

## UW Alumni Survey Results 2017-2018 MASTERS Degree Recipients

Business Administration      Foster School Of Business      All Professional      UW Seattle

### Graduates Surveyed

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	515	100%	595	100%	3359	100%	3923	100%
Women	198	38%	239	40%	1822	54%	2110	54%
Men	317	62%	356	60%	1537	46%	1813	46%
African American	7	1%	8	1%	118	4%	133	3%
American Indian	5	1%	5	1%	37	1%	44	1%
Asian American	85	17%	106	18%	483	14%	536	14%
Caucasian	231	45%	273	46%	1711	51%	2033	52%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	0%	2	0%	21	1%	22	1%
Hispanic/Latino	24	5%	26	4%	225	7%	249	6%
Other/Not Indicated	162	31%	175	29%	764	23%	906	23%
International	147	29%	158	27%	706	21%	839	21%

### Survey Response Rates

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	191	37%	208	35%	1139	34%	1330	34%
Women	77	40%	83	40%	640	56%	745	56%
Men	114	60%	125	60%	499	44%	585	44%
African American	2	1%	2	1%	41	4%	45	3%
American Indian	2	1%	2	1%	17	1%	20	2%
Asian American	33	17%	36	17%	158	14%	171	13%
Caucasian	92	48%	101	49%	606	53%	732	55%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	1%	1	0%	9	1%	10	1%
Hispanic/Latino	12	6%	13	6%	79	7%	84	6%
Other/Not Indicated	49	26%	53	25%	229	20%	268	20%
International	45	24%	48	23%	215	19%	251	19%

### Current Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	171	90%	188	90%	889	78%	971	73%
Employed for pay part time	1	1%	1	0%	45	4%	65	5%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	1	1%	1	0%	7	1%	7	1%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	0	0%	6	1%	9	1%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	3	2%	3	1%	65	6%	116	9%
Planning to continue education	0	0%	0	0%	8	1%	9	1%
Seeking employment	9	5%	9	4%	78	7%	98	7%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	2	1%	2	1%	11	1%	15	1%
Other	4	2%	4	2%	30	3%	40	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	151	92%	167	93%	791	88%	862	87%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	3	2%	3	2%	9	1%	11	1%
Temporary/contract work assignment	3	2%	3	2%	28	3%	33	3%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	2	0%	4	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	20	2%	23	2%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	7	1%	7	1%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	10	1%	19	2%
Other	7	4%	7	4%	31	3%	35	4%

**Career related**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	154	94%	170	94%	853	95%	936	95%
No	10	6%	10	6%	41	5%	53	5%

**Job location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	131	80%	142	79%	623	70%	677	68%
Other Washington	3	2%	3	2%	40	4%	44	4%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	6	4%	6	3%	34	4%	36	4%
California, Hawaii	11	7%	15	8%	72	8%	77	8%
Mountain states	1	1%	1	1%	17	2%	20	2%
Central states	4	2%	4	2%	26	3%	32	3%
Eastern states	2	1%	3	2%	47	5%	61	6%
International	5	3%	5	3%	37	4%	44	4%

**Type of employer**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	141	93%	157	93%	441	52%	478	51%
Non-profit/NGO	4	3%	4	2%	148	18%	158	17%
Government	6	4%	6	4%	227	27%	263	28%
Other	1	1%	1	1%	25	3%	30	3%

**Search time (weeks)**

	N		N		N		N	
	82		92		494		536	
Mean	13.0		12.1		10.9		10.8	
SD	12		12		10		10	
Range	0 52		0 52		0 52		0 52	

**Salary**

	N		N		N		N	
	133		147		664		719	
Mean	123,859		117,737		85,176		84,660	
SD	47,179		48,720		47,701		49,771	
Range	48,000 465,000		48,000 465,000		13,000 500,000		13,000 500,000	

**First year bonus**

	N		N		N		N	
	65		69		167		175	
Mean	36,535		34,598		23,173		22,900	
SD	39,563		39,182		47,748		46,775	
Range	2,000 248,000		500 248,000		100 500,000		100 500,000	

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	1	100%	1	100%	3	43%	3	43%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	1	14%	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%	1	14%	1	14%
International	0	0%	0	0%	2	29%	2	29%

**Serving in the US Military****Service branch**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Air Force	0	0%	0	0%	3	50%	4	44%
Army	0	0%	0	0%	1	17%	3	33%
Coast Guard	0	0%	0	0%	1	17%	1	11%
Marine Corps	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Navy	0	0%	0	0%	1	17%	1	11%

**Status**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Active duty	0	0%	0	0%	6	100%	9	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%	0	0%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	1	33%	1	33%	3	5%	5	5%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	1	33%	1	33%	49	79%	93	85%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	1	33%	1	33%	8	13%	9	8%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

**School location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	3	100%	3	100%	51	85%	88	83%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	4	7%	6	6%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	2	3%	3	3%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	3	5%	6	6%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	146	82%	159	83%	900	85%	1048	84%
No	31	18%	33	17%	165	15%	194	16%

**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	167	3.1	182	3.2	1011	3.3	1181	3.3
Writing effectively	167	2.7	182	2.8	1004	2.9	1174	2.9
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	167	3.3	182	3.3	1009	3.0	1177	3.0
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	167	3.1	182	3.1	1008	3.2	1177	3.2
Identifying important questions in your field	167	3.3	182	3.3	1009	3.3	1178	3.3
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	167	3.2	182	3.2	1008	3.1	1176	3.1
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	167	3.2	182	3.2	1007	3.0	1176	3.0
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	167	2.9	182	2.9	1008	2.9	1177	2.9
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	167	3.1	182	3.1	1007	3.1	1175	3.0
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	167	3.3	182	3.3	1006	3.0	1175	3.0
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	167	2.6	182	2.6	1005	2.7	1174	2.6
Learning independently	166	3.1	181	3.1	1003	3.2	1172	3.2
Working collaboratively with others within your field	167	3.4	182	3.4	1005	3.3	1174	3.2
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	167	3.3	181	3.3	1005	3.0	1174	2.9
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	166	3.4	181	3.4	1004	3.2	1173	3.2
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	166	3.3	181	3.3	1006	3.0	1175	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	155	3.4	170	3.4	966	3.5	1124	3.5
Writing effectively	155	3.3	170	3.3	963	3.4	1121	3.4
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	155	3.7	170	3.7	963	3.6	1121	3.5
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	154	3.1	169	3.2	958	3.3	1115	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	154	3.5	169	3.5	957	3.5	1115	3.4
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	154	3.5	169	3.5	957	3.5	1115	3.5
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	153	3.5	167	3.5	955	3.5	1113	3.5
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	154	3.1	168	3.1	954	3.3	1111	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	154	3.3	168	3.3	956	3.4	1113	3.4
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	154	3.4	168	3.4	952	3.2	1109	3.2
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	154	3.1	168	3.1	955	3.2	1112	3.2
Learning independently	154	3.5	168	3.5	954	3.5	1111	3.5
Working collaboratively with others within your field	154	3.7	168	3.7	955	3.7	1111	3.7
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	154	3.7	168	3.6	955	3.6	1113	3.6
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	154	3.5	168	3.5	955	3.6	1112	3.5
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	154	3.5	168	3.5	955	3.4	1113	3.4

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**Overall UW experience**

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

	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	135	3.0	148	3.0	909	2.9	1060	2.9
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	153	3.5	168	3.5	974	3.2	1134	3.2
The help you received navigating the job market	153	2.8	167	2.8	963	2.3	1117	2.3
Your overall learning experience at the UW	155	3.5	170	3.5	982	3.2	1142	3.2

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

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Faculty treated students respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	155	3.8	170	3.8	980	3.5	1141	3.5
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	155	3.7	170	3.7	980	3.5	1141	3.5
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	154	3.6	169	3.6	976	3.4	1136	3.4
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	155	3.6	170	3.6	981	3.3	1142	3.3

1=Strongly Dissatisfied; 2= Dissatisfied; 3= Satisfied; 4= Strongly Satisfied

	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
How satisfied are you with your overall experience at UW?	155	3.5	170	3.5	972	3.3	1128	3.2

## Current activity roster

## Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Technical Program Manager	Tableau
Finance Manager	Nike
Senior Technical Product Manager	T-Mobile
Principal engineer	Oracle
Sr Software Engineer	
Senior Manager Facilities Engineering	Dexcom
Senior Program Manager	Boeing
Game Operation	Tencent
Controller	
Program manager	
Senior Tax Accountant	Nordstrom
Support Engineer	
business analyst	Zulily
Senior Analyst - Product Strategy	Clara
Sr.Sdet	
Integrator Analyst	Boeing
Software engineer	
Assistant Director Content Strategy and Business Operations	University of Washington
Data Scientist	Oracle America Inc.
Sales	NHL Seattle
Operations Manager	
Senior Platform Manager	Adobe
Principal	
Engineer	
Sr. Product Manager	Amazon
Marketing Specialist	Turner Construction
Technical Product Manager	F5 Networks
Product Manager	
Commander US Army	US Army
Senior Program Manager	Microsoft
Consultant	
ERP Administrator	NxEdge
Partner Marketing Manager	Microsoft
Commercial Account Manager	Convoy
Vice president of finance	
Director	
Partner Success Manager	Azuqua
Senior software engineer	
Director of Mergers and Acquisitions	Reddy Ice Corporation
Consultant	
Finance Manager	Nike
Senior Product Manager, Technical	
PMM	Microsoft
Technical Program Manager	Tableau
Insights Manager	
Senior Research Analyst	Kosmos Management
Advisory Consultant	Deloitte

## Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Performance Marketing Associate	New Engen
Pathways Operations Manager	Amazon
Senior Program Manager	Microsoft Corporation
Director, Athlete Development	IRONMAN
Information Systems Manager	
Technical Delivery Manager and Resource Manager	Tata America International
Sr. manager	
Operations Manager	
Budget administrator	Ahcccs
Vice President & General Manager	
Senior Analyst	tech company
	Terex
Senior Financial Analyst II	SAP Concur
Center director	
Supply Chain Associate	Olympic Foundry Inc.
Supply Chain Planner	Bio-Rad
	Boeing Russia
Product Marketing Manager	Microsoft
Senior Financial Analyst	
marketing manager	philips
Senior Brand Manager	Vitasoy International Inc.
Manager, Business Development	Nucor Skyline
Sr. Advisor, marketing operations	Dell EMC
Product Marketing Manager	Salesforce
Sr. Product Manager	
Managing Director	Huron Consulting Group
Senior Associate	PwC
Product Marketing Manager	
	Trident Seafoods Corp
Business Consultant	
Managing Director	Alaska Airlines
Senior Associate	AG Consulting Partners
Business Analysis Manager	Starbucks Coffee Corporation
IT Architect	Boeing
Manager, Operations	WPP
Diversity & Inclusion Coordinator	
Senior Director, Portfolio Strategy and Management	
Engineering Manager	
Product Manager	
General Manager	Yesler Inc.
Senior Program Manager	Amazon Web Services
Configuration Management Engineer	Nintendo of America
	Collins Aerospace
Senior Product Manager	Microsoft
Agency Development Manager	Google LLC
Director of Services and Infrastructure	Bungie
Performance Marketing Manager	New Engen Inc.
Cloud Transformation Specialist	Microsoft US
	Microsoft
Senior Product Manager	Amazon

**Employed Full Time or Part time**

<b>Job title</b>	<b>Employing organization</b>
Consultant	
Manager of Payer Economics	Seattle Cancer Care Alliance
Finance Manager	Microsoft
Business Program Manager	Microsoft Corporation
Senior Financial Analyst	Nordstrom
Project Manager	Boeing
Senior Product Manager	Amazon
	Amazon
Strategy & Operations Manager	Zillow Group
Senior Consultant	
Business analytics specialist	
Program Operations Analyst	University of Washington
Structural Analysis Engineer	Boeing
	JE Cumming Corporation
Account Manager	
Technical Program Manager	
Private Wealth Advisor	
Product Manager	
Copywriter	
Vice President	MII Properties
Senior Brand Specialist	Amazon
Founder	
Business analyst	Amazon
Senior Financial Analyst	
Lead Supplier Recovery Specialist	Honeywell
Sr. Product Manager - Technical	Amazon Web Services
Principle Consultant	
Ocean Engineer	Glosten, Inc.
Systems Integrator	Boeing
Consultant	West Monroe Partners
Regional Marketing Director	Simpson Housing
Business Development Specialist	Boeing
Sr Engineer	T-Mobile
Consumer Product Manager	
Product Marketing Manager	Microsoft
Senior Engineer	T-Mobile
Associate	
HR Generalist	Young's Market Company
Product Manager	Amazon.com
Senior partner account manager	Porch
Product Marketing Manager	Tableau Software
Sr Director, Programs	Aviation Technical Services
Product Manager	F5 Networks
Chief Administrative Officer/ Chief Financial Officer	
	Radiant Global Logistics
Senior Product Manager	Nike
Program Manager	
Senior Financial Analyst	Amazon
Senior Consultant - Healthcare Management Consulting	ECG Management Consultants
Senior Financial Analyst	Starbucks

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<b>Job title</b>	<b>Employing organization</b>
Inventory Planner	T-Mobile
Management Consultant, Senior Associate Planner	PricewaterhouseCoopers
Estimating and Pricing Specialist	Western Pneumatic Tube Company
Lead Accountant	The Boeing Company
Senior Product Manager	World Vision International
Sr. Program Manager	Amazon
	Amazon

**Participating in a Volunteer or Service Program**

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Role or job title</b>
St. Joseph Catholic Church Issaquah	Youth Ministry Volunteer

**Enrolled in Educational Program**

<b>Program of study</b>	<b>Institution</b>
Accounting	University of Washington
	UW Foster MSIS
Information Systems	University of Washington