

**Student/Faculty Ratios**  
**Lecture Sections Taught/FTE Faculty**  
**Communication**  
 Academic Years 1998-99 through 2006-07

**College of Social and Behavioral Sciences**

	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
<b>Tenure System</b>									
Available Tenure System Faculty	20.6	22.2	21.4	21.6	20.6	23.6	24.1	25.0	25.0
Teaching Tenure System Faculty	20.1	20.2	20.9	20.6	19.6	22.6	22.1	23.0	23.0
% Lower Division Sections	19.6%	18.4%	20.0%	14.7%	17.2%	19.8%	24.3%	22.7%	20.6%
% Upper Division Sections	61.3%	66.3%	62.2%	68.7%	63.2%	61.0%	56.1%	59.5%	61.2%
% Graduate Lecture Sections	19.0%	15.3%	17.8%	16.6%	19.6%	19.2%	19.7%	17.8%	18.2%
Total Lecture Sections (credit-bearing)	40.8	40.8	45.0	40.8	40.8	45.5	43.3	44.8	41.3
Lab and Discussion Sections (non-credit)	4.5	4.0	2.0	2.3	3.5	3.0	1.0	2.0	3.5
Ratio (Sections/Available Faculty)	2.0	1.8	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7
<b>Non-tenure System Faculty</b>									
Teaching FTE	3.3	2.8	2.4	4.0	6.3	5.4	4.6	4.6	6.0
% Lower Division Sections	4.0%	9.1%	9.3%	20.3%	19.1%	9.5%	13.3%	13.9%	9.5%
% Upper Division Sections	96.0%	90.9%	90.7%	79.7%	80.9%	90.5%	86.7%	86.1%	90.5%
% Graduate Lecture Sections	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Lecture Sections (credit-bearing)	12.5	11.0	10.8	14.8	23.5	21.0	18.8	18.0	21.0
Lab and Discussion Sections (non-credit)	-	1.0	2.0	2.0	-	-	-	-	-
Ratio (Sections/Non-tenure Faculty)	3.8	4.0	4.5	3.7	3.7	3.9	4.1	3.9	3.5
<b>Teaching Associates</b>									
Teaching FTE	5.2	5.0	5.0	5.5	4.6	3.3	4.1	4.0	4.3
% Lower Division Sections	42.9%	44.2%	43.9%	44.4%	53.2%	57.1%	47.1%	48.5%	44.4%
% Upper Division Sections	57.1%	55.8%	56.1%	55.6%	46.8%	42.9%	52.9%	51.5%	55.6%
% Graduate Lecture Sections	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Lecture Sections (credit-bearing)	21.0	21.5	20.5	22.5	19.3	14.0	17.0	16.5	18.0
Lab and Discussion Sections (non-credit)	15.5	10.0	6.0	11.0	13.0	9.5	11.3	13.0	8.5
Ratio (Sections/Teaching Associates)	4.1	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2
<b>Other Instructors</b>									
Teaching FTE	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.3
% Lower Division Sections	-	22.2%	-	-	11.1%	18.2%	21.4%	20.0%	27.3%
% Upper Division Sections	100.0%	77.8%	100.0%	100.0%	88.9%	81.8%	78.6%	80.0%	72.7%
% Graduate Lecture Sections	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Lecture Sections (credit-bearing)	2.8	2.3	1.8	3.0	4.5	5.5	7.0	7.5	5.5
Lab and Discussion Sections (non-credit)	-	-	-	1.3	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Ratio (Sections/Other Instructors)	5.3	4.3	3.7	4.5	4.2	4.6	4.7	4.1	4.4
<b>TOTAL</b>									
Available Instructors	29.6	30.6	29.2	31.7	32.6	33.6	34.4	35.5	36.5
Teaching Instructors	29.1	28.6	28.7	30.7	31.6	32.6	32.4	33.5	34.5
% Lower Division Sections	22.7%	24.5%	24.4%	23.5%	25.3%	23.3%	26.2%	25.5%	23.3%
% Upper Division Sections	67.2%	67.2%	65.4%	68.2%	65.6%	66.6%	64.0%	65.3%	67.9%
% Graduate Lecture Sections	10.1%	8.3%	10.3%	8.3%	9.1%	10.2%	9.9%	9.2%	8.7%
Total Lecture Sections (credit-bearing)	77.0	75.5	78.0	81.0	88.0	86.0	86.0	86.8	85.8
Lab and Discussion Sections (non-credit)	20.0	15.0	10.0	16.5	17.5	13.0	12.8	15.5	12.5
Ratio (Sections/Available Instructors)	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3

**Definitions and Notes**

**Available Tenure System Faculty (FTE):** Faculty with tenure or in a tenure track position. Excludes administrative faculty, faculty on leave without pay, and the percent of FTE paid from non-state/GOF funds.

**Teaching Tenure System Faculty (FTE):** Faculty from Available Tenure System who taught during the given semester.

**Non-tenure System Faculty (FTE):** Visiting, post-retirement, and temporary faculty teaching credit bearing sections; excludes the percent of FTE paid from non-state/GOF funds.

**Teaching Associates (FTE):** Teaching Associates (TOs) responsible for credit bearing sections. Instructor FTE is assigned in proportion to the credit value of the section where 1 FTE = 12 course credits.

**Other Instructors (FTE):** Others who teach such as campus administrators and staff, Five College faculty, and individuals who are not on the payroll. Sections with no instructors listed are also

**Lower Division Sections:** 100-level and 200-level course sections.

**Upper Division Sections:** 300-level and 400-level course sections and 500-level if undergraduate students are enrolled.

**Graduate Sections:** 500-level course sections with only graduate enrollments and 600-level course sections and above.

Note 1: Course enrollments are reported as of the census date (14th calendar day). All data reflect the organizational structure as of Fall 2007.

Note 2: Sections are distributed proportionally based on both the number of instructors and the number of times the section is cross-listed. Cross-listed sections are counted only once. Sections are counted as one regardless of credit value, e.g. a one-credit and a six-credit course are both counted as one section.

Note 3: Instruction is reported according to the department in which the instructor of record is budgeted. Teaching Associates and "Other Instructors" are assigned based on the course rubric.

Note 4: Ratios are for lecture sections (credit-bearing courses) with enrollment of at least two students.

Note 5: Independent Study, Practicum, and thesis sections are excluded. The FTEs associated with these sections are included in Student/Faculty ratio tables.

Note 6: Instructor FTEs are reported as a semester average (the sum of fall and spring semesters divided by two).

Note 7: Undergraduate and graduate instruction administered through Continuing and Professional Education is not included.