## A PROFILE OF CANADIAN ABORIGINAL STUDENTS ${ }^{1}$ AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA

|  | 2004-05 |  | 2003-04 ${ }^{2}$ |  |
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|  | Total | \% of Aboriginal Students | Total | \% of Aboriginal Students |
| Undergraduate Students | 1563 | 97.4\% | 1378 | 98.4\% |
| Graduate Students | 42 | 2.6\% | 23 | 1.6\% |
| Total | 1605 |  | 1401 |  |
| \% of Undergraduates | 6.5\% |  | 6.0\% |  |
| \% of University 1 class | 6.4\% |  | 5.3\% |  |
| By Aboriginal Identity |  |  |  |  |
| First Nations | 929 | 57.9\% | 800 | 57.1\% |
| Metis | 643 | 40.1\% | 559 | 39.9\% |
| Inuit | 10 | 0.6\% | 7 | 0.5\% |
| Identity not specified | 23 | 1.4\% | 35 | 2.5\% |
| By Sex |  |  |  |  |
| Male | 473 | 29.5\% | 406 | 29.0\% |
| Female | 1132 | 70.5\% | 995 | 71.0\% |
| By Full/Part Status |  |  |  |  |
| Full-Time | 1098 | 68.4\% | 858 | 61.2\% |
| Part-Time | 507 | 31.6\% | 543 | 38.8\% |
| By Age Group |  |  |  |  |
| 15-19 | 130 | 8.1\% | 119 | 8.5\% |
| 20-24 | 540 | 33.6\% | 429 | 30.6\% |
| 25-29 | 320 | 19.9\% | 301 | 21.5\% |
| 30-34 | 227 | 14.1\% | 175 | 12.5\% |
| 35-39 | 159 | 9.9\% | 155 | 11.1\% |
| 40 \& over | 229 | 14.3\% | 222 | 15.8\% |
| By On/Off Campus |  |  |  |  |
| On Campus | 1131 | 70.5\% | 944 | 67.4\% |
| Off Campus | 474 | 29.5\% | 457 | 32.6\% |
| By Type of Student |  |  |  |  |
| New | 438 | 27.3\% | 340 | 24.3\% |
| Former | 1167 | 72.7\% | 1061 | 75.7\% |
| By Faculty/School |  |  |  |  |
| Agric. \& Food Sciences | 8 | 0.5\% | 7 | 0.5\% |
| Architecture | 6 | 0.4\% | 7 | 0.5\% |
| Art, School of | 16 | 1.0\% | 12 | 0.9\% |
| Arts | 194 | 12.1\% | 199 | 14.2\% |
| Business | 34 | 2.1\% | 38 | 2.7\% |
| Continuing Education | 215 | 13.4\% | 194 | 13.8\% |
| Education | 87 | 5.4\% | 68 | 4.9\% |
| Engineering | 58 | 3.6\% | 59 | 4.2\% |
| Environment | 12 | 0.7\% | 9 | 0.6\% |
| Graduate Studies | 42 | 2.6\% | 23 | 1.6\% |
| Human Ecology | 12 | 0.7\% | 5 | 0.4\% |
| Law | 22 | 1.4\% | 20 | 1.4\% |
| Medicine | 15 | 0.9\% | 14 | 1.0\% |
| Nursing | 162 | 10.1\% | 141 | 10.1\% |
| Pharmacy | 9 | 0.6\% | 8 | 0.6\% |
| PE \& RS | 20 | 1.2\% | 15 | 1.1\% |
| Science | 98 | 6.1\% | 86 | 6.1\% |
| Social Work | 222 | 13.8\% | 197 | 14.1\% |
| University 1 | 362 | 22.6\% | 292 | 20.8\% |
| Others ${ }^{2}$ | 11 | 0.7\% | 7 | 0.5\% |

## Notes:

1. Aboriginal identity is self-declared on the Admission form. Because the self-declaration is voluntary, the numbers reported would be less than the total population of Canadian Aboriginal students on campus. Undergraduate data collection began in 2000-01. Data collection for graduate students began in 2002-03 2. 2003-04 data has been restated based on increased efforts to improve on the collection of declaration data.
