

Key five-year figures

Category	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	Annual % change	Trend
Number of students ¹	3,862	4,280	4,760	5,246	5,833	11.2%	↑
Female	2,191	2,469	2,807	3,163	3,624	14.6%	↑
Male	1,671	1,811	1,953	2,083	2,209	6.0%	↑
On-campus students	3,455	3,768	4,267	4,750	5,383	13.3%	↑
Undergraduate	3,060	3,295	3,494	3,811	4,239	11.2%	↑
Postgraduate coursework	408	549	773	867	904	4.3%	↑
Higher degree by research	65	72	71	100	118	18.0%	↑
Non-award	329	365	427	469	573	22.2%	↑
International (all students)	521	694	730	855	977	14.3%	↑
International (on campus)	297	362	414	527	674	27.9%	↑
Student load (EFTSL) ²	2,977.5	3,265.7	3,716.2	4,103.9	4,566.1	11.3%	↑
Degrees conferred							
Undergraduate	526	481	535	592	591	-0.1%	↓
Postgraduate coursework	154	303	313	492	654	32.9%	↑
Higher degree by research	6	5	9	13	9	-30.8%	↓
Total	686	789	857	1,097	1,254	14.3%	↑
Equity							
Disability ³	4.94%	4.10%	4.12%	3.80%	3.52%	—	↓
Indigenous ³	1.08%	1.42%	1.19%	1.50%	1.63%	—	↑
First in family to attend university ⁴	40%	53%	52%	52%	52%	—	—
Number of staff (full-time equivalent)							
Academic ⁵	101	105	123	144	173	20.14%	↑
Non-academic ⁶	198	223	242	280	295	5.36%	↑
Total	299	328	365	423	468	10.64%	↑
Proportion of academic staff with higher degree qualifications	86%	88%	87%	85%	83%	-2%	↓
Operating revenue (parent entity)	\$40.95m	\$50.60m	\$66.80m	\$78.40m	\$94.98m	21.15%	↑
Research income ⁷	\$1.51m	\$1.69m	\$1.97m	\$2.99m	\$3.35m ⁸	—	—
Research publications ⁹	60.76	88.07	119.36	120.96	NA ⁸	—	—
Property, plant and equipment	\$73.31m	\$97.10m	\$126.80m	\$146.55m	\$165.31m	12.80%	↑

1. Number of students is as at Census 1 each year.

2. Student load excludes inbound exchange students; EFTSL = Equivalent Full Time Student Load and for 2008 is based on preliminary data.

3. Disability and Indigenous percentages are as a proportion of domestic students only.

4. First in family percentages are as a proportion of undergraduate students only.

5. Academic = Vice-Chancellor; Deputy Vice-Chancellor; Teaching and Research (Level A-E) staff.

6. Non-academic = Administrative, Professional and Technical (APT) Level 1–10 staff; APT staff above award.

7. Figures include research income reported to the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations (DEEWR) through the Higher Education Research Data Collection (HERD), as well as research funding received from DEEWR.

8. Higher Education Research Data Collection (HERD) figure for the previous year is not finalised until June of the following year.

9. Weighted calculation reported to the Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations (DEEWR) in the Higher Education Research Data Collection (HERD).