

AVERAGE INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY SALARIES-PROFESSOR
LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY vs. SREB FOUR-YEAR 1 PEERS, CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEERS, SEC PEERS, AND SEC PEERS EXCLUDING VANDERBILT
2015-2016 to 2024-2025

	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$116,600	\$118,300	\$123,500	\$126,600	\$127,800	\$125,800	\$130,100	\$136,500	\$143,100	\$147,100
SREB FOUR-YEAR ONE PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$131,285	\$134,007	\$138,723	\$140,985	\$147,791	\$146,687	\$148,858	\$155,801	\$162,673	\$167,249
Difference - \$	-\$14,685	-\$15,707	-\$15,223	-\$14,385	-\$19,991	-\$20,887	-\$18,758	-\$19,301	-\$19,573	-\$20,149
Difference - %	-12.6%	-13.3%	-12.3%	-11.4%	-15.6%	-16.6%	-14.4%	-14.1%	-13.7%	-13.7%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$116,600	\$118,300	\$123,500	\$126,600	\$127,800	\$125,800	\$130,100	\$136,500	\$143,100	\$147,100
CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$129,589	\$135,064	\$136,263	\$138,735	\$142,967	\$142,842	\$145,479	\$153,107	\$162,525	\$166,269
Difference - \$	-\$12,989	-\$16,764	-\$12,763	-\$12,135	-\$15,167	-\$17,042	-\$15,379	-\$16,607	-\$19,425	-\$19,169
Difference - %	-11.1%	-14.2%	-10.3%	-9.6%	-11.9%	-13.5%	-11.8%	-12.2%	-13.6%	-13.0%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$116,600	\$118,300	\$123,500	\$126,600	\$127,800	\$125,800	\$130,100	\$136,500	\$143,100	\$147,100
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$132,507	\$135,111	\$138,731	\$140,201	\$146,170	\$145,182	\$148,250	\$153,445	\$162,700	\$172,798
Difference - \$	-\$15,907	-\$16,811	-\$15,231	-\$13,601	-\$18,370	-\$19,382	-\$18,150	-\$16,945	-\$19,600	-\$25,698
Difference - %	-13.6%	-14.2%	-12.3%	-10.7%	-14.4%	-15.4%	-14.0%	-12.4%	-13.7%	-17.5%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$116,600	\$118,300	\$123,500	\$126,600	\$127,800	\$125,800	\$130,100	\$136,500	\$143,100	\$147,100
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU AND VANDERBILT	\$128,839	\$131,202	\$134,778	\$135,072	\$141,790	\$141,114	\$144,191	\$149,353	\$158,575	\$169,751
Difference - \$	-\$12,239	-\$12,902	-\$11,278	-\$8,472	-\$13,990	-\$15,314	-\$14,091	-\$12,853	-\$15,475	-\$22,651
Difference - %	-10.5%	-10.9%	-9.1%	-6.7%	-10.9%	-12.2%	-10.8%	-9.4%	-10.8%	-15.4%

Source: ACADEME (compiled by the American Association of University Professors), March-April 2016 to March-April 2025
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AVERAGE INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY SALARIES-ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR
LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY vs. SREB FOUR-YEAR 1 PEERS, CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEERS, SEC PEERS, AND SEC PEERS EXCLUDING VANDERBILT
2015-2016 to 2024-2025

	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$83,100	\$84,300	\$86,200	\$87,800	\$88,100	\$87,400	\$91,400	\$96,900	\$103,500	\$107,700
SREB FOUR-YEAR ONE PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$89,880	\$92,581	\$95,111	\$96,512	\$101,304	\$100,437	\$102,275	\$106,964	\$111,909	\$115,691
Difference - \$	-\$6,780	-\$8,281	-\$8,911	-\$8,712	-\$13,204	-\$13,037	-\$10,875	-\$10,064	-\$8,409	-\$7,991
Difference - %	-8.2%	-9.8%	-10.3%	-9.9%	-15.0%	-14.9%	-11.9%	-10.4%	-8.1%	-7.4%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$83,100	\$84,300	\$86,200	\$87,800	\$88,100	\$87,400	\$91,400	\$96,900	\$103,500	\$107,700
CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$90,827	\$94,732	\$96,212	\$98,111	\$100,743	\$100,565	\$102,613	\$108,081	\$114,177	\$117,178
Difference - \$	-\$7,727	-\$10,432	-\$10,012	-\$10,311	-\$12,643	-\$13,165	-\$11,213	-\$11,181	-\$10,677	-\$9,478
Difference - %	-9.3%	-12.4%	-11.6%	-11.7%	-14.4%	-15.1%	-12.3%	-11.5%	-10.3%	-8.8%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$83,100	\$84,300	\$86,200	\$87,800	\$88,100	\$87,400	\$91,400	\$96,900	\$103,500	\$107,700
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$90,342	\$92,614	\$95,034	\$96,030	\$99,851	\$99,136	\$101,568	\$105,434	\$110,916	\$116,629
Difference - \$	-\$7,242	-\$8,314	-\$8,834	-\$8,230	-\$11,751	-\$11,736	-\$10,168	-\$8,534	-\$7,416	-\$8,929
Difference - %	-8.7%	-9.9%	-10.2%	-9.4%	-13.3%	-13.4%	-11.1%	-8.8%	-7.2%	-8.3%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$83,100	\$84,300	\$86,200	\$87,800	\$88,100	\$87,400	\$91,400	\$96,900	\$103,500	\$107,700
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU AND VANDERBILT	\$89,210	\$91,455	\$93,847	\$94,684	\$98,611	\$97,919	\$100,344	\$104,251	\$109,817	\$115,731
Difference - \$	-\$6,110	-\$7,155	-\$7,647	-\$6,884	-\$10,511	-\$10,519	-\$8,944	-\$7,351	-\$6,317	-\$8,031
Difference - %	-7.4%	-8.5%	-8.9%	-7.8%	-11.9%	-12.0%	-9.8%	-7.6%	-6.1%	-7.5%

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AVERAGE INSTRUCTIONAL FACULTY SALARIES-ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY vs. SREB FOUR-YEAR 1 PEERS, CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEERS, SEC PEERS, AND SEC PEERS EXCLUDING VANDERBILT
2015-2016 to 2024-2025

	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$76,300	\$76,800	\$81,100	\$84,900	\$86,100	\$87,000	\$88,200	\$91,000	\$94,100	\$94,600
SREB FOUR-YEAR ONE PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$79,243	\$80,322	\$82,791	\$84,061	\$88,213	\$88,397	\$90,103	\$94,096	\$96,468	\$99,227
Difference - \$	-\$2,943	-\$3,522	-\$1,691	\$839	-\$2,113	-\$1,397	-\$1,903	-\$3,096	-\$2,368	-\$4,627
Difference - %	-3.9%	-4.6%	-2.1%	1.0%	-2.5%	-1.6%	-2.2%	-3.4%	-2.5%	-4.9%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$76,300	\$76,800	\$81,100	\$84,900	\$86,100	\$87,000	\$88,200	\$91,000	\$94,100	\$94,600
CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$81,698	\$84,078	\$85,159	\$86,939	\$89,512	\$89,552	\$91,649	\$95,960	\$98,930	\$101,027
Difference - \$	-\$5,398	-\$7,278	-\$4,059	-\$2,039	-\$3,412	-\$2,552	-\$3,449	-\$4,960	-\$4,830	-\$6,427
Difference - %	-7.1%	-9.5%	-5.0%	-2.4%	-4.0%	-2.9%	-3.9%	-5.5%	-5.1%	-6.8%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$76,300	\$76,800	\$81,100	\$84,900	\$86,100	\$87,000	\$88,200	\$91,000	\$94,100	\$94,600
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$78,818	\$79,969	\$82,718	\$84,094	\$87,304	\$87,470	\$90,093	\$93,354	\$95,885	\$100,010
Difference - \$	-\$2,518	-\$3,169	-\$1,618	\$806	-\$1,204	-\$470	-\$1,893	-\$2,354	-\$1,785	-\$5,410
Difference - %	-3.3%	-4.1%	-2.0%	0.9%	-1.4%	-0.5%	-2.1%	-2.6%	-1.9%	-5.7%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$76,300	\$76,800	\$81,100	\$84,900	\$86,100	\$87,000	\$88,200	\$91,000	\$94,100	\$94,600
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU AND VANDERBILT	\$77,963	\$79,046	\$81,799	\$83,001	\$86,280	\$86,569	\$89,128	\$92,163	\$94,476	\$98,984
Difference - \$	-\$1,663	-\$2,246	-\$699	\$1,899	-\$180	\$431	-\$928	-\$1,163	-\$376	-\$4,384
Difference - %	-2.2%	-2.9%	-0.9%	2.2%	-0.2%	0.5%	-1.1%	-1.3%	-0.4%	-4.6%

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LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY vs. SREB FOUR-YEAR 1 PEERS, CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEERS, SEC PEERS, AND SEC PEERS EXCLUDING VANDERBILT
2015-2016 to 2024-2025

	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$47,900	\$47,900	\$49,500	\$50,200	\$49,400	\$50,000	\$50,500	\$54,300	\$57,800	\$58,800
SREB FOUR-YEAR ONE PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$52,633	\$53,092	\$54,284	\$55,416	\$58,048	\$59,629	\$59,991	\$65,204	\$69,352	\$69,076
Difference - \$	-\$4,733	-\$5,192	-\$4,784	-\$5,216	-\$8,648	-\$9,629	-\$9,491	-\$10,904	-\$11,552	-\$10,276
Difference - %	-9.9%	-10.8%	-9.7%	-10.4%	-17.5%	-19.3%	-18.8%	-20.1%	-20.0%	-17.5%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$47,900	\$47,900	\$49,500	\$50,200	\$49,400	\$50,000	\$50,500	\$54,300	\$57,800	\$58,800
CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$49,921	\$51,124	\$53,018	\$53,453	\$56,016	\$56,855	\$56,735	\$64,713	\$69,774	\$65,878
Difference - \$	-\$2,021	-\$3,224	-\$3,518	-\$3,253	-\$6,616	-\$6,855	-\$6,235	-\$10,413	-\$11,974	-\$7,078
Difference - %	-4.2%	-6.7%	-7.1%	-6.5%	-13.4%	-13.7%	-12.3%	-19.2%	-20.7%	-12.0%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$47,900	\$47,900	\$49,500	\$50,200	\$49,400	\$50,000	\$50,500	\$54,300	\$57,800	\$58,800
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$50,678	\$51,667	\$52,410	\$53,297	\$54,241	\$54,369	\$55,361	\$61,982	\$67,763	\$61,603
Difference - \$	-\$2,778	-\$3,767	-\$2,910	-\$3,097	-\$4,841	-\$4,369	-\$4,861	-\$7,682	-\$9,963	-\$2,803
Difference - %	-5.8%	-7.9%	-5.9%	-6.2%	-9.8%	-8.7%	-9.6%	-14.1%	-17.2%	-4.8%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$47,900	\$47,900	\$49,500	\$50,200	\$49,400	\$50,000	\$50,500	\$54,300	\$57,800	\$58,800
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU AND VANDERBILT	\$50,629	\$51,763	\$52,450	\$53,375	\$54,241	\$54,369	\$55,361	\$61,975	\$67,783	\$61,607
Difference - \$	-\$2,729	-\$3,863	-\$2,950	-\$3,175	-\$4,841	-\$4,369	-\$4,861	-\$7,675	-\$9,983	-\$2,807
Difference - %	-5.7%	-8.1%	-6.0%	-6.3%	-9.8%	-8.7%	-9.6%	-14.1%	-17.3%	-4.8%

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LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY vs. SREB FOUR-YEAR 1 PEERS, CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEERS, SEC PEERS, AND SEC PEERS EXCLUDING VANDERBILT
2015-2016 to 2024-2025

	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$85,700	\$86,600	\$90,200	\$92,700	\$92,700	\$91,900	\$93,400	\$97,700	\$102,400	\$104,600
SREB FOUR-YEAR ONE PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$93,705	\$95,294	\$98,508	\$99,011	\$104,115	\$103,995	\$106,059	\$110,061	\$115,213	\$118,479
Difference - \$	-\$8,005	-\$8,694	-\$8,308	-\$6,311	-\$11,415	-\$12,095	-\$12,659	-\$12,361	-\$12,813	-\$13,879
Difference - %	-9.3%	-10.0%	-9.2%	-6.8%	-12.3%	-13.2%	-13.6%	-12.7%	-12.5%	-13.3%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$85,700	\$86,600	\$90,200	\$92,700	\$92,700	\$91,900	\$93,400	\$97,700	\$102,400	\$104,600
CARNEGIE LAND GRANT PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$96,612	\$99,922	\$100,050	\$101,955	\$104,928	\$105,605	\$107,634	\$112,576	\$118,152	\$121,341
Difference - \$	-\$10,912	-\$13,322	-\$9,850	-\$9,255	-\$12,228	-\$13,705	-\$14,234	-\$14,876	-\$15,752	-\$16,741
Difference - %	-12.7%	-15.4%	-10.9%	-10.0%	-13.2%	-14.9%	-15.2%	-15.2%	-15.4%	-16.0%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$85,700	\$86,600	\$90,200	\$92,700	\$92,700	\$91,900	\$93,400	\$97,700	\$102,400	\$104,600
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU	\$94,979	\$96,333	\$98,790	\$99,433	\$103,621	\$102,964	\$105,259	\$108,436	\$114,867	\$119,949
Difference - \$	-\$9,279	-\$9,733	-\$8,590	-\$6,733	-\$10,921	-\$11,064	-\$11,859	-\$10,736	-\$12,467	-\$15,349
Difference - %	-10.8%	-11.2%	-9.5%	-7.3%	-11.8%	-12.0%	-12.7%	-11.0%	-12.2%	-14.7%
	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023	2023-2024	2024-2025
LSU	\$85,700	\$86,600	\$90,200	\$92,700	\$92,700	\$91,900	\$93,400	\$97,700	\$102,400	\$104,600
SEC PEER AVERAGE EXCL. LSU AND VANDERBILT	\$93,175	\$94,429	\$96,855	\$97,111	\$101,365	\$100,828	\$103,110	\$106,298	\$112,804	\$118,314
Difference - \$	-\$7,475	-\$7,829	-\$6,655	-\$4,411	-\$8,665	-\$8,928	-\$9,710	-\$8,598	-\$10,404	-\$13,714
Difference - %	-8.7%	-9.0%	-7.4%	-4.8%	-9.3%	-9.7%	-10.4%	-8.8%	-10.2%	-13.1%

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