

APPENDIX A

(Memo USU Peer Institution List July 2011)

Utah State University Peer Institution List:

Institution	Location	Total Headcount Students	Full-time Faculty	Percent Bachelors	Masters Programs	Doctoral Programs
Colorado St U	Fort Collins, CO	28,882	1,184	73%	22	13
Kansas St U	Manhattan, KS	23,520	986	73%	22	12
Montana St U	Bozeman, MT	11,976	541	80%	19	7
New Mexico St U	Las Cruces, NM	17,239	690	71%	19	10
Oregon St U	Corvallis, OR	20,305	699	79%	18	13
U of Idaho	Moscow, ID	11,791	591	69%	20	9
U of Nebraska-Lincoln	Lincoln, NE	23,573	1,166	72%	23	19
U of Nevada-Reno	Reno, NV	16,867	660	74%	21	10
U of Wyoming	Laramie, WY	12,067	715	73%	23	10
Washington St U	Pullman, WA	25,352	1,215	82%	25	18
Utah State University	Logan, UT	15,099	744	78%	19	11

All data represents 08-09 IPEDS data.

The above is indicative of the three dozen plus comparisons made in determining appropriate peer institutions. Basic institutional characteristics, student and student preparation characteristics, degree program mixes, and geographical locations are part of the data set.