

Animal Science Graduate Program(s)

In Dairy and Animal Science and Poultry Science

Mission Statement: *(Source: 2004 Program Review Materials)*

The Departments of Dairy and Animal Science and of Poultry Science in Penn State's College of Agricultural Sciences offer a graduate program in Animal Science leading to the Master of Agriculture (M.Agr.), Master of Science (M.S.), and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees. The plan of study followed by a degree candidate is determined by the candidate's background and interests. The academic program is developed jointly by the student and the advisor, with the approval of the student's graduate committee.

Doctorate

Masters

Current (Fall 2007) Data

The number of students in the program that fall into each of the following categories: *(Source: EIS Semester Census Data)*

Total number of students: 5

Gender: Male: 3 Female: 2

Enrollment Status: Full-time: 5 Part-time: 0

Citizenship: U.S. Citizens: 2
Permanent Residents: 1
Temporary Visa Holders: 2

Race/Ethnicity: White, Non-Hispanic: 1
(for US citizens or permanent residents only) Black, Non-Hispanic: 0
Hispanic: 1
Asian or Pacific Islander: 0
American Indian or Alaskan Native: 0
International: 2
Race/Ethnicity Unknown: 1

Total number of students: 11

Gender: Male: 7 Female: 4

Enrollment Status: Full-time: 7 Part-time: 4

Citizenship: U.S. Citizens: 9
Permanent Residents: 0
Temporary Visa Holders: 2

Race/Ethnicity: White, Non-Hispanic: 8
(for US citizens or permanent residents only) Black, Non-Hispanic: 0
Hispanic: 0
Asian or Pacific Islander: 1
American Indian or Alaskan Native: 0
International: 2
Race/Ethnicity Unknown: 0

GRE Scores

The number of students enrolling for the first time who reported their median Verbal/Quantitative GRE scores. *(Source: EIS Graduate School History Admissions)*

02/03: 510/670 = 1180

03/04: 440/623 = 1063

04/05: 0/0 = 0

05/06: 570/600 = 1170

06/07: 430/620 = 1050

02/03: 442/708 = 1149

03/04: 508/570 = 1078

04/05: 447/585 = 1032

05/06: 424/582 = 1006

06/07: 511/672 = 1183

Degrees Awarded

The number of Degrees awarded in the program in each of the past five academic years*. *(Source: EIS Graduate Degrees Conferred)*

02/03: 3

03/04: 1

04/05: 3

05/06: 2

06/07: 1

02/03: 4

03/04: 3

04/05: 0

05/06: 5

06/07: 5

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Time to Degree

The average time from enrollment to graduation for students in the following academic years*. (Source: EIS Graduate School Degrees Conferred using the Avg Years to Grad measure.)

02/03: 7.33	02/03: 2.40
03/04: 3.92	03/04: 6.47
04/05: 5.89	04/05: 0.00
05/06: 5.25	05/06: 3.66
06/07: 3.33	06/07: 2.95

The median time to degree for doctoral degrees granted between 1999 and 2005. (Source: Graduate Information Executive Suite - Average and Median Time to Degree Reports)

From First Semester of Entry: 3.96
From Passing of Candidacy Exam: 3.19

Selectivity and Yield

The number of applicants, offers, acceptances, and new enrollees to the program. (Source: EIS Graduate School History Admissions)

Academic Year*	# of Applicants	# of Offers	Selectivity (# of offers/# of applicants)	# of Acceptances	# of New Enrollees to Program	Yield (# of new enrollees/# of offers)
02/03	17	2	12%	2	2	100%
03/04	17	3	18%	3	3	100%
04/05	2	0	0%	0	0	?
05/06	10	1	10%	1	1	100%
06/07	6	2	33%	2	1	50%
5-Yr Avg	10.4	1.6	15%	1.6	1.4	88%

Academic Year*	# of Applicants	# of Offers	Selectivity (# of offers/# of applicants)	# of Acceptances	# of New Enrollees to Program	Yield (# of new enrollees/# of offers)
02/03	17	7	41%	6	6	86%
03/04	22	4	18%	4	4	100%
04/05	19	6	32%	6	6	100%
05/06	23	5	22%	5	5	100%
06/07	18	6	33%	6	5	83%
5-Yr Avg	19.8	5.6	28%	5.4	5.2	93%

Placement

(Source: 2004 Program Review Materials)

	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	Totals
Academia	0	0	0	3	5	8
Private/Industry	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public/Government	0	0	0	1	0	1

	03/04	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	Totals
Continuing Grad Ed	0	0	0	1	4	5
Private/Industry	1	0	0	2	0	3
Public/Government	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Doctorate Progress

The number of students who entered the program, left the program, entered candidacy, and the number who completed their degrees or are still in the program. (Source: Graduate Information Executive Suite - Time to Degree Reports)

Entering Academic Year	# of Entering Doctoral Students	# of Students Who Left Program	# of Students Admitted to Candidacy	Of those admitted to doctoral candidacy:										
				Number who completed within given number of years after enrolling										# Who Are Still Enrolled After 10 Years
				3 Years	4 Years	5 Years	6 Years	7 Years	8 Years	9 Years	10 Years			
94/95	6	1	5		2	2				1				
95/96	3	0	3		3									
96/97	1	0	1											
97/98	3	1	2		1	1								
98/99	3	0	3		3									
99/00	3	0	3		1	1								
00/01	2	0	2		1									
01/02	5	2	3		1									
02/03	1	1												
TOTALS	27	5	22		12	4				1				

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