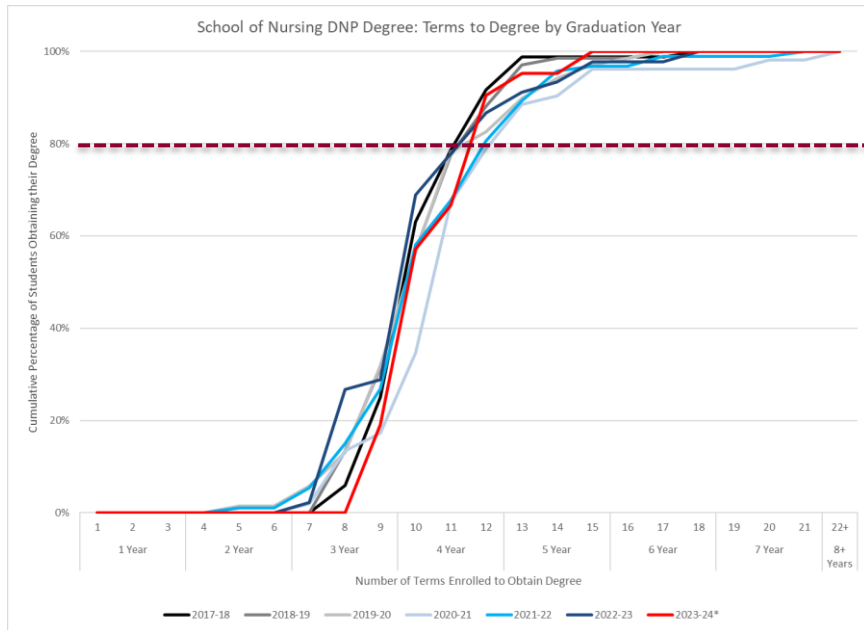
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Nursing DNP students is 8.3 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 7.4 terms. 77.6% of DNP students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Nursing MSN students is 10.6 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 9.6 terms. 68.2% of MSN students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Nursing Ph.D students is 24.5 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 17.7 terms. 3.2% of Ph.D students are enrolled throughout the program.

Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing DNP: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



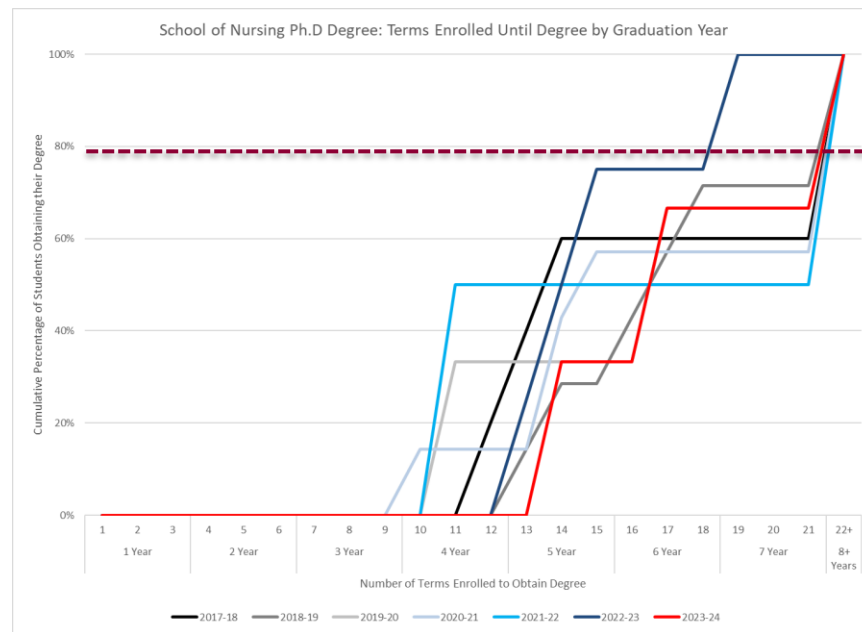
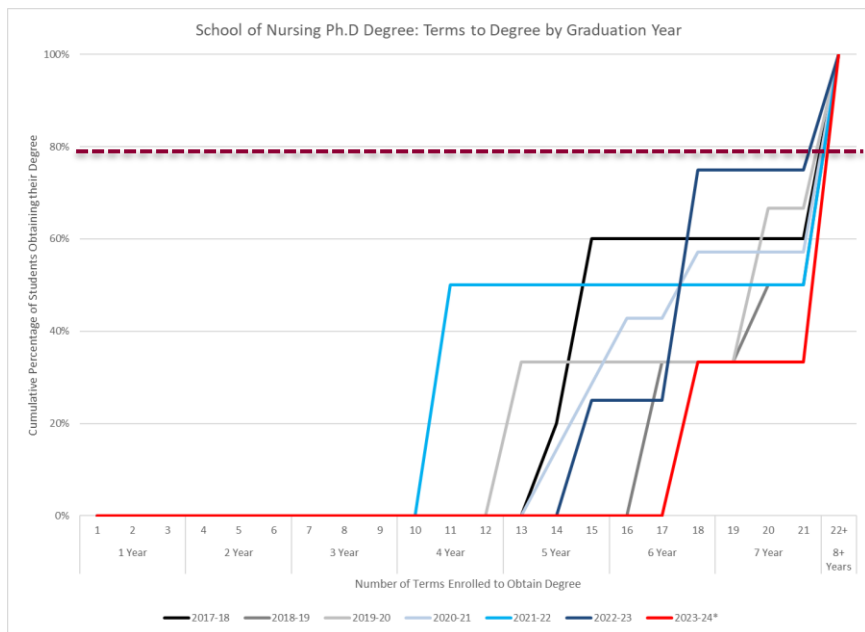
- 80% of School of Nursing DNP students are finished within 8-10 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a DNP degree.
- 80% of School of Nursing DNP students are “enrolled” in 6-8 terms, or less, to complete their DNP Degree.

Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing MSN: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Nursing MSN students are finished within 10-11 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MSN degree.
- 80% of School of Nursing MSN students are “enrolled” in 9-10 terms, or less, to complete their MSN Degree.

Marcella Niehoff School of Nursing Ph.D: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Nursing Ph.D students are finished within 21 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a Ph.D degree.
- 80% of School of Nursing Ph.D students are “enrolled” in 17-21 terms, or less, to complete their Ph.D Degree.



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School of Environmental Sustainability

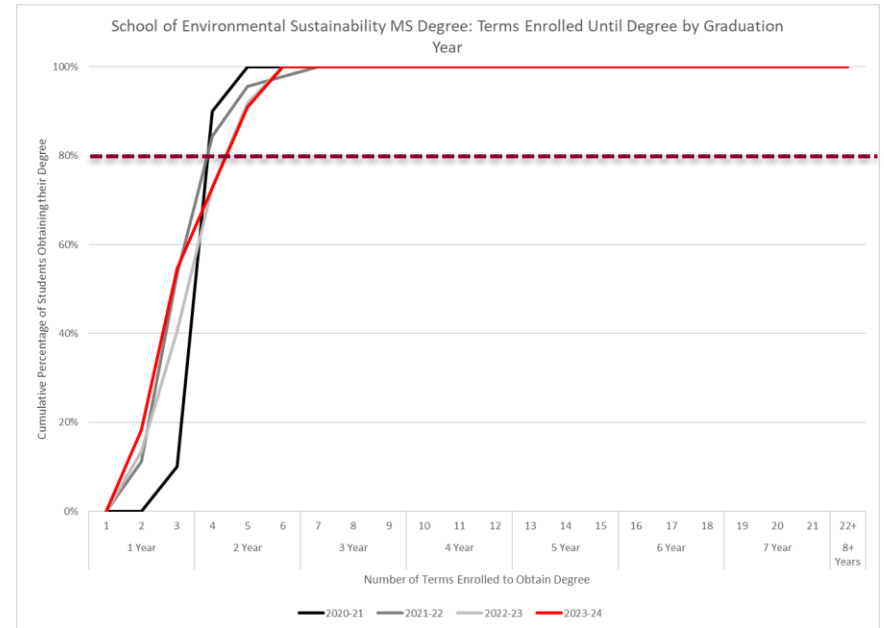
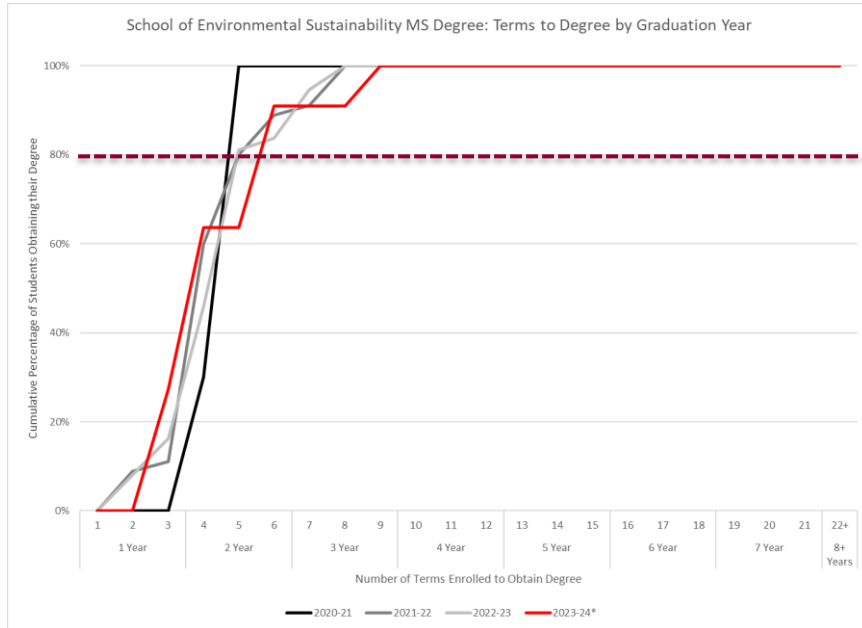
School of Environmental Sustainability: MS Programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Degree Year Awarded	Students	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
SES	MS	2020-21	10	4.7	4.0	30.0%	5.0	4.0
SES	MS	2021-22	45	4.6	3.6	22.2%	4.0	3.0
SES	MS	2022-23	37	4.7	3.8	24.3%	5.0	4.0
SES	MS	2023-24*	11	4.7	3.6	18.2%	4.0	3.0
SES MS Overall			103	4.7	3.7	23.3%	4.0	4.0

- The average number of terms to degree for School of Environmental Sustainability MS students is 4.7 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 3.7 terms. 23.3% of MS students are enrolled throughout the program.

School of Environmental Sustainability MS: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Environmental Sustainability MS students are finished within 4-5 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MS degree.
- 80% of School of Environmental Sustainability MS students are “enrolled” in 3-4 terms, or less, to complete their MS Degree.



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School of Communication

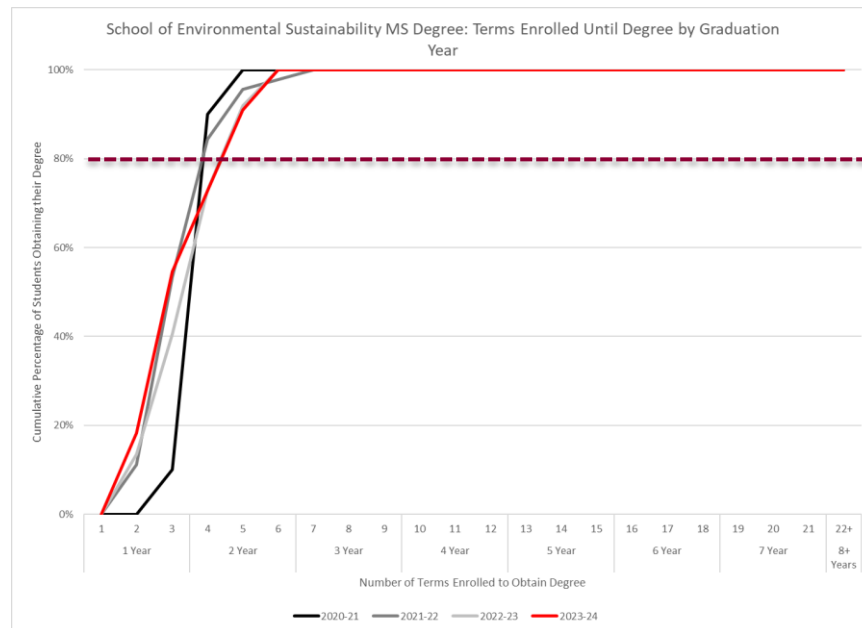
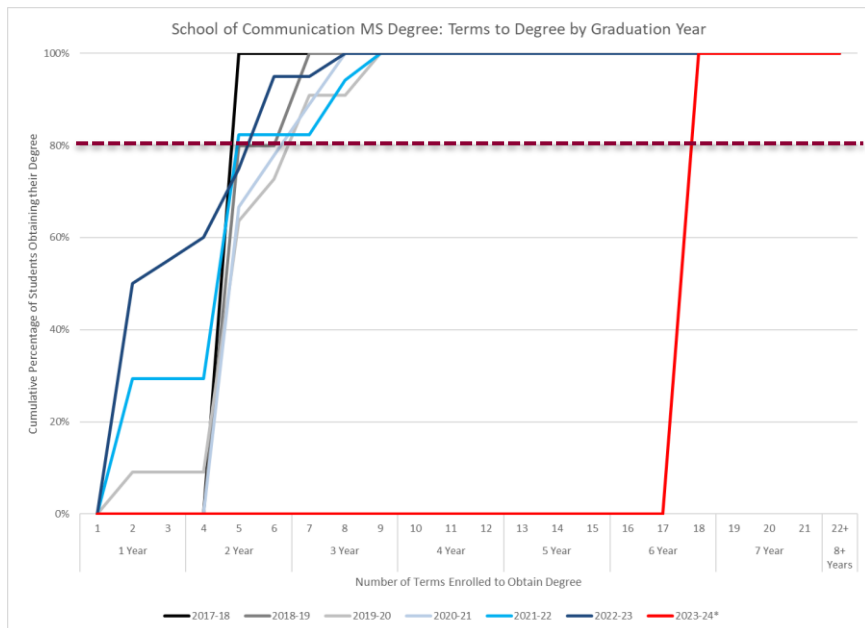
School of Communication: MC and MS programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Students	Average	Number of	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median	Median
				No of Terms til Degree	Terms Enrolled		Number of Terms Til Degree	Number of Terms Enrolled
SOC	MC	2017-18	10	5.7	5.0	40.0%	5.0	5.0
SOC	MC	2018-19	20	5.9	4.6	15.0%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MC	2019-20	12	5.0	4.1	8.3%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MC	2020-21	11	6.1	4.7	0.0%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MC	2021-22	21	5.5	4.4	4.8%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MC	2022-23	14	5.3	4.4	14.3%	5.0	4.0
Communication MC Overall			88	5.6	4.5	12.5%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MS	2017-18	7	5.0	5.0	100.0%	5.0	5.0
SOC	MS	2018-19	10	5.4	4.9	50.0%	5.0	5.0
SOC	MS	2019-20	11	5.5	5.2	72.7%	5.0	5.0
SOC	MS	2020-21	9	5.7	4.8	22.2%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MS	2021-22	17	4.7	4.1	52.9%	5.0	4.0
SOC	MS	2022-23	20	3.7	3.4	80.0%	2.5	2.5
SOC	MS	2023-24*	1	18.0	5.0	0.0%	18.0	5.0
Communication MS Overall			75	5.0	4.3	62.7%	5.0	5.0

- The average number of terms to degree for School of Communication MC students is 5.6 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.5 terms. 12.5% of MC students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Communication MS students is 5.0 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.3 terms. 62.7% of MS students are enrolled throughout the program.

School of Communication MS: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Communication MS students are finished within 4-6 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MS degree. (*note: 1 student in 2023-24 co-hort*)
- 80% of School of Communication MS students are “enrolled” in 3 terms, or less, to complete their MS Degree.



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School of Social Work

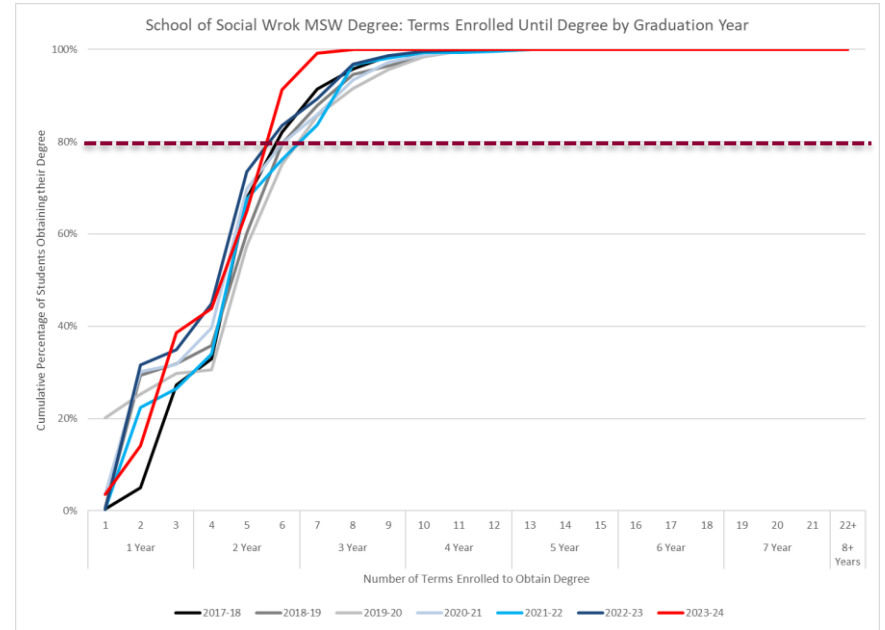
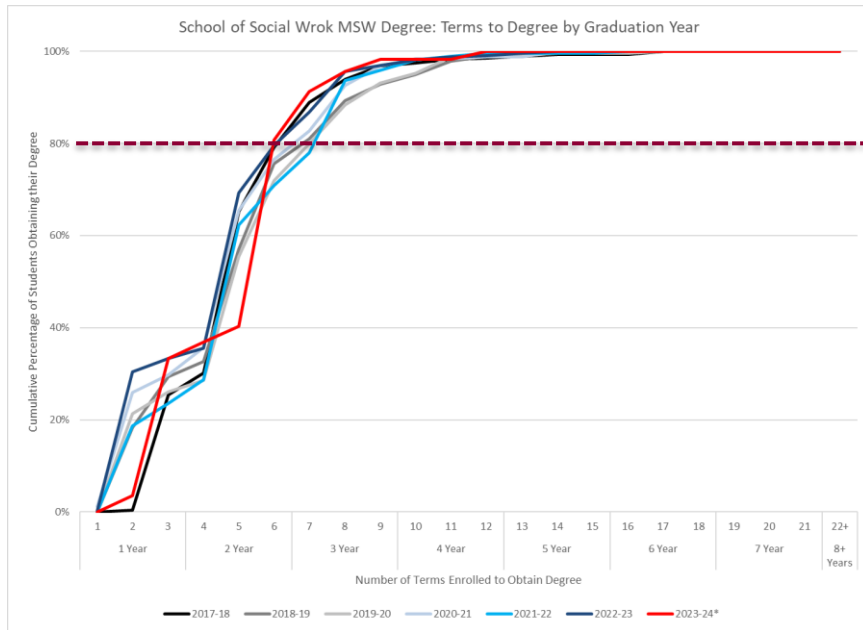
School of Social Work: MSW and Ph.D programs

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SchoolCD	Degree Type	Year Degree Awarded	Students	Average No of Terms til Degree	Average Number of Terms Enrolled	Number of Students enrolled all the time	Median Number of Terms Til Degree	Median Number of Terms Enrolled
SSW	MSW	2017-18	279	5.3	5.0	87.5%	5.0	5.0
SSW	MSW	2018-19	279	5.3	4.8	74.2%	5.0	5.0
SSW	MSW	2019-20	249	5.4	5.1	85.1%	5.0	5.0
SSW	MSW	2020-21	255	5.0	4.7	83.9%	5.0	5.0
SSW	MSW	2021-22	268	5.3	5.0	84.0%	5.0	5.0
SSW	MSW	2022-23	430	4.8	4.5	80.2%	5.0	5.0
SSW	MSW	2023-24*	114	5.2	4.4	57.9%	6.0	5.0
Social Work MSW Overall			1874	5.2	4.8	80.7%	5.0	5.0
SSW	PH.D	2017-18	2	28.0	18.0	0.0%	28.0	18.0
SSW	PH.D	2018-19	1	16.0	11.0	0.0%	16.0	11.0
SSW	PH.D	2019-20	3	18.3	14.3	0.0%	16.0	13.0
SSW	PH.D	2020-21	6	17.7	12.5	0.0%	17.0	12.0
SSW	PH.D	2021-22	4	19.3	14.5	0.0%	19.5	14.5
SSW	PH.D	2022-23	4	15.0	11.3	0.0%	13.5	10.5
SSW	PH.D	2023-24*	4	17.0	12.0	0.0%	15.5	11.0
Social Work Ph.D Overall			24	18.3	13.2	0.0%	16.0	12.0

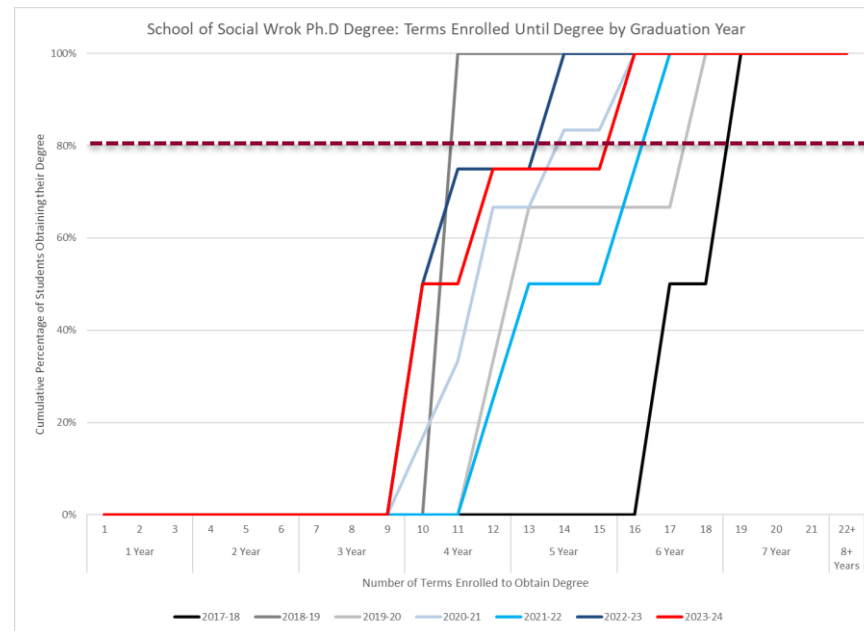
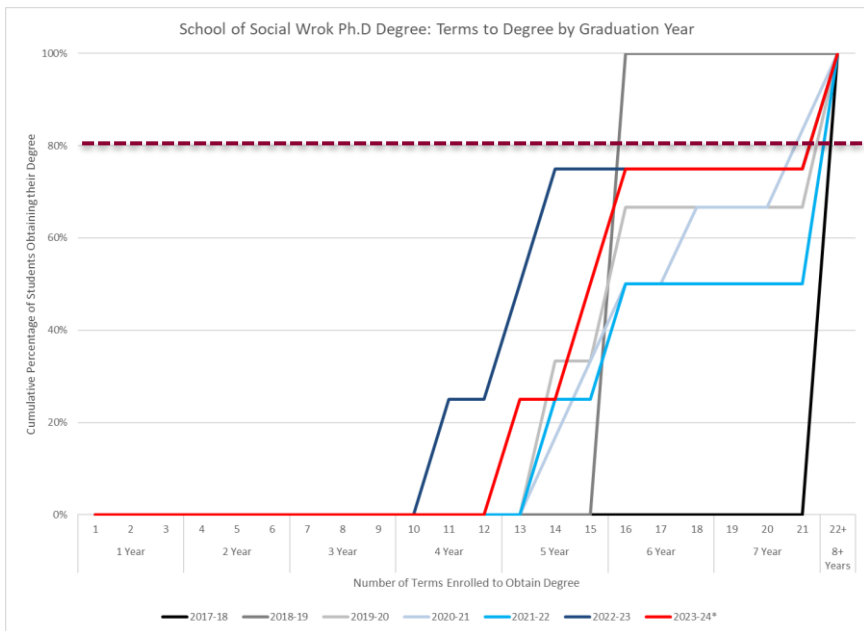
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Social Work MSW students is 5.2 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 4.8 terms. 80.7% of MSW students are enrolled throughout the program.
- The average number of terms to degree for School of Social Work Ph.D students is 18.3 terms, the average number of terms enrolled is 13.2 terms. 0% of Ph.D students are enrolled throughout the program.

School of Social Work MSW: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Social Work MSW students are finished within 5-7 terms from “start to finish” to obtain a MSW degree.
- 80% of School of Social Work MSW students are “enrolled” in 4-6 terms, or less, to complete their MSW Degree.

School of Social Work Ph.D: Terms to Degree and Terms Enrolled to Degree Distributions



- 80% of School of Social Work Ph.D students are finished within 20-22+ terms from “start to finish” to obtain a Ph.D degree.
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