

Peer Institution Comparison
Instructional Faculty Demographics
Autumn 2005

Institution	Total Faculty		Terminal Degree		% with Terminal Degree		Female Faculty		Male Faculty		Minority Faculty		** Student to Faculty Ratio
	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time	
Youngstown State University (OH)	427	552	349	109	81.7%	19.7%	159	288	268	264	59	29	17.5 to 1
Bowling Green State University (OH)	841	209	667	NR	79.3%	NR	348	115	493	94	129	16	19.0 to 1
Central Connecticut State University (CT)*	409	475	315	23	77.0%	4.8%	162	228	247	247	69	26	19.0 to 1
Central Michigan University (MI)	704	391	574	95	81.5%	24.3%	277	165	427	226	105	39	22.3 to 1
Cleveland State University (OH)	575	422	495	72	86.1%	17.1%	209	197	366	225	103	70	14.1 to 1
Eastern Kentucky University (KY)*	553	403	NR	NR	NR	NR	262	220	291	183	55	38	17.0 to 1
Ferris State University (MI)*	521	297	219	38	42.0%	12.8%	183	151	338	146	49	7	15.0 to 1
Northern Kentucky University (KY)*	487	301	331	NR	68.0%	NR	243	143	244	158	53	16	18.0 to 1
Northern Michigan University (MI)	305	125	197	NR	64.6%	NR	120	NR	185	NR	18	NR	23.0 to 1
Oakland University (MI)*	434	405	398	131	91.7%	32.3%	172	225	262	180	101	59	22.0 to 1
University of Southern Indiana-Evansville (IN)	303	316	190	61	62.7%	19.3%	149	185	154	131	26	15	18.1 to 1
University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh (WI)	381	185	324	50	85.0%	27.0%	153	116	228	69	48	11	20.0 to 1
Western Kentucky University (KY)	694	413	513	60	73.9%	14.5%	303	215	391	198	81	17	19.0 to 1
Minimum value from set of Peer Institutions	303	125	190	23	42.0%	4.8%	120	115	154	69	18	7	14.1 to 1
Maximum value from set of Peer Institutions	841	552	667	131	91.7%	32.3%	348	288	493	264	129	70	23.0 to 1
Mean value from set of Peer Institutions ***	510.3	345.7	381.0	71.0	74.7%	20.5%	210.8	187.3	299.5	176.8	68.9	28.6	18.8 to 1
Median value from set of Peer Institutions ***	487.0	391.0	340.0	61.0	78.2%	19.3%	183.0	191.0	268.0	181.5	59.0	21.5	19.0 to 1
Youngstown State University's Ranking among Peer Institutions ****	9th of 13	1st of 13	6th of 12	2nd of 9	4th of 12	4th of 9	10th of 13	1st of 12	7th of 13	1st of 12	7th of 13	5th of 12	4th of 13

Note: Data not available for Boise State University, Grand Valley University, and Wright State University

The number of courses taught by part-time faculty may vary greatly. Therefore, comparisons between institutions and part-time/full-time faculty ratios may be misleading.

NR = Not Reported

* Reporting period Autumn 2004

** Determined by the ratio of Fall term full-time equivalent students (full-time plus 1/3 part-time) to full-time equivalent instructional faculty (full-time plus 1/3 part-time).

*** The mean, or average, is calculated by summing the values from all reporting institutions and then dividing by the number of reporting institutions. The median value is the observation that is in the middle of the set or the value that divides the set in half where 50% of the values are equal to or greater than the median and 50% are less. The median becomes useful when examining a set containing extreme values that greatly affect the mean.

**** Except for the student to faculty ratio, rankings are from highest to lowest. For example, YSU's rank of #9 for total number of full-time faculty means that eight other institutions have more full-time faculty members than YSU. In the case of the student to faculty ratio, the lowest ratio receives the highest ranking.

A **Terminal Degree** is defined as a doctorate, first professional, or terminal master's degree that is considered the highest degree in a particular field of study.

Minority Faculty includes faculty members who designate themselves as black, non-hispanic; American Indian or Alaska Native; Asian or Pacific Islander; or Hispanic.

Source: Common Data Set from universities' web sites