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COLLEGE of COMMUNICATION

Journalism

# Retention and Graduation Rates

## First-Year Retention for Students Entering as a Journalism Major

	Retained Journalism		Retained at TCU		Not Retained		Entering Cohort	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Fall 2013	38	70.4%	12	22.2%	4	7.4%	54	100.0%
Fall 2014	19	70.4%	7	25.9%	1	3.7%	27	100.0%
Fall 2015	20	66.7%	9	30.0%	1	3.3%	30	100.0%
Fall 2016	25	67.6%	10	27.0%	2	5.4%	37	100.0%
Fall 2017	21	72.4%	7	24.1%	1	3.4%	29	100.0%
Fall 2018	25	69.4%	9	25.0%	2	5.6%	36	100.0%
Fall 2019	12	54.5%	9	40.9%	1	4.5%	22	100.0%
Fall 2020	20	66.7%	7	23.3%	3	10.0%	30	100.0%
Fall 2021	16	51.6%	13	41.9%	2	6.5%	31	100.0%
Fall 2022	25	73.5%	8	23.5%	1	2.9%	34	100.0%
<b>Ten-Year Average</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>67.0%</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>27.6%</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

## Six-Year Graduation Rate for First-Time Students Entering TCU as Journalism Majors

	Graduated/Completed Major from Journalism		Graduated from TCU		Did Not Graduate		Total	
	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage	Count	Percentage
Fall 2013	23	42.6%	23	42.6%	8	14.8%	54	100.0%
Fall 2014	15	55.6%	10	37.0%	3	11.1%	27	100.0%
Fall 2015	14	46.7%	13	43.3%	4	13.3%	30	100.0%
Fall 2016	20	54.1%	16	43.2%	4	10.8%	37	100.0%
Fall 2017	20	69.0%	7	24.1%	3	10.3%	29	100.0%
<b>Five-Year Average</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>52.0%</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>39.0%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Graduation data include students who earned double-degrees and/or second majors in Journalism. These students are counted once in each category. For example, a student who earned a double-degree or second major in Journalism is counted as having graduated from Journalism as well as TCU and will show in both columns. The Total N column is an unduplicated count. If the numbers adding across the table by cohort are higher than the Total N that difference represents the number of double-degrees/second majors included in the count.

## School of Journalism Five-Year Average Time to Graduation for Fall 2013 - Fall 2017 Entering Cohorts

	3 Yrs	4 Yrs	5 Yrs	6 Yrs
	1.2%	92.6%	6.1%	

## Percentage of Remaining Cohort Who Entered TCU as First-Time Students in a major other than Journalism and Graduated from Journalism within Six Years

	Graduated/Completed Major from Journalism	
	Count	Percentage
Fall 2013	13	0.6%
Fall 2014	18	0.9%
Fall 2015	17	0.7%
Fall 2016	15	0.7%
Fall 2017	19	0.9%
<b>Five-Year Average</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>0.8%</b>

Information on University-wide retention and graduation rates can be found at <https://ir.tcu.edu/facts-data/students/success-and-outcomes/>  
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