

UW Alumni Survey Results 2019-2020 DOCTORAL/PROFESSIONAL Degree Recipients

School Of Medicine School Of Medicine All Professional UW Seattle

Graduates Surveyed

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	262	100%	343	100%	1185	100%	1436	100%
Women	149	57%	202	59%	680	57%	801	56%
Men	113	43%	141	41%	505	43%	635	44%
African American	10	4%	14	4%	42	4%	49	3%
American Indian	3	1%	6	2%	15	1%	18	1%
Asian American	43	16%	55	16%	240	20%	267	19%
Caucasian	187	71%	238	69%	643	54%	780	54%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	0%	1	0%	3	0%	3	0%
Hispanic/Latino	10	4%	15	4%	59	5%	71	5%
Other/Not Indicated	8	3%	14	4%	183	15%	248	17%
International	0	0%	5	1%	153	13%	211	15%

Survey Response Rates

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	43	16%	70	20%	341	29%	443	31%
Women	21	49%	42	60%	196	57%	248	56%
Men	22	51%	28	40%	145	43%	195	44%
African American	2	5%	2	3%	9	3%	12	3%
American Indian	1	2%	1	1%	2	1%	3	1%
Asian American	3	7%	7	10%	67	20%	83	19%
Caucasian	34	79%	55	79%	196	57%	247	56%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	1	2%	1	1%	10	3%	16	4%
Other/Not Indicated	2	5%	4	6%	57	17%	82	19%
International	0	0%	2	3%	47	14%	69	16%

Current Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	40	93%	65	93%	281	82%	353	80%
Employed for pay part time	0	0%	1	1%	16	5%	30	7%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	0	0%	1	0%	2	0%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	1	2%	1	1%	8	2%	8	2%
Planning to continue education	1	2%	1	1%	1	0%	2	0%
Seeking employment	0	0%	1	1%	26	8%	35	8%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%	4	1%
Other	1	2%	1	1%	6	2%	9	2%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	8	22%	25	40%	159	55%	190	51%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Temporary/contract work assignment	0	0%	1	2%	3	1%	8	2%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	27	73%	35	56%	91	32%	123	33%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	16	6%	19	5%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	13	5%	21	6%
Other	2	5%	2	3%	3	1%	8	2%

Career related

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	37	100%	62	100%	283	99%	362	98%
No	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%	7	2%

Job location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	10	28%	28	45%	159	56%	198	54%
Other Washington	1	3%	1	2%	7	2%	9	2%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	2	6%	2	3%	4	1%	4	1%
California, Hawaii	3	8%	4	6%	27	10%	34	9%
Mountain states	2	6%	2	3%	9	3%	12	3%
Central states	8	22%	9	15%	22	8%	33	9%
Eastern states	9	25%	14	23%	46	16%	58	16%
International	1	3%	2	3%	9	3%	16	4%

Type of employer

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	4	12%	16	27%	98	36%	122	35%
Non-profit/NGO	15	44%	17	28%	54	20%	68	19%
Government	13	38%	20	33%	98	36%	129	37%
Other	2	6%	7	12%	25	9%	31	9%

Search time (weeks)

	N		N		N		N	
	22		44		218		274	
Mean	7.7		6.8		9.4		9.9	
SD	9		8		10		10	
Range	0 30		0 30		0 52		0 52	

Salary

	N		N		N		N	
	7		22		130		156	
Mean	58,857		77,575		103,840		110,343	
SD	1,952		34,660		37,626		73,895	
Range	56,000 60,000		36,000 160,000		30,000 200,000		30,000 900,000	

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
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%	0	0%
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%	0	0%	0	0%
Army	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	1	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	100%	1	50%

Status

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Active duty	0	0%	0	0%	1	100%	2	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	14%	1	14%
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%	0	0%	0	0%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	0	0%	2	29%	2	29%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	0	0%	2	29%	2	29%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	0	0%	2	29%	2	29%
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%	1	14%	1	14%
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%	4	57%	4	57%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	37	100%	62	98%	287	89%	367	87%
No	0	0%	1	2%	35	11%	53	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	37	3.8	63	3.8	302	3.7	398	3.7
Writing effectively	37	3.2	63	3.3	301	3.4	397	3.4
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	37	3.3	63	3.3	299	3.3	395	3.3
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	37	3.5	63	3.6	300	3.6	396	3.6
Identifying important questions in your field	37	3.4	63	3.4	300	3.4	396	3.4
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	37	3.4	63	3.4	301	3.5	397	3.5
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	37	3.0	63	3.1	299	3.2	395	3.2
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	36	3.0	62	3.1	298	3.2	394	3.2
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	36	3.5	62	3.4	298	3.2	393	3.2
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	36	3.3	62	3.4	299	3.3	395	3.3
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	36	3.1	62	3.2	299	3.2	394	3.1
Learning independently	36	3.5	62	3.6	299	3.6	394	3.6
Working collaboratively with others within your field	36	3.6	62	3.5	299	3.4	395	3.3
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	36	3.5	62	3.3	299	3.1	394	3.0
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	36	3.5	62	3.3	299	3.1	395	3.1
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	36	3.4	62	3.2	299	3.0	395	3.0

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	33	3.9	59	3.8	289	3.8	383	3.7
Writing effectively	33	3.3	59	3.4	287	3.6	381	3.6
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	33	3.5	59	3.5	288	3.6	381	3.6
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	33	3.7	59	3.7	288	3.6	381	3.6
Identifying important questions in your field	33	3.7	59	3.6	286	3.5	378	3.5
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	33	3.7	59	3.7	287	3.6	380	3.6
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	33	3.3	59	3.4	287	3.5	380	3.5
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	33	3.4	59	3.5	288	3.5	380	3.5
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	33	3.8	59	3.7	287	3.6	380	3.6
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	33	3.6	59	3.6	286	3.5	379	3.4
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	33	3.7	59	3.5	288	3.4	381	3.3
Learning independently	33	4.0	59	3.8	287	3.7	380	3.7
Working collaboratively with others within your field	33	3.9	59	3.8	286	3.8	379	3.8
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	33	3.8	59	3.7	288	3.6	381	3.6
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	34	3.7	60	3.7	287	3.6	379	3.6
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	33	3.7	59	3.6	288	3.6	381	3.6

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	26	3.1	52	3.1	269	3.1	365	3.1
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	31	3.5	57	3.5	291	3.4	387	3.3
The help you received navigating the job market	32	3.1	58	2.7	292	2.4	388	2.3
Your overall learning experience at the UW	33	3.3	57	3.3	289	3.3	383	3.3

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.	33	3.4	59	3.4	295	3.3	391	3.3
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	33	3.4	59	3.5	296	3.5	392	3.4
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	33	3.4	59	3.4	295	3.4	390	3.4
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	33	3.4	59	3.5	296	3.4	392	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?	34	3.2	60	3.3	295	3.3	388	3.3

Current activity roster

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Resident physician	MCW
Emergency Medicine Resident	University of Washington Affiliated Hospitals
Program manager	Country doctor community Health centers
Resident Physician	
Resident Physician	
Resident Physician	
resident physician	Emory University School of Medicine
Medical Resident	
Pediatric Resident Physician	Children's Medical Center Dallas
Physician	Uw
Anesthesiology resident	University of Washington
Cardiothoracic Surgery Resident PGY-1	
Resident physician	Emory
Resident	UW
Resident	University of Michigan hospital
Psychiatry Resident	Hennepin Healthcare
Internal Medicine Resident Physician	Mass General Brigham
Pediatrics Resident	St. Louis Children's Hospital/BJC Healthcare
Medical resident	
Resident physician	RCH
Transitional intern	SCVMC
Pediatrics Resident	Utah Health
PGY1 family medicine resident	Providence Alaska Medical Center
Family medicine resident	Swedish First Hill
Anesthesiology resident	UC Davis Health
Family Medicine Resident	University of Rochester Medical Center
Family Medicine Resident Physician	UW Family Medicine Residency
Surgery resident	University of Washington
PGY1 resident	Family medicine residency of western Montana
Research Coordinator	Seattle Cancer Care Alliance
Resident physician	Family medicine residency of Idaho
Orthopedic surgery resident	University of Nebraska medical center
Resident	University of Minnesota
Resident Physician in Emergency Medicine	University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
Resident	University of Washington School of Medicine
Resident Physician	Yale University
Resident Physician	