

UW Alumni Survey Results
2015-2016 MASTERS Degree Recipients

	Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences		Interdisciplinary Arts & Sciences		UW Bothell	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Graduates Surveyed						
Total	32	100%	32	100%	220	100%
Women	16	50%	16	50%	137	62%
Men	16	50%	16	50%	83	38%
African American	4	13%	4	13%	10	5%
American Indian	1	3%	1	3%	2	1%
Asian American	0	0%	0	0%	25	11%
Caucasian	21	66%	21	66%	145	66%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	3%	1	3%	1	0%
Hispanic/Latino	2	6%	2	6%	7	3%
Other/Not Indicated	3	9%	3	9%	30	14%
International	1	3%	1	3%	23	10%
Survey Response Rates						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	13	41%	13	41%	81	37%
Women	7	54%	7	54%	47	58%
Men	6	46%	6	46%	34	42%
African American	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%
American Indian	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Asian American	0	0%	0	0%	10	12%
Caucasian	10	77%	10	77%	52	64%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	2	15%	2	15%	4	5%
Other/Not Indicated	1	8%	1	8%	13	16%
International	1	8%	1	8%	12	15%
Current Status						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	8	62%	8	62%	69	85%
Employed for pay part time	1	8%	1	8%	4	5%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Planning to continue education	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Seeking employment	1	8%	1	8%	4	5%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	2	15%	2	15%	3	4%
Other	1	8%	1	8%	1	1%

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Employed Full Time or Part time						
Type of employment						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	4	50%	4	50%	58	84%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
Temporary/contract work assignment	2	25%	2	25%	5	7%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
Faculty non-tenure track position	1	13%	1	13%	1	1%
Other	1	13%	1	13%	3	4%
Career related						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	6	75%	6	75%	66	94%
No	2	25%	2	25%	4	6%
Job location						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	8	100%	8	100%	63	91%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	3	4%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	2	3%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Type of employer						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Private	2	29%	2	29%	27	43%
Non-profit/NGO	1	14%	1	14%	6	10%
Government	2	29%	2	29%	26	41%
Other	2	29%	2	29%	4	6%
Search time (weeks)						
	N					
		1	1		20	
Mean		24.0	24.0		9.2	
SD					8	
Range	24	24	24	24	0	24
Salary						
	N					
		3	3		47	
Mean		58,667	58,667		82,272	
SD		28,024	28,024		31,326	
Range	30,000	86,000	30,000	86,000	30,000	160,000
First year bonus						
	N					
		1	1		9	
Mean		12,000	12,000		10,444	
SD					5,725	
Range	12,000	12,000	12,000	12,000	2,000	16,000

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Participating in a Volunteer or Service Program						
Program location						
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Serving in the US Military						
Service branch						
Air Force	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Army	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Coast Guard	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Marine Corps	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Navy	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Status						
Active duty	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Reserve	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
National Guard	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Enrolled in Educational Program						
Degree program						
Certificate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Associate (AA/AS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor (BA/BS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
School location						
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
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Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

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All Respondents**Authorized to permanently work in the U.S.**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	10	91%	10	91%	67	91%
No	1	9%	1	9%	7	9%

Amount UW academic program ADVANCED LEARNING

1=Not at all; 2=Somewhat; 3=Moderately; 4=Very much

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Acquiring deep knowledge in your chosen field of study	10	3.3	10	3.3	72	3.4
Writing effectively	10	3.3	10	3.3	72	3.1
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	10	3.4	10	3.4	71	3.3
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	9	3.7	9	3.7	71	3.4
Identifying important questions in your field	9	3.6	9	3.6	71	3.4
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	9	3.6	9	3.6	71	3.4
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	9	3.6	9	3.6	71	3.3
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	9	3.3	9	3.3	71	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	9	3.1	9	3.1	71	3.3
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	9	3.1	9	3.1	71	3.2
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	9	2.3	9	2.3	71	2.6
Learning independently	10	3.2	10	3.2	72	3.4
Working collaboratively with others within your field	10	3.2	10	3.2	72	3.3
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	10	3.2	10	3.2	72	3.2
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	10	3.6	10	3.6	72	3.5
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	9	3.3	9	3.3	71	3.5

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IMPORTANCE to current work and life	1=Not at all; 2=Somewhat; 3=Moderately; 4=Very					
Acquiring deep knowledge in your chosen field of study	8	3.5	8	3.5	70	3.7
Writing effectively	8	3.5	8	3.5	69	3.3
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	8	3.6	8	3.6	69	3.6
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	7	3.9	7	3.9	69	3.4
Identifying important questions in your field	8	3.5	8	3.5	70	3.5
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	7	3.6	7	3.6	67	3.6
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	7	4.0	7	4.0	69	3.5
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	7	3.4	7	3.4	69	3.5
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	7	3.4	7	3.4	68	3.6
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	7	2.6	7	2.6	68	3.3
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	7	2.9	7	2.9	69	3.2
Learning independently	7	3.6	7	3.6	69	3.6
Working collaboratively with others within your field	8	3.4	8	3.4	70	3.7
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	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
1=Poor; 2=Fair; 3=Good; 4=Excellent						
Overall UW experience						
The help you received from your graduate thesis (MA/MS graduates) or dissertation (PhD graduates) committee members	8	3.8	8	3.8	65	3.2
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	8	3.3	8	3.3	67	3.3
The help you received navigating the job market	7	2.4	7	2.4	67	2.3
Your overall learning experience at the UW	8	3.8	8	3.8	70	3.5
1=Strongly Disagree; 2=Disagree; 3=Agree; 4=Strongly Agree						
	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Faculty treated students respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	8	3.9	8	3.9	70	3.8
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	8	3.8	8	3.8	70	3.8
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	8	3.8	8	3.8	70	3.7
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	8	3.9	8	3.9	70	3.5
1=Strongly Dissatisfied; 2= Dissatisfied; 3= Satisfied; 4= Strongly Satisfied						
	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
How satisfied are you with your overall experience at UW?	6	3.8	6	3.8	50	3.6

Current activity roster**Employed Full Time or Part time**

Job title	Employing organization
Business Services Coordinator	Expedia
Part-time faculty	University of Washington
Program Assistant	UW
program coordinator	University of Washington Materials Maintenance
Test Technician	
Outreach Coordinator	Carbon Washington
Legal Assistant	Preg O'Donnell and Gillet