

Personnel Headcount and FTE¹ by College^{2, 3}

October Payroll

COLLEGE AND EMPLOYEE TYPE	2020		2021		2022		2023		2024	
	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE
College of Agriculture & Life Sciences	1,096	881.38	1,205	981.52	1,244	1,015.54	1,242	1,011.66	1,170	950.18
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	229	225.76	203	202.00	198	195.15	195	193.00	201	199.65
Term Faculty ⁴	70	59.96	68	59.24	64	57.86	64	57.38	61	53.95
Professional & Scientific	357	346.11	476	458.21	497	479.88	504	486.73	431	416.63
Contract	3	0.40	3	0.80	2	0.75	4	1.25	3	1.00
Merit	28	27.10	26	24.93	25	23.65	25	23.55	22	21.45
Post Doctoral Research Associates	41	38.76	47	46.25	51	49.50	51	50.50	54	53.50
Graduate Assistants	368	183.29	382	190.10	407	208.75	399	199.25	398	204.00
College of Business	273	213.79	312	233.36	315	239.78	327	247.25	325	247.03
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	89	87.85	86	85.15	91	90.00	87	86.00	85	84.00
Term Faculty ⁴	45	36.17	51	40.48	50	40.28	60	46.43	65	48.53
Professional & Scientific	62	59.52	71	70.70	75	75.00	86	84.58	85	83.38
Contract	0	0.00	2	0.17	2	0.25	3	0.00	3	0.00
Merit	1	1.00	1	0.60	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Post Doctoral Research Associates	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Graduate Assistants	76	29.25	101	36.25	97	34.25	91	30.25	87	31.12
College of Design	248	182.85	262	179.53	283	189.63	319	210.46	313	211.04
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	92	91.15	85	83.50	79	76.60	81	80.00	78	77.50
Term Faculty ⁴	41	34.22	47	34.80	56	43.70	65	52.00	76	57.21
Professional & Scientific	38	36.73	37	35.73	41	38.83	48	46.15	49	46.83
Contract	0	0.00	1	1.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Merit	0	0.00	1	1.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Post Doctoral Research Associates	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Graduate Assistants	77	20.75	91	23.50	107	30.50	125	32.31	110	29.50
College of Engineering	1,180	820.38	1,191	818.56	1,181	836.98	1,310	897.24	1,396	971.00
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	209	203.71	194	190.83	197	193.53	204	201.53	200	197.20
Term Faculty ⁴	79	65.88	81	68.46	75	62.47	79	66.17	82	68.84
Professional & Scientific	231	223.27	236	227.97	249	244.45	258	252.98	278	273.45
Contract	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Merit	13	12.75	10	9.75	9	8.75	5	4.75	4	4.00
Post Doctoral Research Associates	46	42.68	33	31.29	31	30.03	42	40.06	55	54.15
Graduate Assistants	602	272.09	637	290.25	620	297.75	722	331.75	777	373.36
College of Health and Human Sciences⁵	527	416.98	502	393.40	457	379.94	438	351.59	426	352.07
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	117	116.50	103	102.50	96	95.25	89	88.75	83	82.50
Term Faculty ⁴	83	64.41	78	60.77	64	56.14	67	59.44	68	61.79
Professional & Scientific	142	137.60	147	143.13	146	143.30	135	131.53	134	131.03
Contract	0	0.00	2	1.00	1	1.00	1	1.00	0	0.00
Merit	16	14.38	8	7.75	8	8.00	9	8.63	9	8.75
Post Doctoral Research Associates	6	5.75	9	7.25	6	5.50	6	5.75	6	5.75
Graduate Assistants	163	78.34	155	71.00	136	70.75	131	56.50	126	62.25
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences	1,873	1,357.89	1,891	1,360.68	1,793	1,309.58	1,725	1,235.15	1,680	1,217.14
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	437	433.75	420	417.48	391	387.60	363	360.95	353	350.40
Term Faculty ⁴	210	164.06	200	156.56	205	165.16	209	167.42	216	176.14
Professional & Scientific	247	242.33	240	236.98	235	230.73	226	222.40	215	210.80
Contract	5	4.25	6	4.50	4	2.68	2	1.45	1	0.65
Merit	37	36.50	33	32.13	33	31.33	27	25.13	26	24.25
Post Doctoral Research Associates	50	50.00	74	72.55	68	66.75	54	53.30	50	47.50
Graduate Assistants	887	427.00	918	440.50	857	425.35	844	404.50	819	407.40

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	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE	COUNT	FTE
College of Veterinary Medicine	691	629.26	682	617.16	716	654.38	723	668.03	707	650.47
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	98	96.23	96	94.58	95	94.08	94	92.58	91	88.98
Term Faculty ⁴	50	46.18	52	49.30	56	53.25	59	56.00	58	55.10
Professional & Scientific	217	211.05	210	203.98	239	230.93	251	244.16	254	245.31
Contract	1	0.42	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Merit	166	160.73	158	153.58	164	159.58	165	158.54	150	144.33
Post Doctoral Research Associates	74	72.65	68	67.48	72	71.80	81	80.50	78	78.00
Graduate Assistants	85	42.00	98	48.25	90	44.75	73	36.25	76	38.75
Library	110	106.48	101	98.48	97	94.03	100	97.00	103	101.50
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	7	6.50	6	6.00	5	5.00	5	5.00	5	5.00
Term Faculty ⁴	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Professional & Scientific	66	64.75	64	63.75	62	62.00	69	68.25	71	70.75
Contract	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Merit	37	35.23	31	28.73	29	26.53	26	23.75	27	25.75
Post Doctoral Research Associates	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0.00
Graduate Assistants	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	0.50	0	0.00	0	0.00
Total Academic Units²	5,998	4,609.01	6,146	4,682.67	6,086	4,719.85	6,184	4,718.38	6,120	4,700.41
Tenured & Tenure Eligible Faculty	1,278	1,261.45	1,193	1,182.04	1,152	1,137.22	1,118	1,107.82	1,096	1,085.23
Term Faculty ⁴	578	470.88	577	469.61	570	478.85	603	504.84	626	521.54
Professional & Scientific	1,360	1,321.36	1,481	1,440.43	1,544	1,505.11	1,577	1,536.77	1,517	1,478.17
Contract	9	5.07	14	7.47	9	4.68	10	3.70	7	1.65
Merit	298	287.69	268	258.45	268	257.83	257	244.34	238	228.53
Post Doctoral Research Associates	217	209.84	231	224.82	228	223.58	234	230.11	243	238.90
Graduate Assistants	2,258	1,052.72	2,382	1,099.85	2,315	1,112.60	2,385	1,090.81	2,393	1,146.39

¹ Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) is based on the appointment fraction of each employee.

² FTE and headcount reported elsewhere in the Fact Book does not match the total here because this page excludes non-college units (e.g., President, Extension, Ames Lab, etc.) and Non-Academic Rank Faculty.

³ Beginning in 2013, counts include all faculty and other employees in the college where they work (home department - where their primary office is located).

⁴ "Term Faculty" were formerly known as "Non Tenure-Eligible Faculty"

⁵ Beginning in 2024, the College of Human Sciences was changed to the College of Health and Human Sciences.