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DEGREES AND CERTIFICATES AWARDED BY
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Institution	Level	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-5	2005-6
Four-Year Inst Total	Certificate	38	37	46	47	51
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	0.2%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
	Associate	141	138	158	145	213
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.8%
	Baccalaureate	18,147	18,688	21,550	19,142	19,844
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	74.1%	73.2%	72.1%	72.4%	73.2%
	Master's	5,016	5,397	6,684	5,692	5,628
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	20.5%	21.1%	22.3%	21.5%	20.8%
	Specialist	43	47	108	76	59
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.3%	0.2%
	First Professional	513	545	544	657	655
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	2.1%	2.1%	1.8%	2.5%	2.4%
	Doctorate	607	689	818	662	666
	% of 4 Yr Inst Total	2.5%	2.7%	2.7%	2.5%	2.5%
	Four-Year Public Subtotal	24,505	25,541	29,908	26,421	27,116
Two-Year Inst Total	Certificate	4,347	5,171	6,018	6,761	6,955
	% of 2 Yr Inst Total	47.1%	50.0%	51.8%	53.1%	54.3%
	Associate	4,890	5,170	5,598	5,975	5,847
	% of 2 Yr Inst Total	52.9%	50.0%	48.2%	46.9%	45.7%
	Two-Year Public Subtotal	9,237	10,341	11,616	12,736	12,802
All Inst Total	Certificate	4,398	5,208	6,064	6,808	7,006
	% of Grand Total	13.0%	15.4%	18.0%	20.2%	20.8%
	Associate	5,034	5,308	5,756	6,120	6,060
	% of Grand Total	14.9%	15.7%	17.1%	18.1%	18.0%
	Baccalaureate	18,147	18,688	21,550	19,142	19,844
	% of Grand Total	53.8%	55.4%	63.8%	56.7%	58.8%
	Master's	5,016	5,397	6,684	5,692	5,628
	% of Grand Total	14.9%	16.0%	19.8%	16.9%	16.7%
	Specialist	43	47	108	76	59
	% of Grand Total	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%
	First Professional	513	545	544	657	655
	% of Grand Total	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	1.9%	1.9%
	Doctorate	607	689	818	662	666
	% of Grand Total	1.8%	2.0%	2.4%	2.0%	2.0%
	Grand Total	33,758	35,882	41,524	39,157	39,918

Source: SURDS Degree Files, selected years.

Note: Counts are unduplicated per category. For example, students receiving two or more degrees are counted only once.