

**TABLE 17**  
**2005-2006 Salaries for Full-time Faculty in U.S. Master's Departments of Psychology**  
**by Type of Department, Rank, and Years in Rank**

|                                                       | Median | 10%    | 25%    | 75%    | 90%    | Mean   | SD     | N   |
|-------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----|
| <b>PSYCHOLOGY (60 departments)</b>                    |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |     |
| <b>Full professor</b>                                 |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |     |
| 12 or more years                                      | 76,950 | 62,000 | 69,540 | 85,643 | 92,604 | 77,788 | 11,620 | 130 |
| 6-11 years                                            | 68,469 | 59,328 | 63,012 | 74,977 | 84,346 | 69,576 | 9,803  | 70  |
| 3-5 years                                             | 65,520 | 55,942 | 59,761 | 72,609 | 83,691 | 67,436 | 10,475 | 50  |
| Less than 3 years                                     | 63,101 | 55,386 | 58,333 | 70,000 | 78,160 | 64,289 | 8,459  | 47  |
| All years                                             | 70,339 | 58,417 | 62,957 | 79,995 | 86,716 | 71,921 | 11,830 | 298 |
| <b>Associate professor</b>                            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |     |
| 6 or more years                                       | 58,290 | 51,116 | 54,069 | 64,011 | 73,560 | 59,948 | 8,759  | 89  |
| 3-5 years                                             | 55,233 | 48,011 | 52,089 | 58,036 | 62,187 | 55,524 | 5,611  | 83  |
| Less than 3 years                                     | 52,526 | 46,456 | 48,878 | 54,882 | 57,514 | 52,329 | 4,776  | 64  |
| All years                                             | 54,918 | 48,026 | 51,794 | 59,302 | 65,876 | 56,326 | 7,442  | 236 |
| <b>Assistant professor</b>                            |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |     |
| 3 or more years                                       | 48,170 | 43,230 | 44,801 | 51,662 | 55,589 | 48,514 | 5,144  | 103 |
| Less than 3 years                                     | 46,271 | 40,770 | 44,004 | 49,215 | 51,342 | 46,476 | 4,329  | 145 |
| All years                                             | 46,948 | 41,453 | 44,762 | 50,000 | 52,828 | 47,322 | 4,782  | 248 |
| All ranks                                             | 55,482 | 44,771 | 48,500 | 67,700 | 79,936 | 59,010 | 13,897 | 795 |
| <b>EDUCATIONAL/COUNSELING/SCHOOL (10 departments)</b> |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |     |
| <b>OTHER DEPARTMENTS (4 departments)</b>              |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |     |

Source: 2005-2006 Faculty Salary Survey, APA Research Office and Council of Graduate Departments of Psychology.

**Note.** Included in this table are faculty who hold the doctoral degree, and who are in departments that award the master's degree. The category "Other" includes departments of educational psychology, counseling psychology, school psychology, and other units that may be more specialized in nature. All salaries are 9-10-month salaries. No statistics are provided where the N of faculty is less than 10. Salary statistics for Lecturers/Instructors are not reported, given that the Ns are insufficient for analysis, but they are included in the figures for "All ranks". Included in the figures for "All years" are faculty whose rank was specified but whose years in rank was not.