

UW Alumni Survey Results 2019-2020 UNDERGRADUATE Degree Recipients

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Graduates Surveyed						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	200	100%	642	100%	1508	100%
Women	157	79%	410	64%	804	53%
Men	43	22%	232	36%	704	47%
African American	30	15%	88	14%	183	12%
American Indian	7	4%	15	2%	26	2%
Asian American	31	16%	114	18%	327	22%
Caucasian	87	44%	272	42%	647	43%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	8	4%	23	4%	36	2%
Hispanic/Latino	31	16%	95	15%	194	13%
Other/Not Indicated	6	3%	35	5%	95	6%
International	0	0%	21	3%	67	4%

Survey Response Rates						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	53	27%	150	23%	339	22%
Women	40	75%	110	73%	204	60%
Men	13	25%	40	27%	135	40%
African American	5	9%	17	11%	39	12%
American Indian	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%
Asian American	11	21%	32	21%	83	24%
Caucasian	23	43%	66	44%	150	44%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3	6%	5	3%	8	2%
Hispanic/Latino	8	15%	19	13%	38	11%
Other/Not Indicated	3	6%	9	6%	18	5%
International	0	0%	5	3%	14	4%

Current Status						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	20	38%	53	35%	161	47%
Employed for pay part time	10	19%	28	19%	43	13%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	1	2%	2	1%	3	1%
Serving in the U.S. military	1	2%	1	1%	1	0%
Enrolled in a program of continuing education	10	19%	27	18%	40	12%
Planning to continue education	2	4%	5	3%	11	3%
Seeking employment	5	9%	26	17%	62	18%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	0	0%	2	1%	3	1%
Other	4	8%	6	4%	15	4%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	27	93%	68	86%	172	88%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	1	1%	5	3%
Temporary/contract work assignment	1	3%	9	11%	14	7%
Freelance	1	3%	1	1%	1	1%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	2	1%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%

Career related

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	18	62%	47	59%	141	72%
No	11	38%	32	41%	55	28%

Job location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	27	93%	70	90%	170	89%
Other Washington	1	3%	3	4%	8	4%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	2	3%	2	1%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Mountain states	0	0%	1	1%	3	2%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	5	3%
Eastern states	0	0%	1	1%	1	1%
International	1	3%	1	1%	3	2%

Type of employer

	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	8	33%	36	51%	114	64%
Non-profit/NGO	3	13%	8	11%	19	11%
Government	8	33%	20	28%	35	20%
Other	5	21%	7	10%	9	5%

Search time (weeks)

	N				
		14	28	92	
Mean		5.8	8.9	10.9	
SD		6	9	10	
Range	0	20	0	30	0

Salary

	N				
		14	34	110	
Mean		37,006	37,672	54,529	
SD		13,179	13,225	27,445	
Range	23,000	68,000	13,000	68,000	13,000

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	1	100%	2	100%	3	100%
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	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	1	100%	1	100%	1	100%
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	1	100%	1	100%	1	100%

Enrolled in Educational Program**Degree program**

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Certificate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Associate (AA/AS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor (BA/BS)	0	0%	0	0%	1	3%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	6	67%	15	60%	26	68%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	3	12%	4	11%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	2	22%	3	12%	3	8%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	1	11%	4	16%	4	11%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	7	78%	20	80%	29	76%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	3	8%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	1	11%	1	4%	1	3%
Mountain states	1	11%	2	8%	3	8%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	1	4%	1	3%
International	0	0%	1	4%	1	3%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	49	100%	134	97%	303	97%
No	0	0%	4	3%	10	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	45	3.2	131	3.3	300	3.2
Writing effectively	46	3.3	131	3.3	299	3.1
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	46	2.9	131	3.2	299	3.1
Thinking critically and analytically, defining and solving problems	46	3.3	131	3.4	299	3.3
Creating something new (for example, art, a performance, an object, ideas, or processes)	46	2.8	131	2.9	299	2.9
Gathering information, conducting research	46	3.4	131	3.4	299	3.3
Quantitative reasoning	46	3.1	131	3.2	299	3.1
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	46	3.5	131	3.5	298	3.3
Working and learning independently	45	3.6	130	3.5	298	3.4
Working and learning in a team	45	2.9	130	3.2	297	3.3
Taking on leadership roles inside or outside of the classroom	46	2.6	131	2.9	299	2.9
Understanding ethical practice(s) in at least one field	46	3.2	131	3.3	299	3.3
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	46	3.1	130	3.1	297	3.1
Using specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials relevant to your field(s) of study	46	2.5	130	2.8	297	2.9
Developing skills and attitudes that foster lifelong learning	45	3.2	130	3.3	297	3.2
Developing career interests and habits for success in the workplace	46	2.9	130	3.0	297	3.0
Understanding more about who you are	46	3.2	131	3.2	298	3.0
Finding a direction you'd like to pursue	46	3.0	131	3.0	297	2.9
Understanding and practicing civic engagement, social responsibility	46	3.1	131	3.1	297	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	43	3.3	124	3.3	277	3.4
Writing effectively	43	3.2	122	3.3	269	3.2
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	43	3.4	122	3.5	270	3.5
Thinking critically and analytically, defining and solving problems	43	3.5	122	3.6	269	3.6
Creating something new (for example, art, a performance, an object, ideas, or processes)	43	2.8	122	2.9	270	3.0
Gathering information, conducting research	43	3.0	122	3.1	269	3.2
Quantitative reasoning	43	3.1	122	3.1	269	3.2
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	43	3.6	122	3.6	270	3.4
Working and learning independently	43	3.4	122	3.5	270	3.4
Working and learning in a team	43	3.6	122	3.6	269	3.6
Taking on leadership roles inside or outside of the classroom	43	3.2	122	3.3	269	3.2
Understanding ethical practice(s) in at least one field	43	3.5	122	3.5	270	3.4
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	43	3.4	121	3.4	269	3.4
Using specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials relevant to your field(s) of study	42	2.8	119	3.1	267	3.2
Developing skills and attitudes that foster lifelong learning	43	3.4	121	3.5	269	3.4
Developing career interests and habits for success in the workplace	43	3.3	121	3.5	269	3.5
Understanding more about who you are	42	3.4	120	3.4	267	3.2
Finding a direction you'd like to pursue	43	3.3	121	3.4	269	3.4
Understanding and practicing civic engagement, social responsibility	43	3.4	121	3.5	270	3.2

Number of completed faculty-mentored research projects

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	22	54%	45	36%	123	44%
One	14	34%	41	33%	67	24%
Two	2	5%	18	15%	40	14%
Three or more	3	7%	20	16%	49	18%

Number of completed internships

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	38	93%	98	79%	175	63%
One	2	5%	16	13%	79	28%
Two	1	2%	8	6%	21	8%
Three or more	0	0%	2	2%	4	1%

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Number of completed service-learning projects

	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	30	73%	89	72%	200	72%
One	9	22%	26	21%	51	18%
Two	2	5%	6	5%	15	5%
Three or more	0	0%	2	2%	11	4%

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)	8	3.0	41	3.0	90	3.1
Internship(s)	2	3.5	15	3.6	68	3.4
Service-learning project(s)	6	3.2	21	3.2	50	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	38	2.5	119	2.6	268	2.7
The help you received from academic advisers before you were formally admitted to your major	39	2.8	121	2.9	275	2.9
The help you received from academic advisers in your academic department	40	3.0	122	3.0	275	3.1
The help you received from your outside-class interactions with faculty/Tas	41	2.8	123	3.0	277	3.0
Your overall learning experience at the UW	41	3.4	122	3.4	275	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.	40	3.7	123	3.6	277	3.5
Students in my program treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, or country of origin.	39	3.6	122	3.5	276	3.4
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	40	3.7	122	3.5	276	3.6
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	41	3.6	124	3.5	277	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?	41	3.5	121	3.4	269	3.3

Current activity roster

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Research Assistant	inLife Clinic / LE Consultant
Office Manager	Social Development Research Group
Case Manager	Radiant Physical Therapy and Massage
Delivery Driver	amazon
Division Coordinator	University of Washington Tacoma
Front Desk Associate	Navy Gateway Inns and Suites
Clicklist Clerk	Kroger
Customer support rep	GetixHealth
LPN	Mary Bridge
Instructional paraeducator	Bethel school district
Certified Behavioral Therapist	Autism Spectrum Therapies
Barista	Aafes
Recruiter	Amazon
Data Entry Clerk	Shoe Cabinet
Teacher Aide	BSM
Executive Assistant	The Game Changers Inc.
Clinical Research Assistant	SeattleNTC
Registered Behavior Technician	Autism Learning Partners
Mental Health Technician	Multicare
Executive Assistant to the VP	Highline College
Rental assistance specialist	Korean Women's Association
Sound/AV Technician	
Counselor	Discovery Behavioral Health
Associate	
Behavior Technician	CARD
Paraeducator	Maxim Healthcare
Behavior Technician	

Participating in a Volunteer or Service Program

Organization	Role or job title
City Year	AmeriCorps Member

Enrolled in Educational Program

Program of study	Institution
Doctor of Physical Therapy	University of Puget Sound
	University of Washington- Tacoma
Elementary Education	University of Washington Tacoma
	UWT
	Seattle University School of Law
Cognitive Psychology	Colorado State University
	Northwest university
	University of Washington Tacoma
School Counseling	USC Rossier