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The 2016 database includes 6,600 honorific awards from 990 governing societies with 5,100 awards from 867 societies represented in the comparative database. The difference in the number of awards warehoused vs included in the comparative data is not based on restrictions, it is based on matches. There are 1,500 awards not currently matched to any scholars represented in the AAD2016 database. Several scenarios could account for this discrepancy. The award may be defunct and all recipients are outside of our scope. The award may have appeared on a list of requested additions but does not actually apply to faculty based on our faculty inclusion methodology. Some awards that appear in the master count include foreign societies/awards where there are currently no recipients in our scope of US scholars.

The general principle for the inclusion of an award in the database is that the award must be open to all people in a (sub-) discipline or to a large subset (i.e., age, gender) at the national and/or international level. State and local awards are not currently captured by Academic Analytics. Expansion of the awards list is ongoing and largely based on feedback from client institutions.

A list of the AAD 2016 awards, by discipline, is available on the home page of the Academic Analytics portal.