

Lackawanna College

Fact Book 2016-2017

Office of Institutional Research

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About the Institution

The College: Located in downtown Scranton, with satellite centers in Hawley, Hazleton, New Milford, and Towanda, Lackawanna College is the premier, private, accredited two-year college serving the people of Northeast Pennsylvania. Founded in 1894, Lackawanna College remains true to its mission to train future generations of hard-working professionals. Initially known as the Scranton Business College, the institution changed its name in 1912 following a merger of two institutions and was known as the Scranton Lackawanna Business College. As the institution continued to expand, it was renamed the Scranton Lackawanna College in 1926 to accommodate the growing course offerings. In 1957, the institution was incorporated as a non-profit institution under a self-perpetuating Board of Trustees and rebranded as Lackawanna Junior College. The college was renamed Lackawanna College in 2001.

Academic Programs and Certificates Offered: Lackawanna College is accredited by the Commission on Higher Education of the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools as well as a variety of discipline-specific accrediting agencies. Academic offerings include 31 major and certificate programs including Allied Health programs and majors in the School of Petroleum and Natural Gas, which was established in 2009.

Enrollment: Fall 2016 enrollment totaled 1,477. Of these, 78% were enrolled on a full time basis. The undergraduate student body was 55% male, and 33% minority.

Admission/Retention: Of all undergraduate applicants, 39.5% were accepted, and 433 first time freshman enrolled for Fall 2016. Additionally, 130 students transferred to Lackawanna College in Fall 2016. Approximately 53% of first time, full time freshmen cohort of 2015 returned for their second year at Lackawanna College.

Costs: Academic year 2016-2017 tuition was \$13,870 for full-time undergraduate commuters. Resident student cost for the 2016-2017 academic year was \$22,670. These amounts do not reflect additional tuition and mandatory fees.

The Campus: Lackawanna College occupies and maintains 19 buildings located in downtown Scranton and across its satellite campuses in New Milford, Hazleton, Hawley, and Towanda. Two additional buildings were recently purchased to expand the campus and are currently undergoing renovation. The college offers 3 buildings for student residence halls, housing approximately 335 students, and also offering a dining hall, student union building, student lounges, and a fitness center.

Mission, Vision, and Values

Mission Statement

Lackawanna College's mission is to provide a quality education to all persons who seek to improve their lives and better the communities in which they live.

Vision Statement

The College's vision is to be the nationally recognized, premiere open-enrollment college of choice.

Core Values

Lackawanna's Core Values include a commitment to:

- Remaining an affordable, open-enrollment college
- Providing a high quality and transferable education that exceeds academic expectations for students at all learning levels
- Excellence in providing educational opportunities for students who are academically underprepared for college level work
- Nurturing students' sense of self-worth and capacity to make a difference.
- Cultivating and maintaining active partnerships with our regional community, including other educational institutions, businesses, and non-profit agencies
- Excellence in programs that prepare students to succeed in the workforce

President, Board of Trustees, and Administration

President of Lackawanna College: Mark Volk

Mark Volk became the eighth president of Lackawanna College on July 1, 2012. Prior to being selected for the Lackawanna presidency, he was appointed to the position of Vice President of Planning and Operations in 2004 and then was promoted to Executive Vice President of the College in 2007 where he oversaw the daily operations. During his tenure, he supervised all College planning and the implementation of its \$2.5 million Title III infrastructure grant. He also assisted the current President in the structural reorganization of the College.

Prior to his academic career, Mr. Volk served in the U.S. Army and retired with the rank of Colonel. During his 26-year Army career, he served in a variety of command and staff positions in the United States and overseas. He also trained as a Middle East/North Africa Foreign Area Officer (FAO) regional specialist studying Arabic at the Defense Language Institute. Mr. Volk is also a graduate of the Department of State Foreign Service Institute, Tunisia, where he continued his Arabic studies and traveled extensively throughout the Middle East and North Africa.

Mr. Volk earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in History from the University of Scranton in 1977, a Master's of Science in National Security Strategy from the National War College in 1999, and holds a Master's Degree in History from the University of Scranton.

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Board of Trustees

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Administration Members

Executive Vice President & Chief Innovation Officer: Jill A. Murray, Ph.D.
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Vice President for Enrollment Management: T.J. Eltringham
Vice President for Finance and Administration: Alycia Schwartz, CPA, MBA
Vice President for Human Resources: Renee Mundy, Esq., SPHR, SHRM-SCP
Vice President of Student Affairs: Suellen Musewicz
Academic Dean: Suzanne Cercone, Ph.D.
Dean of Allied Health: Lynn DeSanto, MT, ASCP, MS
Founding Dean of Petroleum and Natural Gas: Richard Marquardt
Dean of Students: Daniel LaMagna

Locations and Center Directors

Main Campus: Scranton, PA
Hazleton Center: April Harris-Snyder, Director
Lake Region Center: Kellyn Nolan, Director
Towanda Center: Kim Mapes, Director
Environmental Education Center: Sharon Yanik-Craig, Director
New Milford Center: Richard Marquardt, Executive Director

Degree and Certification Offerings

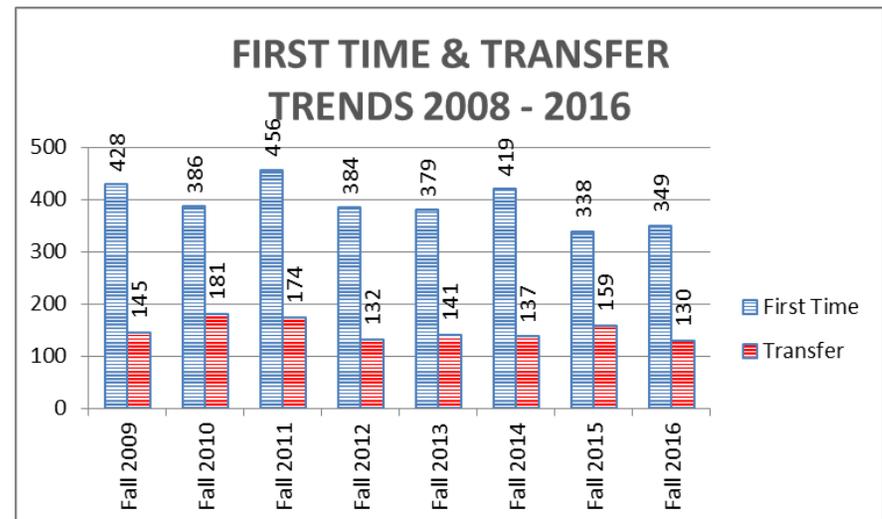
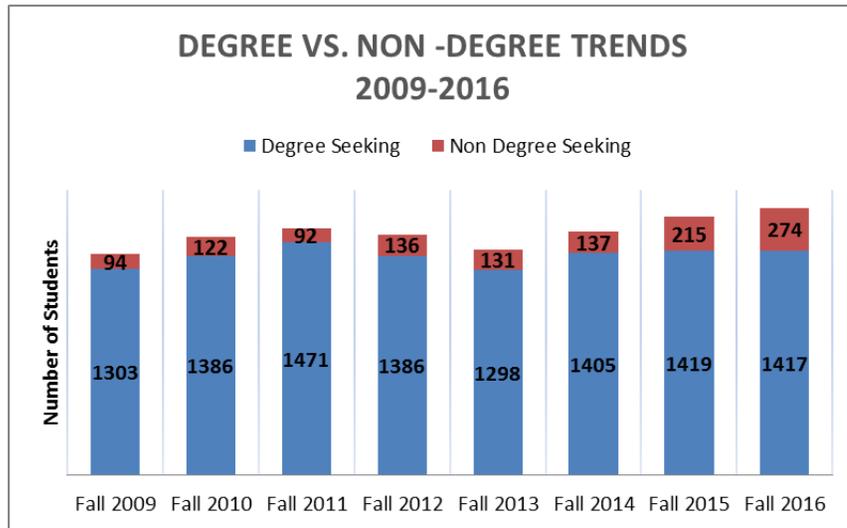
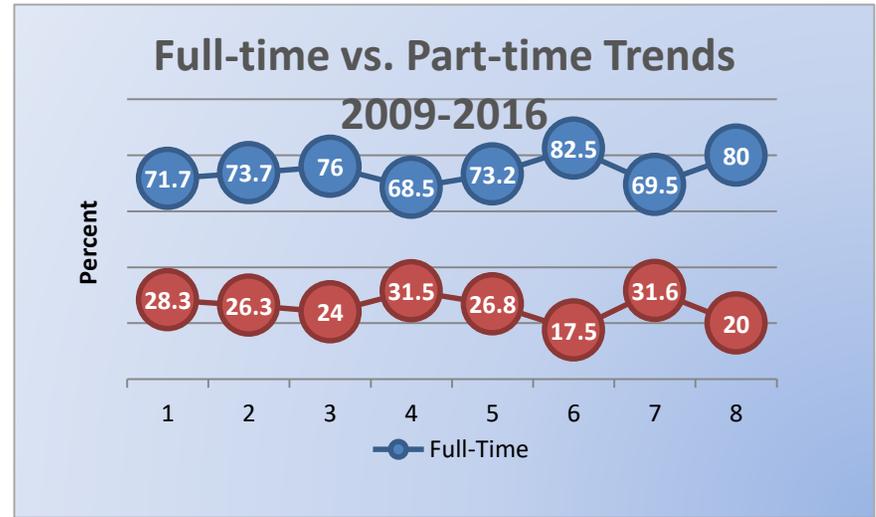
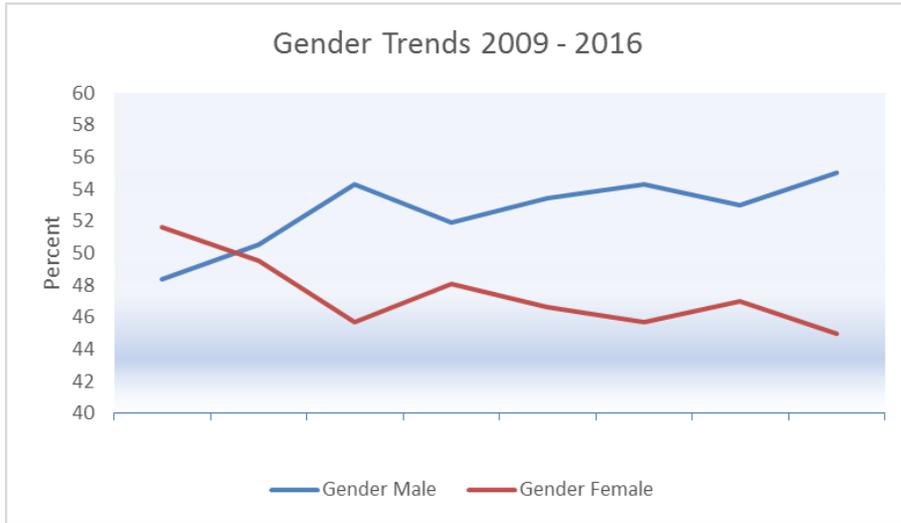
Accounting	Hospitality Management
Business Administration	Human Services
Business Studies	Liberal Studies
Cardiac Sonography	Petroleum and Natural Gas Industrial Mechanics
Communication Arts and Media Technology	Petroleum and Natural Gas Technology
Computer Information Systems	Petroleum and Natural Gas Measurement
Criminal Justice- Counseling	Petroleum and Natural Gas Business
Criminal Justice- Police/Security	Administration
Culinary Arts	Physical Therapist Assistant
Diagnostic Medical Sonography	Pre-Allied Health
Early Childhood Education	Psychology
Education	Recreation and Sport Management
Emergency Medical Services	Sport Management
Entrepreneurship	Surgical Technology
Environmental Science	Sustainable Agriculture
	Vascular Sonography

Total Degree and Certification Offerings: 31

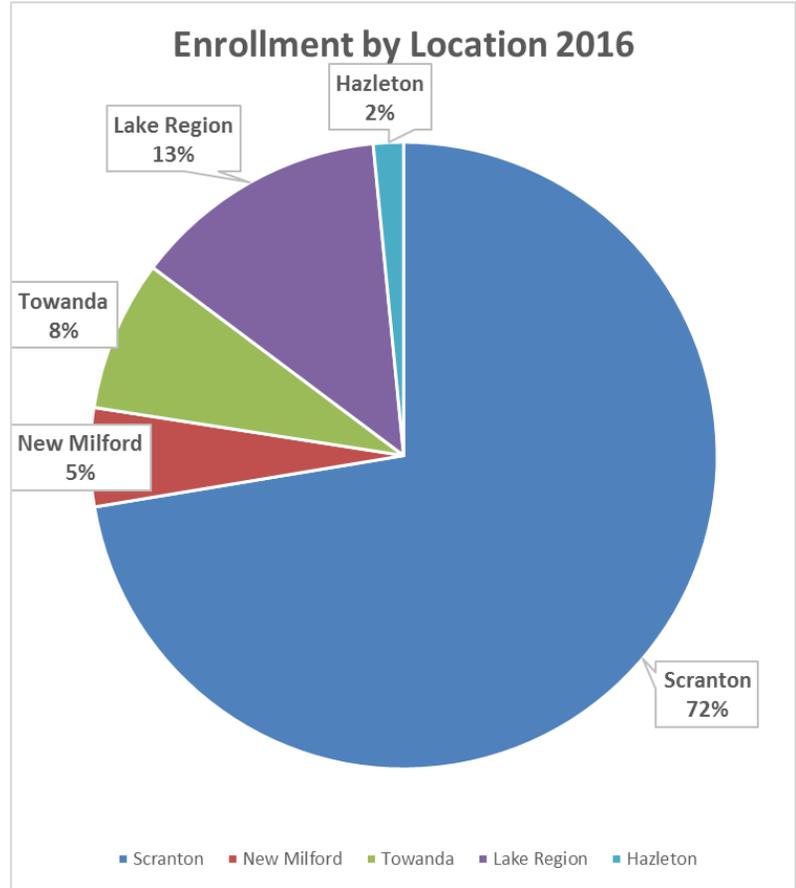
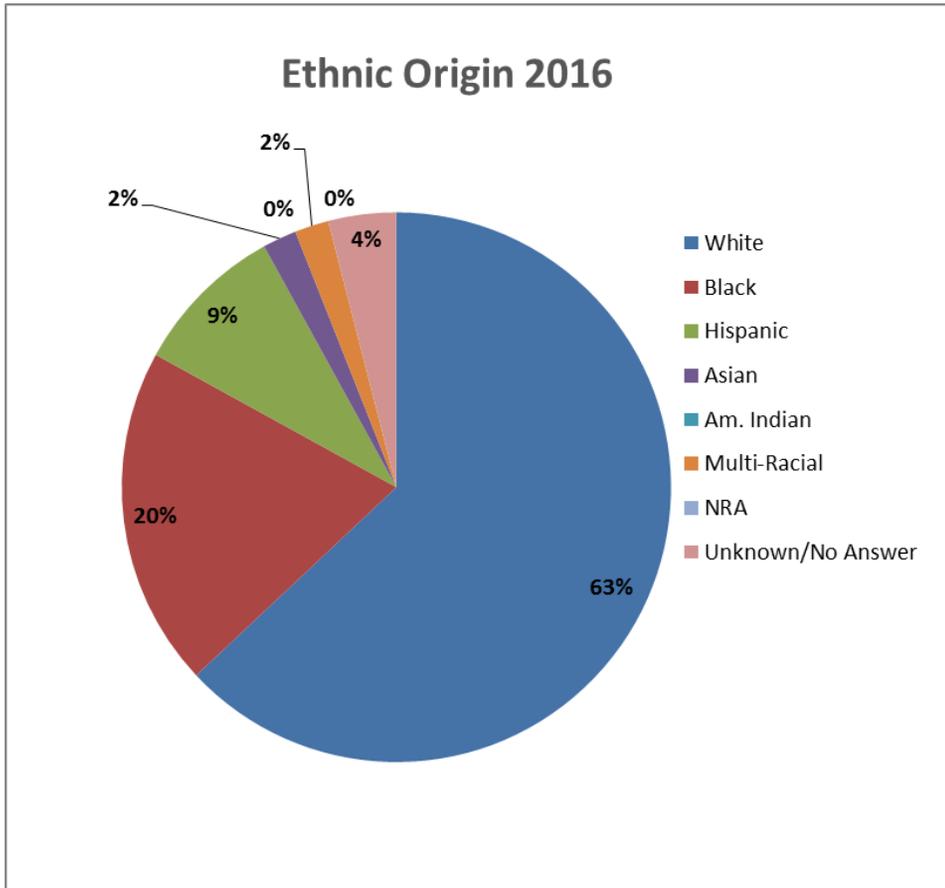
Student Profile 2010 – 2016 (ALL Students)

		Fall 2010		Fall 2011		Fall 2012		Fall 2013		Fall 2014		Fall 2015		Fall 2016	
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Classification	Degree- Seeking	1386	91.9	1471	94.1	1386	91.1	1298	90.8	1405	91.1	1419	87	1417	84%
	Non-Degree Seeking	122	8.1	92	5.9	136	8.9	131	9.2	137	8.9	215	13	274	16%
Gender	Male	762	50.5	849	54.3	790	51.9	763	53.4	764	54.3	861	53	936	55%
	Female	746	49.5	714	45.7	732	48.1	666	46.6	644	45.7	818	47	770	45%
Status	Full-Time	1112	73.7	1188	76	1042	68.5	1046	73.2	1161	82.5	1136	69.5	1131	80%
	Part-Time	396	26.3	375	24	480	31.5	383	26.8	247	17.5	516	31.6	287	20%
Ethnic Origin	White	1144	75.90%	1121	71.70%	1043	68.50%	964	67.50%	906	64.30%	933	57	924	63%
	Black	205	13.60%	273	17.50%	257	16.90%	264	18.50%	272	19.30%	275	17	294	20%
	Hispanic	93	6.20%	105	6.70%	104	6.80%	105	7.30%	134	9.50%	133	8	138	9%
	Asian	15	1.00%	21	1.30%	24	1.60%	21	1.50%	29	2.10%	35	2	28	2%
	Am. Indian	6	0.40%	4	0.30%	2	0.10%	2	0.10%	0	0.00%	3	0.2	3	0%
	Multi-Racial	15	1.00%	12	0.80%	17	1.10%	15	1.00%	22	1.60%	31	2	23	2%
	NRA	1	0.10%	2	0.10%	6	0.40%	4	0.30%	3	0.20%	2	0.12	7	0%
	Unknown/Not Disc	29	1.90%	25	1.60%	69	4.50%	54	3.80%	42	3.00%	29	2	60	4%
First Time	Yes	386	25.6	456	29.2	384	25.2	379	26.5	419	29.8	338	21	349	20%
	No	1122	74.4	1107	70.8	1138	74.8	1050	73.5	989	70.2	1341	82	1357	80%
Transfer	Yes	181	12	174	11.1	132	8.7	141	9.9	137	9.7	159	7	130	8%
	No	1327	88	1389	88.9	1390	91.3	1288	90.1	1271	90.3	1520	93	1576	92%
Location	Scranton	1054	69.90%	1111	71.10%	1030	67.70%	951	66.60%	975	66.10%	1192	73	1069	72%
	New Milford	79	5.20%	77	4.90%	81	5.30%	89	6.20%	129	8.70%	122	7.4	75	5%
	Towanda	128	8.50%	114	7.30%	84	5.50%	78	5.50%	87	5.90%	135	8.2	115	8%
	Lake Region	139	9.20%	194	12.40%	217	14.30%	185	12.90%	181	12.30%	229	14	195	13%
	Hazleton	62	4.10%	46	2.90%	36	2.40%	42	2.90%	29	2.00%	16	1	23	2%
	H.S.	46	3.10%	21	1.30%	74	4.90%	84	5.90%	75	5.00%	13	0.8	n/a	n/a

Student Trend Analysis 2009 – 2016 (ALL Students)

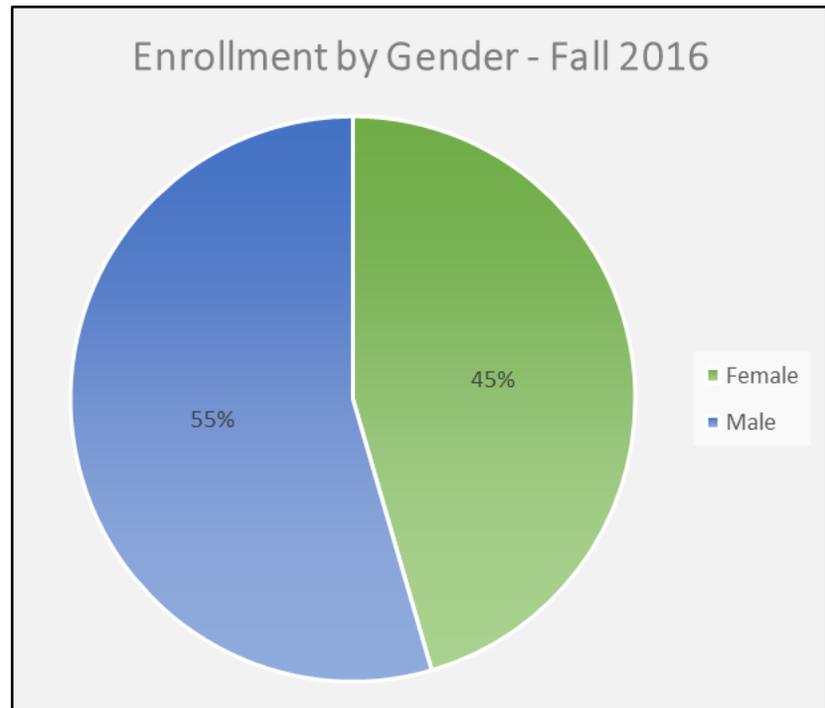
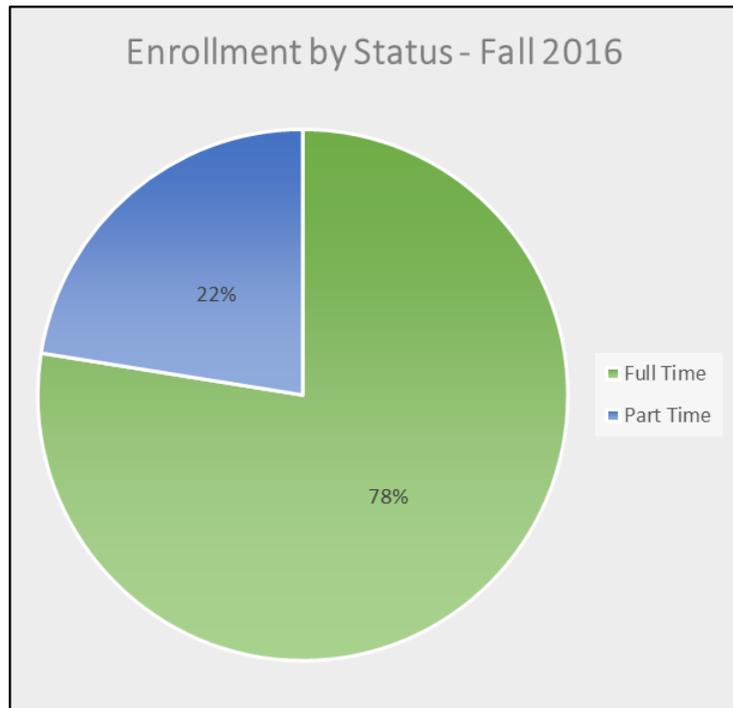


Student Analysis- All Students



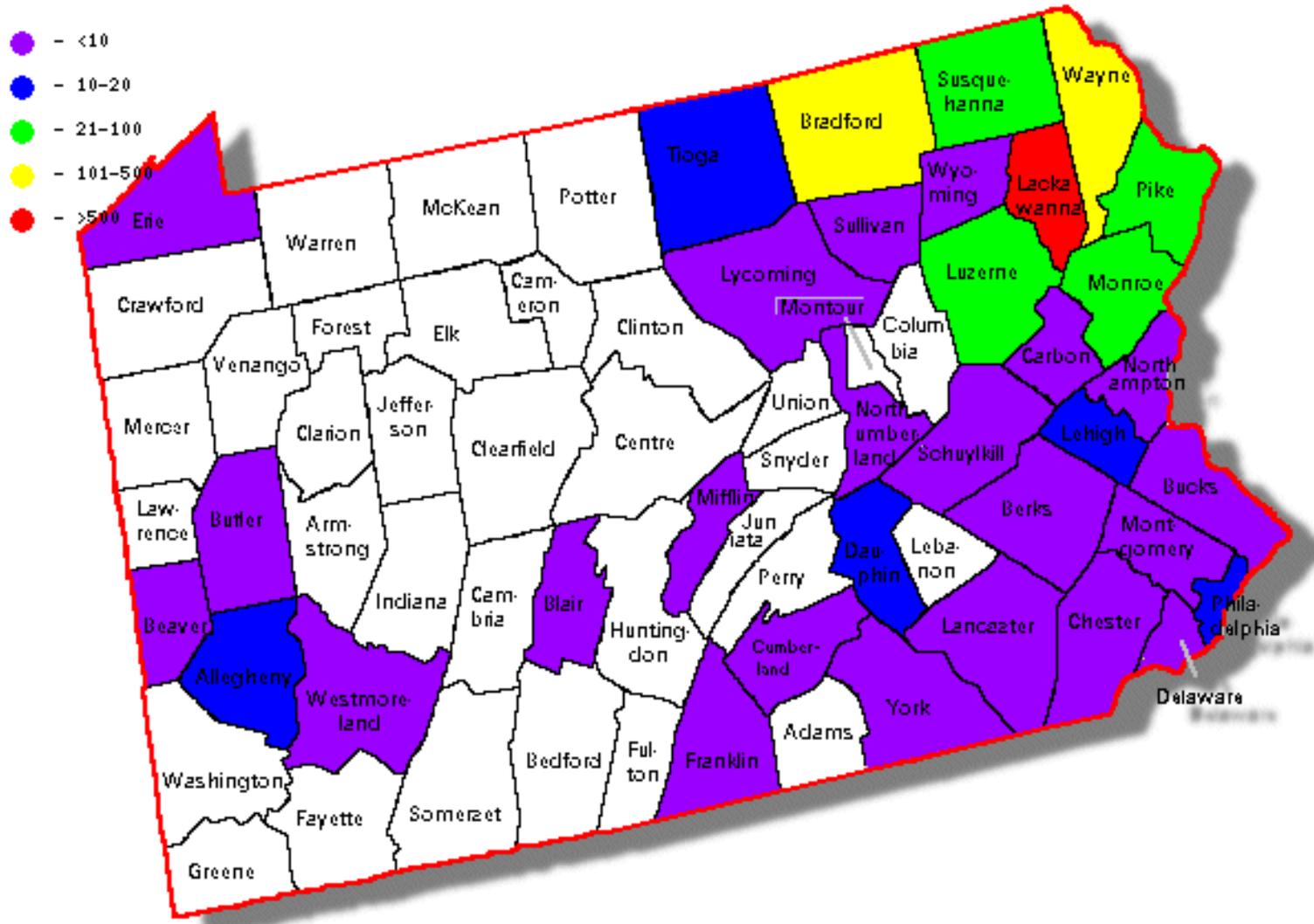
Enrollment

2016 Student Profile *Indicates self-reported data	
Median Age	20
Ethnic Diversity	36.7%
Male	54.5%
1st Generation*	47.9%
Have Children*	8.9%
Veterans	2.5%
Employed*	45.9%
Financial Aid Recipients	92.4%



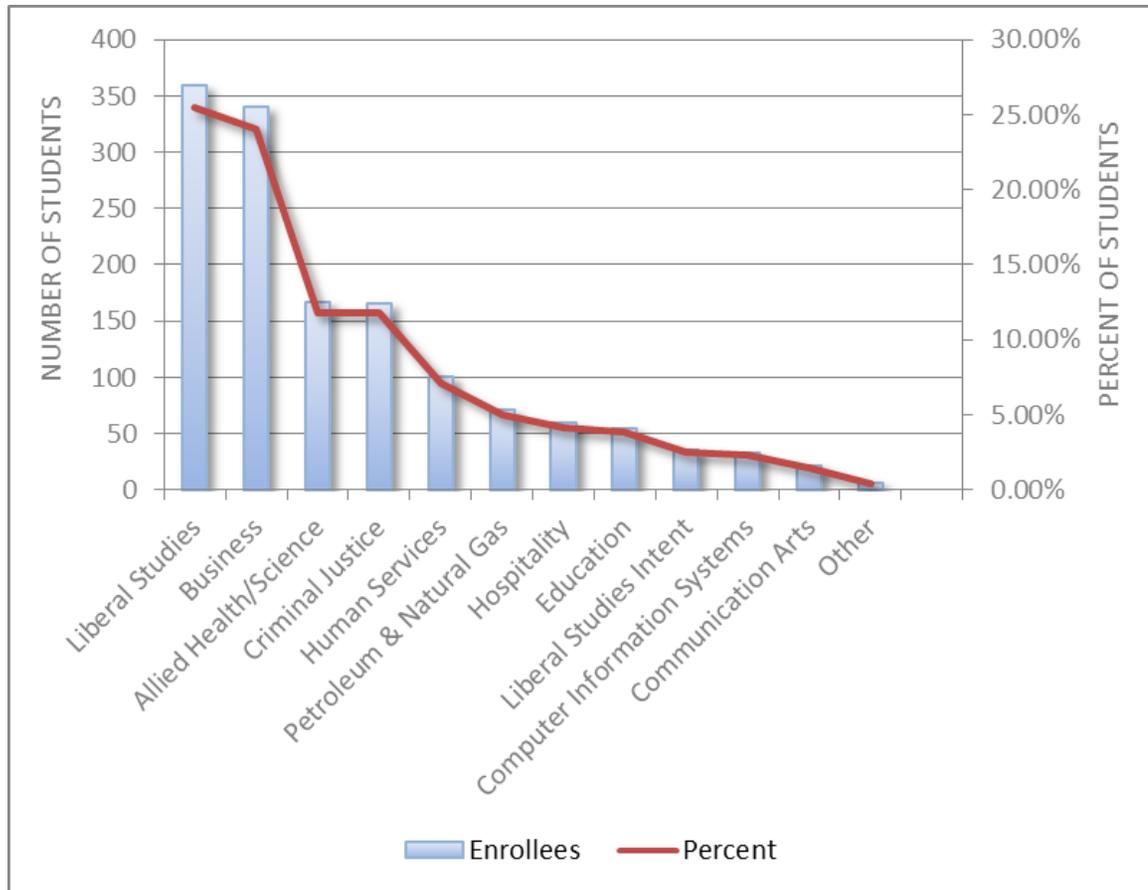
Enrollment by County- Fall 2016

Lackawanna College Enrollment by County



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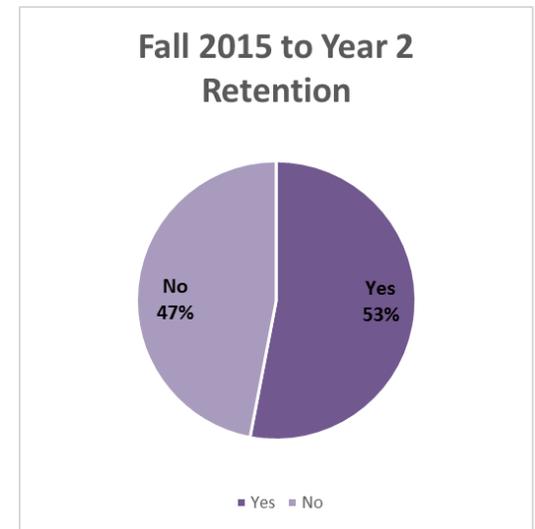
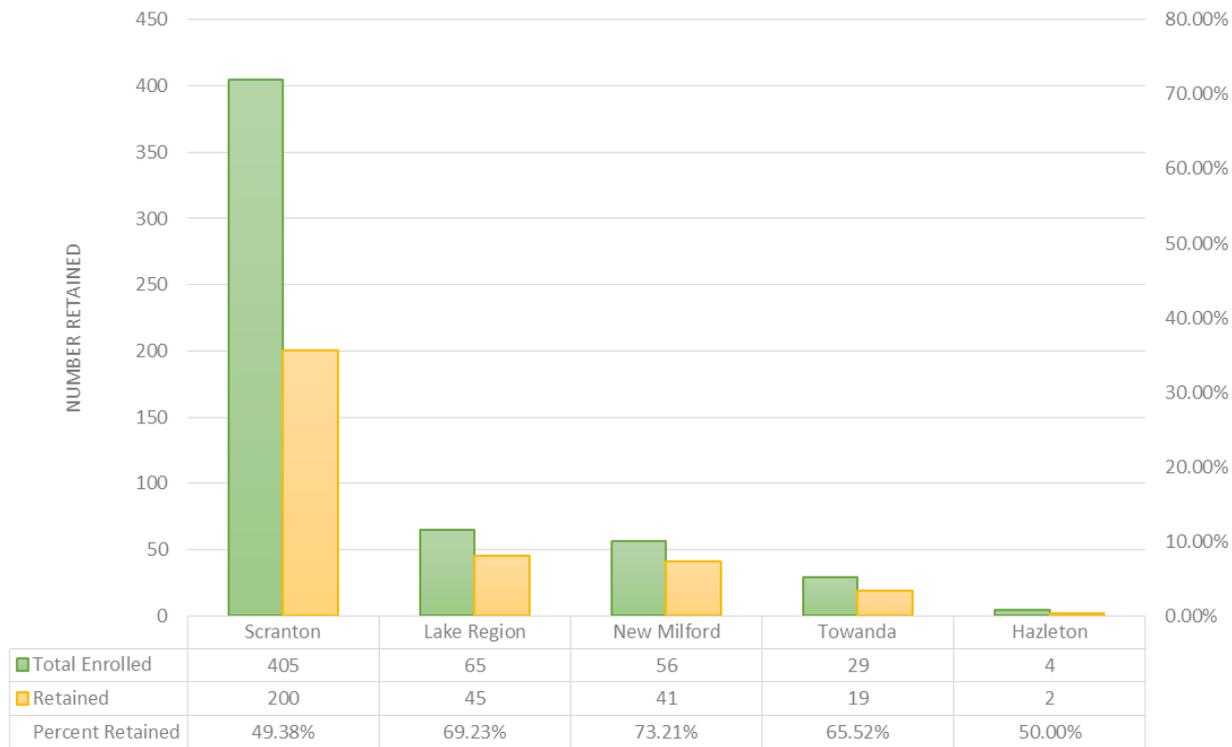
Enrollment by Program



Category	Majors
Liberal Studies	Liberal Studies
Business	Accounting, Business Studies, Business Administration, Sport Management
Science/Allied Health	Cardiac Sonography, Diagnostic Medical Sonography, Environmental Science, Environmental Studies (Policy & Science), Life Science, Physical Therapist Assistant, Pre Allied Health, Pre Sonography Programs, Surgical Technology, Vascular Technology
Criminal Justice	Criminal Justice Counseling & Criminal Justice Police
Human Services	
Petroleum & Natural Gas	All PNG Majors
Hospitality	Hospitality and Culinary Arts
Education	Education, Early Childhood Education
Liberal Studies Intent	Allied Health Intent, Education Intent, PNG Intent, Psychology Intent
Computer Information Systems	
Communication Arts	
Other	Psychology

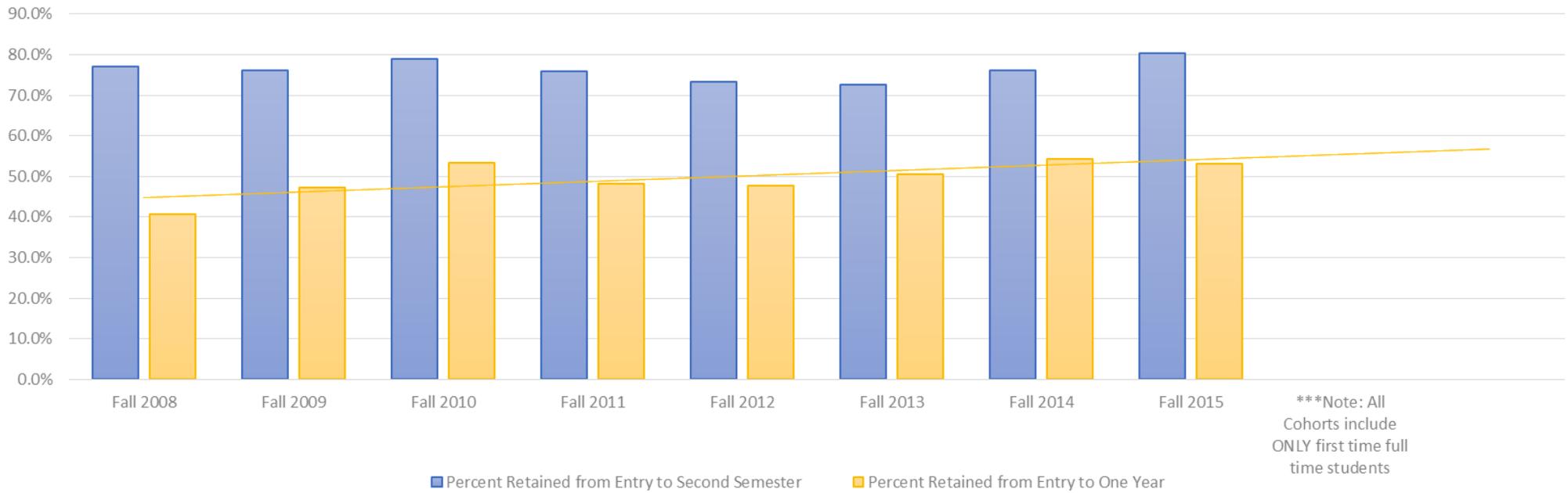
Retention-Fall 2015 Cohort

Retention by Location - Fall 2015 Cohort



Retention Trend Analysis 2008-2015

Two Semester Retention Trending with 2016 Forecast



Faculty & Staff Profile

Total Employees	249
Staff	222
Faculty	27
Men	45%
Women	55%

	Number	Percent
Assistant Prof	6	22%
Associate Prof	2	7%
Instructor	12	44%
No Rank	1	4%
Professor	6	22%

Location	Average Class Size
Hazleton Center	5
Lake Region Center	14
New Milford Center	11
Scranton	16
Towanda Center	7

Occupational Status	Total Employees
FACULTY	
Faculty - Non Tenure Track	12
Tenure	14
Tenure Track	1
STAFF (Full Time)	
Business & Financial Ops	12
Community/Media	52
Healthcare	3
IT	7
Maintenance & Construction	17
Management	61
Office & Admin Support	49
Service Occupations	21

