

AROUND CAMPUS

Students and Faculty

MIT enrolled (<https://facts.mit.edu/enrollment-statistics>) 11,934 students in 2021–2022, including 4,638 undergraduates and 7,296 graduate students. These MIT students came from all 50 states, the District of Columbia, two territories, and 131 foreign countries. The broad international student representation of 3,417 students made up 10% of the undergraduate and 40% of the graduate population.

In the same year, there were 1,069 faculty (<https://facts.mit.edu/employees/faculty>) members in MIT's professorial ranks, including 272 women. The total teaching staff numbered 2,039. Most faculty members at MIT teach both undergraduate and graduate students. Undergraduates frequently register for graduate classes, and many undergraduates and graduate students participate, often together, in advanced research.

The confluence of ages, disciplines, and nationalities so characteristic of MIT brings together students and teachers, biologists and architects, humanists and engineers, young and old, and deeply influences the life and experience of every member of the academic community. The result is an academic environment with a strong focus on excellence and a diverse range of interests.