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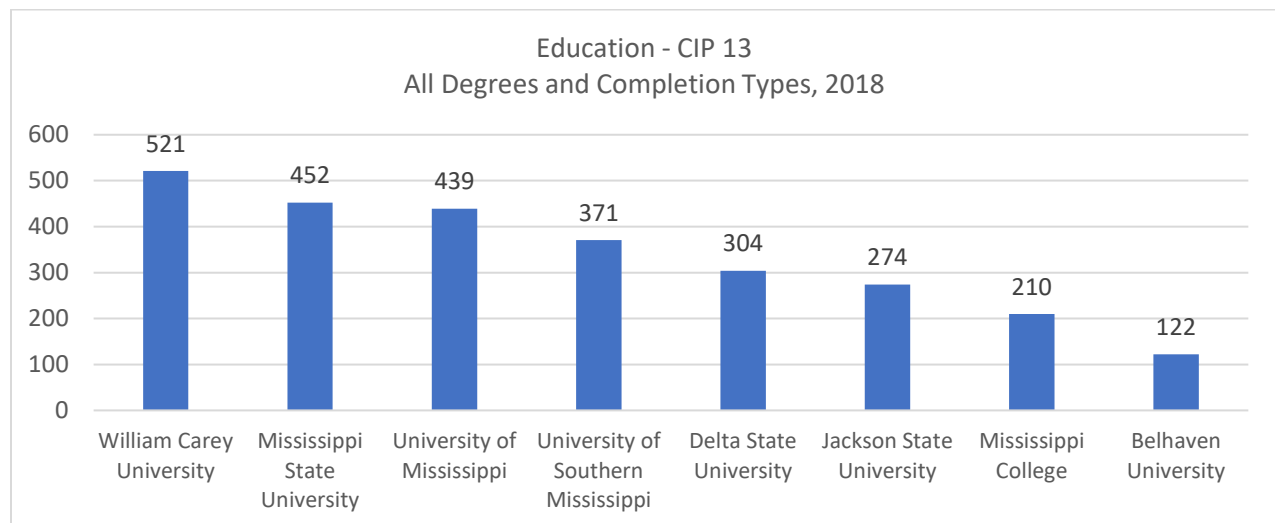
Executive Summary: Instructional Program Analysis

The instructional program summary for William Carey University (WCU) focuses on the Education Program, represented by the Classification of Instructional Programs (CIP) Code 13. Completion and enrollment data were reviewed and compared with seven select Mississippi peer institutions¹. While the analysis did not examine granular program descriptions under CIP Code 13, high-level trends provide a broad understanding of William Carey University's respective strengths and a favorable position in Education Program offerings as reported by the Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS).

Key Findings Related to Completions

The following highlights represent several key findings:

- As shown in the graph below, in 2018 WCU reported 521 completions (all degrees and awards) in the Education Program, ranking WCU first when compared to peer institutions.
- Looking at a five-year period (2013-2018), WCU ranked third with 2,851 total completions, following Mississippi State University (3,553) and University of Mississippi (3,044).
- Pointing to strengths in the Master's degree program, WCU again ranked first for completed Master's degrees and above with 460 total- nearly twice the second ranked University of Mississippi (233).
- For Bachelor's degrees in 2018, WCU ranked sixth among the selected institutions with 61 completions.



¹ William Carey University, Mississippi State University, University of Mississippi, Delta State University, Jackson State University, Mississippi College, Belhaven University

Key Findings Continued, Related to Enrollment

- When reviewing overall enrollment (all programs) among the select institution peers, the table below shows WCU had the third smallest total student population with 5,042 enrolled in 2018.
- Student to faculty ratio was 14:1, leaning towards the middle amongst the selected peers.

Institution	Type	Total Enrollment (2018)	Undergraduate Enrollment (2018)	Graduate Enrollment (2018)	Student to Faculty Ratio (2018)
William Carey University	Private	5,042	3,249	1,793	14 to 1
Mississippi State University	Public	21,974	18,490	3,484	17 to 1
University of Mississippi	Public	22,456	18,007	4,449	17 to 1
University of Southern Mississippi	Public	14,509	11,920	2,589	17 to 1
Delta State University	Public	3,715	3,075	640	12 to 1
Jackson State University	Public	7,250	5,331	1,919	15 to 1
Mississippi College	Private	5,103	3,232	1,871	15 to 1
Belhaven University	Private	4,205	2,307	1,898	10 to 1

End notes: Margins of error may apply. IPEDS data is typically self-reported and institutions may not report accurately, consistently, comparably, or at all if not mandated.

Sources: EMSI, 2019.4; IPEDS