Diversity & Inclusion Programs

APSA Minority Student Recruitment Program
2016 Annual Meeting

Program Statistics

Minority Student Recruitment Program (MSRP)
- As of August 24, 2016, 9 PhD departments have registered for the 2016-17 Minority Student Recruitment Program.
- The MSRP is in its eleventh year. Over the years, it has provided over 90 unique institutions with the information for over 800 students interested in Grad School, including 165 from RBSI programming, 120 from Grad School Fairs, and over 500 from the MSRP Database.
- There are currently almost 500 students in the MSRP database total. 58 of the MSRP students are RBSI Alumni Scholars, and over 100 are APSA Grad School Information Fair students.
- 28 students have enrolled from January 2016 to present. We anticipate more enrollments in the early fall. Please note that these students’ information is not reflected in the statistics below.

Year of Graduation (Note: Some students do not list a class year)
- 116 students class of 2013 and prior
- 90 students class of 2014
- 78 students class of 2015
- 105 students class of 2016
- 62 students class of 2017 and onward

Primary Field of Interest (Note: Some students do not list fields of interest)
- American Government – 156 students
- Comparative Politics – 52 students
- International Relations – 45 students
- Political Economy – 7 students
- Political Philosophy – 5 students

MSRP Student Demographic Breakdown (Notes: Some students chose not to list identifiers, and no identifiers were collected from graduate student information fairs.)
- Female – 229 students
- Male – 165 students
- African, African American, Black – 216 students
- Latino/Latina – 127 students
- Asian – 26 students
- Two or more, Biracial, Multiracial – 10 students
- White or Caucasian – 4 students
- Native American or American Indian – 2 students
- Other identifiers include: Arab American, Arab, Burmese, Caucasian-Armenian, Chicano, Non-resident alien, Other, Pakistani, South Asian, Vietnamese American

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