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UW Alumni Survey Results
2016-2017 MASTERS Degree Recipients

	Business Administration		Foster School Of Business		All Professional		UW Seattle	

Graduates Surveyed

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	484	100%	570	100%	3265	100%	3871	100%
Women	154	32%	205	36%	1758	54%	2082	54%
Men	330	68%	365	64%	1507	46%	1789	46%
African American	7	1%	9	2%	107	3%	118	3%
American Indian	4	1%	4	1%	36	1%	45	1%
Asian American	85	18%	103	18%	448	14%	505	13%
Caucasian	241	50%	292	51%	1750	54%	2074	54%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3	1%	3	1%	21	1%	23	1%
Hispanic/Latino	8	2%	10	2%	186	6%	218	6%
Other/Not Indicated	136	28%	149	26%	717	22%	888	23%
International	126	26%	138	24%	655	20%	817	21%

Survey Response Rates

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	181	37%	197	35%	1160	36%	1359	35%
Women	58	32%	67	34%	642	55%	766	56%
Men	123	68%	130	66%	518	45%	593	44%
African American	4	2%	4	2%	41	4%	46	3%
American Indian	1	1%	1	1%	14	1%	17	1%
Asian American	29	16%	31	16%	150	13%	173	13%
Caucasian	100	55%	113	57%	675	58%	803	59%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3	2%	3	2%	12	1%	12	1%
Hispanic/Latino	3	2%	3	2%	57	5%	63	5%
Other/Not Indicated	41	23%	42	21%	211	18%	245	18%
International	36	20%	37	19%	198	17%	230	17%

Current Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	163	90%	179	91%	905	78%	991	73%
Employed for pay part time	2	1%	2	1%	62	5%	79	6%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	0	0%	0	0%	5	0%	8	1%
Serving in the U.S. military	1	1%	1	1%	3	0%	5	0%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	1	1%	1	1%	64	6%	111	8%
Planning to continue education	1	1%	1	1%	5	0%	11	1%
Seeking employment	10	6%	10	5%	81	7%	105	8%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	1	1%	1	1%	8	1%	12	1%
Other	2	1%	2	1%	27	2%	37	3%

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Employed Full Time or Part time
Type of employment

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	156	96%	170	96%	835	88%	915	87%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	3	2%	3	2%	14	1%	17	2%
Temporary/contract work assignment	3	2%	3	2%	40	4%	46	4%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	2	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	23	2%	24	2%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	1	1%	11	1%	11	1%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	8	1%	12	1%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	15	2%	22	2%

Career related

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	154	95%	166	94%	894	94%	983	94%
No	8	5%	11	6%	53	6%	65	6%

Job location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	133	83%	145	83%	669	71%	734	70%
Other Washington	1	1%	1	1%	25	3%	28	3%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	4	3%	5	3%	34	4%	38	4%
California, Hawaii	8	5%	8	5%	62	7%	72	7%
Mountain states	1	1%	1	1%	18	2%	22	2%
Central states	5	3%	6	3%	30	3%	32	3%
Eastern states	4	3%	5	3%	64	7%	72	7%
International	4	3%	4	2%	41	4%	45	4%

Type of employer

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	145	92%	160	92%	495	55%	546	55%
Non-profit/NGO	6	4%	6	3%	155	17%	166	17%
Government	6	4%	6	3%	219	24%	245	25%
Other	1	1%	1	1%	35	4%	38	4%

Search time (weeks)

N		71		79		510		549
Mean		11.9		11.4		10.5		10.4
SD		10		10		10		10
Range	0	40	0	40	0	52	0	52

Salary

N		134		148		718		779
Mean		122,144		115,972		81,794		81,313
SD		40,705		43,214		39,891		39,185
Range	20,000	375,000	20,000	375,000	12,000	375,000	12,000	375,000

First year bonus

N		69		74		181		194
Mean		34,464		32,446		22,872		23,811
SD		45,898		44,937		40,605		40,314
Range	1,000	350,000	1,000	350,000	200	350,000	200	350,000

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Participating in a Volunteer or Service Program
Program location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	0	0%	2	50%	3	43%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	14%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
International	0	0%	0	0%	2	50%	3	43%

Serving in the US Military
Service branch

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Air Force	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	25%
Army	0	0%	0	0%	1	50%	2	50%
Coast Guard	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Marine Corps	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Navy	0	0%	0	0%	1	50%	1	25%

Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Active duty	0	0%	0	0%	2	100%	4	100%
Reserve	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
National Guard	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

Enrolled in Educational Program
Degree program

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Certificate	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%	1	1%
Associate (AA/AS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor (BA/BS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	0	0%	0	0%	3	5%	5	5%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%	2	2%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	0	0%	53	84%	95	86%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	1	100%	1	100%	4	6%	5	5%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	1	100%	1	100%	54	87%	96	88%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%	1	1%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	2	3%	2	2%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%	1	1%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	1	2%	2	2%
International	0	0%	0	0%	3	5%	7	6%

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All Respondents

Authorized to permanently work in the U.S.

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	144	84%	157	84%	961	87%	1127	87%
No	28	16%	29	16%	147	13%	175	13%

Amount UW academic program ADVANCED LEARNING

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

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Acquiring deep knowledge in your chosen field of study	164	3.3	178	3.3	1064	3.4	1246	3.4
Writing effectively	164	2.6	178	2.7	1063	2.9	1245	2.9
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	164	3.1	178	3.2	1062	3.0	1244	3.0
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	164	3.1	178	3.1	1065	3.3	1246	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	164	3.3	178	3.3	1063	3.3	1244	3.3
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	164	3.1	178	3.2	1064	3.2	1246	3.2
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	164	3.0	178	2.9	1063	3.0	1244	3.0
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	164	2.7	178	2.8	1062	2.9	1244	2.9
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	164	2.8	178	2.9	1062	3.0	1244	3.0
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	164	3.2	178	3.2	1058	3.1	1240	3.1
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	163	2.4	177	2.4	1062	2.7	1244	2.7
Learning independently	164	2.8	178	2.8	1063	3.2	1245	3.2
Working collaboratively with others within your field	163	3.3	177	3.3	1061	3.3	1243	3.2
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	163	3.1	177	3.1	1061	3.0	1241	2.9
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	164	3.1	178	3.1	1062	3.1	1244	3.1
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	164	3.0	178	3.0	1064	3.0	1246	3.0

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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	N	Mean
Acquiring deep knowledge in your chosen field of study	158	3.5	171	3.5	1022	3.5	1199	3.6
Writing effectively	157	3.2	169	3.2	1016	3.3	1192	3.4
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	154	3.6	166	3.6	1007	3.6	1183	3.6
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	156	3.2	168	3.3	1016	3.3	1192	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	154	3.6	166	3.6	1012	3.5	1188	3.5
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	155	3.5	167	3.6	1011	3.5	1187	3.5
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	154	3.4	166	3.4	1013	3.4	1189	3.4
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	155	3.1	167	3.1	1011	3.2	1187	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	155	3.2	167	3.2	1010	3.4	1186	3.4
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	155	3.4	167	3.4	1010	3.3	1186	3.3
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	155	3.0	167	3.0	1011	3.1	1187	3.1
Learning independently	155	3.3	167	3.4	1010	3.5	1186	3.5
Working collaboratively with others within your field	155	3.6	167	3.6	1008	3.6	1184	3.6
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	155	3.5	167	3.5	1010	3.5	1186	3.5
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	154	3.4	166	3.4	1008	3.5	1184	3.5
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	155	3.3	167	3.3	1008	3.4	1184	3.4

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Overall UW experience

<div align="right">1=Poor; 2=Fair; 3=Good; 4=Excellent</div>

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
The help you received from your graduate thesis (MA/MS graduates) or dissertation (PhD graduates) committee members	139	2.9	151	2.9	958	2.9	1123	2.9
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	158	3.4	171	3.4	1032	3.2	1209	3.2
The help you received navigating the job market	156	2.6	169	2.6	1018	2.3	1191	2.3
Your overall learning experience at the UW	161	3.5	175	3.5	1035	3.3	1212	3.3

<div align="right">1=Strongly Disagree; 2=Disagree; 3=Agree; 4=Strongly Agree</div>

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Faculty treated students respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	160	3.8	174	3.8	1037	3.6	1213	3.6
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	160	3.7	174	3.7	1036	3.6	1213	3.6
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	159	3.6	173	3.6	1029	3.5	1203	3.5
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	160	3.5	174	3.5	1036	3.4	1211	3.3

<div align="right">1=Strongly Dissatisfied; 2= Dissatisfied; 3= Satisfied; 4= Strongly Satisfied</div>

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
How satisfied are you with your overall experience at UW?	158	3.5	172	3.6	1026	3.3	1197	3.3

Current activity roster

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Software Engineer	Accolade Inc
Senior Business Analyst	Coupang
Engineering Manager	
Marketing Director	Gillespie, Shields, Durrant & Goldfarb
Sr. Product Manager - Technical	Amazon
solution architect	amazon
Manager, SMB - Client Success Management	SAP Concur
Systems Manager	Boeing Company
Customer Success Manager	Azuqua
Chief of surgery	The Everett clinic
Senior Software Engineer	Microsoft
Senior scientist	Cepheid
Program Manager	
Account Executive	Leading Technology Consulting organization
Snr Program Manager, Social & Environmental Accountability	
Program Manager	Populus Group
data analyst	Microsoft
IT Program Manager	Fortive
Senior Analytics Manager	DocuSign
Management consultant	Accenture
	Terex
Product Manager	Starbucks
Project Manager	Syneos Health
Program Manager	Amazon
Senior Financial Analyst	Yakima Valley Farm Workers Clinic
Management Consultant	Accenture
Solution Sales Profession	Microsoft
Senior supervisor	Yamaha Motor Corporation USA
Management Consultant	
Senior Analyst	Cummins
Technical Product Manager	Expedia
Purchasing Director	
	Sefnco
Business Development Manager	Amazon Web Services
Principal	
Technical delivery manager	Ericsson
Manager, Technical Program Management	Amazon.com
Senior Financial Analyst	Providence St. Joseph Health
Analyst	Costco Wholesale
Finance Manager	Starbucks Coffee Company
Vice President, Consumer Identity & Data Platforms	The Walt Disney Company
Product & Marketing Manager	Philips Healthcare
Principle Program Manager	Microsoft
VP of operations	Ames international
Chief Financial Officer	
Mechanical Engineer	The Boeing Company
Capacity Planner	Facebook

Employed Full Time or Part time	
Job title	**Employing organization**
Regional Vice-President	Alaska Airlines
AVP, IT	L'Oreal
Senior Project Manager	Talent Wave
Chief Pilot, Boeing 737NG	The Boeing Company
Program Manager	
Senior Project Manager	AECOM
Senior Program Manager	Microsoft
Product Manager	Nordstrom
Chief Financial Officer	Overlake Hospital Medical Center
Mid level management	Ryder
Marketing Manager	Amazon.com
Senior Manager Continuity of Supply	Microsoft
Data analyst	
Program manager	Apple
Senior ETL developer	LMB Mortgage services Inc.
Supply Chain Coordinator	The Gottman Institute
Senior Financial Analyst	Amazon
Sales Director	
Senior Manager	
Business Analyst	Washington Technology Industry Association
Support Engineer	Microsoft
Procurement and Supply Specialist	Washington State Department of Transportation
FP&A	Twitter
Senior Strategy and Business Design Engineer	Providence Saint Joseph Health
Senior Strategist	T-Mobile
Sr. VP, External and Student Affairs	DigiPen Institute of Technology
Associate	Point B
	PwC
Business Analyst II	Amazon
Senior product manager - technical	Amazon web services
Vice President	Guardian Fall Protection
Propulsion Design Engineer	Boeing
Data Analyst	Boeing
Product Review Engineer	Boeing
Business Planning Manager	HERE Technologies
Technical Program Manager	
Audience Marketing Manager	Microsoft
Product Manger-Technical Products	Amazon
Business Analysis Manager	
COO	iCap Equity
senior consultant	Deloitte
Director, E-Commerce	The Master Lock Company
Software Client Leader Sales	IBM
National Director of Sales	Atkore International
Associate	Artemis Connection
Senior Financial Analyst	Amazon
Product Manager	Starbucks
Business Program Manager	Microsoft
Project Manager	Starbucks Corporaton
Project Manager	

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Senior Financial Analyst	
	Pwc
Vendor Manager	Amazon
Sr. Business Analyst, Finance	T-Mobile
Sr Financial Analyst	Amazon
Business Program Manager	Microsoft
Development Project Manager	
Information Security Product Manager	Boeing
Engineering Manager	
Consultant	Slalom
Sr. Vendor Manager	Amazon
CPA	
Research Director	Blueocean Market Intelligence
Assistant Director	Liberty Mutual Insurance
Senior Business Intelligence Analyst	Avvo
IT specialist	
Group Manager	
Business Operations Manager	
Director of Data Science	Retrace Corp
Data Scientist	Ford Motor company
Consultant	
Mgr. Supply Chain Analytics	Darigold
Manager - safety & certification	
Senior Associate	CORTAC Group
Consultant	Alaska Air Group
Management Consultant	Accenture
Founder: Manager of Communications, Operations, & Social Responsibility	
Industrial engineer	Boeing
Supply Chain Manager	Accenture
	Intellectual Ventures
Management consultant	
Project Manager, Senior Analyst	Avanade
Lead Design Engineer	
senior financial strategist	New Alchemy
IT Risk Consultant	Teleion Consulting
Engineer	
Senior Production Analyst	CBRE
	Seattle City Light
Analyst	
Program Manager	Aerojet Rocketdyne
Manager	Boeing Company
consultant	ernst and young
Senior Director of Finance	Rational Interaction
Account Technology Strategist (Software Sales)	Microsoft
systems engineering manager	
VP Branch Manager	Fidelity Investments
Speaker, Principle	
Director, Computational Biology	Adaptive Biotechnologies
Sr. Manufacturing Engineer	

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Management Trainee	Danone
Associate Director for Research	
Supply chain specialist	The Boeing Company
Consultant	The Boston Consulting Group
Sr. Program Manager	Amazon
Engineering Operations Manager	PACCAR Inc - Kenworth Truck Company

Enrolled in Educational Program

Program of study	Institution
PhD in marketing	University of Washington