MAGIC MENTOR NETWORK

MAGIC Mentor Network's mission is to connect underrepresented and first-generation students with mentors who can empower them with the tools to succeed in their graduate school applications and beyond.
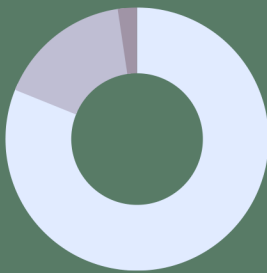
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SERVING UNDERREPRESENTED GROUPS

65%

of mentees who joined the program identify as **non-white** 13% of whom identify as **Black** and 21% as **Hispanic/Latino**

39% of participating mentees are **first-generation** college students

Most, 79%, of the mentees who joined the program identify as **women**, 2% as **nonbinary**, and 16% as **men**

HIGHLY RATED

Most mentors and mentees wanted to continue in the program, and over 80% of mentees rated the program as **mostly, very, or extremely useful**.

UPWARD MOBILITY

Half of the mentees **applied to graduate school** and 57% were accepted, with 43% into Ph.D. programs

PROGRAM IMPACTS

> " My mentor was very approachable, encouraging and had a lot of great advice for students just starting out. "

> " The effort of the mentor was amazing and they really tried to help me. "

RAPIDLY GROWING NETWORK

All
Mentees
Mentors

250
200
150
100
50
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Cycle 1   Cycle 2

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