

Mills is an independent liberal arts college located in Oakland, California, in the heart of the San Francisco Bay Area. We offer a highly individualistic yet intensely inclusive environment where students are encouraged to stand out, emboldened to think big, and empowered to **MAKE A STATEMENT.**



HISTORY

- 1852 Founded in Benicia, California
- 1871 Established in Oakland, California
- 1885 Chartered as the first women's college in the West
- 1920 Introduced graduate programs
- 1990 Affirmed commitment to remain an undergraduate college for women
- 2014 Launched the first transgender admission policy in the country at a women's college
- 2017 Achieved status as Hispanic-Serving Institution with 25%+ undergraduate students identifying as Hispanic
- 2018 Reduced undergraduate tuition by 36% to increase access to a college education

CAMPUS

135 wooded acres located in the rolling foothills of Oakland, California, on the east shore of the San Francisco Bay

GOVERNANCE

The Board of Trustees governs Mills as an independent college.

FACULTY

TOTAL FACULTY	167
Full-Time	77
• Female faculty	75%
• Faculty of color	39%
• Terminal degree	86%
Part-Time	90
• Female faculty	77%
• Faculty of color	43%
• Terminal degree	61%
Student-faculty ratio	11 to 1

CLASS SIZE

Average class size	16
Classes < or = 20 students	76%

ALUMNAE

Mills alumnae	25,076
Countries represented	66

COLLEGE RANKINGS

U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT

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BEST VALUE SCHOOLS WEST	REGIONAL UNIVERSITIES WEST

THE PRINCETON REVIEW

BEST 384	BEST	BEST	BEST
COLLEGES	WESTERN COLLEGES	GREEN COLLEGES	VALUE COLLEGES

ENROLLMENT

TOTAL STUDENTS	1,255
States represented	41
Countries represented	15
Undergraduate Students	766
New students	270
• First-year	160
• Transfer	110
Continuing	480
Exchange/visiting	14
Auditing	2
Full-time	95%
Living on campus	60%
Resumers*	17%
Students of color	59%
California residents	79%
First-generation college students	39%
LGBTQ†	51%
International	1%

First-Year Student Academic Profile

Average high school GPA	3.55
SAT range‡	1013-1240
ACT range‡	21-29

Graduate Students

Graduate Students	489
New students	228
Continuing	261
Women	77%
Men	23%
Full-time	69%
Living on campus	20%
Students of color	51%
California residents	82%
International	5%

* Students 23 years of age or older
 † Data was provided by 75% of the 2017 incoming class.
 ‡ Mills is test optional. Data was provided by 51% of the 2018 incoming class.

RACE/ETHNICITY

Undergraduate Students	
American Indian or Alaska Native	1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	10%
Black or African American	10%
Hispanic/Latina	30%
Two or more races	9%
White	36%
Unknown	4%
Graduate Students	
American Indian or Alaska Native	1%
Asian/Pacific Islander	12%
Black or African American	13%
Hispanic/Latino	18%
Two or more races	7%
White	45%
Unknown	4%

UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS

- Top 5 undergraduate majors:
- Psychology
 - English
 - Pre-Nursing
 - Sociology
 - Child Development, Economics, Studio Art (tied)

GRADUATE PROGRAMS

- Top 5 graduate programs:
- Education
 - Pre-Medical
 - MBA
 - English
 - Music



MILLS CLASS OF 2017

Mills students graduate with the skills, experience, and confidence to lead in any field. Here's what students from our Class of 2017 were doing within nine months after graduation.

UNDERGRADUATE TUITION AND FEES

Full-time tuition	\$ 28,765
Student activity fee	\$ 200
AC Transit fee	\$ 129
Campus comprehensive fee	\$ 1,163
Student health plan	\$ 2,455
Room and board	\$ 13,448

UNDERGRADUATE FINANCIAL AID

Percent of undergraduate students receiving financial aid	95%
Percent receiving some portion of their aid directly from Mills	92%
Average award	\$28,706
Total aid (of which Mills funded \$9.7 million)	\$20.6 million

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Full-time tuition*	\$ 34,150
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AC Transit fee	\$ 129
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*Cost for cohort graduate programs with exception of post-bac pre-med (\$31,000). Per-credit programs cost \$1,020-\$1,311 per credit. Visit www.mills.edu for the cost of individual programs.

GRADUATE FINANCIAL AID

Percent of graduate students receiving financial aid	87%
Percent receiving some portion of their aid directly from Mills	71%
Total aid (of which Mills funded \$2.3 million)	\$9.3 million

FINANCE

Annual budget	\$ 67.8 million
Endowment value as of 6.30.18	\$ 191.3 million

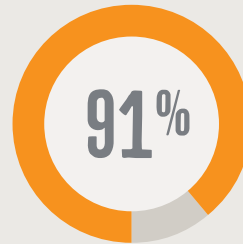
GIVING TO MILLS 2017-18

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Trustee gifts	\$ 1.1 million
Alumnae gifts	\$ 2.1 million
Gifts from parents, friends, others	\$ 2.2 million
Foundation and corporate gifts	\$ 1.6 million
Estate gifts	\$ 4.5 million
Mills College Annual Fund gifts (includes all current-use gifts from the sources above, excluding estate gifts)	\$ 4.2 million

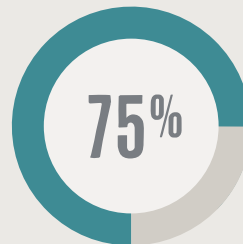
EMPLOYERS

Recent graduates work in a wide range of organizations, including:

- Amazon*
- Apple*
- Bad Robot Productions*
- Bank of Hawaii*
- Destiny Arts Center*
- Deloitte Digital*
- Ecology Action*
- Electronic Arts*
- FOX40 News*
- GE Aviation*
- Google*
- Jezebel*
- Joint Genome Institute, US Department of Energy*
- Kiva*
- Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory*
- Martin Luther King Jr. Freedom Center*
- Microsoft*
- New Media Ventures*
- NPR, Planet Money*
- Oakland Unified School District*
- Pacific and Asian Affairs Council*
- Parnassus Investments*
- Rocket Lawyer*
- San Francisco Museum of Modern Art*
- San Jose Sharks*
- Silicon Valley Leadership Group*
- SpaceX*
- Thermo Fisher Scientific*
- Uber*
- UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland*
- US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission*
- Yelp*



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OR PURSUING
FURTHER EDUCATION**



OF THOSE IN SCHOOL WERE SEEKING
**MASTER'S OR
DOCTORAL DEGREES**

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