

TABLE 44. Political sciences degrees awarded, by degree level and sex of recipient: 1966–2006

Academic year ending	Bachelor's			Master's			Doctorate		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
1966	16,842	13,113	3,729	3,065	2,643	422	408	373	35
1967	19,332	15,063	4,269	3,326	2,782	544	501	463	38
1968	22,330	17,466	4,864	3,678	3,112	566	580	514	66
1969	25,782	20,369	5,413	3,964	3,333	631	558	505	53
1970	27,553	22,002	5,551	4,106	3,397	709	636	574	62
1971	29,562	23,516	6,046	4,875	3,977	898	821	724	97
1972	30,677	24,769	5,908	5,573	4,634	939	911	817	94
1973	33,519	26,771	6,748	6,751	5,512	1,239	908	789	119
1974	33,465	26,607	6,858	6,766	5,653	1,113	909	785	124
1975	32,500	24,864	7,636	7,724	6,139	1,585	863	721	142
1976	32,626	24,175	8,451	8,694	6,863	1,831	887	750	137
1977	30,972	22,170	8,802	10,162	7,874	2,288	879	737	142
1978	30,440	20,788	9,652	10,346	7,695	2,651	851	701	150
1979	30,292	20,014	10,278	10,096	7,122	2,974	767	627	140
1980	30,164	19,108	11,056	10,006	6,917	3,089	730	586	144
1981	30,091	18,655	11,436	9,952	6,632	3,320	679	544	135
1982	31,630	19,069	12,561	10,210	6,565	3,645	709	555	154
1983	31,871	18,679	13,192	9,715	6,109	3,606	655	505	150
1984	31,888	18,725	13,163	9,401	5,805	3,596	695	530	165
1985	32,378	18,799	13,579	9,481	5,785	3,696	666	491	175
1986	33,176	19,167	14,009	9,660	5,839	3,821	659	463	196
1987	33,876	19,365	14,511	9,933	5,830	4,103	647	472	175
1988	34,689	19,837	14,852	9,880	5,807	4,073	634	470	164
1989	38,246	21,622	16,624	10,314	5,917	4,397	700	499	201
1990	41,618	23,563	18,055	9,941	5,663	4,278	734	564	170
1991	44,257	24,648	19,609	10,392	5,752	4,640	740	527	211
1992	47,214	26,319	20,895	10,767	5,834	4,933	804	565	235
1993	47,936	26,701	21,235	11,310	6,069	5,241	824	569	246
1994	45,610	25,136	20,474	12,041	6,417	5,624	930	643	282
1995	41,978	23,010	18,968	12,802	6,678	6,124	894	620	265
1996	39,928	21,578	18,350	13,370	6,716	6,654	928	620	305
1997	37,807	19,953	17,854	13,368	6,677	6,691	975	674	298
1998	36,654	19,334	17,320	13,151	6,585	6,566	958	593	364
1999	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,016	655	356
2000	36,439	18,092	18,347	13,035	6,315	6,720	986	620	364
2001	36,651	18,014	18,637	12,929	6,088	6,841	984	650	330
2002	38,573	18,830	19,743	13,183	6,205	6,978	939	541	395
2003	43,735	21,269	22,466	14,115	6,392	7,723	1,025	627	398
2004	47,353	23,065	24,288	15,766	6,938	8,828	946	600	346
2005	51,417	25,092	26,325	17,354	7,598	9,756	990	581	409
2006	53,397	26,436	26,961	17,939	7,820	10,119	998	588	410

NA = not available; detailed national data were not released by the National Center for Education Statistics for the academic year ending in 1999.

NOTES: See appendix B for specific fields that are included in this field of study. Detail may not sum to total because of missing information on sex for some recipients.

SOURCES: Tabulated by National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics (NSF/SRS); data from Department of Education/National Center for Education Statistics: Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System Completions Survey and NSF/SRS: Survey of Earned Doctorates.