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DESCRIPTION

US News Universities Rankings 2017 edition

SUMMARY

National Universities Rankings

In-the-News From 9/13/16 press release (http://www.usnews.com/info/blogs/press-room/articles/2016-09-13/us-news-releases-2017-best-colleges-rankings):

U.S. News & World Report today announced the 2017 Best Colleges rankings to help students worldwide compare the academic quality of more than 1,800 U.S.-based schools. Princeton University remains No. 1 in the Best National Universities category. For the 14th consecutive year, Williams College takes the top spot on the Best National Liberal Arts Colleges list.

Source: U.S. News Best College Rankings (http://colleges.usnews.rankingsandreviews.com/best-colleges/rankings/national-universities)

Schools in the National Universities category, such as Columbia University and the University of Pennsylvania, offer a full range of undergraduate majors, plus master's and doctoral programs. These colleges also are committed to producing groundbreaking research.

About the data

Name - institution name

Location - City, State where located

Rank Read methodology here (http://www.usnews.com/education/best-colleges/articles/how-usnews-calculated-the-rankings). This dataset does not include unranked schools or any data that requires purchase / special access (i.e., exclusive to the U.S. News College Compass product).

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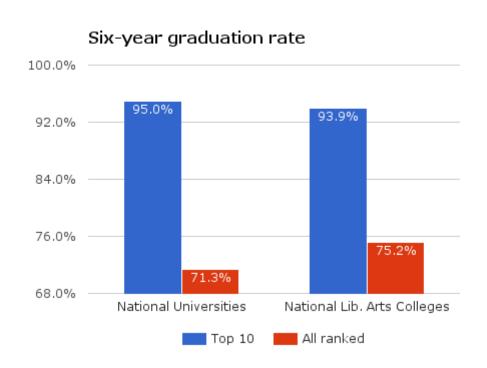
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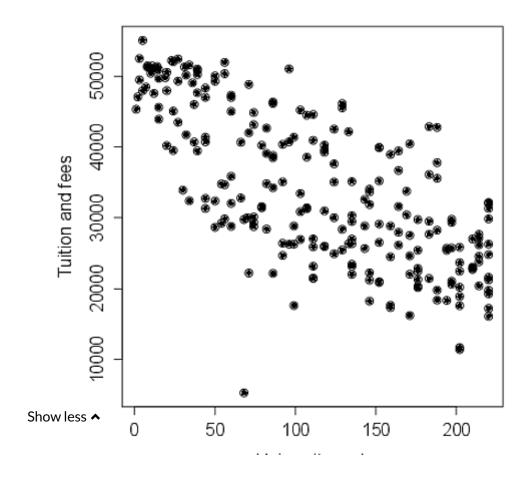
Undergrad Enrollment Number of enrolled undergratuate students

Read the Best Colleges Methodology (http://www.usnews.com/education/best-colleges/articles/how-us-news-calculated-the-rankings)

More from press release (quoted verbatim):

- The average six-year graduation rate is 95 percent for the top 10 National Universities and 93.9 percent for the top 10 National Liberal Arts Colleges.
- The average freshman retention rate is 98.1 percent for the top 10 National Universities and 96.6 percent for the top 10 National Liberal Arts Colleges.
- For comparison, the average six-year graduation rate among all numerically ranked schools on the National Universities list is 71.3 percent, and the average freshman retention rate is 86.9 percent.
- For comparison, the average six-year graduation rate among all numerically ranked schools on the National Liberal Arts Colleges list is 75.2 percent, and the average freshman retention rate is 85.6 percent.





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