

UW Alumni Survey Results 2020-2021 MASTERS Degree Recipients

	Business Administration		All Professional		UW Tacoma	
Graduates Surveyed						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	133	100%	411	100%	416	100%
Women	67	50%	233	57%	235	56%
Men	66	50%	178	43%	181	44%
African American	11	8%	36	9%	36	9%
American Indian	4	3%	11	3%	11	3%
Asian American	25	19%	62	15%	62	15%
Caucasian	57	43%	172	42%	174	42%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	9	7%	44	11%	47	11%
Other/Not Indicated	27	20%	86	21%	86	21%
International	16	12%	64	16%	64	15%
Survey Response Rates						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	33	25%	79	19%	82	20%
Women	17	52%	44	56%	45	55%
Men	16	48%	35	44%	37	45%
African American	1	3%	5	6%	5	6%
American Indian	2	6%	5	6%	5	6%
Asian American	9	27%	16	20%	16	20%
Caucasian	12	36%	28	35%	30	37%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	3	9%	9	11%	10	12%
Other/Not Indicated	6	18%	16	20%	16	20%
International	3	9%	10	13%	10	12%
Current Status						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	28	85%	63	80%	65	79%
Employed for pay part time	1	3%	2	3%	2	2%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	1	3%	2	3%	2	2%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	1	1%	1	1%
Enrolled in a certificate or degree program	1	3%	3	4%	3	4%
Planning to continue education	0	0%	0	0%	1	1%
Seeking employment	2	6%	6	8%	6	7%
A fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	0	0%	2	3%	2	2%

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Employed Full Time or Part time						
Type of employment						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employee working for a company or organization	23	88%	57	92%	59	92%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Temporary/contract work assignment	2	8%	2	3%	2	3%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	2	3%	2	3%
Other	1	4%	1	2%	1	2%
Career related						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	24	89%	56	90%	58	91%
No	3	11%	6	10%	6	9%
Job location						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	22	81%	46	77%	48	77%
Other Washington	2	7%	6	10%	6	10%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
California, Hawaii	1	4%	1	2%	1	2%
Mountain states	1	4%	1	2%	1	2%
Central states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Eastern states	0	0%	1	2%	1	2%
International	1	4%	5	8%	5	8%
Type of employer						
	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	14	56%	24	40%	24	39%
Non-profit/NGO	4	16%	11	18%	11	18%
Government	7	28%	22	37%	24	39%
Other	0	0%	3	5%	3	5%
Search time (weeks)						
	N					
		8	21	22		
Mean		9.3	12.0	12.9		
SD		10	14	14		
Range		1 32	0 52	0 52		
Salary						
	N					
		19	48	50		
Mean		92,848	85,991	84,945		
SD		58,785	41,258	40,737		
Range		51,100 318,000	38,000 318,000	38,000 318,000		

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	1	100%	1	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%	1	100%	1	100%
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%	1	100%	1	100%
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%	0	0%
Advanced Certificate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Associate (AA/AS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Bachelor (BA/BS)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Masters (MA/MS) – terminal degree	1	100%	1	50%	1	50%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	1	50%	1	50%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Non-Degree Seeking	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Postdoctoral Studies	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

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School location

	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	1	100%	1	50%	1	50%
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%	1	50%	1	50%
Eastern states	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
International	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	26	93%	62	87%	65	88%
No	2	7%	9	13%	9	12%

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 your chosen field of study	24	3.2	63	3.4	66	3.4
Writing effectively	24	3.0	63	3.2	66	3.2
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	24	3.2	63	3.2	66	3.2
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	24	3.1	63	3.3	66	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	24	3.1	62	3.4	65	3.3
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	24	3.2	62	3.3	65	3.3
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	23	3.1	61	3.2	64	3.2
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	24	3.0	62	3.2	65	3.3
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	24	3.3	62	3.4	65	3.4
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	24	3.2	62	3.3	65	3.3
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	23	3.0	61	2.9	64	2.9
Learning independently	24	3.1	63	3.3	66	3.3
Working collaboratively with others within your field	24	3.1	63	3.3	66	3.3
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	24	3.2	62	3.3	65	3.3
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	24	3.1	62	3.4	65	3.4
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	24	3.2	63	3.4	66	3.3

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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 your chosen field of study	23	3.7	59	3.8	62	3.7
Writing effectively	23	3.6	59	3.6	62	3.6
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	23	3.7	58	3.7	61	3.7
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	23	3.6	58	3.5	61	3.5
Identifying important questions in your field	23	3.7	59	3.6	62	3.6
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	23	3.5	59	3.6	62	3.6
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	23	3.5	59	3.5	62	3.5
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	22	3.5	58	3.4	61	3.4
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	22	3.7	57	3.7	60	3.7
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	22	3.6	58	3.5	61	3.5
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	21	3.4	57	3.4	60	3.3
Learning independently	22	3.4	58	3.5	61	3.5
Working collaboratively with others within your field	22	3.7	57	3.8	60	3.8
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	22	3.6	57	3.7	60	3.7
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	22	3.5	58	3.7	61	3.7
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	21	3.3	57	3.5	60	3.6

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Overall UW experience	1=Poor; 2=Fair; 3=Good; 4=Excellent					
	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
The help you received from your graduate thesis (MA/MS graduates) or dissertation (PhD graduates) committee members	20	3.0	55	3.3	58	3.3
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	22	3.4	58	3.5	61	3.4
The help you received navigating the job market	23	2.4	59	2.4	62	2.4
Your overall learning experience at the UW	22	3.3	58	3.5	61	3.4
	1=Strongly Disagree; 2=Disagree; 3=Agree; 4=Strongly Agree					
	N	Mean	N	Mean	N	Mean
Faculty treated students respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	23	3.7	59	3.8	62	3.8
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	23	3.7	59	3.7	62	3.6
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	22	3.4	58	3.4	61	3.4
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	23	3.3	59	3.5	62	3.4
	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?	23	3.4	60	3.4	63	3.4

Current activity roster

Employed Full Time or Part time

Job title	Employing organization
Engineer	
Division Chair, Marketing	Mayo Clinic
Business Intelligence and Reporting Analyst	WSECU
Data Analyst	Affirma Consulting
Project Manager	Q Analysts/ On-site Meta
Clinical Data Analyst II	Commonspirit Health
Program Specialist	Green River College
Data Insights Analyst	
irrelevant	Multicare
Director of Student Engagement and Retention	Bates Technical College
Assistant Director	UW Foster School of Business
Audit and Assurance Assistant	Deloitte
Computer Systems Business Analyst	Pierce county
Director	United States Army
Asst Director of Annual Giving	University of Puget Sound
Administrative Officer	Federal Aviation Administration
Accounts Payable and Receivable Specialist	Tote Maritime
Area Manager	Amazon
Associate	KPMG
Revenue and Data Analyst	Abode
Audit Assistant	Deloitte
Biomedical engineer	Roche
Project Manager	
Project & Office Administrator	TYLin International
Finance Manager	
Business Analyst	Administrative Office Of Courts

Enrolled in Educational Program

Program of study	Institution
	Seattle University