

## UW Alumni Survey Results 2020-2021 MASTERS Degree Recipients

	UW Bothell		UW Seattle		UW Tacoma		All UW	
<b>Graduates Surveyed</b>								
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	212	100%	4305	100%	416	100%	4933	100%
Women	121	57%	2398	56%	235	56%	2754	56%
Men	91	43%	1907	44%	181	44%	2179	44%
African American	8	4%	162	4%	36	9%	206	4%
American Indian	1	0%	49	1%	11	3%	61	1%
Asian American	49	23%	680	16%	62	15%	791	16%
Caucasian	99	47%	1942	45%	174	42%	2215	45%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	1	0%	28	1%	0	0%	29	1%
Hispanic/Latino	11	5%	302	7%	47	11%	360	7%
Other/Not Indicated	43	20%	1142	27%	86	21%	1271	26%
International	34	16%	1042	24%	64	15%	1140	23%
<b>Survey Response Rates</b>								
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Total	46	22%	1174	27%	82	20%	1302	26%
Women	26	57%	671	57%	45	55%	742	57%
Men	20	43%	503	43%	37	45%	560	43%
African American	0	0%	37	3%	5	6%	42	3%
American Indian	1	2%	16	1%	5	6%	22	2%
Asian American	10	22%	171	15%	16	20%	197	15%
Caucasian	25	54%	572	49%	30	37%	627	48%
Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0%	8	1%	0	0%	8	1%
Hispanic/Latino	1	2%	81	7%	10	12%	92	7%
Other/Not Indicated	9	20%	289	25%	16	20%	314	24%
International	7	15%	264	22%	10	12%	281	22%
<b>Current Status</b>								
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Employed for pay full time	36	78%	901	77%	65	79%	1002	77%
Employed for pay part time	2	4%	47	4%	2	2%	51	4%
Participating in a volunteer or service program	0	0%	4	0%	2	2%	6	0%
Serving in the U.S. military	0	0%	8	1%	1	1%	9	1%
Enrolled in a certificate or degree program	0	0%	88	7%	3	4%	91	7%
Planning to continue education	3	7%	5	0%	1	1%	9	1%
Seeking employment	4	9%	79	7%	6	7%	89	7%
A fellowship	0	0%	18	2%	0	0%	18	1%
Not seeking employment or continuing education	1	2%	24	2%	2	2%	27	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	37	97%	849	92%	59	92%	945	92%
Entrepreneur/self-employed	1	3%	9	1%	0	0%	10	1%
Temporary/contract work assignment	0	0%	28	3%	2	3%	30	3%
Freelance	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Postgraduate internship or fellowship	0	0%	10	1%	0	0%	10	1%
Faculty tenure track position	0	0%	4	0%	0	0%	4	0%
Faculty non-tenure track position	0	0%	12	1%	2	3%	14	1%
Other	0	0%	11	1%	1	2%	12	1%

**Career related**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	37	97%	878	96%	58	91%	973	95%
No	1	3%	40	4%	6	9%	47	5%

**Job location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	28	78%	589	66%	48	77%	665	67%
Other Washington	3	8%	34	4%	6	10%	43	4%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	18	2%	0	0%	18	2%
California, Hawaii	2	6%	77	9%	1	2%	80	8%
Mountain states	0	0%	24	3%	1	2%	25	3%
Central states	0	0%	30	3%	0	0%	30	3%
Eastern states	1	3%	56	6%	1	2%	58	6%
International	2	6%	63	7%	5	8%	70	7%

**Type of employer**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
For-profit company	24	67%	527	59%	24	39%	575	58%
Non-profit/NGO	3	8%	108	12%	11	18%	122	12%
Government	9	25%	214	24%	24	39%	247	25%
Other	0	0%	39	4%	3	5%	42	4%

**Search time (weeks)**

	N					
	15		512		22	549
Mean	14.2		11.5		12.9	11.6
SD	10		10		14	10
Range	0 33		0 53		0 52	0 53

**Salary**

	N					
	30		724		50	804
Mean	119,317		95,246		84,945	95,504
SD	39,703		52,455		40,737	51,612
Range	50,000 250,000		10,000 600,000		38,000 318,000	10,000 600,000

**First year bonus**

	N					
	10		198		3	211
Mean	24,925		21,446		32,000	21,761
SD	11,769		25,047		10,440	24,445
Range	10,000 45,000		300 177,000		20,000 39,000	300 177,000

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	3	75%	1	100%	4	80%
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%	1	25%	0	0%	1	20%

**Serving in the US Military****Service branch**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Air Force	0	0%	2	25%	1	100%	3	33%
Army	0	0%	4	50%	0	0%	4	44%
Coast Guard	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Marine Corps	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Navy	0	0%	2	25%	0	0%	2	22%

**Status**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Active duty	0	0%	7	88%	1	100%	8	89%
Reserve	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
National Guard	0	0%	1	13%	0	0%	1	11%

**Enrolled in Educational Program****Degree program**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Certificate	0	0%	2	2%	0	0%	2	2%
Advanced Certificate	0	0%	1	1%	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%	5	6%	1	50%	6	7%
Masters (MA/MS) – leading to doctorate	0	0%	1	1%	0	0%	1	1%
Doctorate (PhD/EdD)	0	0%	71	85%	1	50%	72	84%
Professional (JD, MD, DDS, PharmD)	0	0%	3	4%	0	0%	3	3%
Non-Degree Seeking	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Postdoctoral Studies	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Other	0	0%	1	1%	0	0%	1	1%

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**School location**

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
King, Pierce, Snohomish counties	0	0%	52	64%	1	50%	53	64%
Other Washington	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	0	0%	1	1%	0	0%	1	1%
California, Hawaii	0	0%	5	6%	0	0%	5	6%
Mountain states	0	0%	3	4%	0	0%	3	4%
Central states	0	0%	1	1%	1	50%	2	2%
Eastern states	0	0%	9	11%	0	0%	9	11%
International	0	0%	10	12%	0	0%	10	12%

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

	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Yes	39	89%	908	82%	65	88%	1012	82%
No	5	11%	204	18%	9	12%	218	18%

**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	44	3.2	1058	3.3	66	3.4	1168	3.3
Writing effectively	44	3.0	1052	3.0	66	3.2	1162	3.0
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	43	3.1	1050	3.0	66	3.2	1159	3.0
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	43	3.3	1051	3.2	66	3.3	1160	3.2
Identifying important questions in your field	43	3.3	1051	3.3	65	3.3	1159	3.3
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	43	3.1	1050	3.2	65	3.3	1158	3.2
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	43	3.2	1050	3.0	64	3.2	1157	3.0
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	43	3.2	1047	2.9	65	3.3	1155	2.9
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	43	3.2	1048	3.1	65	3.4	1156	3.1
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	43	3.1	1048	3.0	65	3.3	1156	3.1
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	43	2.8	1049	2.7	64	2.9	1156	2.7
Learning independently	43	3.5	1044	3.2	66	3.3	1153	3.2
Working collaboratively with others within your field	43	3.2	1046	3.2	66	3.3	1155	3.3
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	43	3.0	1045	3.0	65	3.3	1153	3.0
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	43	3.4	1045	3.2	65	3.4	1153	3.3
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	43	3.4	1049	3.1	66	3.3	1158	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	41	3.5	994	3.5	62	3.7	1097	3.5
Writing effectively	41	3.4	985	3.3	62	3.6	1088	3.3
Speaking effectively about ideas, projects, and plans	41	3.6	982	3.5	61	3.7	1084	3.5
Critically analyzing the research, technical literature, and/or performance in your field	41	3.4	982	3.3	61	3.5	1084	3.3
Identifying important questions in your field	41	3.5	983	3.4	62	3.6	1086	3.4
Identifying and using the best methods for answering specific questions in your field	41	3.5	979	3.4	62	3.6	1082	3.5
Knowing how to generate original/creative ideas, solutions, and research directions	41	3.5	982	3.4	62	3.5	1085	3.4
Knowing how to put research ideas into practice in your field	41	3.4	982	3.2	61	3.4	1084	3.2
Understanding ethics and ethical practice in your field	41	3.5	982	3.4	60	3.7	1083	3.4
Understanding, evaluating, and using the quantitative methods relevant to your field	40	3.2	982	3.2	61	3.5	1083	3.2
Mastering specialized instruments, computer programs, or materials important to your field	41	3.2	986	3.2	60	3.3	1087	3.2
Learning independently	41	3.5	978	3.4	61	3.5	1080	3.4
Working collaboratively with others within your field	41	3.7	981	3.6	60	3.8	1082	3.6
Working collaboratively with interdisciplinary groups	41	3.6	983	3.5	60	3.7	1084	3.5
Understanding and valuing diverse people and cultures	41	3.5	985	3.5	61	3.7	1087	3.5
Using self-reflection and self-assessment to guide next directions	41	3.5	984	3.4	60	3.6	1085	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	39	3.2	943	3.0	58	3.3	1040	3.0
The help you received from graduate student colleagues	41	2.9	1003	3.2	61	3.4	1105	3.2
The help you received navigating the job market	40	2.3	988	2.4	62	2.4	1090	2.4
Your overall learning experience at the UW	40	3.1	993	3.2	61	3.4	1094	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.	42	3.7	1006	3.6	62	3.8	1110	3.6
Students in my major treated each other respectfully - regardless of race, gender, ethnicity, sexuality, and country of origin.	42	3.6	1011	3.6	62	3.6	1115	3.6
Classrooms, labs, and other campus spaces were accessible.	42	3.3	994	3.1	61	3.4	1097	3.1
If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.	42	3.2	1013	3.3	62	3.4	1117	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?	42	3.2	989	3.2	63	3.4	1094	3.3