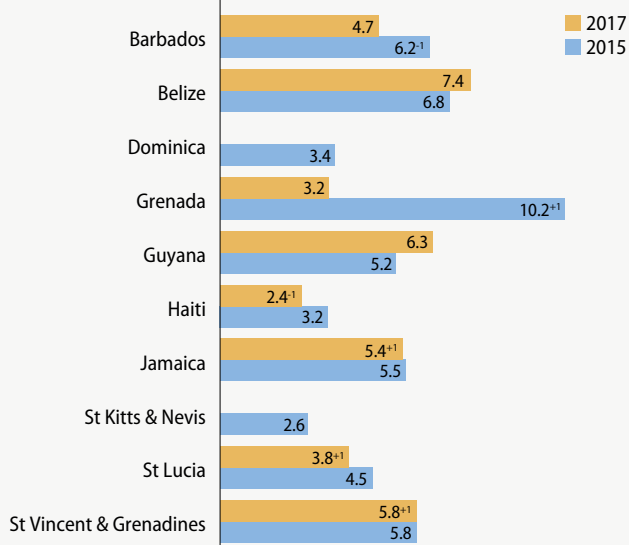


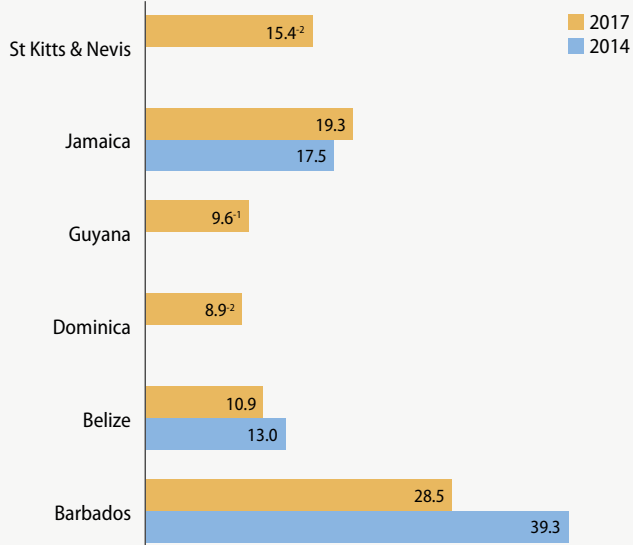


Figure 6.4: Trends in higher education in the Caricom countries

Public expenditure on education as a share of GDP, 2015 and 2017 (%)



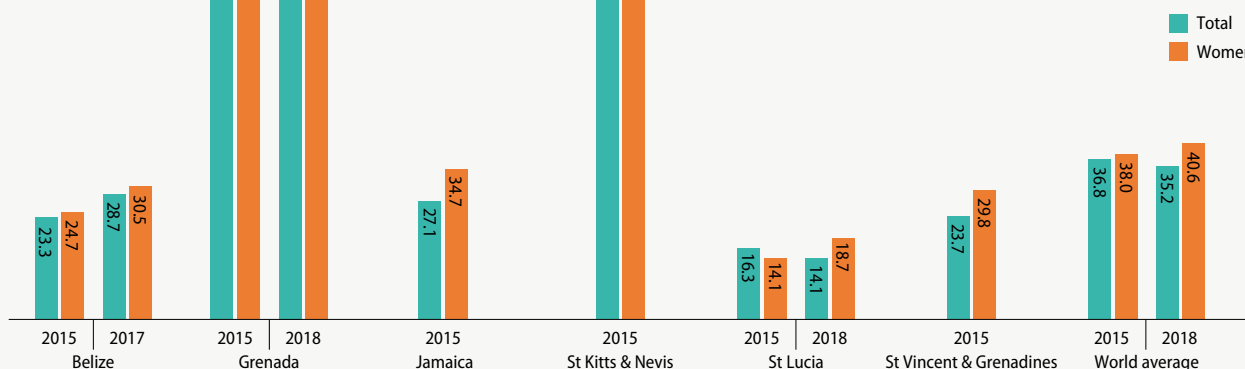
Public expenditure on higher education as a share of education expenditure, 2014 and 2017 (%)



Gross enrolment ratio, both sexes and females, 2015 and 2018 or closest year (%)

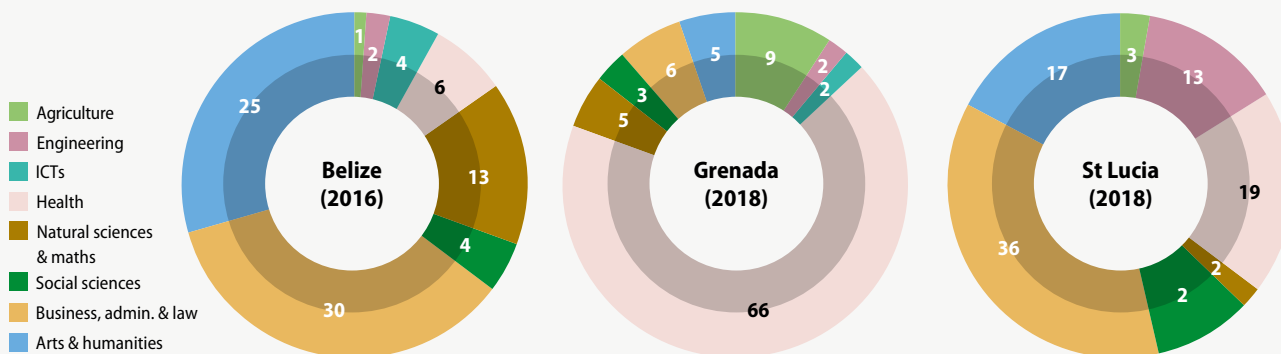
*Enrolment ratios have largely improved since 2015.*

**116.2%**  
Gross enrolment ratio for females in Grenada, 2018



*Few students are attracted by science and engineering.*

Distribution of students by programme, 2018 or closest year (%)



+n/-n: data refer to n years before or after reference year

Note: Recent data are unavailable for some countries. Programmes of study were unspecified for 17%

of students in Belize and 3% of students in Grenada.

Source: UNESCO Institute for Statistics