

Class of 2013 Profile
Includes 50 MD students but not the 4 MD/PhD students

GPA: BCPM = 3.53; AO = 3.73; Total = 3.62*

MCAT: VR = 9.5; PS = 9.6; WS = "O"; BS = 10.4; Composite = 29.5

RESIDENCY: SD = 44; Non-residents with strong ties to SD = 6;

GENDER: M = 32; F = 18*

NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS: 39 = 1st time applicants; 7 = 2nd time; 4 = 3 or more times

AGE AT MATRICULATION: 24.20 years old; 26 or older = 7;

COMMUNITY SIZE OF HIGH SCHOOL: (26 South Dakota High Schools)

> 30,000 = 22 students from 7 schools in Rapid City or Sioux Falls

> 10,000 = 8 students from 4 schools

< 10,000 = 15 students from 15 schools

Non-SD High School = 5 students from 5 schools

MAJOR: (22 majors or double majors)

Biological Sciences (9 majors or double majors: 28 students);

Physical Sciences (5 majors or double majors: 13 students);

Other (8 majors: 9 students):

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY: (23 schools)

South Dakota = 29 students from 8 schools

Border States = 15 students from 11 schools

Non-Border States = 6 students from 6 schools

BACKGROUND:

40% of the class has a rural background of extended years in a town of less than 10,000

58% of the class has a broad based education with significant non-science background

72% of the class has a significant record of unique, sustained or leadership role in volunteerism

* These numbers deviate from the typical for this class. The typical class has a GPA closer to 3.70 and the gender ratio is typically 48% female.