

UW Alumni Survey Results
2017-2018 UNDERGRADUATE Degree Recipients

Nursing Program All Professional UW Bothell

Graduates Surveyed						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	272	100%	1239	100%	1705	100%
Women	234	86%	629	51%	897	53%
Men	38	14%	610	49%	808	47%
African American	42	15%	90	7%	124	7%
American Indian	2	1%	14	1%	19	1%
Asian American	85	31%	374	30%	495	29%
Caucasian	116	43%	544	44%	740	43%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	5	2%	17	1%	27	2%
Hispanic/Latino	18	7%	77	6%	116	7%
Other/Not Indicated	4	1%	123	10%	184	11%
International	0	0%	146	12%	217	13%
Survey Response Rates						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	69	25%	304	25%	412	24%
Women	56	81%	156	51%	223	54%
Men	13	19%	148	49%	189	46%
African American	10	14%	17	6%	26	6%
American Indian	1	1%	4	1%	7	2%
Asian American	23	33%	100	33%	124	30%
Caucasian	27	39%	144	47%	199	48%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	4	1%	4	1%
Hispanic/Latino	7	10%	18	6%	26	6%
Other/Not Indicated	1	1%	17	6%	26	6%
International	0	0%	21	7%	30	7%
Current Status						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	53	77%	211	69%	262	64%
Employed for pay part time	7	10%	22	7%	37	9%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	0	0%	1	0%	5	1%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	3	4%	17	6%	24	6%
Planning to continue education	3	4%	13	4%	18	4%
Seeking employment	2	3%	28	9%	43	10%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%
Other	1	1%	10	3%	20	5%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	55	96%	214	94%	267	92%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	1	0%	3	1%
Temporary/contract work assignment	2	4%	8	4%	15	5%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	2	1%	2	1%
Other	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%

Career related

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	53	93%	195	87%	241	84%
No	4	7%	30	13%	47	16%

Job location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	50	88%	190	85%	251	88%
Other Washington	2	4%	12	5%	13	5%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	1	2%	1	0%	1	0%
California, Hawaii	1	2%	4	2%	4	1%
Mountain states	0	0%	1	0%	1	0%
Central states	2	4%	6	3%	6	2%
Eastern states	1	2%	4	2%	5	2%
International	0	0%	5	2%	5	2%

Type of employer

	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	17	31%	146	69%	172	64%
Non-profit/NGO	18	33%	27	13%	39	14%
Government	17	31%	33	16%	49	18%
Other	2	4%	6	3%	9	3%

Search time (weeks)

	N					
	19		114		143	
Mean	5.7		9.5		9.5	
SD	6		9		9	
Range	0 24		0 50		0 50	

Salary

	N					
	44		164		200	
Mean	56,825		58,110		56,066	
SD	17,160		22,280		22,225	
Range	25,000 100,000		10,500 120,000		10,500 120,000	

First year bonus

	N					
	5		42		52	
Mean	10,107		10,803		9,716	
SD	16,782		13,832		12,753	
Range	1,000 40,000		200 65,000		200 65,000	

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	1	100%	3	75%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	1	25%
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%	2	14%	2	10%
Associate (AA/AS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor (BA/BS)	0	0%	1	7%	1	5%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	0	0%	4	29%	9	43%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	1	7%	1	5%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	2	100%	3	21%	3	14%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	3	21%	4	19%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	2	100%	8	57%	13	62%
Other Washington	0	0%	1	7%	1	5%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	1	7%	1	5%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	1	5%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	2	14%	2	10%
International	0	0%	2	14%	3	14%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	64	100%	265	94%	358	94%
No	0	0%	16	6%	24	6%

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 at least one field of study	60	3.1	267	3.2	362	3.2
Writing effectively	60	3.2	267	3.1	362	3.1
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	60	3.2	267	3.1	362	3.2
Thinking critically and analytically, defining and solving problems	60	3.2	267	3.3	362	3.3
Creating something new (for example, art, a performance, an object, ideas, or processes)	60	2.9	267	2.9	362	2.9
Gathering information, conducting research	60	3.3	267	3.2	362	3.3
Quantitative reasoning	60	3.0	267	3.2	362	3.1
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	60	3.3	266	3.1	361	3.2
Working and learning independently	60	3.2	267	3.2	362	3.3
Working and learning in a team	60	3.3	267	3.3	361	3.3
Taking on leadership roles inside or outside of the classroom	60	3.1	267	3.0	362	3.0
Understanding ethical practice(s) in at least one field	60	3.4	265	3.2	360	3.2
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	60	3.0	266	3.0	361	3.0
Using specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials relevant to your field(s) of study	60	2.7	267	3.0	362	2.9
Developing skills and attitudes that foster lifelong learning	60	3.1	267	3.1	362	3.1
Developing career interests and habits for success in the workplace	59	2.9	265	3.0	360	3.0
Understanding more about who you are	60	2.9	266	2.9	361	3.0
Finding a direction you'd like to pursue	60	2.8	267	2.9	362	2.9
Understanding and practicing civic engagement, social responsibility	60	3.3	266	2.9	361	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
Acquiring deep knowledge in at least one field of study	52	3.4	244	3.5	335	3.4
Writing effectively	51	3.4	243	3.3	334	3.3
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	51	3.5	241	3.6	332	3.6
Thinking critically and analytically, defining and solving problems	51	3.6	239	3.7	330	3.6
Creating something new (for example, art, a performance, an object, ideas, or processes)	51	3.2	240	3.2	331	3.2
Gathering information, conducting research	50	3.3	239	3.3	330	3.3
Quantitative reasoning	51	3.4	240	3.4	331	3.3
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	49	3.7	238	3.3	328	3.3
Working and learning independently	51	3.6	240	3.6	330	3.5
Working and learning in a team	51	3.8	240	3.7	330	3.5
Taking on leadership roles inside or outside of the classroom	51	3.4	240	3.3	331	3.3
Understanding ethical practice(s) in at least one field	51	3.6	240	3.3	331	3.3
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	51	3.5	239	3.4	329	3.3
Using specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials relevant to your field(s) of study	51	3.3	240	3.4	331	3.3
Developing skills and attitudes that foster lifelong learning	50	3.4	237	3.5	328	3.5
Developing career interests and habits for success in the workplace	51	3.5	240	3.6	331	3.5
Understanding more about who you are	51	3.3	240	3.3	330	3.3
Finding a direction you'd like to pursue	51	3.5	239	3.5	330	3.4
Understanding and practicing civic engagement, social responsibility	51	3.4	240	3.1	330	3.2

Number of completed faculty-mentored research projects

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	18	37%	86	35%	131	39%
One	14	29%	80	33%	99	30%
Two	12	24%	46	19%	53	16%
Three or more	5	10%	32	13%	50	15%

Number of completed internships

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	38	78%	146	59%	206	61%
One	8	16%	76	31%	97	29%
Two	3	6%	20	8%	25	7%
Three or more	0	0%	4	2%	7	2%

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Number of completed service-learning projects

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	15	31%	167	69%	211	64%
One	21	44%	49	20%	69	21%
Two	6	13%	14	6%	32	10%
Three or more	6	13%	13	5%	20	6%

Importance to current employment

(Participated in 1 or more projects/internships and currently employed)
1=Not at all; 2=Somewhat; 3=Moderately; 4=Very

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Faculty-sponsored research project(s)	24	3.0	109	3.1	135	3.1
Internship(s)	9	3.1	77	3.5	97	3.5
Service-learning project(s)	27	3.0	57	3.1	82	3.1

Overall UW experience

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

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
What you learned from co-curricular activities, such as study abroad, service learning, and participation in special UW programs, clubs, and organizations	50	3.0	241	2.6	331	2.6
The help you received from academic advisers before you were formally admitted to your major	49	3.1	242	2.7	332	2.8
The help you received from academic advisers in your academic department	49	3.2	245	3.0	335	3.0
The help you received from your outside-class interactions with faculty/Tas	51	3.0	246	3.0	336	3.1
Your overall learning experience at the UW	51	3.3	246	3.2	336	3.2

1=Strongly Disagree; 2=Disagree; 3=Agree; 4=Strongly Agree

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Faculty and teaching assistants treated students respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, or country of origin.	51	3.6	248	3.6	338	3.6
Students in my program treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, or country of origin.	51	3.8	248	3.6	338	3.5
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	51	3.6	248	3.6	339	3.6
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	51	3.6	248	3.5	339	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?	48	3.5	239	3.3	327	3.3

Current activity roster

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Registered Nurse UWMC	University of Washington Medical Center Law offices of deacon Zhang
Career counselor	
BSN RN Case Manager	
RN	Providence
Substitute Teacher	
Registered Nurse	Swedish Medical Center
RN	UW
Pharmacy technician	
Patient Services Coordinator	
Registered Nurse	International Community Health Services and Kaiser Permanente
RN	
Registered Nurse	
RN	Swedish hospital
Orthopedic floor nurse	PRMCE
Registered Nurse	Providence Health and Services
RN	
Registered Nurse	
Marketing Assistant	Portland Plastic Surgery Group
RN	
House administrator and staff nurse	Alliance Nursing
Front Desk/Patient Care Coordinator	SageMED
Registered Nurse	Providence Regional Medical Center Everett Providence Regional Medical Center Everett
Registered Nurse	Providence Regional Medical Center
Registered Nurse 2	University of Washington Medical Center
Assistant Nurse Manager/Educator	University of Washington Medical Center
Medical assistant	University of Washington
Nurse	
Inpatient RN	Virginia Mason
Emergency Department RN	Swedish Cherry Hill Virginia Mason medical center
Teacher	Bright Horizons
Registered Nurse	Overlake Hospital
Patient Service Representative	Swedish
RN	Harborview Medical Center
RN	
program manager	UWB
Certified Nursing Assistant	Seattle Children's Hospital
Staff nurse	UW Medicine Northwest Hospital
registered nurse	
RN	Overlake Hospital Medical center
Registered Nurse	Northwest Hospital
Rn	Healtheast
Counseling Services Coordinator	University of Washington Math Science Upward Bound
Medical Assistant	Swedish Medical Group

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
PSS	UWMC
Behavior Technician	MindSource Center
Medical reception	Community health center
Medical receptionist	EvergreenHealth
	Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center
Political Associate	
RN, BSN	

Enrolled in Educational Program

Program of study	Institution
Nursing	University of Washington
	University of Washington