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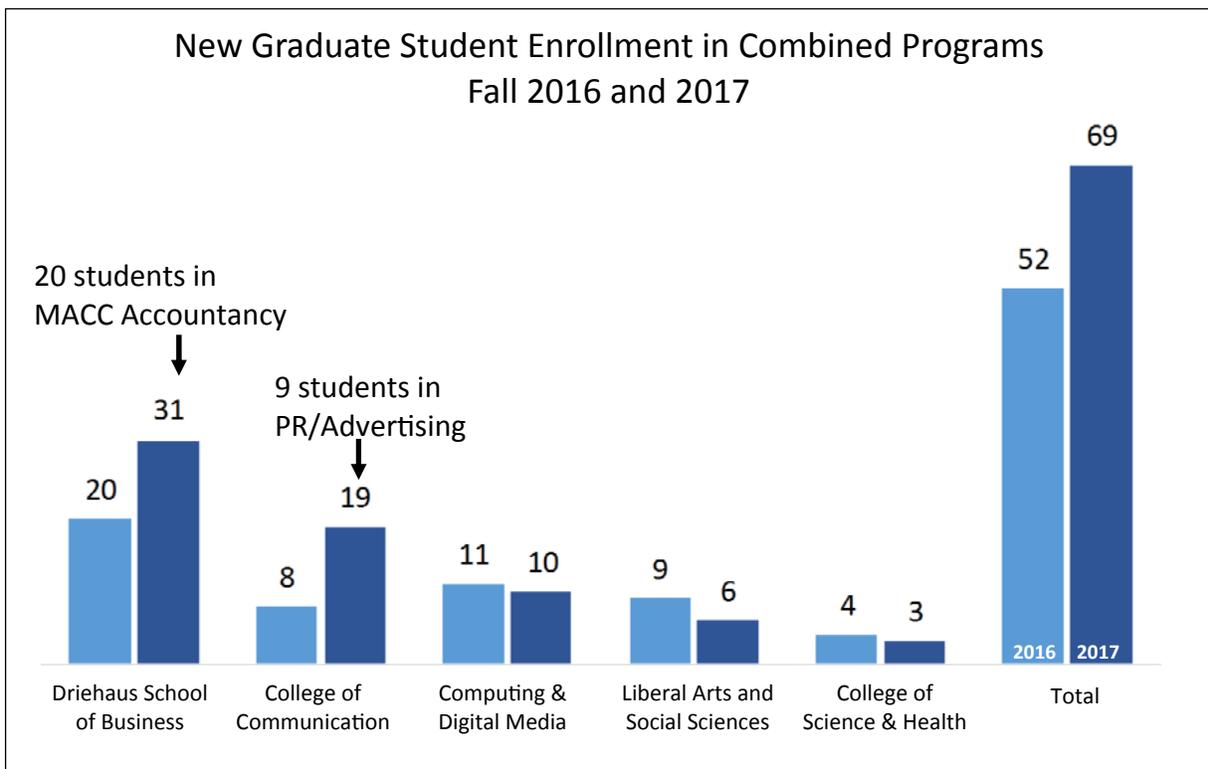
## New Graduate Student Enrollment in Combined Programs Increases in 2017

In fall 2017, 69 new graduate students began the graduate portion of their combined degree program, a 33 percent increase from 2016. DePaul's combined degree programs offer qualifying undergraduates an opportunity to earn both a bachelor's and a master's degree in an accelerated period. DePaul offers many degree combinations within a discipline or college and even across colleges.

The largest number of new graduate students enrolled in combined programs in the Driehaus

College of Business and the College of Communication. In total, students enrolled in 27 different graduate programs across five colleges. Accountancy and PR/advertising enrolled 29 students, or 42 percent of combined program enrolment, this fall.

Over half of the new graduate students enrolled in these programs are from the Chicago suburbs (51 percent), female (61 percent) and under 24 years of age (83 percent). Thirty percent are students of color.



Source: IRMA Fall Enrollment Files. For more on Combined Bachelor's/Master's Degree programs click [here](#). For more information, contact Liz Sanders at [liz.sanders@depaul.edu](mailto:liz.sanders@depaul.edu).