

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

Division Of Culture,    Arts & Sciences    UW Tacoma  
Art And Comm

<b>Graduates Surveyed</b>						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	145	100%	561	100%	1409	100%
Women	93	64%	345	61%	774	55%
Men	52	36%	216	39%	635	45%
African American	20	14%	58	10%	134	10%
American Indian	1	1%	5	1%	24	2%
Asian American	30	21%	91	16%	320	23%
Caucasian	60	41%	279	50%	635	45%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	5	3%	15	3%	29	2%
Hispanic/Latino	16	11%	75	13%	176	12%
Other/Not Indicated	13	9%	38	7%	91	6%
International	11	8%	32	6%	80	6%
<b>Survey Response Rates</b>						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	30	21%	122	22%	303	22%
Women	22	73%	84	69%	177	58%
Men	8	27%	38	31%	126	42%
African American	2	7%	9	7%	27	9%
American Indian	0	0%	1	1%	2	1%
Asian American	8	27%	22	18%	67	22%
Caucasian	11	37%	62	51%	149	49%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	3	2%	5	2%
Hispanic/Latino	7	23%	21	17%	39	13%
Other/Not Indicated	2	7%	4	3%	14	5%
International	1	3%	4	3%	12	4%
<b>Current Status</b>						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	17	57%	63	52%	185	61%
Employed for pay part time	5	17%	13	11%	19	6%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	1	3%	3	2%	3	1%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	1	3%	18	15%	34	11%
Planning to continue education	1	3%	4	3%	7	2%
Seeking employment	2	7%	14	11%	36	12%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	1	3%	3	2%	5	2%
Other	2	7%	4	3%	14	5%

Division Of Culture,  
Art And Comm

Arts &amp; Sciences

UW Tacoma

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	18	90%	64	88%	175	88%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	0	0%	3	2%
Temporary/contract work assignment	1	5%	5	7%	10	5%
Freelance	0	0%	1	1%	1	1%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	1	5%	1	1%	4	2%
Other	0	0%	2	3%	5	3%

**Career related**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	11	55%	43	59%	153	78%
No	9	45%	30	41%	44	22%

**Job location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	17	85%	62	87%	166	85%
Other Washington	0	0%	5	7%	15	8%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	1	5%	1	1%	3	2%
California, Hawaii	2	10%	2	3%	4	2%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%
Eastern states	0	0%	1	1%	3	2%
International	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%

**Type of employer**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	7	35%	29	42%	98	54%
Non-profit/NGO	4	20%	11	16%	26	14%
Government	6	30%	26	38%	50	27%
Other	3	15%	3	4%	9	5%

**Search time (weeks)**

	N					
		10	31	105		
Mean		10.2	8.5	8.6		
SD		8	8	9		
Range		2 28	0 28	0 52		

**Salary**

	N					
		14	48	134		
Mean		39,423	43,128	57,690		
SD		18,785	19,976	37,885		
Range		24,000 100,000	15,000 110,000	12,000 400,000		

Division Of Culture,  
Art And Comm

Arts &amp; Sciences

UW Tacoma

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	2	67%	2	67%
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	1	100%	1	33%	1	33%

**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%	1	3%
Associate (AA/AS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor (BA/BS)	0	0%	2	13%	2	6%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	1	100%	10	63%	22	69%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	2	13%	3	9%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	1	6%	1	3%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	1	6%	1	3%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

**School location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	1	100%	13	87%	29	94%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	1	7%	1	3%
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%	1	7%	1	3%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

Division Of Culture,  
Art And Comm

Arts &amp; Sciences

UW Tacoma

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	26	96%	109	98%	272	97%
No	1	4%	2	2%	8	3%

**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	27	2.8	109	3.2	268	3.3
Writing effectively	27	3.4	107	3.3	266	3.1
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	27	3.1	108	3.2	267	3.1
Thinking critically and analytically, defining and solving problems	27	3.3	108	3.5	268	3.4
Creating something new (for example, art, a performance, an object, ideas, or processes)	27	3.1	108	2.9	268	2.9
Gathering information, conducting research	27	3.4	108	3.4	267	3.3
Quantitative reasoning	27	2.6	107	2.9	267	3.1
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	27	3.4	108	3.4	266	3.2
Working and learning independently	27	3.5	107	3.4	267	3.4
Working and learning in a team	27	3.1	107	3.3	267	3.4
Taking on leadership roles inside or outside of the classroom	27	2.7	107	2.9	267	3.0
Understanding ethical practice(s) in at least one field	27	3.0	108	3.1	268	3.2
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	27	3.0	107	3.1	267	2.9
Using specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials relevant to your field(s) of study	27	2.4	108	2.6	268	2.9
Developing skills and attitudes that foster lifelong learning	27	3.1	108	3.2	268	3.2
Developing career interests and habits for success in the workplace	27	3.0	107	3.1	267	3.1
Understanding more about who you are	27	3.3	107	3.2	268	3.0
Finding a direction you'd like to pursue	27	3.0	109	3.0	270	3.0
Understanding and practicing civic engagement, social responsibility	27	3.1	108	3.1	268	2.9

Division Of Culture,  
Art And Comm

Arts &amp; Sciences

UW Tacoma

**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	26	3.5	107	3.5	261	3.5
Writing effectively	26	3.3	105	3.5	256	3.4
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	26	3.5	106	3.6	258	3.6
Thinking critically and analytically, defining and solving problems	26	3.6	106	3.7	258	3.7
Creating something new (for example, art, a performance, an object, ideas, or processes)	26	3.1	106	3.2	258	3.1
Gathering information, conducting research	26	3.1	105	3.4	256	3.3
Quantitative reasoning	26	2.8	106	3.1	258	3.2
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	26	3.5	105	3.6	256	3.4
Working and learning independently	26	3.6	106	3.6	258	3.6
Working and learning in a team	26	3.4	105	3.6	256	3.6
Taking on leadership roles inside or outside of the classroom	26	3.3	105	3.4	257	3.4
Understanding ethical practice(s) in at least one field	26	3.5	106	3.4	257	3.4
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	26	3.3	105	3.4	255	3.3
Using specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials relevant to your field(s) of study	26	2.8	105	3.2	257	3.3
Developing skills and attitudes that foster lifelong learning	26	3.4	105	3.5	256	3.5
Developing career interests and habits for success in the workplace	25	3.4	103	3.5	254	3.6
Understanding more about who you are	26	3.3	105	3.4	257	3.3
Finding a direction you'd like to pursue	26	3.4	105	3.5	257	3.4
Understanding and practicing civic engagement, social responsibility	26	3.4	105	3.4	256	3.3

**Number of completed faculty-mentored research projects**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	10	38%	37	36%	105	42%
One	7	27%	34	33%	66	26%
Two	2	8%	13	13%	43	17%
Three or more	7	27%	20	19%	39	15%

**Number of completed internships**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	16	62%	66	63%	138	54%
One	8	31%	29	28%	87	34%
Two	2	8%	5	5%	24	9%
Three or more	0	0%	4	4%	6	2%

	Division Of Culture, Art And Comm		Arts & Sciences		UW Tacoma	
<b>Number of completed service-learning projects</b>						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	21	81%	69	67%	163	65%
One	3	12%	21	20%	55	22%
Two	1	4%	10	10%	18	7%
Three or more	1	4%	3	3%	16	6%
<b>Importance to current employment</b>	(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)	12	3.1	45	3.1	104	2.9
Internship(s)	7	3.6	27	3.3	82	3.5
Service-learning project(s)	3	3.0	19	3.2	55	3.0
<b>Overall UW experience</b>	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	26	2.8	105	2.7	251	2.6
The help you received from academic advisers before you were formally admitted to your major	26	3.1	106	2.8	258	2.8
The help you received from academic advisers in your academic department	26	3.2	106	3.1	259	3.2
The help you received from your outside-class interactions with faculty/Tas	26	3.1	106	3.2	259	3.1
Your overall learning experience at the UW	26	3.3	105	3.4	259	3.3
	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.	26	3.5	105	3.6	258	3.6
Students in my program treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, or country of origin.	26	3.5	106	3.6	259	3.6
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	26	3.5	106	3.5	259	3.5
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	26	3.4	106	3.5	260	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?	25	3.4	103	3.4	254	3.4

## Current activity roster

### Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
AVID Tutor	Tacoma Public Schools
Recruiter	Oxford Global Resources
Patient Care Technician emergency sub Tacoma schools	
Guest services	Hilton
marketing coordinator and digital designer	
Paraeducator	
Inside Sales Agent	Gofu yself
Service rep	Smith western
Repair Liaison	Jared the Galleria of Jewelry
Enrollment Services Specialist	Cloverpark Technical College
Server	Umai Bento
Recruiting Specialist	
Merch	Pepsico
Media Director	CREEKSIDE CHURCH
Program Assistant	University of Washington Tacoma
Print Coordinator	
Staffing Coordinator	CareerStaff
Administrative Assistant	YMCA
Administrative Assistant	YMCA
Program Assistant	

### Participating in a Volunteer or Service Program

Organization	Role or job title
International Justice Mission	Communications Intern

### Enrolled in Educational Program

Program of study	Institution
Masters in Education	University of Washington Tacoma