IPEDS Race/Ethnicity, Degree Classification, Finance & Financial Aid Changes and New Spring Supplement

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IPEDS
Degree Classification Changes
# Degree Classification Changes

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<td><strong>Post-Master's certificate</strong> <em>(Combines current Post-Master’s and First-Professional certificates into one category.)</em></td>
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| Doctor's degree                                   | Doctor's degree – research/scholarship  
Doctor's degree – professional practice  
Doctor's degree – other |
| First-Professional degree                         | **Eliminated** |
Doctoral Degree categories

1. Doctor’s degree – Research/Scholarship

A Ph.D. or other doctor's degree that requires advanced work beyond the master’s level, including the preparation and defense of a dissertation based on original research, or the planning and execution of an original project demonstrating substantial artistic or scholarly achievement.
2. Doctor’s degree – Professional Practice

A doctor’s degree that is conferred upon completion of a program providing the knowledge and skills for the recognition, credential, or license required for professional practice.

The degree is awarded after a period of study such that the total time to the degree, including both pre-professional and professional preparation, equals at least six full-time equivalent academic years.
Doctoral Degree categories

3. Doctor’s degree – Other

A doctor’s degree that does not meet the definition of a doctor’s degree - research/scholarship or a doctor’s degree - professional practice.
Master’s Degree categories

4. Master’s degree

An award that requires the successful completion of a program of study of generally one or two full-time equivalent academic years of work beyond the bachelor's degree.
Degree Classification Changes

Four components of the IPEDS collection would be affected:

- Institutional Characteristics (IC)
- Completions (C)
- 12-Month Enrollment (E12)
- Fall Enrollment (EF)
Degree Classification Timeline

Institutional Characteristics (Fall) & Fall Enrollment (Winter or Spring)
- 2008-09 Optional
- 2009-10 Mandatory

Completions (Fall) & 12-Month Enrollment (Fall)
- 2008-09 Optional
- 2009-10 Optional
- 2010-11 Mandatory
### Degree Classification Screening Questions

**Advanced degree question**

What method will you use to report data on your institution's doctor's degrees and professional degrees on BOTH Institutional Characteristics in Fall 2008 and Fall Enrollment in Winter 2008-09/Spring 2009?

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To use this method, you will need to recode all doctor's and first-professional degrees into the four graduate level categories listed above. You will also report any first-professional certificates as post-master's certificates. You will be required to use this method when reporting this survey in 2009-10 IPEDS.

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<td>This institution does not have any programs beyond the baccalaureate level.</td>
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Please note: The Fall Enrollment data that you will report this winter or spring MUST use the same method for reporting professional programs that you use for the Institutional Characteristics survey this fall. No changes to reporting method will be allowed after the fall data collection closes.
IPEDS Student Financial Aid Changes
## Student Financial Aid

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Finance Changes
Revise IPEDS Finance

Changes for IPEDS Finance form for institutions that use:

- FASB – 12 proposed changes
- GASB – 8 proposed changes
- For-Profit – No proposed changes
Revise IPEDS Finance

IPEDS Finance form FASB institutions:

1. Add following categories to Part A – Statement of Financial Position:
   a. Assets:
      1. Property, Plant, and Equipment
      2. Accumulated Depreciation
      3. Intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization
      4. Debt related to Property, Plant, and Equipment

2. Change the categories of net assets on Part A to the following:
   a. Unrestricted net assets
   b. Temporarily restricted net assets
   c. Permanently restricted net assets

3. Add the following categories to the Property, Plant and Equipment section (page 2) of Part A:
   a. Construction in progress
   b. Other
   c. Accumulated deprecation
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4. Delete “Property obtained under capital leases (if not included in equipment)” and clarify in the instructions to include property obtained under capital leases in the categories that best describe the property, such as equipment, buildings, etc.

5. Add a caveats box on Part B.

6. Pre-populate net assets at the beginning of the year (line 5 of Part B) with previous year’s collection of net assets at end of year. However, the keyholder would have the ability to overwrite it.

7. Change the title of Part C from “Student Grants” to “Scholarships and Fellowships” to be consistent with form for GASB institutions.

8. Change the format of Part D (Revenues) so that they are reported in 3 columns:
   a. Unrestricted
   b. Temporarily restricted
   c. Permanently restricted

   However, sales and services of auxiliary enterprises and hospitals will be reported only in unrestricted revenues.
9. Add a revenue line for “net assets released from restriction” that can allow both positive and negative amounts.

10. Separate “Private gifts, grants, and contracts” to allow gifts to be reported separately from private grants and contracts.

11. Add a field to Part E (Expenses) indicating what percentage of instruction expenses are associated with credit-bearing instruction versus non-credit instruction.

12. Add an instruction to the screen clarifying that the endowment assets of foundations and affiliated entities should be included in reporting of Part H – Details of Endowment Assets.
Revise IPEDS Finance

IPEDS Finance form GASB institutions:


2. Change the second page of Part A as follows:
   a. Change title to “Part A – Capital Assets”
   b. Report only ending balance (discontinue beginning balance, additions, and retirements)
   c. Combine “Equipment” and “art and library collections”
   d. Delete “Property obtained under capital leases (if not included in equipment)” and clarify instructions to include property obtained under capital leases in the categories that best describe the property, such as equipment, buildings, etc.
   e. Add a line for Other capital assets
   f. Add a line for “intangible assets, net of accumulated amortization” after the line for accumulated depreciation

3. On Part B, report local operating grants and contracts separately from private operating grants and contracts
4. Add a line for sales and services of educational activities

5. Change Part C (Expenses and Other Deductions) to resemble FASB form, adding columns for operation and maintenance of plant and interest, and removing the functional classification of depreciation. Operation and maintenance (O&M) of plant as a function will be used to allocate O&M to natural classes as it is in the form for FASB institutions. In addition, removing the functional classification of depreciation will require public institutions to allocate depreciation to appropriate functional categories – as independent institutions do.

6. Add a field to Part C (Expenses and Other Deductions) indicating what percentage of the instruction expenses are associated with credit-bearing instruction versus non-credit instruction.

7. Parts F and G, used for reporting component units using FASB and GASB standards, will be discontinued.

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## Spring Collection

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<td>April 29</td>
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A new, short component will be added to the Spring data collection to capture data on students with disabilities and 100 and 200 percent graduation rates. The graduation rate will not be collected for long programs.
The items are:

1) Please indicate the percent of all undergraduates enrolled in fall 2008 who are formally registered with the office of disability services (or equivalent office) at your institution as students with disabilities:

- 3 percent or less
- If more than 3 percent: ____%
For 4-year institutions, report on your 2000 cohort of bachelor's degree-seeking, full-time, first-time undergraduate students. **Data for this cohort were originally reported by your institution in the 2006-07 data collection.**

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<td>2</td>
<td>Number of students in the cohort who completed a bachelor's degree within 100% of normal time</td>
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<td>100% graduation rate: 2 / 1</td>
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<td>Number of students in the cohort who completed a bachelor's degree within 150% of normal time</td>
<td>Preloaded, completed in 6 years</td>
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<td>Number of students in the cohort who completed a bachelor's degree within 200% of normal time (8 yrs)</td>
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<td>200% graduation rate: 4 / 1</td>
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2b) Less than 4-year institutions

For less than 4-year institutions, report on your 2004 cohort of full-time, first-time undergraduate students. Data for this cohort were originally reported by your institution in the 2007-08 data collection.

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