

**Student Body Diversity Report**

**2016-2017**

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**Please note the following disclaimers:**

The data in this report reflects student enrollment from Fall 2016. This may slightly differ from data submitted to other agencies (including IPEDS), as the reporting dates are defined by the individual agency and report.

Saint Paul School of Theology does not participate in the Federal Pell Grant Program, so recipient data requirements are not applicable to this institution.

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**Age of Saint Paul Students**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Age** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **22-29** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 20 | **21** | 17.8% |
| **30-39** | 2 | 1 | 0 | 30 | **33** | 30% |
| **40-49** | 5 | 1 | 1 | 18 | **25** | 21.2% |
| **50-59** | 10 | 1 | 6 | 15 | **32** | 27.1% |
| **60+** | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | **6** | 5.1% |
| **Unknown** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | **1** | 0.84%% |
| **Total** | **19** | **4** | **9** | **86** | **118** |  |

Saint Paul’s student body is comprised primarily of students in their 20s, 30s, 40s, 50s, and 60s. Students enrolled in a Master of Divinity (MDIV) program are, on average, between 22-59 years old. However, the age range of students enrolled in the Doctor of Ministry (DMIN) program is lower, averaging between 40-59 years old. Master of Arts students (MACM and MATS) appear to be enrolling in their 30s and 60s.

**Gender of Saint Paul Students**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Gender** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **Female** | 10 | 2 | 6 | 35 | **53** | 45% |
| **Male** | 9 | 2 | 3 | 51 | **65** | 55% |
| **Total** | **19** | **4** | **9** | **86** | **118** |  |

While the overall student body at Saint Paul’s is primarily male (55%), the distribution of this statistic among the degree programs is interesting. The number of male students pursuing a DMin degree at SPST is less of female students. However, the gender distribution of students enrolled in the Master of Arts in Christian Ministry (MACM) program is equal at 50%, and the Master of Arts (Theological Studies) (MATS) program is female-dominated. As the program with the largest enrollment at Saint Paul’s, it makes sense that the MDIV reflects a gender diversity closest to the overall student body at 30% female and 43% male.

**Ethnicity of Saint Paul Students**

**Ethnicity of Saint Paul Students (Cont.)**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Ethnicity** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **American Indian/Alaskan Native** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | **6** | 5.1% |
| **Asian** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | **2** | 1.7% |
| **Black or African American** | 3 | 0 | 1 | 8 | **12** | 10.2% |
| **Hispanic/Latino** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | **4** | 3.4% |
| **Native Hawaiian/**  **Pacific Islander** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | **1** | 0.8% |
| **White/Caucasian** | 14 | 4 | 7 | 60 | **85** | 72% |
| **Two or more races** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | **2** | 1.7% |
| **Non-resident alien** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | **6** | 5.1% |
| **Unknown** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Total** | **19** | **4** | **9** | **86** | **118** |  |

Overall enrollment at Saint Paul’s continues to reflect a primarily White/Caucasian ethnicity (72%). There are three ethnic groups, however, that represent a significant portion of the student body: Black/African American (10.2%), Non-resident alien (5.1%) and American Indian/Alaskan Native (5.1%).

The majority of the non-resident alien and Black/African American populations at SPST is comprised of students enrolled in the MDIV program.

**Religious Denomination of Saint Paul Students**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Religious Denomination** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **African Methodist Episcopal** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | **2** | 1.7% |
| **African Methodist Episcopal Zion** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Baptist** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **1** | 0.8% |
| **Disciples of Christ** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Catholic** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **1** | 0.8% |
| **Christian Methodist Episcopal** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | **2** | 1.7% |
| **Church of God in Christ** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | **1** | 0.8% |
| **Episcopal** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Independent Methodist (Korea)** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Presbyterian** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | **3** | 2.5% |
| **United Methodist** | 16 | 4 | 3 | 74 | **97** | 82% |
| **Unity** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Unitarian Universalist** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **1** | 0.8% |
| **Nondenominational** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | **3** | 2.5% |
| **Unknown** | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | **7** | 5.9% |
| **Total** | **19** | **4** | **9** | **86** | **118** |  |

**Religious Denomination of Saint Paul Students (Cont.)**

The overwhelming majority of Saint Paul students identified themselves as United Methodist (82%). Since SPST is one of 13 United Methodist seminaries in the U.S., as designated by the General Board for Higher Education and Ministry of the United Methodist Church, this is not surprising. A total of 69% of master’s students are United.

**Demographics of 2016-2017 Entering Class**

**(Cohort 1617)**

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Ethnicity** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **American Indian/Alaskan Native** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Asian** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Black or African American** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | **2** | 7.7% |
| **Hispanic/Latino** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | **3** | 11.5% |
| **Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | **2** | 7.7% |
| **White/Caucasian** | 8 | 1 | 2 | 8 | **19** | 73.1% |
| **Two or more races** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Non-Resident Alien** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Unknown** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Total** | **9** | **1** | **2** | **14** | **26** |  |

**Demographics of 2016-2017 Entering Class**

**(Cohort 1617)**

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| **Religious Denomination** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **African Methodist Episcopal** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **African Methodist Episcopal Zion** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Baptist** | **0** | 0 | 1 | 0 | **1** | 3.8% |
| **Disciples of Christ** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Catholic** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Christian Methodist Episcopal** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Church of God in Christ** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Episcopal** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Independent Methodist (Korea)** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Presbyterian** | **0** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **United Methodist** | **8** | **1** | **1** | **13** | **23** | 88.4% |
| **Unity** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **0** | 0% |
| **Unitarian Universalist** | **1** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **1** | 3.8% |
| **Nondenominational** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **0** | 0% |
| **Unknown** | **0** | **0** | **0** | **1** | **1** | 3.8% |
| **Total** | **9** | **1** | **2** | **14** | **26** |  |

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| **Age** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **22-29** | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | **6** | 23.1% |
| **30-39** | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | **3** | 11.5% |
| **40-49** | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | **5** | 19.2% |
| **50-59** | **6** | 0 | 1 | 4 | **11** | 42.3% |
| **60+** | **1** | 0 | 0 | 0 | **1** | 3.8% |
| **Unknown** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **0** | 0% |
| **Total** | **9** | **1** | **2** | **14** | **26** |  |

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Gender** | **DMIN** | **MACM** | **MATS** | **MDIV** | **Grand Total** | **Percentage** |
| **Female** | 6 | 1 | 2 | 5 | **14** | 53.8% |
| **Male** | 3 | 0 | 0 | 9 | **12** | 46.2% |
| **Total** | **9** | **1** | **2** | **14** | **26** |  |