

UW Alumni Survey Results

2018-2019 MASTERS Degree Recipients

Art

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Graduates Surveyed

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	28	100%	65	100%	598	100%	4055	100%
Women	15	54%	38	58%	303	51%	2200	54%
Men	13	46%	27	42%	295	49%	1855	46%
African American	0	0%	2	3%	14	2%	148	4%
American Indian	1	4%	1	2%	12	2%	54	1%
Asian American	2	7%	2	3%	70	12%	615	15%
Caucasian	20	71%	47	72%	307	51%	2020	50%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	4%	1	2%	4	1%	28	1%
Hispanic/Latino	1	4%	5	8%	30	5%	242	6%
Other/Not Indicated	3	11%	7	11%	161	27%	948	23%
International	2	7%	5	8%	149	25%	885	22%

Survey Response Rates

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	8	29%	20	31%	179	30%	1332	33%
Women	7	88%	16	80%	85	47%	741	56%
Men	1	13%	4	20%	94	53%	591	44%
African American	0	0%	0	0%	5	3%	43	3%
American Indian	1	13%	1	5%	5	3%	14	1%
Asian American	1	13%	1	5%	22	12%	210	16%
Caucasian	4	50%	14	70%	102	57%	717	54%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%	8	1%
Hispanic/Latino	1	13%	2	10%	7	4%	70	5%
Other/Not Indicated	1	13%	2	10%	37	21%	270	20%
International	0	0%	1	5%	32	18%	244	18%

Current Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	2	25%	8	40%	100	56%	988	74%
Employed for pay part time	2	25%	7	35%	20	11%	81	6%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%	5	0%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%	14	1%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	1	13%	1	5%	34	19%	108	8%
Planning to continue education	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	4	0%
Seeking employment	2	25%	3	15%	19	11%	97	7%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	9	1%
Other	1	13%	1	5%	4	2%	26	2%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	1	25%	4	27%	89	78%	925	89%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	1	7%	4	4%	9	1%
Temporary/contract work assignment	1	25%	2	13%	6	5%	47	5%
Freelance	1	25%	4	27%	4	4%	5	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%	18	2%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	1	7%	2	2%	6	1%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%	16	2%
Other	1	25%	3	20%	6	5%	14	1%

Career related

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	4	100%	14	93%	98	85%	980	94%
No	0	0%	1	7%	17	15%	58	6%

Job location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	4	100%	9	60%	75	66%	726	70%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	36	3%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	1	7%	3	3%	25	2%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	6	5%	69	7%
Mountain states	0	0%	2	13%	5	4%	21	2%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	7	6%	32	3%
Eastern states	0	0%	3	20%	7	6%	67	6%
International	0	0%	0	0%	11	10%	57	6%

Type of employer

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	1	50%	1	14%	55	55%	539	54%
Non-profit/NGO	0	0%	2	29%	14	14%	150	15%
Government	0	0%	2	29%	25	25%	282	28%
Other	1	50%	2	29%	6	6%	20	2%

Search time (weeks)

N	1	5	54	550
Mean	10.0	14.0	11.6	10.9
SD		5	11	10
Range	10 10	10 21	0 52	0 52

Salary

N	1	4	73	761
Mean	75,000	47,750	77,707	84,446
SD		18,464	53,213	43,568
Range	75,000 75,000	35,000 75,000	13,414 400,000	10,000 450,000

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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%	1	100%	3	75%
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%	0	0%	0	0%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	25%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

Serving in the US Military**Service branch**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Air Force	0	0%	0	0%	1	100%	4	31%
Army	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	4	31%
Coast Guard	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Marine Corps	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	8%
Navy	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	4	31%

Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Active duty	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	13	93%
Reserve	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
National Guard	0	0%	0	0%	1	100%	1	7%

Enrolled in Educational Program**Degree program**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Certificate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	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	0	0%	0	0%	1	3%	9	9%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	1	100%	1	100%	32	97%	87	86%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	0	0%	24	77%	75	77%
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%	3	10%	4	4%
Mountain states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	2	2%
Eastern states	1	100%	1	100%	3	10%	12	12%
International	0	0%	0	0%	1	3%	3	3%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	8	100%	19	95%	142	84%	1054	84%
No	0	0%	1	5%	28	16%	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	7	3.7	19	3.6	160	3.6	1177	3.4
Writing effectively	8	2.8	20	2.8	161	3.1	1174	3.0
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	8	3.1	20	3.1	161	3.0	1173	3.0
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	8	3.1	20	3.1	161	3.3	1174	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	8	2.6	20	3.0	161	3.3	1175	3.3
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	8	2.8	20	2.9	161	3.2	1174	3.2
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	8	3.4	20	3.3	161	3.2	1174	3.1
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	8	3.0	20	3.0	160	3.1	1172	3.0
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	8	2.4	20	2.3	161	3.0	1173	3.1
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	7	2.0	19	2.2	160	3.1	1170	3.1
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	8	2.4	20	2.8	161	2.8	1173	2.7
Learning independently	8	3.6	20	3.7	161	3.5	1168	3.3
Working collaboratively with others within your field	7	3.0	19	3.4	160	3.2	1170	3.3
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	8	2.6	20	2.9	161	2.8	1170	3.0
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	8	3.0	20	3.2	161	3.1	1172	3.2
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	8	3.0	20	3.2	161	3.0	1173	3.1

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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	7	4.0	17	3.7	151	3.6	1116	3.6
Writing effectively	7	3.6	17	3.2	151	3.4	1109	3.4
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	7	4.0	17	3.7	151	3.5	1110	3.5
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	7	3.6	17	3.3	151	3.4	1108	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	7	3.9	17	3.4	151	3.5	1108	3.4
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	7	3.7	17	3.6	151	3.6	1111	3.5
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	7	4.0	17	3.8	150	3.6	1109	3.4
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	7	4.0	17	3.6	151	3.5	1110	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	7	3.6	17	3.4	151	3.3	1110	3.4
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	7	3.3	17	2.9	150	3.4	1108	3.3
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	7	3.3	17	3.4	151	3.3	1110	3.2
Learning independently	7	3.7	17	3.6	150	3.5	1103	3.5
Working collaboratively with others within your field	7	4.0	17	3.9	150	3.6	1109	3.7
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	7	4.0	17	3.8	150	3.5	1110	3.6
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	7	4.0	17	3.8	149	3.5	1105	3.5
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	7	4.0	17	3.9	150	3.4	1110	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	8	3.0	19	3.1	145	3.0	1039	3.0
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	8	3.0	19	3.5	153	3.2	1131	3.2
The help you received navigating the job market	8	2.0	19	2.4	151	2.3	1118	2.3
Your overall learning experience at the UW	8	3.0	19	3.1	154	3.3	1138	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.	8	2.9	19	3.2	155	3.6	1135	3.5
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	8	3.8	19	3.8	154	3.7	1137	3.5
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	8	2.8	19	3.2	152	3.5	1128	3.4
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	8	2.9	19	3.0	155	3.3	1138	3.4
	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?	8	2.9	19	3.1	150	3.3	1130	3.3

Current activity roster**Employed Full Time or Part time****Job title****Employing organization**

Art Instructor, Guest Lecturer

University of Washington, Gage Academy of Art

Designer

Lecturer

Visual Designer

Enrolled in Educational Program**Program of study****Institution**

Informatics

Indiana University Bloomington