

TABLE 4. Top 20 doctorate-granting institutions ranked by number of doctorate recipients, by broad field of study: 2014

Rank	Field and institution	Doctorate recipients
	Life sciences <sup>a</sup>	12,504
	From top 20 institutions	3,520
1	Johns Hopkins U.	235
2	Harvard U.	233
3	U. North Carolina, Chapel Hill	215
4	U. Florida	209
5	U. Wisconsin, Madison	206
6	U. Minnesota, Twin Cities	196
7	U. Michigan, Ann Arbor	186
8	U. California, Davis	182
9	U. California, Berkeley	180
10	Ohio State U., Columbus	177
11	U. Washington, Seattle	174
12	U. Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh	162
13	Texas A&M U., College Station	160
13	U. California, Los Angeles	160
15	U. Pennsylvania	149
16	Walden U.	147
17	U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	144
18	U. Georgia	143
19	Michigan State U.	135
20	Purdue U., West Lafayette	127
	Physical sciences <sup>b</sup>	9,859
	From top 20 institutions	2,879
1	U. California, Berkeley	216
2	Stanford U.	176
3	U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	167
4	U. California, Los Angeles	165
5	U. Washington, Seattle	164
6	U. Wisconsin-Madison	158
7	Purdue U., West Lafayette	153
8	U. Michigan, Ann Arbor	149
9	Harvard U.	137
10	U. Maryland, College Park	135
11	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	132
11	Texas A&M U., College Station	132
13	U. Texas, Austin	129
14	North Carolina State U.	128
15	Georgia Institute of Technology	125
16	Pennsylvania State U., U. Park and Hershey Medical Center	124
16	U. Florida	124
16	U. Minnesota, Twin Cities	124
19	Ohio State U., Columbus	122
20	U. California, San Diego	119
	Social sciences <sup>c</sup>	8,657
	From top 20 institutions	2,266
1	Walden U.	266
2	Graduate Center, CUNY	175
3	U. California, Berkeley	137
4	U. California, Los Angeles	136
5	U. Texas, Austin	117
6	Harvard U.	110
7	U. Michigan, Ann Arbor	109
8	U. Minnesota, Twin Cities	108

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9	U. Florida	105
10	U. Wisconsin-Madison	104
11	U. Chicago	102
12	Pennsylvania State U., U. Park and Hershey Medical Center	97
12	U. Maryland, College Park	97
14	Michigan State U.	91
15	Arizona State U.	87
15	New York U.	87
17	Columbia U. in the City of New York	86
17	Fielding Graduate U.	86
19	Ohio State U., Columbus	85
20	George Mason U.	81
	Engineering	9,568
	From top 20 institutions	3,909
1	Georgia Institute of Technology	359
2	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	304
3	Purdue U., West Lafayette	291
4	U. Michigan, Ann Arbor	253
5	Stanford U.	248
6	U. Texas, Austin	241
7	Texas A&M U., College Station	240
8	U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	209
9	U. California, Berkeley	204
10	U. Florida	197
11	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State U.	193
12	North Carolina State U.	157
13	Pennsylvania State U., U. Park and Hershey Medical Center	149
14	U. Maryland, College Park	138
15	U. California, Los Angeles	137
16	U. Minnesota, Twin Cities	130
17	U. Wisconsin-Madison	126
18	Ohio State U., Columbus	114
19	Carnegie Mellon U.	110
20	Cornell U.	109
	Education	4,793
	From top 20 institutions	1,310
1	Columbia U., Teachers C.	129
2	U. Texas, Austin	89
3	Michigan State U.	83
4	U. Georgia	77
5	U. Minnesota, Twin Cities	75
6	Pennsylvania State U., U. Park and Hershey Medical Center	74
7	U. Wisconsin, Madison	70
8	Ohio State U., Columbus	66
9	Walden U.	62
10	Texas A&M U., College Station	59
11	Texas Tech U.	54
11	U. North Texas, Denton	54
13	Boston U.	53
13	Indiana U., Bloomington	53
13	U. Maryland, College Park	53
13	U. North Carolina, Greensboro	53
17	George Washington U.	52
17	Oklahoma State U., Stillwater	52

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17	U. Florida	52
20	Auburn U., Auburn	50
	Humanities	5,486
	From top 20 institutions	1,936
1	Harvard U.	141
2	Columbia U. in the City of New York	135
3	New York U.	127
4	U. Chicago	122
5	U. California, Berkeley	117
6	Princeton U.	109
7	U. California, Los Angeles	106
8	Graduate Center, CUNY	103
9	Yale U.	102
10	U. Texas, Austin	91
11	U. Wisconsin, Madison	90
12	Indiana U., Bloomington	85
13	U. Virginia, Charlottesville	83
14	Ohio State U., Columbus	81
14	U. Michigan, Ann Arbor	81
16	U. North Carolina, Chapel Hill	74
17	Boston U.	73
17	Stanford U.	73
19	U. California, Santa Barbara	72
20	Emory U.	71
	Other <sup>d</sup>	3,203
	From top 20 institutions	904
1	Walden U.	82
2	U. Texas, Austin	75
3	U. Minnesota, Twin Cities	60
4	Regent U.	51
5	Florida State U.	49
5	Pennsylvania State U., U. Park and Hershey Medical Center	49
7	U. Michigan, Ann Arbor	47
8	U. Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	45
8	U. Southern California	45
10	Michigan State U.	43
11	Texas Tech U.	39
12	Ohio State U., Columbus	38
12	U. North Carolina, Chapel Hill	38
14	Columbia U. in the City of New York	36
14	New York U.	36
14	U. Kansas	36
17	Temple U.	35
18	Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State U.	34
19	Texas A&M U., College Station	33
19	U. Texas, Arlington	33

<sup>a</sup> Includes agricultural sciences and natural resources; biological, biomedical sciences; and health sciences.

<sup>b</sup> Includes mathematics and computer and information sciences.

<sup>c</sup> Includes psychology.

<sup>d</sup> Non-science and engineering fields not shown separately.

NOTE: Tied institutions are listed alphabetically.

SOURCE: NSF, NIH, USED, USDA, NEH, NASA, Survey of Earned Doctorates, 2014.