

2005 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

	<u>Technical Communication</u>	<u>College Of Engineering</u>	<u>All Professional</u>
Bachelor's Degree Recipients			
TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	20 100% 	589 100% 	1,875 100% 
Questionnaires:			
Not returned	12 60% 	407 69% 	1,271 68% 
Not delivered by post office	4 20% 	38 6% 	129 7% 
Returned by graduate	4 20% 	144 24% 	475 25% 
Responding graduates currently:			
Working	4 100% 	111 77% 	401 84% 
Attending or waiting to attend school		35 24% 	89 19% 
Unemployed		6 4% 	14 3% 

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

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Master's Degree Recipients			
TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	28 100% 	273 100% 	1,930 100% 
Questionnaires:			
Not returned	13 46% 	132 48% 	1,033 54% 
Not delivered by post office	3 11% 	18 7% 	122 6% 
Returned by graduate	12 43% 	123 45% 	775 40% 
Responding graduates currently:			
Working	12 100% 	105 85% 	705 91% 
Attending or waiting to attend school	1 8% 	29 24% 	97 13% 
Unemployed		4 3% 	46 6% 

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Doctoral Degree Recipients			
TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED		67 100% 	696 100% 
Questionnaires:			
Not returned.....		29 43% 	375 54% 
Not delivered by post office		14 21% 	67 10% 
Returned by graduate		24 36% 	254 36% 
Responding graduates currently:			
Working		24 100% 	243 96% 
Attending or waiting to attend school		1 4% 	27 11% 
Unemployed		1 4% 	7 3% 

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DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients

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Working			
JOB IS: Full-time, career field, permanent ...	6 50% ■■■■	70 67% ■■■■	420 60% ■■■■
Full-time, career field, will change	4 33% ■■	27 26% ■■	183 26% ■■
Full-time, outside career field	1 8% ■	5 5% ■	16 2% ■
Full-time, temporary		1 1%	22 3% ■
Part-time	1 8% ■	2 2%	61 9% ■
WORK IS: Definitely beneath my level	2 18% ■■	5 5%	35 5%
Somewhat beneath my level	1 9% ■	18 17% ■	137 20% ■
At an appropriate level	8 73% ■■■■	80 78% ■■■■	521 75% ■■■■
At too advanced a level			5 1%
ATTENDING SCHOOL? Yes, post-graduate in my degree	1 8% ■	11 11% ■	72 10% ■
Yes, career related, new area	2 17% ■■	12 12% ■	73 10% ■
Yes, not career related		5 5%	18 3%
No	9 75% ■■■■	76 73% ■■■■	534 77% ■■■■
MONTHLY INCOME: Under \$500			2 1%
\$500 - 999			3 1%
1000- 1499	1 8% ■	1 1%	16 2% ■
1500- 1999	1 8% ■	2 2%	26 4% ■
2000- 2499		5 5%	70 10% ■
2500- 2999		5 5%	85 12% ■
3000- 3499	1 8% ■	5 5%	97 14% ■
3500- 3999	2 17% ■■	12 12% ■	65 9% ■
4000- 4500	1 8% ■	17 17% ■	64 9% ■
Over \$4500	6 50% ■■■■	56 54% ■■■■	263 38% ■■■■
JOB LOCATION: King, Pierce, Snohomish	9 75% ■■■■	68 68% ■■■■	471 72% ■■■■
Other Washington counties		1 1%	44 7% ■
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon		2 2%	28 4% ■
California, Hawaii	1 8% ■	4 4%	32 5% ■
Mountain states		3 3%	16 2%
Central states		8 8% ■	20 3% ■
Eastern states	2 17% ■■	12 12% ■	38 6% ■
International		2 2%	9 1%
JOB SEARCH: Newspaper ads		3 3%	32 6% ■
World wide web/internet	5 62% ■■■■	42 49% ■■■■	235 44% ■■■■
Employment agency	2 25% ■■	4 5%	27 5% ■
Professional organization	1 12% ■	16 19% ■	112 21% ■
Faculty advisor or committee		21 24% ■	129 24% ■

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Attending School			
LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate			2 2% █
Master's		3 10% █	8 9% █
Doctoral	1 100% █	24 83% █	76 82% █
Professional ...			3 3% █
Vocational			
Other		2 7% █	4 4% █
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school		15 68% █	27 44% █
Yes, other part-time		1 5% █	9 15% █
Yes, other full-time		3 14% █	11 18% █
No		3 14% █	14 23% █

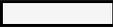
Unemployed			
LOOKING FOR WORK? Yes, career field only			13 29% █
Yes, any field			4 9% █
Yes, may be temporary			4 9% █
No, traveling, etc.		2 50% █	8 18% █
No, deciding what to do			2 4% █
No, not at present		2 50% █	14 31% █

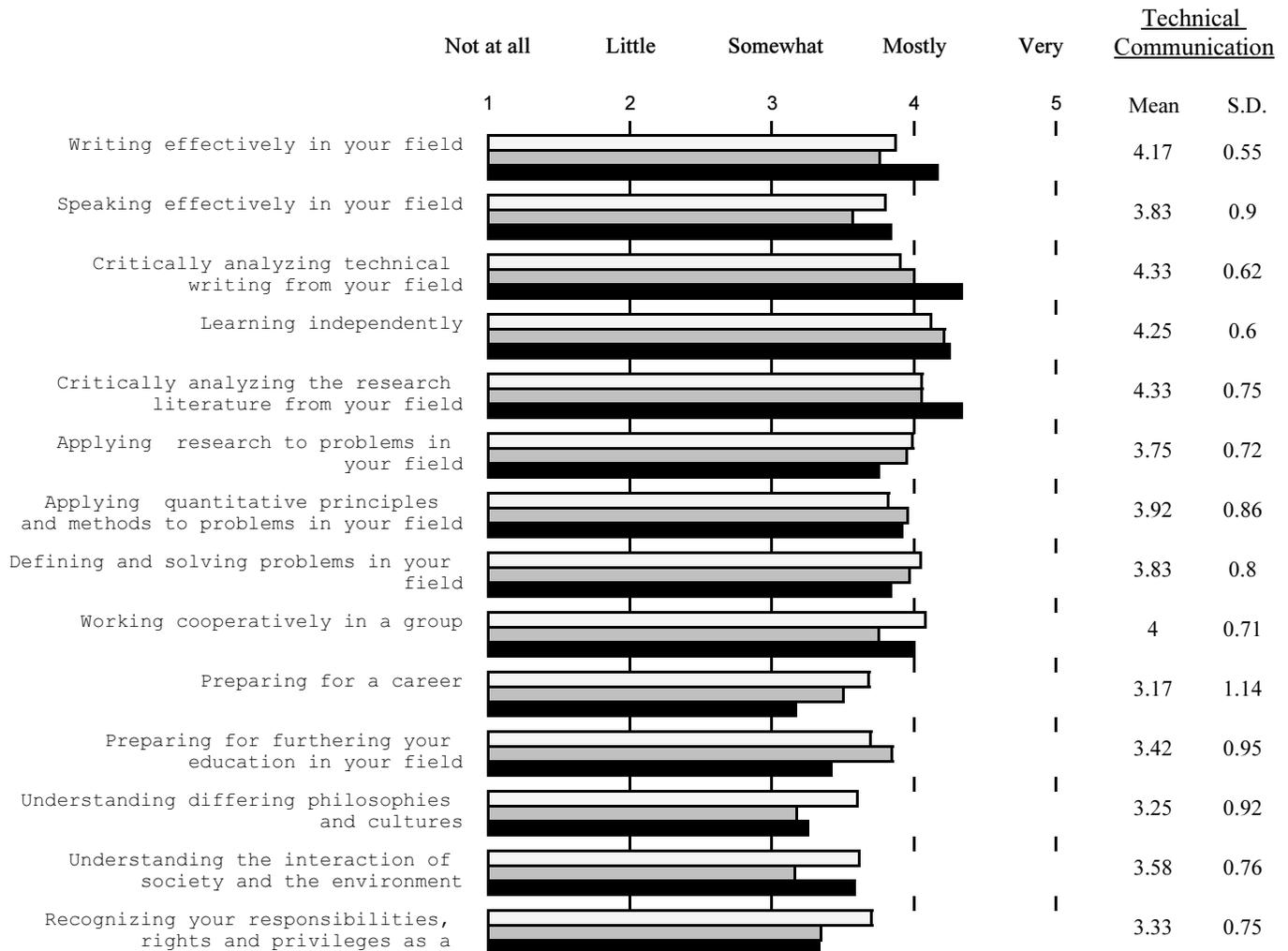
TYPE OF EMPLOYER - Master's Degree Recipients

Business (for profit)	8 67% █	59 48% █	205 27% █
Business (not for profit)	1 8% █	2 2% █	40 5% █
Education (K-12)			105 14% █
Education (post-secondary)			
Univ/college tenure-track faculty		4 3% █	18 2% █
Univ/college non-tenure-track faculty		1 1% █	7 1% █
Univ/college research or administrative ...	1 8% █	9 7% █	47 6% █
Postdoctoral appointment		1 1% █	6 1% █
Government agency		8 7% █	92 12% █
Industry	1 8% █	25 20% █	40 5% █
Law firm			9 1% █
Medical faculty		1 1% █	63 8% █
Military		5 4% █	17 2% █
Private practice		1 1% █	12 2% █
Self-employed	1 8% █	4 3% █	17 2% █
Social service agency			35 5% █
Other		2 2% █	37 5% █

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:	Software Engineer		Lockheed Martin
	Career, change likely:	Lead Technical Writer		Tableau Software
MASTER'S	Permanent in career:	Program Mgr		Microsoft
		Marketing Coord.		Language Weaver
		Partner		
		Usability Engineer		Boeing
		Senior Director		Marriott International
		Stdnt Prg/Databas Rec Mgr		UW
	Career, change likely:	Usability Assistant		Excell Data Corp
		Solutions Architect		Sakson & Taylor
		Lead Site Mgr		Microsoft
		Usability Asst. 1		Volt
	Not career, full-time:	proofreader		Kaplan k12
	Part-time:	Visibility Consultant		Self employed