

UW Alumni Survey Results
2016-2017 MASTERS Degree Recipients

Education Program All Professional UW Bothell

Graduates Surveyed

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	58	100%	197	100%	230	100%
Women	39	67%	105	53%	129	56%
Men	19	33%	92	47%	101	44%
African American	2	3%	6	3%	7	3%
American Indian	1	2%	2	1%	3	1%
Asian American	5	9%	28	14%	31	13%
Caucasian	44	76%	102	52%	121	53%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%
Hispanic/Latino	4	7%	9	5%	14	6%
Other/Not Indicated	2	3%	50	25%	53	23%
International	0	0%	44	22%	47	20%

Survey Response Rates

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	17	29%	52	26%	66	29%
Women	13	76%	29	56%	41	62%
Men	4	24%	23	44%	25	38%
African American	1	6%	2	4%	2	3%
American Indian	0	0%	1	2%	2	3%
Asian American	4	24%	9	17%	10	15%
Caucasian	11	65%	20	38%	29	44%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%
Hispanic/Latino	0	0%	2	4%	3	5%
Other/Not Indicated	1	6%	18	35%	19	29%
International	0	0%	15	29%	16	24%

Current Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	15	88%	43	83%	49	74%
Employed for pay part time	0	0%	1	2%	2	3%
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	1	6%	2	4%	3	5%
Planning to continue education	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%
Seeking employment	1	6%	4	8%	8	12%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	0	0%	1	2%	1	2%
Other	0	0%	1	2%	2	3%

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Employed Full Time or Part time**Type of employment**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	14	100%	40	93%	46	92%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Temporary/contract work assignment	0	0%	2	5%	2	4%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	1	2%	1	2%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

Career related

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	13	87%	38	86%	42	82%
No	2	13%	6	14%	9	18%

Job location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	15	100%	38	86%	43	84%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	1	2%	1	2%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	3	7%	3	6%
Mountain states	0	0%	1	2%	1	2%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%
International	0	0%	1	2%	2	4%

Type of employer

	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	1	7%	20	48%	23	49%
Non-profit/NGO	1	7%	4	10%	4	9%
Government	12	86%	16	38%	16	34%
Other	0	0%	2	5%	4	9%

Search time (weeks)

	N		N		N	
	8		23		25	
Mean	11.0		10.0		10.0	
SD	8		9		9	
Range	2 24		1 40		1 40	

Salary

	N		N		N	
	14		31		35	
Mean	66,000		71,890		67,760	
SD	23,142		33,030		33,239	
Range	47,000 120,000		30,000 170,000		30,000 170,000	

First year bonus

	N		N		N	
	1		9		9	
Mean	500		6,333		6,333	
SD			9,497		9,497	
Range	500 500		500 30,000		500 30,000	

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Participating in a Volunteer or Service Program**Program location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
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**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
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**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
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%	1	50%	1	33%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	1	100%	1	50%	1	33%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	0	0%	1	33%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	1	100%	1	50%
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%	1	50%
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	17	100%	39	76%	52	80%
No	0	0%	12	24%	13	20%

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	16	3.7	48	3.5	62	3.5
Writing effectively	16	3.0	48	3.1	62	3.2
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	16	3.0	48	3.1	62	3.1
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	16	3.4	48	3.4	62	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	16	3.8	48	3.5	62	3.5
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	16	3.1	48	3.2	62	3.2
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	16	3.3	48	3.3	62	3.4
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	16	3.4	48	3.4	62	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	16	3.8	48	3.5	62	3.4
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	16	2.8	48	3.1	62	3.0
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	16	2.3	48	2.6	61	2.5
Learning independently	16	3.3	48	3.2	62	3.3
Working collaboratively with others within your field	16	3.4	48	3.4	62	3.4
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	16	3.0	48	3.0	62	3.0
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	16	3.8	48	3.4	62	3.4
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	16	3.8	48	3.3	62	3.3

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IMPORTANCE to current work and life

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

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Acquiring deep knowledge in your chosen field of study	16	3.6	46	3.6	57	3.6
Writing effectively	16	3.3	46	3.4	57	3.5
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	16	3.3	46	3.6	57	3.6
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	16	2.9	46	3.4	57	3.4
Identifying important questions in your field	16	3.4	46	3.6	57	3.6
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	16	3.4	46	3.6	57	3.6
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	16	3.4	46	3.5	57	3.6
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	16	3.3	46	3.3	57	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	16	4.0	46	3.7	57	3.6
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	16	2.8	46	3.1	57	3.0
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	16	2.9	46	3.3	57	3.3
Learning independently	16	3.3	46	3.5	57	3.5
Working collaboratively with others within your field	16	3.7	46	3.8	57	3.8
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	16	3.4	46	3.5	57	3.5
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Overall UW experience

1=Poor; 2=Fair; 3=Good; 4=Excellent

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
The help you received from your graduate thesis (MA/MS graduates) or dissertation (PhD graduates) committee members	15	2.9	40	3.1	52	3.1
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	16	3.2	47	3.2	59	3.1
The help you received navigating the job market	16	2.3	47	2.2	60	2.1
Your overall learning experience at the UW	16	3.6	47	3.4	59	3.4

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.	16	3.7	47	3.6	59	3.6
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	16	3.3	47	3.5	59	3.4
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	16	3.7	47	3.8	59	3.8
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	16	3.4	47	3.3	59	3.3

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?	17	3.3	48	3.4	61	3.4

Current activity roster

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Social Media Manager	
7th Grade Teacher	Beaver Lake Middle School (Issaquah School District)
High School Teacher	
Social Studies/ELL Teacher	
Classroom Teacher	
Teacher	Monroe Public Schools
MATH TEACHER	Lakewood School District
Teacher	
Director	Bellevue college
Instructional coach	Bremerton school district
Third Grade Gen Ed teacher	
General education elementary teacher	Lake Washington School District
Assistant Director of Admissions	University of Washington Bothell
Assistant Principal	Monroe School District
Assistant Principal	