

63,000

Number of students served annually by MICUA members

\$6.4 billion

Annual economic impact of MICUA colleges and universities

34,000

People employed by MICUA members (excluding student workers)

\$2.4 billion

Money invested by MICUA institutions in research and development in FY 2014, producing:

↳ 721 invention disclosures

↳ 236 licenses and options

↳ 120 patents

↳ 21 start-up companies

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State's highest graduation rates

Six-Year GRADUATION RATES At Four-Year Colleges

74% = MICUA member average

66% = Independent (national average)

57% = Public (national average)

32% = For profit (national average)

300,000

Number of hours that MICUA students volunteer with community organizations every year

TAXPAYER COST PER DEGREE

\$30K

State taxpayer cost per degree conferred at a public university in Maryland

State taxpayer cost per degree conferred at a MICUA school

\$4K

MINORITY ENROLLMENT

33%

Percent of MICUA undergraduates who are students of color

Percent increase in underrepresented minority undergraduate enrollment at MICUA schools (2003-2013)

48%

205%

Percent increase in Hispanic undergraduate student enrollment at MICUA institutions (2003-2013)

Fast Facts

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