

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Dashboard Indicators

FACULTY AND SCHOLARSHIP UPDATES BY:
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Areas of Strength

- Highly accomplished and internationally renowned faculty
- Faculty hiring (over 150 new tenure-system faculty)
- Increased diversity of faculty body (e.g., steady progress on hiring under-represented faculty and record number of new female faculty hired in Engineering, about 50% of new hires)

Accomplishments

- Launching of Cluster Hiring program
- Increased National and International Recognition of our Faculty
 - 5 Guggenheim Fellows
 - 3 American Academy of Arts and Sciences Members
 - National Academy of Engineering Member elected - Gary Eden (Electrical & Computer Engineering)
 - Humboldt Prize - Naira Hovakimyan (Mechanical Science & Engineering)
 - Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI) Professor – Jeff Moore (Chemistry)
 - Presidential Early Career Award for Scientists and Engineers (PECASE) - Lane Martin (Materials Science & Engineering)
 - 3 Sloan Research Fellowships
 - 4 American Association for the Advancement of Science Fellows
 - Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Distinguished Teaching Award in the Advertising Division - Peter Sheldon (Advertising)
- New employment and promotion guidelines for Specialized Faculty (non-tenure-system faculty)

Area for Improvement

- Faculty retention and mentoring

Strategy to Address Area for Improvement

Faculty retention and mentoring

Actions

- Aggressive and rapid response to competitive offers or attempts to recruit top faculty
- Hiring of Dual Career coordinator to help partners with employment opportunities inside and outside the university
- Efforts to help grow job opportunities in the community
- Work in progress on a mentoring Provost Communication (university-wide guidelines on mentoring faculty at different stages of their careers)

Areas to Watch

- Faculty salaries and benefits
- Faculty membership in national academies

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Peer Groups



University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*

University of California - Berkeley*

University of California - Los Angeles

University of California - San Diego

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor

University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill**

University of Texas - Austin***

University of Washington

University of Wisconsin - Madison

University of Virginia

* No medical center.

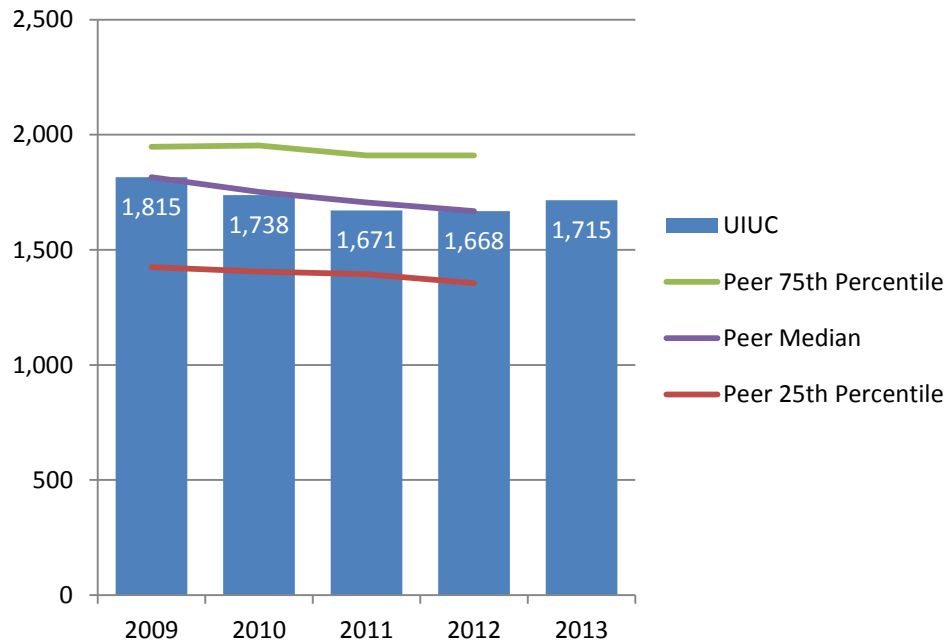
** Medical center affiliated with the university, but owned by the state.

*** Construction of affiliated medical center slated for late 2014.

Faculty and Scholarship



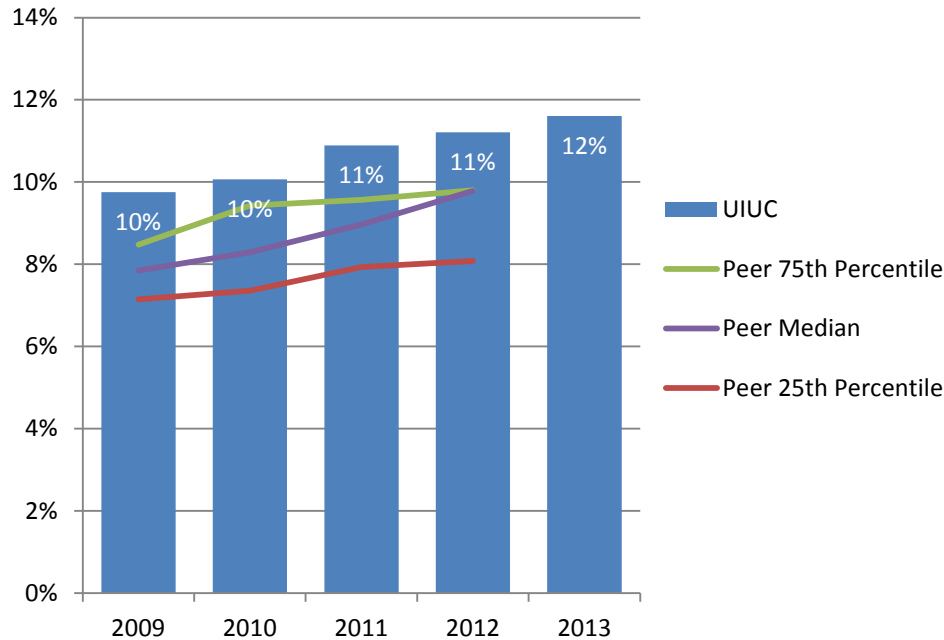
Number of Tenure System Faculty Fall 2009 – Fall 2013



University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign has about the same number of tenure system faculty as its peer median.

Note: Excludes University of Washington-Seattle due to lack of available data.

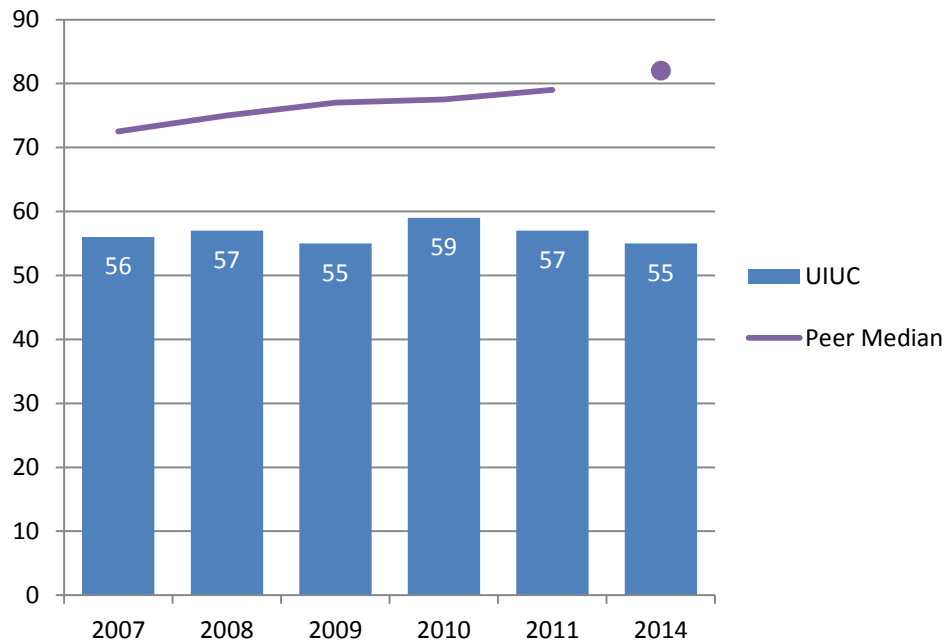
Percent Tenure System Faculty from Underrepresented* Groups Fall 2009 – Fall 2013



Compared to its peer median, the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign has a higher percent of tenure system faculty from underrepresented groups.

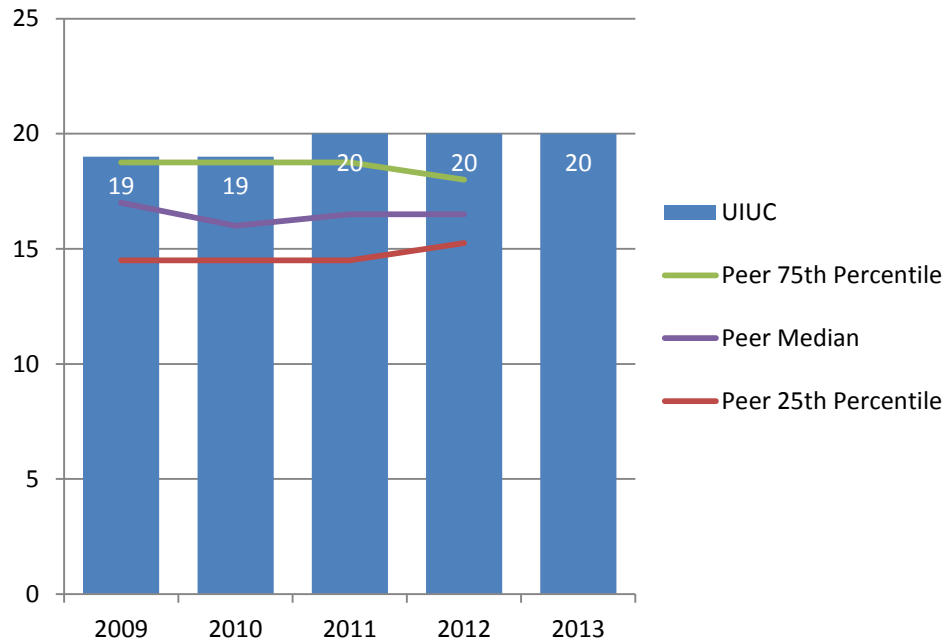
* Includes Black, Hispanic, American Indian, Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander, and multi-racial faculty. Excludes University of Washington-Seattle due to lack of available data.

National Academy Memberships FY 2007 – FY 2011 and FY 2014



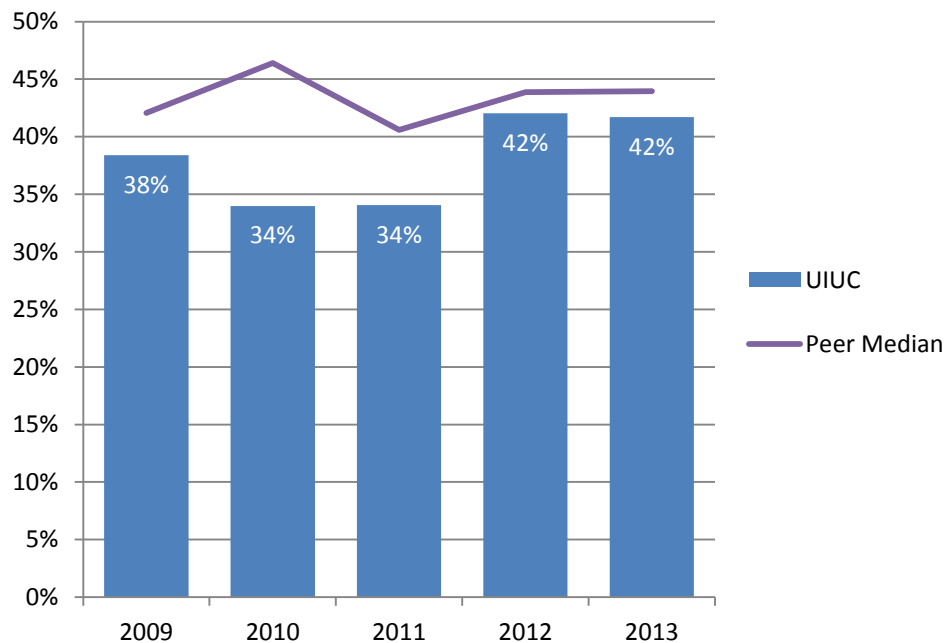
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign has fewer National Academy memberships than its peer median.

Student to Faculty Ratios Fall 2009 – Fall 2013



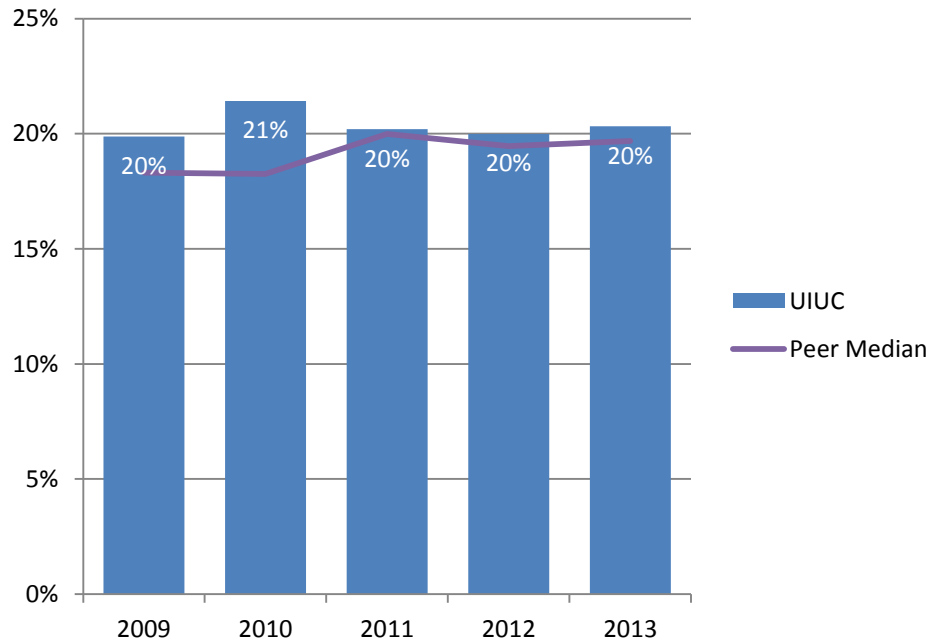
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign has a higher student to faculty ratio than its peer median.

Percent Undergraduate Class Sections with Fewer Than 20 Students Fall 2009 – Fall 2013



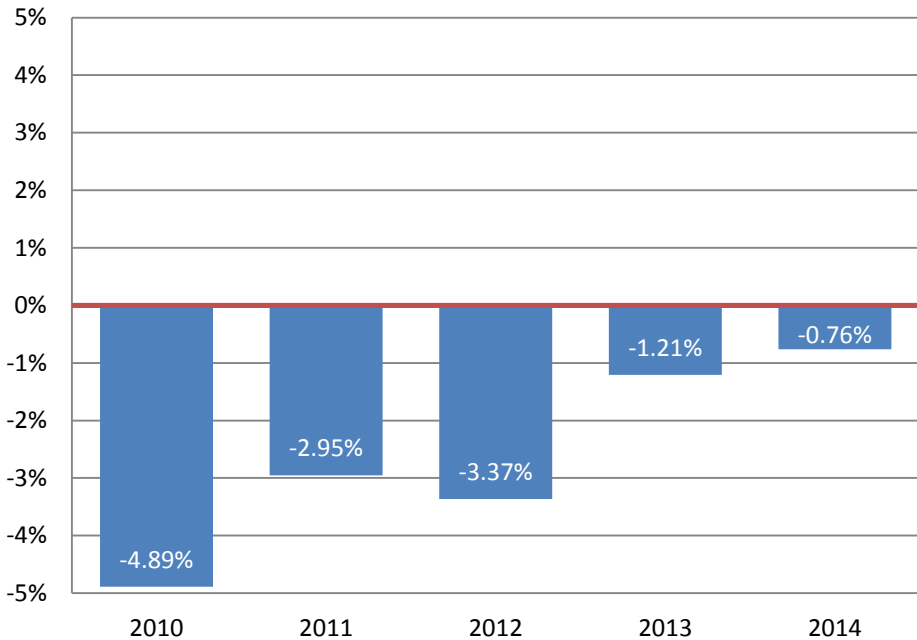
The percent of classes with less than 20 students at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is less than its peer median.

Percent Undergraduate Class Sections with More Than 50 Students Fall 2009 – Fall 2013



The percent of classes with more than 50 students at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is on par with its peer median.

Faculty* Salary - Difference from Peer Median FY 2010 – FY 2014



Average faculty salary at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is lower than its peer median.

* Includes full-time instructional faculty and excludes clinical faculty.

Faculty Migration FY 2010 – FY 2013

Tenure System Faculty Receiving Firm Offers

Decision	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013
Stay	35	41	67	32
Resign	38	38	38	30
Leave without Pay	1	2	2	4
Pending	0	0	0	2
Total Offers	74	81	107	68

The number of outside offers made to tenure system faculty at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign decreased in FY 2013.

Counter Offers	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013
Counter Offers Made	23	17	43	29
Counter Offers Accepted	19	11	33	23
Percent of Counter Offers Accepted	83%	65%	77%	79%

Faculty and Scholarship: Goals



- Campus goal
- Campus goal

Action Items



- Campus action item
- ★ Campus action item

- time-frame (1-2 year)
- ★ time-frame (3-5 year)

Questions?

