Demographics Report 2015

In May 2015, the SMT Profile page was updated to include more specific demographic information on Employment, Rank, Gender, and Ethnicity (https://societymusictheory.org/smtprofile/profile). The renewal process now asks members to select from the following:

1. EMPLOYMENT:
   - Full Time
   - Part Time
   - Unemployed
   - Other

2. RANK:
   - Professor
   - Assistant Professor
   - Graduate Student
   - Undergraduate
   - Limited Term, 1-yr position
   - Limited Term, continuing appointment
   - Associate Professor
   - Retired

3. GENDER
   - Woman
   - Man
   - Trans/Transgender
   - Another identity
   - Prefer not to answer

4. ETHNICITY
   - White
   - Asian / Pacific Islander
   - Mixed Race
   - Black
   - Native American
   - Race / Ethnicity unknown
   - Hispanic
   - First Nation
   - Prefer not to answer

The charts on pages 2–3 show demographic data as of October 12, 2015, followed by some data from 2014 for comparison. Data shows continued gender and ethnic imbalances. The slight improvement shown in the data is likely statistically insignificant. Two other categories, nationality and preference for printed or unprinted journals, are also requested during membership renewal. These charts are shown as well.

In 2014, SMT demographic data were compared to those of CMS, HEADS, and IPEDS, but these were unavailable at the time of this analysis.

- College Music Society (CMS)

- Higher Education Arts Data Services (HEADS)

- Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS)
  http://nces.ed.gov/ipeds/

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Total SMT members as of October 12, 2015: 1220

Gender

- Man: 812
- Woman: 392
- Trans: 1
- Undisclosed: 1

Ethnicity

- White: 957
- (blank): 140
- Asian, Pacific Is: 57
- Hispanic: 25
- Undisclosed: 22
- Black: 13
- Mixed: 5
- Native American: 2

Rank

- Graduate Student: 374
- Associate Prof: 190
- Prof: 183
- Assist Prof: 169
- (blank): 85
- Limited, continuing: 82
- Other: 46
- Retired: 37
- Undergraduate: 34
- Limited, 1 year: 19
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**Employment**

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**Spectrum preference**

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Membership as of October 2014 (Total membership: 1,164)
Compare with: [http://societymusictheory.org/administration/demographics/charts](http://societymusictheory.org/administration/demographics/charts)

### Gender
- Male (808) - 69%
- Female (356) - 31%

### Ethnicity
- White (771) - 83%
- Other (64) - 4%
- Asian Am (41) - 4%
- Hispanic (34) - 4%
- Afric. Am (11) - 1%
- Mexic. Am (4) - 1%
- Nativ. Am (3) - 0%

### Rank
- Grad Student (372) - 37%
- Assist. Prof (176) - 16%
- Assoc. Prof (162) - 14%
- Professor (139) - 14%
- Lecturer (78) - 8%
- Undergrad Student (36) - 4%