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New Students
Applications and Not Coming Summary

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Fall 2011 New Student Applications and Students Not Coming Summary

The following is a departmental summary of reasons why students applied or declined their admission to CSM for the Fall 2011 semester.

Some students provided the names of other institutions they would be attending instead of CSM. Whenever possible the institution names are provided with the number of students who indicated that particular institution within each given department. Not all students gave the other institution where they would be attending.

The Enrollment Form asks students to comment on different topics related to their experiences during the admissions process. Students were asked to rate their interactions with the Graduate Office, Departments, and On-line application throughout the admissions process, on a scale of 1-10 with 10 being high.

Overall Summary

CSM Graduate School as a Whole	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	2075		
Total Number of Acceptances	971	46.8%	
Total Number of New Registered	459	47.3%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	498	51.3%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	85	17.1%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	16	3.2%	
Personal &/or Health Reasons	101	20.3%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding	0	0.0%	
Went to another university	171	34.3%	
Due to Financial Aid?	86	50.3%	
Was the other program a better fit?	85	49.7%	
Deferred to another semester	63	12.7%	
Financial problems by student	61	12.2%	
Visa problems	1	0.2%	

Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	41	4.2%	
Cost/Tuition	5	0.5%	
Curriculum	150	15.4%	
Exchange Program	4	0.4%	
Faculty	198	20.3%	
Financial Aid Availability	30	3.1%	
Location	81	8.3%	
Placement Opportunities	29	3.0%	
Reputation	429	44.1%	
Sponsor Decision	6	0.6%	
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	973	8.4%	
Academic Departments	973	8.6%	
Online Application	973	8.4%	
Comments			

Chemical Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	131	6.3%	Lehigh University
Total Number of Acceptances	45	34.4%	Penn State University
Total Number of New Registered	20	44.4%	Texas A&M
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	25	55.6%	University of California, Los Angeles
			University of Delaware
Reasons			University of Florida - Gainesville
No Reason Given	2	8.0%	University of Massachusetts Amherst
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	2	8.0%	University of Minnesota
Personal &/or Health Reasons	5	20.0%	University of Texas at Austin
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			University of Utah
Went to another university	16	64.0%	University of Virginia
Due to Financial Aid?	2	12.5%	University of Washington-Seattle
Was the other program a better fit?	14	87.5%	
Deferred to another semester			
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	1	0.1%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	4	0.4%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	13	1.3%	
Financial Aid Availability	1	0.1%	
Location	6	0.6%	
Placement Opportunities	3	0.3%	
Reputation	17	1.7%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	45	8.7%	
Academic Departments	45	8.8%	
Online Application	45	8.6%	
Comments			
My interests lie more in bioengineering.			

Chemistry & Geochemistry	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	57	2.7%	Florida State University
Total Number of Acceptances	15	26.3%	Northwestern University
Total Number of New Registered	5	33.3%	Penn State University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	10	66.7%	University of California Davis
			University of Cambridge
			University of Missouri-Saint Louis
			Washington University in St. Louis
Reasons			
No Reason Given	3	30.0%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons	3	30.0%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	4	40.0%	
Due to Financial Aid?			
Was the other program a better fit?	4	100.0%	
Deferred to another semester			
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition	1	0.1%	
Curriculum	3	0.3%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	4	0.4%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location	3	0.3%	
Placement Opportunities			
Reputation	4	0.4%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	15	8.3%	
Academic Departments	15	8.3%	
Online Application	15	7.9%	
Comments			
I was very impressed with my visit to CSM			

Economics & Business - Mineral Economics	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	129	6.2%	Montana State University
Total Number of Acceptances	79	61.2%	NC State
Total Number of New Registered	38	48.1%	Syracuse University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	51	64.6%	The Pennsylvania State University
			University of California, Berkeley
			University of Florida
Reasons			
No Reason Given	8	15.7%	University of Texas at Austin
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	2	3.9%	Virginia Tech
Personal &/or Health Reasons	13	25.5%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	7	13.7%	
Due to Financial Aid?	4	57.1%	
Was the other program a better fit?	3	42.9%	
Deferred to another semester	9	17.6%	
Financial problems by student	5	9.8%	
Visa problems	1	2.0%	
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	4	0.4%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	18	1.8%	
Exchange Program	3	0.3%	
Faculty	6	0.6%	
Financial Aid Availability	4	0.4%	
Location	9	0.9%	
Placement Opportunities	8	0.8%	
Reputation	20	2.1%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	72	8.6%	
Academic Departments	72	8.8%	
Online Application	72	8.7%	
Comments			
Without significant financial aid I cannot attend			
Extensive travel with job, program doesn't have distance learning			

Economics & Business- ETM	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	48	2.3%	University of California, Berkeley
Total Number of Acceptances	35	72.9%	
Total Number of New Registered	21	60.0%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	6	17.1%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	5	83.3%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons			
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	1	16.7%	
Due to Financial Aid?			
Was the other program a better fit?	1	100.0%	
Deferred to another semester			
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	14	1.4%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	1	0.1%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location			
Placement Opportunities	1	0.1%	
Reputation	19	2.0%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	35	8.0%	
Academic Departments	35	8.2%	
Online Application	35	8.2%	
Comments			

Engineering Systems	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	274	13.2%	Arizona State
Total Number of Acceptances	189	69.0%	Colorado State University
Total Number of New Registered	70	37.0%	CU Boulder
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	118	62.4%	King Abdullah University of Sci & Tech
			Oregon State University
Reasons			Pennsylvania State University
No Reason Given	17	14.4%	Purdue
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			Stanford University
Personal &/or Health Reasons	23	19.5%	Texas A&M
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			UC Davis
Went to another university	38	32.2%	University of California Berkeley
Due to Financial Aid?	22	57.9%	University of California, Los Angeles
Was the other program a better fit?	16	42.1%	University of Houston
Deferred to another semester	19	16.1%	University of Maryland
Financial problems by student	21	17.8%	University of Minnesota
Visa problems			University of Rochester
			University of Texas at Austin
Applying Factors			University of Washington
Combined BS/MS Program	11	1.1%	University of Wyoming
Cost/Tuition	1	0.1%	Virginia Polytechnic Inst and State Univ
Curriculum	18	1.8%	Washington State Univ, Pullman Campus
Exchange Program			
Faculty	33	3.4%	
Financial Aid Availability	10	1.0%	
Location	26	2.7%	
Placement Opportunities	2	0.2%	
Reputation	88	9.0%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	189	8.1%	
Academic Departments	189	8.2%	
Online Application	189	8.2%	
Comments			
CSM was the most impressive school I toured			
Received a Research Assistantship at CSU Fort Collins			

Environmental Science and Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	154	7.4%	Colorado State University
Total Number of Acceptances	87	56.5%	Illinois Institute of Technology
Total Number of New Registered	44	50.6%	Johns Hopkins University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	41	47.1%	Oregon State University
			Swiss Federal Institute of Tech Zurich
Reasons			University of Colorado at Boulder
No Reason Given	6	14.6%	University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	2	4.9%	University of Montana
Personal &/or Health Reasons	10	24.4%	Virginia Tech
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	16	39.0%	
Due to Financial Aid?	8	50.0%	
Was the other program a better fit?	8	50.0%	
Deferred to another semester	5	12.2%	
Financial problems by student	2	4.9%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	3	0.3%	
Cost/Tuition	1	0.1%	
Curriculum	23	2.4%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	14	1.4%	
Financial Aid Availability	3	0.3%	
Location	9	0.9%	
Placement Opportunities	2	0.2%	
Reputation	30	3.1%	
Sponsor Decision	2	0.2%	
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	87	8.6%	
Academic Departments	87	8.8%	
Online Application	87	8.2%	
Comments			

Geochemistry	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	24	1.2%	
Total Number of Acceptances	3	12.5%	
Total Number of New Registered	1	33.3%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	2	66.7%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given			
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons			
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	1	50.0%	
Due to Financial Aid?	1	100.0%	
Was the other program a better fit?			
Deferred to another semester	1	50.0%	
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	1	0.1%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	1	0.1%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location			
Placement Opportunities			
Reputation	1	0.1%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	3	8.7%	
Academic Departments	3	9.0%	
Online Application	3	8.0%	
Comments			

Geology & Geological Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	212	10.2%	Brigham Young University
Total Number of Acceptances	111	52.4%	LSU
Total Number of New Registered	48	43.2%	Missouri State University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	63	56.8%	North Carolina State University
			Royal Holloway, University of London
Reasons			South Dakota School of Mines and Tech
No Reason Given	9	14.3%	Southern Illinois University
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	2	3.2%	Stanford University
Personal &/or Health Reasons	7	11.1%	Texas A&M University
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			UBC
Went to another university	29	46.0%	UCLA
Due to Financial Aid?	19	65.5%	University of Arizona
Was the other program a better fit?	10	34.5%	University of Colorado
Deferred to another semester	6	9.5%	University of Idaho
Financial problems by student	10	15.9%	University of Kentucky
Visa problems			university of maryland
			University of Nevada, Reno
Applying Factors			University of Texas- Austin
Combined BS/MS Program	1	0.1%	University of Wisconsin-Madison
Cost/Tuition	1	0.1%	Utah State University
Curriculum	18	1.8%	Yale University
Exchange Program			
Faculty	16	1.6%	
Financial Aid Availability	1	0.1%	
Location	7	0.7%	
Placement Opportunities	4	0.4%	
Reputation	62	6.4%	
Sponsor Decision	1	0.1%	
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	111	8.2%	
Academic Departments	111	8.5%	
Online Application	111	8.5%	
Comments			
Lack of financial aid			

Geophysics	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	156	7.5%	Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Total Number of Acceptances	35	22.4%	Purdue
Total Number of New Registered	26	74.3%	Southern Methodist University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	10	28.6%	Stanford University
			University of British Columbia, Vancouver
Reasons			
No Reason Given	1	10.0%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons	1	10.0%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	7	70.0%	
Due to Financial Aid?	3	42.9%	
Was the other program a better fit?	4	57.1%	
Deferred to another semester			
Financial problems by student	1	10.0%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	3	0.3%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	15	1.5%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location	1	0.1%	
Placement Opportunities	14	1.4%	
Reputation	2	0.2%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	35	8.8%	
Academic Departments	35	9.1%	
Online Application	35	8.5%	
Comments			

Hydrologic Sciences and Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	54	2.6%	Colorado State University
Total Number of Acceptances	41	75.9%	Dartmouth College
Total Number of New Registered	14	34.1%	McMaster University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	26	63.4%	Stanford University
			Texas A&M
Reasons			University of Colorado - Boulder
No Reason Given	2	7.7%	University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	2	7.7%	University of Washington
Personal &/or Health Reasons	6	23.1%	Utrecht University, The Netherlands
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			Washington State University
Went to another university	10	38.5%	
Due to Financial Aid?	7	70.0%	
Was the other program a better fit?	3	30.0%	
Deferred to another semester	5	19.2%	
Financial problems by student	1	3.8%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	1	0.1%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	10	1.0%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	7	0.7%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location	1	0.1%	
Placement Opportunities	1	0.1%	
Reputation	21	2.2%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	41	8.0%	
Academic Departments	41	8.3%	
Online Application	41	8.2%	
Comments			

International Political Economy	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	22	1.1%	
Total Number of Acceptances	18	81.8%	
Total Number of New Registered	10	55.6%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	6	33.3%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	2	33.3%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	1	16.7%	
Personal &/or Health Reasons	2	33.3%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university			
Due to Financial Aid?			
Was the other program a better fit?			
Deferred to another semester	1	16.7%	
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	6	0.6%	
Exchange Program	1	#DIV/0!	
Faculty	3	0.3%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location	1	0.1%	
Placement Opportunities	1	0.1%	
Reputation	6	0.6%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	18	8.7%	
Academic Departments	18	9.2%	
Online Application	18	8.3%	
Comments			

Materials Science	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	94	4.5%	
Total Number of Acceptances	25	26.6%	
Total Number of New Registered	13	52.0%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	5	20.0%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	1	20.0%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons	1	20.0%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university			
Due to Financial Aid?			
Was the other program a better fit?			
Deferred to another semester	2	40.0%	
Financial problems by student	1	20.0%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	1	0.1%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	1	0.1%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	4	0.4%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location	2	0.2%	
Placement Opportunities			
Reputation	17	1.7%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	25	8.7%	
Academic Departments	25	9.3%	
Online Application	25	8.3%	
Comments			

Mathematical & Computer Science	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	129	6.2%	CU-Boulder
Total Number of Acceptances	80	62.0%	Indiana University, Bloomington
Total Number of New Registered	36	45.0%	Stanford University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	43	53.8%	University of Akron
			University of California, Irvine
			University of Florida
Reasons			
No Reason Given	10	23.3%	University of Hawaii at Manoa
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	2	4.7%	University of New Mexico
Personal &/or Health Reasons	11	25.6%	University of Rochester
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	11	25.6%	
Due to Financial Aid?	4	36.4%	
Was the other program a better fit?	7	63.6%	
Deferred to another semester	1	2.3%	
Financial problems by student	8	18.6%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	9	0.9%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	9	0.9%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	13	1.3%	
Financial Aid Availability	5	0.5%	
Location	7	0.7%	
Placement Opportunities	2	0.2%	
Reputation	35	3.6%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	80	8.4%	
Academic Departments	80	8.8%	
Online Application	80	8.4%	
Comments			
Recieved a better offer for my PhD program from The University of Akron			

Metallurgical & Materials Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	124	6.0%	The Ohio State University
Total Number of Acceptances	33	26.6%	
Total Number of New Registered	31	93.9%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	7	21.2%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	2	28.6%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons	2	28.6%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	3	42.9%	
Due to Financial Aid?	2	66.7%	
Was the other program a better fit?	1	33.3%	
Deferred to another semester			
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	2	0.2%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	1	0.1%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	13	1.3%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location	1	0.1%	
Placement Opportunities			
Reputation	15	1.5%	
Sponsor Decision	1	0.1%	
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	33	8.8%	
Academic Departments	33	9.2%	
Online Application	33	8.5%	
Comments			

Mining & Earth Systems Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	47	2.3%	IIT Delhi
Total Number of Acceptances	33	70.2%	Simon Fraser University
Total Number of New Registered	9	27.3%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	24	72.7%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	5	20.8%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	1	4.2%	
Personal &/or Health Reasons	4	16.7%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	2	8.3%	
Due to Financial Aid?	1	50.0%	
Was the other program a better fit?	1	50.0%	
Deferred to another semester	7	29.2%	
Financial problems by student	5	20.8%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	4	0.4%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	12	1.2%	
Financial Aid Availability	3	0.3%	
Location	2	0.2%	
Placement Opportunities	1	0.1%	
Reputation	11	1.1%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	33	8.4%	
Academic Departments	33	8.3%	
Online Application	33	8.5%	
Comments			

Nuclear Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	28	1.3%	University of South Carolina
Total Number of Acceptances	20	71.4%	
Total Number of New Registered	13	65.0%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	8	40.0%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given	3	37.5%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons	1	12.5%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	1	12.5%	
Due to Financial Aid?	1	100.0%	
Was the other program a better fit?			
Deferred to another semester	1	12.5%	
Financial problems by student	2	25.0%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	1	0.1%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	7	0.7%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	4	0.4%	
Financial Aid Availability	1	0.1%	
Location	1	0.1%	
Placement Opportunities	1	0.1%	
Reputation	5	0.5%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	20	7.9%	
Academic Departments	20	8.5%	
Online Application	20	8.8%	
Comments			
Zero financial assistance			

Petroleum Engineering	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	280	13.5%	Stanford University
Total Number of Acceptances	83	29.6%	Texas A&M University
Total Number of New Registered	31	37.3%	The University of Texas at Austin
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	49	59.0%	University of Oklahoma
			University of Southern California USC
			University of Texas at Austin
Reasons			
No Reason Given	9	18.4%	
Job-Related (i.e. job change)	1	2.0%	
Personal &/or Health Reasons	9	18.4%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	21	42.9%	
Due to Financial Aid?	10	47.6%	
Was the other program a better fit?	11	52.4%	
Deferred to another semester	5	10.2%	
Financial problems by student	4	8.2%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition	1	0.1%	
Curriculum	7	0.7%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	22	2.3%	
Financial Aid Availability	1	0.1%	
Location	3	0.3%	
Placement Opportunities			
Reputation	49	5.0%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	83	8.3%	
Academic Departments	83	8.4%	
Online Application	83	8.7%	
Comments			
Require me to take to any undergraduate coursework			
Stanford simply offers more opportunities & a better stipend			

Petroleum Reservoir Systems	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	11	0.5%	
Total Number of Acceptances	4	36.4%	
Total Number of New Registered	4	100.0%	
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	0	0.0%	
Reasons			
No Reason Given			
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons			
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university			
Due to Financial Aid?			
Was the other program a better fit?			
Deferred to another semester			
Financial problems by student			
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program			
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	2	0.2%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	1	0.1%	
Financial Aid Availability			
Location			
Placement Opportunities			
Reputation	1	0.1%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	4	8.3%	
Academic Departments	4	8.5%	
Online Application	4	8.3%	
Comments			

Physics	Totals	Percents	Universities Attending Instead of CSM
Total Number of Applications	101	4.9%	Georgia Institute of Technology
Total Number of Acceptances	35	34.7%	Rice University
Total Number of New Registered	25	71.4%	Stanford University
Total Number of Students Who Declined Admissions	10	28.6%	University of California, Davis
			University of New Mexico
			University of Washington
Reasons			
No Reason Given			
Job-Related (i.e. job change)			
Personal &/or Health Reasons	4	40.0%	
Sponsor withdrew offer of funding			
Went to another university	4	40.0%	
Due to Financial Aid?	2	50.0%	
Was the other program a better fit?	2	50.0%	
Deferred to another semester	1	10.0%	
Financial problems by student	1	10.0%	
Visa problems			
Applying Factors			
Combined BS/MS Program	7	0.7%	
Cost/Tuition			
Curriculum	1	0.1%	
Exchange Program			
Faculty	10	1.0%	
Financial Aid Availability	1	0.1%	
Location	3	0.3%	
Placement Opportunities	2	0.2%	
Reputation	10	1.0%	
Sponsor Decision			
Ratings		Average	
Graduate Office	35	8.3%	
Academic Departments	35	9.4%	
Online Application	35	8.0%	
Comments			
Received job offer in field of interest from defense contract			