OUR LADY OF THE LAKE COLLEGE
STATISTICAL PROFILE
Calendar Year 2012

• Programs Offered – Programs available for students admitted for fall enrollment include: 4 master’s degrees, 6 bachelor’s degrees, and 5 associate-level degree programs. Additionally, 3 non-degree/certificate programs were offered.

• Student Enrollment – Spring 1,714 (84% female, 16% male); Summer 844 (81% female, 19% male); Fall 1757 (83% female, 17% male).

• Credit Hours – The College generated 37,224 student credit hours in 2012 (18,291 in spring; 5,245 in summer; 18,739 in fall).

• Program Enrollment – During the fall semester, 90% of students were enrolled in undergraduate academic degree programs, 9% were in graduate degree programs, and 1% was enrolled in technical programs. Sixty-Five percent of students were enrolled as majors in the School of Nursing; 29% in the School of Arts, Sciences and Health Professions; and 6% in non-degree programs.

• Age Characteristics – The average age of students at OLOL College is 27. Seventy-Six percent of the student body is under 30 years of age, and 8% is over 40.

• Ethnicity Characteristics – Thirty-two percent of those attending OLOL College self-identify as U.S. Students of Color: 26% Black or African American; 3% Asian; 2% Hispanic; 0.3% Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander; and 1% American Indian/Alaska Native.

• Geographic Distribution – 77% of the student body lists their parish of residence as East Baton Rouge (46%) or a parish within a 75-mile radius, primarily Ascension, Livingston, Jefferson, Saint Tammany or Tangipahoa. Out-of-state student enrollment continues to increase gradually year over year. In the fall of 2012, 28 students (almost 2%) were from states other than Louisiana.

• Degrees Conferred – Our Lady of the Lake College awarded 460 academic degrees in 2012. Following the spring semester, 195 degrees were awarded (72% associate; 27% baccalaureate; 1% masters). Completion of the fall semester led to 208 additional degree conferrals (65% associate; 22% baccalaureate; 13% master’s). Completion of the summer term led to 57 additional degree conferrals (96% associate; 4% baccalaureate). Eighty-nine certificates and diplomas were awarded to students completing non-degree programs throughout the year.

• Faculty – The College employs 75 full-time faculty members (both 10-month and 12-month contract), laboratory instructors/coordinators, and draws as needed from a pool of well qualified professionals who serve as adjunct faculty.

• Staff – College constituencies are served by 103 professional and support staff members in enrollment services, academic affairs, counseling, financial aid, business affairs, development, institutional effectiveness, library, technology, and administrative support positions including extra duty Baton Rouge police officers and non-work study student workers.

• Enrollment Trend – During the Fall 2012 semester, the College experienced a slight increase in enrollment. In the last five years, the peak fall enrollment occurred in 2007 at 2,086 and the low fall enrollment occurred in 2011 at 1,748. Close scrutiny of past enrollment trends indicated that any growth in the last five year period occurred from the addition of graduate programs and accelerated nursing sites. As we phased out accelerated nursing sites and did not offer additional graduate programs, the College intensified its recruiting efforts and retention efforts in order to address the “5 year decline” and it also converted its major academic program from an associate degree to a baccalaureate degree.

• Budget – The College’s operating budget for Fiscal Year 2012 is $21,860,179. In addition, the College was awarded Title III Part A Strengthening Institutions approximately $400,000 a year for five years starting in October 2011.

• Physical Plant – The College occupied ten buildings near the intersection of Essen Lane and Perkins Road, near Our Lady of the Lake Regional Medical Center in South Baton Rouge. Additionally, the accelerated nursing program was offered at one location in the Greater New Orleans area until November 2012.

Note: Except for sections titled ‘Student Enrollment’ and ‘Credit Hours’; data reflects 2012 Fall census.