

Our Lady of the Lake College

STATISTICAL PROFILE

2008 Calendar Year

- **Student Enrollment** - Spring enrollment was 1,955 (82.6% female, 17.2% male); Summer enrollment was 889 (82.5% female, 17.2% male); Fall enrollment was 1,811 (82.4% female, 17.4% male).
- **Credit Hours** – Last year, the College generated 43,456 credit hours (19,555 in spring; 5,426 in summer; 18,475 in fall).
- **Age Characteristics** - The average age of students at OLOL College is 28. Seventy percent of the student body is under 30 years of age. 10.4% are over 40.
- **Ethnicity Characteristics** - African American students comprise the largest minority, 22.1%. There are 3.3% Asian, 2.0 % Hispanic, 0.6% American Indian students. 1% of the student body elected not to self-identify. 70.2% are Caucasian and less than 1% identify with the “other” category.
- **Geographic Distribution** - Most students, over 85%, list their parish of residence either as East Baton Rouge (44.6%) or a parish within a 50-mile radius. Livingston, Ascension, Jefferson, West Baton Rouge and Pointe Coupee are the next largest feeder parishes. Out-of-state student enrollment continues to increase slowly year over year. In the fall 1.6%, 29 of 1,811, students were from outside Louisiana.
- **Program Enrollment** – During the fall semester, 86.5% of students were enrolled in undergraduate academic degree programs, 8.5% were in graduate degree programs, and 5% were taking technical courses. Of the total enrollment, 60.5% were in the School of Nursing; 30.5% in the School of Arts, Sciences, and Health Professions; and 9% in the Health Career Institute.
- **Degrees Conferred** – The College confers masters, bachelors and associate degrees in 21 academic areas, and offers 8 technical programs through the Health Career Institute. In 2008, 495 degrees were awarded (71% associate; 19% baccalaureate; 10% masters). 38 students completed certificate or diploma programs through the Health Career Institute.
- **Faculty** – The 2008-2009 academic year, began with 77 full-time faculty lines (including vacancies). From Fall 2007 to Fall 2008, the percentage of courses taught by full-time faculty increased from 54% to 72%. For several years, the average class size has remained relative steady, averaging 18:1.
- **Staff** – College constituencies are served by 89 staff members in enrollment services, counseling, financial aid, business affairs, institutional effectiveness, library and administrative support positions.
- **Enrollment Trend** – The overall enrollment trend has been up over the life of the College. Enrollment has more than doubled in the past 10 years, although there have been slight enrollment dips post-Katrina and in Fall 2008.
- **Budget** – The College’s budget for Fiscal Year 2008-2009 is \$21,868,980.
- **Physical Plant** – The College currently occupies nine 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 is offered at three locations in New Orleans.