

TABLE 7.

GROWTH IN THE NUMBER OF PSYCHOLOGY MASTER’S DEGREES AWARDED BY GENDER AND RACE/ETHNICITY, 2008-2017

	2008	2017	Percent Change
Women	17,437	22,376	28%
Men	4,453	5,678	28%
White	13,662	15,720	15%
Hispanic	1782	3622	103%
Black/ African American	2664	3519	32%
Asian	805	1025	27%
American Indian/Alaska Native	117	139	19%
Two or More Races	5	829	16,480%*
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	2	85	4,150%
All Racial/Ethnic Minorities**	5375	9219	72%

* In 2008, “Two or More Races” was still a new category for IPEDS, and the cell size was quite small. By 2017, this option was selected more frequently, resulting in a very large percent change from 2008 to 2017 for this category. The same can be seen with the Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander category.

** Collapsed across Hispanic, Black/AA, American Indian/Alaska Native, 2+ races, and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander.