# REPRESENTATIONAL BIAS IN LOUISIANA 

## COMPOSITION OF THE STATE ELECTORATE: 2014 MID-TERM ELECTION

| Demographic Category | Comparison Groups | \% of Adult Citizens | \% of Voters |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RACE | White | 62.23\% | 63.49\% |
|  | Black | 30.83\% | 31.70\% |
|  | Asian/Pacific Islander | 1.97\% | 0.96\% |
|  | Latino | 3.00\% | 1.87\% |
|  | Native American | 0.73\% | 0.77\% |
|  | Two or More Races | 1.23\% | 1.20\% |
| AGE GROUP | Under 30 years old | 24.29\% | 14.81\% |
|  | 30 to 64 years old | 57.08\% | 59.76\% |
|  | 65 years old and over | 18.63\% | 25.43\% |
| ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME | Less than \$25,000 | 31.68\% | 26.06\% |
|  | \$25000 to \$50,000 | 25.47\% | 26.77\% |
|  | \$50,000 to \$75,000 | 14.46\% | 15.78\% |
|  | \$75,000 to \$100,000 | $11.63 \%$ | 12.62\% |
|  | More than \$100,000 | 16.76\% | 18.77\% |
| EDUCATION | Less than High School Graduate | 14.02\% | 8.72\% |
|  | High School Graduate | 33.24\% | 31.93\% |
|  | Some College Experience | 31.16\% | 32.92\% |
|  | Bachelor's Degree or Higher | 21.58\% | 26.43\% |
| MARITAL STATUS | Married | 48.79\% | 57.80\% |
|  | Not Married | 51.21\% | 42.20\% |
| DISABILITY | Disability Reported | 16.44\% | 15.88\% |
|  | No Disability Reported | 83.56\% | 84.12\% |
| TIME AT PRESENT RESIDENCE | Less than I year | 13.29\% | 6.56\% |
|  | 1 to 4 years | 25.92\% | 21.11\% |
|  | 5 year or longer | 60.79\% | 72.33\% |

COMPOSITION OF THE STATE ELECTORATE: 2012 PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

| Demographic Category | Comparison Groups | \% of Adult Citizens | \% of Voters |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RACE | White | 65.71\% | 64.64\% |
|  | Black | 29.98\% | 31.50\% |
|  | Asian/Pacific Islander | 0.69\% | 0.29\% |
|  | Latino | 2.17\% | 2.22\% |
|  | Native American | 0.67\% | 0.83\% |
|  | Two or More Races | 0.76\% | 0.53\% |
| AGE GROUP | Under 30 years old | 20.99\% | 16.69\% |
|  | 30 to 64 years old | 61.66\% | 63.78\% |
|  | 65 years old and over | 17.35\% | 19.53\% |
| ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME | Less than \$25,000 | 31.65\% | 25.68\% |
|  | \$25000 to \$50,000 | 25.54\% | 25.26\% |
|  | \$50,000 to \$75,000 | 14.72\% | 16.02\% |
|  | \$75,000 to \$100,000 | 10.61\% | 12.43\% |
|  | More than \$100,000 | 17.47\% | 20.62\% |
| EDUCATION | Less than High School Graduate | 14.57\% | 11.23\% |
|  | High School Graduate | 36.08\% | 32.48\% |
|  | Some College Experience | 27.61\% | 30.22\% |
|  | Bachelor's Degree or Higher | 21.75\% | 26.08\% |
| MARITAL STATUS | Married | 51.15\% | 56.36\% |
|  | Not Married | 48.85\% | 43.64\% |
| DISABILITY | Disability Reported | 14.18\% | 12.55\% |
|  | No Disability Reported | 85.62\% | 87.45\% |
| TIME AT PRESENT RESIDENCE | Less than I year | 12.91\% | 10.12\% |
|  | 1 to 4 years | 24.84\% | 22.42\% |
|  | 5 year or longer | 62.25\% | 67.46\% |

STATE'S ADULT CITIZEN POPULATIONVS. STATE'S UNREGISTERED POPULATION, 2014


