Virginia Commonwealth University
L.D. Wilder School of Government and Public Affairs
Graduation and Retention Rates
Master of Public Administration

Cohort	Original Cohort	Graduated < 1 Year (Aggregate)	Graduated < 1 Year (In-person students only)	Graduated < 1 Year (Online students only)	Retained 1 Year (Aggregate)	Retained 1 Year	Retained 1 Year (Online students only)	Graduated < 2 Years (Aggregate)	Graduated < 2 Years (In-person students only)	Graduated < 2 Years (Online students only)	Retained 2 Years (Aggregate)	Retained 2 Years (In-person students only)	Retained 2 Years (Online students only)	Graduated < 3 Years	Retained 3 Years	Graduated < 4 Years	Retained 4 Years	Graduated < 5 Years	Retained 5 Years	Graduated < 6 Years
	N	%			%			%			%			%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Fall 2007	27	.			74.1			48.1			25.9			70.4	3.7	74.1	.	74.1	.	74.1
Fall 2008	28	.			75.0			25.0			39.3			53.6	14.3	60.7	7.1	67.9	3.6	71.4
Fall 2009	33	9.1			72.7			57.6			24.2			75.8	6.1	78.8	3.0	78.8	3.0	78.8
Fall 2010	27	7.4			77.8			51.9			29.6			81.5	.	81.5	.	81.5	.	81.5
Fall 2011	32	3.1			84.4			43.8			31.3			62.5	9.4	68.8	3.1	68.8	3.1	71.9
Fall 2012	25	8.0			84.0			44.0			44.0			76.0	8.0	84.0	4.0	88.0	.	88.0
Fall 2013	23	4.3			78.3			56.5			21.7			78.3	.	78.3	.	78.3	.	78.3
Fall 2014	15	13.3			66.7			73.3			6.7			73.3	6.7	80.0	.	80.0	.	80.0
Fall 2015	25	4.0			72.0			28.0			40.0			60.0	16.0	72.0	4.0	76.0	.	76.0
Fall 2016	23	.			87.0			60.9			26.1			87.0	4.3	87.0	.	91.3	.	91.3
Fall 2017	17	5.9			76.5			76.5			5.9			82.4	.	82.4	.	82.4	.	82.4
Fall 2018	14	7.1			85.7			64.3			28.6			78.6	14.3	92.9	.	92.9	.	92.9
Fall 2019	19	5.3			73.7			52.6			26.3			73.7	.	73.7	.	73.7	.	73.7
Fall 2020	36	2.8			80.6			27.8			47.2			58.3	16.7	72.2	2.8	72.2	2.8	72.2
Fall 2021	28	.			85.7			35.7			50.0			67.9	14.3	75.0	.	75.0	.	.
Fall 2022	22	.			77.3	76.5	80.0	27.3	35.3	.	45.5	35.3	80.0	45.5	18.2	45.5	.	.	.	.
Fall 2023	27	.			70.4	75.0	63.6	37.0	43.8	27.3	29.6	25.0	36.4	37.0						
Fall 2024	39	.			84.6	76.9	88.5													

Note: We were asked to show the additional breakdowns by modality since last year's annual report. We started offering the online program in AY22-23. The shaded area in gray means data are not applicable as we started offering the online program in AY22-23, which means breakdown by modality is not available yet in previous years.