Glossary of Terms

Advanced sort  
Sort function available in the Advanced Search page. Allows sort on up to three fields.

Advances filter  
Filter fields that exist in the Advanced Search page.

AIS  
Academic Information System. UCSC’s system of record.

AIS Status  
The admission status set by the graduate division in AIS. Only displays in GARP.

Allocation Remaining  
The resulting value of the Block Allocation calculation; (Total Block Allocation minus the portion reserved for current students) multiplied by the Over-Offer Multiplier. This is the amount that can be offered to new admits.

Block Accepted  
The amount of block allocation money offered to applicants who accepted their offers. This is a total of the TA Fee Offset, Regents’ Fellowship, Tuition Remission, NRT Remission and, if the Blk checkbox is checked, the Summer Support offers.

Block Allocation  
An annual allotment of funding distributed to graduate programs by the Division of Graduate Studies to support new and continuing students in the form of Regents’ or other fellowships. These funds can be used to pay tuition and fees, or distributed as a fellowship stipend. Also referred to as the Total Block Allocation.

Block Pending  
The amount of block allocation money offered to applicants who have not yet responded to their offer. This is a total of the TA Fee Offset, Regents’ Fellowship, Tuition Remission, NRT Remission and, if the Blk checkbox is checked, the Summer Support offers.

California Resident  
Applicant who is eligible for in-state tuition based on preliminary residency questions on their application.

Chancellor's Fellowship  
The Chancellor's fellowship is a competitive stipend-based awarded offered to first-year graduate students in doctoral programs. The Chancellor's fellowship provides a stipend of $8,000 per quarter for the first year of attendance ($24,000 for the year), plus payment of tuition (including NRT). Departments are required to nominate applicants for the award. Awardees are selected by members of the
Citizen
Applicant whose county of citizenship is the United States. Country of citizenship is defined as the country in which a person is born (and has not renounced or lost citizenship) or naturalized and to which that person owes allegiance and by which he or she is entitled to be protected.

Column sort
Sort function available by clicking the column headers on the Review Applicant List page. First click sorts in ascending order. Second click sorts in descending order.

Cota-Robles Fellowship
This state-funded, merit-based fellowship is awarded on a competitive basis to first-year doctoral students who have overcome significant social or educational obstacles to achieve a college education, and whose backgrounds equip them to contribute to intellectual diversity among the graduate student population. The Cota-Robles fellowship provides a stipend of $7,000 per academic quarter and a stipend of $3,000 of summer support, totaling $24,000 for the year, plus payment of tuition (not including NRT). The Cota-Robles Fellowship is part of a five-year total support package with the Graduate Division providing support for three years and the department providing support for two years. Departments are required to nominate applicants for the award. Awardees are selected by members of the Graduate Council.

CSV
Comma Separated Value. The file extension for the type of file that GARP exports from the Export Results or Export Comments functions. Readable in Microsoft Excel.

Department Status
The admission status set by the department. Can only be set when the AIS Status is either “Applicant” or “Waitlist.”

Display number
The number in the primary navigation bar that determines how many rows of data a user can view in the Review Applicants or Manage Applicants list pages.

Embark
A third-party application service owned by The Princeton Review. Applicants submit applications and register recommenders through the Embark application. Recruiters file their recommendations through Embark also.

Expanded View
A page format for the Applicant List page that displays the largest number of columns of data. This page will not load as quickly as the Minimal View or Standard View pages.

Foreign
Applicant who is not a citizen of the United States who is or will be granted a Visa that allows them to legally reside in the US for the purpose of attending UCSC. Foreign students cannot be granted in-state residency.
Graduate Student Researchship

Graduate Student Researchships (also referred to as GSRs or Research Assistantships) are a form of campus employment that requires the student to conduct research with and for a faculty member. This form of support may be offered at the time of admission and includes a salary and complete tuition payment (including NRT).

Internal Navigation

The Next Record and Previous Record links on the Review Applicant or Manage Applicant pages that allow the user to navigate from one record to the next without exiting the page.

Minimal View

A page format for the Applicant List page that displays the smallest number of columns of data. This page loads quicker than the Standard View or Expanded View pages.

Non-resident

Applicant who will be required to pay Non-Resident Tuition (NRT).

NRT

Non-Resident Tuition; supplemental tuition charged to non-California residents.

Other Fellowship

Any form of student support not specifically listed on the Applicant Funding page. These may include fellowships being offered by outside agencies, such as the GAANN, Keck or division-specific fellowships. When an “other” fellowship is listed in GARP, the user must specify the name of the fellowship so that it may be included in the applicant’s admission offer.

Outer Navigation

The First, Last, Next and Previous links on the Applicant List page that allow the user to navigate from outside a single record.

Over-Offer Multiplier

A department-specific value controlled by the Division of Graduate Studies that is used in the calculation to determine how much money a department can offer to new admits in the form of Regents’ Fellowships and tuition remission. The value is based on the historical acceptance rate of block money for that department and allows departments to offer more money than they have in anticipation of a certain percentage of the applicants declining their offer.

Permanent Resident

Applicant who is not a citizen of the United States who is residing in the U.S. under legally recognized and lawfully recorded permanent residence as an immigrant. Also known as "Permanent Resident Alien", "Lawful Permanent Resident," "Resident Alien Permit Holder," and "Green Card Holder." Permanent Residents may be eligible for in-state residency.

Primary navigation bar

Navigational tab located at the top of any GARP page. Consists of Review Applicants, Manage Orphans, Upload Data, and Edit Users.

Quick Search filter

Filter fields that exist along the top of the Applicant Listing page.
**Regents’ Fellowship**
A form of student support offered to applicants and students by their department, paid for by the department’s block allocation. This award will be used to pay tuition and fees first, unless covered by another award, with any remaining amount disbursed to student as a stipend.

**Reserved for Current Students**
A value entered by the department into the Applicant Funding page that represents the portion of their annual block allocation that should be reserved for distribution to current students. Departments may also choose to include in this amount a portion to use for future recruitment efforts. This value is used in the calculation to determine how much money can be offered to new admits in the form of Regent’s Fellowships and Tuition Remission.

**Secondary navigation bar**
Navigational tabs located beneath the Primary navigation bar. Consists of Review Applicants, Manage Applicants, Transcripts, Recommendations, and Other Documents.

**SLR Req’d**
Residency status for applicants who did not provide enough information at the time of application to make a definitive residency decision. The applicant will be required to submit a complete Statement of Legal Residence form to the Registrar’s Office to be considered for in-state fees. Coded with a “U” for Unknown.

**Standard View**
A page format for the Applicant List page that displays more columns of data than the Minimal View, but fewer columns than the Expanded View.

**Teaching Assistantship**
Teaching Assistantships, or TAs, are a form of Academic Student Employment (ASE) that requires the student to serve in an apprentice-like role under the active tutelage and supervision of a regular faculty member. This form of support may be offered at the time of admission and includes a salary and partial tuition payment.