

2003 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

The Information School All Professional All Campus

Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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|---|----|------|---|-------|------|---|-------|------|---|
| TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED | 20 | 100% |  | 1,754 | 100% |  | 5,555 | 100% |  |
| Questionnaires: | | | | | | | | | |
| Not returned | 12 | 60% |  | 1,119 | 64% |  | 3,640 | 66% |  |
| Not delivered by post office | 3 | 15% |  | 114 | 6% |  | 314 | 6% |  |
| Returned by graduate | 5 | 25% |  | 521 | 30% |  | 1,601 | 29% |  |
| Responding graduates currently: | | | | | | | | | |
| Working | 4 | 80% |  | 408 | 78% |  | 1,197 | 75% |  |
| Attending or waiting to attend school | 2 | 40% |  | 100 | 19% |  | 387 | 24% |  |
| Unemployed | | | | 57 | 11% |  | 158 | 10% |  |

Subsequent tables for bachelor's degree recipients are not included because of the low number of respondents.

Master's Degree Recipients

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|---|----|------|---|-------|------|---|-------|------|---|
| TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED | 35 | 100% |  | 1,490 | 100% |  | 1,832 | 100% |  |
| Questionnaires: | | | | | | | | | |
| Not returned | 16 | 46% |  | 741 | 50% |  | 937 | 51% |  |
| Not delivered by post office | | | | 77 | 5% |  | 102 | 6% |  |
| Returned by graduate | 19 | 54% |  | 672 | 45% |  | 793 | 43% |  |
| Responding graduates currently: | | | | | | | | | |
| Working | 17 | 89% |  | 602 | 90% |  | 676 | 85% |  |
| Attending or waiting to attend school | 5 | 26% |  | 88 | 13% |  | 144 | 18% |  |
| Unemployed | 2 | 11% |  | 51 | 8% |  | 57 | 7% |  |

Doctoral Degree Recipients

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|-----|------|---|-----|------|---|
| TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED | | | | 610 | 100% |  | 770 | 100% |  |
| Questionnaires: | | | | | | | | | |
| Not returned..... | | | | 339 | 56% |  | 412 | 54% |  |
| Not delivered by post office | | | | 35 | 6% |  | 49 | 6% |  |
| Returned by graduate | | | | 236 | 39% |  | 309 | 40% |  |
| Responding graduates currently: | | | | | | | | | |
| Working | | | | 219 | 93% |  | 289 | 94% |  |
| Attending or waiting to attend school | | | | 27 | 11% |  | 29 | 9% |  |
| Unemployed | | | | 12 | 5% |  | 15 | 5% |  |

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DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients

| | <u>The Information School</u> | | <u>All Professional</u> | | <u>All Campus</u> | |
|--|-------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|
| Working | | | | | | |
| JOB IS: | | | | | | |
| Full-time, career field, permanent ... | 7 | 41% █ | 356 | 60% █ | 390 | 58% █ |
| Full-time, career field, will change | 4 | 24% █ | 151 | 25% █ | 162 | 24% █ |
| Full-time, outside career field | 3 | 18% █ | 13 | 2% █ | 21 | 3% █ |
| Full-time, temporary | 1 | 6% █ | 26 | 4% █ | 30 | 4% █ |
| Part-time | 2 | 12% █ | 50 | 8% █ | 66 | 10% █ |
| WORK IS: | | | | | | |
| Definitely beneath my level | 1 | 6% █ | 38 | 6% █ | 50 | 7% █ |
| Somewhat beneath my level | 7 | 41% █ | 99 | 17% █ | 109 | 16% █ |
| At an appropriate level | 9 | 53% █ | 459 | 77% █ | 508 | 76% █ |
| At too advanced a level | | | 3 | 1% █ | 4 | 1% █ |
| ATTENDING SCHOOL? | | | | | | |
| Yes, post-graduate in my degree | 1 | 6% █ | 71 | 12% █ | 79 | 12% █ |
| Yes, career related, new area | 2 | 12% █ | 73 | 12% █ | 81 | 12% █ |
| Yes, not career related | 2 | 12% █ | 24 | 4% █ | 26 | 4% █ |
| No | 12 | 71% █ | 432 | 72% █ | 483 | 72% █ |
| MONTHLY INCOME: | | | | | | |
| Under \$500 | | | 2 | 1% █ | 4 | 1% █ |
| \$500 - 999 | | | 6 | 1% █ | 10 | 2% █ |
| 1000- 1499 | | | 19 | 3% █ | 29 | 4% █ |
| 1500- 1999 | 2 | 12% █ | 24 | 4% █ | 32 | 5% █ |
| 2000- 2499 | | | 70 | 12% █ | 83 | 13% █ |
| 2500- 2999 | 2 | 12% █ | 56 | 10% █ | 68 | 10% █ |
| 3000- 3499 | 2 | 12% █ | 96 | 16% █ | 103 | 16% █ |
| 3500- 3999 | 2 | 12% █ | 53 | 9% █ | 56 | 8% █ |
| 4000- 4500 | 2 | 12% █ | 57 | 10% █ | 61 | 9% █ |
| Over \$4500 | 7 | 41% █ | 205 | 35% █ | 215 | 33% █ |
| JOB LOCATION: | | | | | | |
| King, Pierce, Snohomish | 11 | 85% █ | 286 | 70% █ | 316 | 67% █ |
| Other Washington counties | | | 19 | 5% █ | 22 | 5% █ |
| Alaska, Idaho, Oregon | | | 17 | 4% █ | 18 | 4% █ |
| California, Hawaii | | | 25 | 6% █ | 31 | 7% █ |
| Mountain states | | | 16 | 4% █ | 19 | 4% █ |
| Central states | | | 8 | 2% █ | 12 | 3% █ |
| Eastern states | | | 24 | 6% █ | 29 | 6% █ |
| International | 2 | 15% █ | 13 | 3% █ | 22 | 5% █ |
| JOB SEARCH: | | | | | | |
| Newspaper ads | 2 | 15% █ | 38 | 9% █ | 44 | 9% █ |
| World wide web/internet | 10 | 77% █ | 158 | 36% █ | 177 | 36% █ |
| Employment agency | | | 25 | 6% █ | 25 | 5% █ |
| Professional organization | 1 | 8% █ | 95 | 22% █ | 102 | 21% █ |
| Faculty advisor or committee | | | 123 | 28% █ | 140 | 29% █ |

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|---|-------------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|
| Attending School | | | | | | |
| LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate | | | | | | |
| Master's | | | 3 | 4% | 3 | 2% |
| Doctoral | 4 | 80% | 68 | 80% | 121 | 86% |
| Professional ... | 1 | 20% | 9 | 11% | 11 | 8% |
| Vocational | | | 1 | 1% | 1 | 1% |
| Other | | | 4 | 5% | 4 | 3% |
| ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? | | | | | | |
| Yes, by the school | 2 | 67% | 26 | 39% | 63 | 52% |
| Yes, other part-time | | | 3 | 5% | 8 | 7% |
| Yes, other full-time | | | 15 | 23% | 19 | 16% |
| No | 1 | 33% | 22 | 33% | 31 | 26% |
| Unemployed | | | | | | |
| LOOKING FOR WORK? | | | | | | |
| Yes, career field only | | | 24 | 47% | 25 | 44% |
| Yes, any field | | | 3 | 6% | 3 | 5% |
| Yes, may be temporary | | | 10 | 20% | 10 | 18% |
| No, traveling, etc. | 1 | 50% | 6 | 12% | 8 | 14% |
| No, deciding what to do | | | 2 | 4% | 3 | 5% |
| No, not at present | 1 | 50% | 6 | 12% | 8 | 14% |

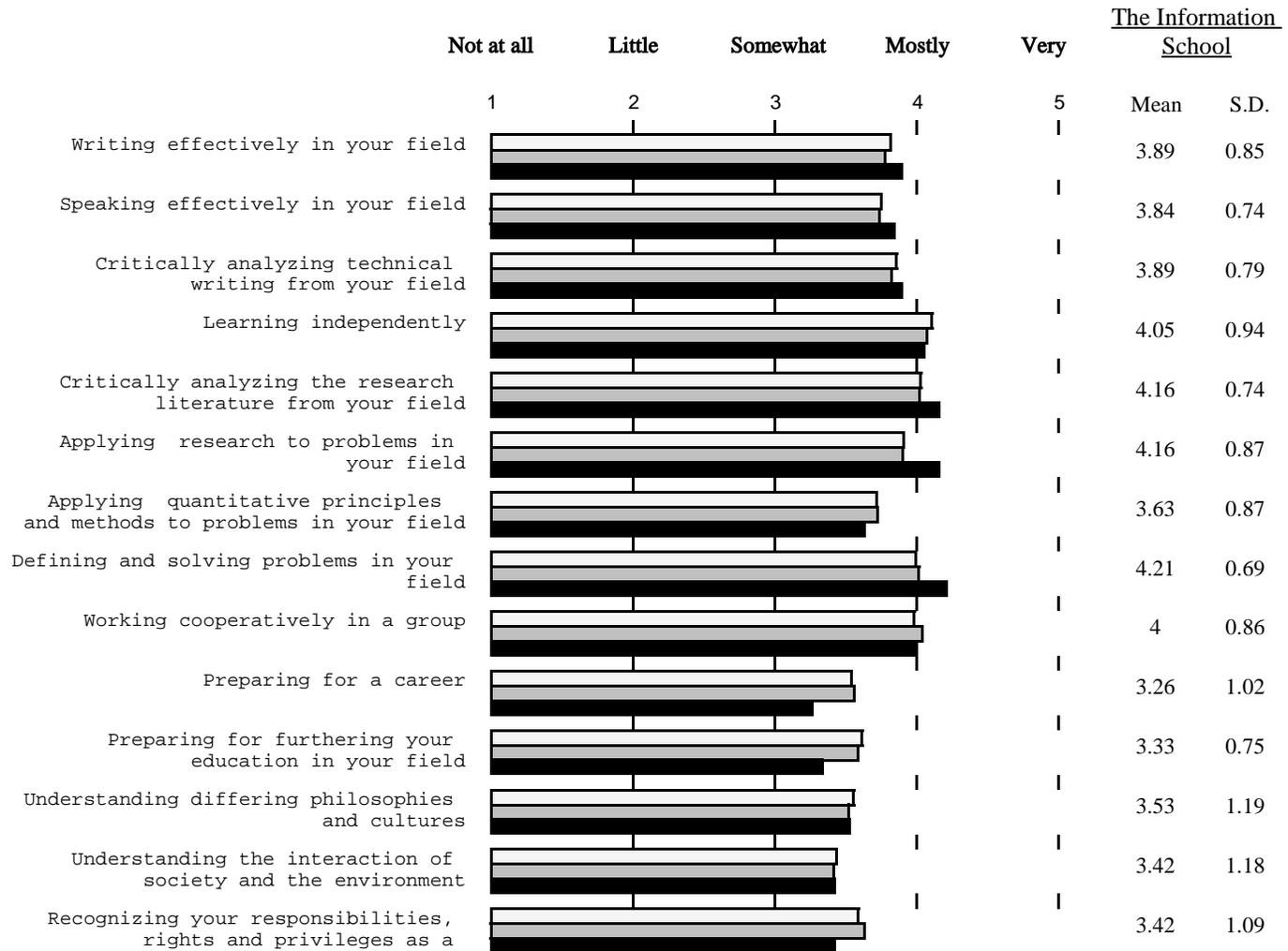
TYPE OF EMPLOYER - Master's Degree Recipients

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Business (for profit) | 5 | 26% | 157 | 24% | 165 | 22% |
| Business (not for profit) | | | 24 | 4% | 29 | 4% |
| Education (K-12) | | | 83 | 13% | 93 | 12% |
| Education (post-secondary) | | | | | | |
| Univ/college tenure-track faculty | 1 | 5% | 14 | 2% | 29 | 4% |
| Univ/college non-tenure-track faculty | 2 | 11% | 25 | 4% | 39 | 5% |
| Univ/college research or administrative ... | 4 | 21% | 38 | 6% | 49 | 6% |
| Postdoctoral appointment | 1 | 5% | 6 | 1% | 16 | 2% |
| Government agency | 3 | 16% | 87 | 13% | 92 | 12% |
| Industry | 1 | 5% | 38 | 6% | 40 | 5% |
| Law firm | | | 19 | 3% | 19 | 3% |
| Medical faculty | | | 60 | 9% | 68 | 9% |
| Military | 1 | 5% | 13 | 2% | 16 | 2% |
| Private practice | | | 17 | 3% | 20 | 3% |
| Self-employed | | | 10 | 2% | 15 | 2% |
| Social service agency | | | 19 | 3% | 20 | 3% |
| Other | 1 | 5% | 36 | 6% | 47 | 6% |

STUDENT OUTCOMES - Master's Degree Recipients

How satisfied are you with the University of Washington's contribution to your professional and academic growth in each of the following areas?

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In general, how satisfied are you with your UW education for this degree with regard to each of the following?



CURRENT ACTIVITY ROSTER

| Working | | Job Title | Employer |
|------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| BACHELOR'S | Permanent in career: | IT support analyst | american seafoods |
| | Career, change likely: | software developer | maq software |
| MASTER'S | Permanent in career: | Production Specialist | Applied Discovery |
| | | software developer | microsoft corp |
| | | software eng | microsoft |
| | Career, change likely: | research consultant | uw |
| | | Archivist | U of Washington |
| | | communications writer | boeing |
| | Not career, full-time: | finance & is administrato | gm of renton |
| | | oracle database admin | boeing co |
| | | Data Catalog Admin | WSDOT |
| Not career, temporary: | Data Warehouse Manager | University of Washington | |
| Part-time: | Librarian | UW | |
| | librarian | king county library syst | |
| | | computer specialist | national park service |

| In School | Program Level | Program | Field of study | Institution |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| BACHELOR'S | Terminal Masters | information management | | uc berkeley |
| MASTER'S | Masters/Doctoral | Information Science (PhD) | | iSchool, UW |

| Unemployed | Type of work seeking |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|
| MASTER'S | academic librarian |