

CORNELL UNIVERSITY
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Office of the Counselor to Foreign Students

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Foreign Student Enrollment
1957-58

This year we find 640 foreign students on the Cornell campus representing 78 different countries. Thus our foreign student enrollment has increased 18.5% over last year. Much of this growth has occurred in the Graduate School, where today we find approximately 24% of their enrollment made up of students from other lands. Actually 66% of these 640 students are graduate students, with the greatest concentration of graduate students (186) studying in the field of Agriculture.

Housing for foreign students is still the area of greatest concern. We are fortunate in being able to house the freshmen and a number of undergraduates and graduates in the dormitories, and we have continued the practice of placing all foreign student freshmen who were assigned to a double room with an American roommate. This practice seems to be working very satisfactorily for all concerned. However, this still leaves a great deal to be desired by way of housing for older graduate students and those married with families. One hundred and three married students are now enrolled. Sixteen fraternities and two sororities are providing room and board for a foreign student.

The area listing of students from different countries and their distribution in the colleges and schools is attached. The graduate students are listed according to the college in which they are doing their major study rather than classing them all as in the Graduate School without regard to their field.

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Distribution by Colleges and Schools

<u>College</u>	<u>Undergrad.</u>	<u>Grad.</u>	<u>Total</u>
Agriculture	77	186	263
Architecture	24	15	39
Arts and Sciences	25	81	106
Business & Public Admin.		30	30
Engineering	60	43	103
Home Economics	3	25	28
Hotel	20		20
Industrial & Labor Relations	7	21	28
Law		7	7
Nutrition		5	5
Veterinary Medicine	2	8	10
Unclassified	<u>1</u>	<u> </u>	<u>1</u>
	219	421	640

Distribution by Schools in Engineering

<u>School</u>	<u>Undergrad.</u>	<u>Grad.</u>	<u>Total</u>
Aeronautical		5	5
Chemical	5	4	9
Civil	27	10	37
Electrical	12	8	20
Engineering Physics	6	3	9
Mechanical	<u>10</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>23</u>
	60	43	103

Graduate Students	66%	New Foreign Students	298
Undergraduate Students	34%	Old Foreign Students	342

Women 91 - 66 Graduate 25 Undergraduate
Men 549 - 352 Graduate 197 Undergraduate

Foreign Students 6% of the total student body
Foreign Students 24% of the total Graduate School Enrollment

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<u>Europe</u>		<u>Latin America</u>	
Austria	2	Argentina	3
Belgium	3	Bolivia	3
Denmark	1	Brazil	6
England	26	Chile	10
Finland	1	Colombia	10
France	12	Costa Rica	6
Germany	9	Cuba	11
Greece	15	Dominican Republic	2
Iceland	3	Ecuador	4
Ireland	6	El Salvador	2
Italy	3	Guatemala	7
Netherlands	8	Honduras	2
Norway	4	Mexico	19
Poland	1	Panama	3
Scotland	8	Peru	6
Spain	1	Uruguay	1
Sweden	6	Venezuela	<u>9</u>
Switzerland	<u>2</u>		104
	111		
<u>Near and Middle East</u>		<u>Africa</u>	
Iran	12	Egypt	7
Iraq	14	Ethiopia	9
Israel	12	Ghana	7
Jordan	1	Kenya	1
Lebanon	3	Liberia	1
Saudi Arabia	2	Morocco	1
Syria	2	Nigeria	5
Turkey	<u>7</u>	South Africa	5
	53	Sudan	<u>2</u>
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<u>Far East</u>		<u>Miscellaneous</u>	
Afghanistan	2	Aruba, N.W. I.	1
Burma	3	Australia	8
Ceylon	2	Bahamas	1
China	41	Barbados	1
India	45	British Guiana	1
Indonesia	19	Canada	79
Japan	20	Cyprus	2
Korea	12	Haiti	1
Malaya	7	Jamaica	19
Nepal	1	New Zealand	2
Pakistan	7	Trinidad	<u>1</u>
Philippines	31		116
Ryukyus	1		
Thailand	25		
Viet Nam	<u>2</u>		
	218	Total Number of Students	640
		Total Number of Countries	78