



**SALUS**  
UNIVERSITY

Pennsylvania College of Optometry

**TRADITIONAL OPTOMETRY PROGRAM  
PROFILE OF APPLICANTS – CLASS OF 2023**

<u>TOTAL NUMBER OF APPLICANTS</u>	973
Full-Time Students	155
 <u>DISTRIBUTION OF STATES AND COUNTRIES</u>	
Legal Domicile	25 States, Canada & Madagascar In-State (35), Out-of-State (120)
 <u>AGE</u>	
Range	21–36 Years (Average 23 years, 1 month)
 <u>GENDER</u>	
Women	113
Men	42
 <u>RACE/ETHNICITY</u>	
Asian	56
Black/African American	14
Hispanic/Latino	7
White	78
 <u>MARITAL STATUS</u>	
Single	151
Married	4
 <u>UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS</u>	
Biology	100
Chemistry, Physics & Other Sciences	41
Psychology	8
Other	6
 <u>FINAL DEGREES</u>	
	Bachelor's (141) Master's (4) Non-Degree (10)
 <u>AVERAGE GPA</u>	 3.36

AVERAGE OAT SCORES (200-400 Scale)

<u>BIO</u>	<u>CHEM</u>	<u>PHYSICS</u>	<u>ORG CHEM</u>	<u>QUANT</u>	<u>READ COMP</u>	<u>ACAD AVG</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
307	311	283	308	318	325	305	298