

**TABLE D**  
**Political Science Departments Granting a B.A. in Political Science**

Year	Number of Faculty Leaving for Non-Academic Positions			Survey Response Rate (%)	Annual Estimates No. of Political Scientists Leaving Academia to Assume Non-Academic Positions
	Males	Females	Total		
1977-78	29	4	33	51	65
1978-79	22	6	28	50	56
1979-80	11	5	16	57	28
1980-81	22	9	31	33	94
1981-82	14	10	24	47	51
1982-83	18	0	18	50	36

**TABLE E**  
**Ph.D., M.A. and B.A. Granting Departments Combined**

Year	Annual Estimates of Political Scientists Leaving Academia to Assume Non-Academic Positions
1977-78	116
1978-79	119
1979-80	87
1980-81	163
1981-82	102
1982-83	71

## Political Science Degrees Awarded: An Update

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The following data complete the report on degrees awarded in political science, public administration and international relations. The data on Ph.D.s awarded were reported in *PS*, Fall 1983 (pp. 769-770).

As previously reported, after five years of continuous decline the number of Ph.D.s awarded increased in 1982. The number of M.A. and B.A. degrees awarded continued to increase. Over 3,000 M.A.s were awarded in political science and international relations in 1982; over 6,000 M.A.s were awarded in public administration. More than 30,000 B.A.s were awarded in political science, international relations and public administration.

The composition of M.A. and B.A. recipients continues to change. Women are still increasing in percentage of M.A. (33 percent) and B.A. (39 percent) recipients. Since 1972 there has been a 10 percent increase in the number of women awarded B.A. degrees. □

### Bachelors Degrees Awarded in Political Science, International Relations, and Public Administration

Year	Total	Women		Men	
1982	30,116	11,801	39%	18,315	61%
1981	28,949	11,005	38%	17,944	62%
1980	28,835	10,562	36%	18,273	64%
1979	29,333	9,973	33%	19,360	67%
1978	29,538	9,332	33%	20,206	67%
1977	29,969	8,485	28%	21,484	72%
1976	31,495	7,969	25%	23,526	74%
1975	31,619	7,212	23%	24,407	77%
1974	32,942	6,659	20%	26,283	80%
1973	31,750	6,227	20%	25,523	80%
1972	28,899	5,751	19%	24,148	81%
1971	29,274	5,979	20%	23,295	80%
1970	27,310	5,502	20%	21,808	80%
1969	25,493	5,360	21%	20,133	79%

Note: These are the most recent data that are available from the National Center for Education Statistics.

### Masters Degrees Awarded in Political Science, International Relations, and Public Administration

Political Science and International Relations					
Year	Total	Women		Men	
1982	3,029	998	33%	2,031	67%
1981	2,759	822	30%	1,937	70%
1980	2,752	761	27%	1,991	73%
1979	2,883	799	27%	2,084	73%
1978	2,941	784	27%	2,157	73%
1977	3,069	721	23%	2,348	77%
1976	2,901	639	22%	2,262	78%
1975	3,006	629	21%	2,377	79%
1974	3,154	564	18%	2,590	82%
1973	3,262	587	18%	2,675	82%
1972	3,238	606	19%	2,633	81%
1971	3,101	602	19%	2,499	81%
1969	2,961	522	18%	2,438	82%
Public Administration					
Year	Total	Women		Men	
1982	6,503	2,364	36%	4,139	64%
1981	6,680	2,300	34%	4,380	66%
1980	6,511	2,038	31%	4,473	69%
1979	6,558	1,924	29%	4,634	71%
1978	6,833	1,687	25%	5,146	75%
1977	6,373	1,404	22%	4,969	78%
1976	5,135	980	19%	5,155	81%
1975	4,128	738	18%	3,390	82%
1974	3,253	468	14%	2,785	86%
1973	2,448	295	12%	2,153	88%
1972	1,908	193	10%	1,715	90%
1971	1,420	156	11%	1,264	89%
1970	1,130	117	10%	1,013	90%
1969	962	98	10%	864	90%

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