

1997 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

All University

All Arts and Sciences

All Professional

Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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|---|-------|------|---|-------|------|---|-------|------|---|
| TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED | 6,338 | 100% |  | 3,963 | 100% |  | 2,495 | 100% |  |
| Questionnaires: | | | | | | | | | |
| Not returned ----- | 3,732 | 59% |  | 2,354 | 59% |  | 1,451 | 58% |  |
| Not delivered by post office ----- | 337 | 5% |  | 229 | 6% |  | 115 | 5% |  |
| Returned by graduate ----- | 2,269 | 36% |  | 1,380 | 35% |  | 929 | 37% |  |
| Responding graduates currently: | | | | | | | | | |
| Working & not planning full-time school | 1,694 | 75% |  | 919 | 67% |  | 806 | 87% |  |
| Attending or waiting to attend school - | 465 | 21% |  | 382 | 28% |  | 92 | 10% |  |
| Unemployed ----- | 104 | 5% |  | 78 | 6% |  | 26 | 3% |  |

Master's Degree Recipients

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|---|-------|------|---|-----|------|---|-------|------|---|
| TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED | 1,869 | 100% |  | 395 | 100% |  | 1,479 | 100% |  |
| Questionnaires: | | | | | | | | | |
| Not returned ----- | 776 | 42% |  | 199 | 50% |  | 578 | 39% |  |
| Not delivered by post office ----- | 121 | 6% |  | 27 | 7% |  | 94 | 6% |  |
| Returned by graduate ----- | 972 | 52% |  | 169 | 43% |  | 807 | 55% |  |
| Responding graduates currently: | | | | | | | | | |
| Working & not planning full-time school | 836 | 86% |  | 108 | 64% |  | 732 | 91% |  |
| Attending or waiting to attend school - | 105 | 11% |  | 55 | 33% |  | 50 | 6% |  |
| Unemployed ----- | 27 | 3% |  | 5 | 3% |  | 22 | 3% |  |

Doctoral Degree Recipients

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|---|-----|------|---|-----|------|---|-----|------|---|
| TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED | 838 | 100% |  | 223 | 100% |  | 615 | 100% |  |
| Questionnaires: | | | | | | | | | |
| Not returned ----- | 346 | 41% |  | 78 | 35% |  | 268 | 44% |  |
| Not delivered by post office ----- | 57 | 7% |  | 15 | 7% |  | 42 | 7% |  |
| Returned by graduate ----- | 435 | 52% |  | 130 | 58% |  | 305 | 50% |  |
| Responding graduates currently: | | | | | | | | | |
| Working & not planning full-time school | 408 | 94% |  | 121 | 94% |  | 287 | 94% |  |
| Attending or waiting to attend school - | 12 | 3% |  | 3 | 2% |  | 9 | 3% |  |
| Unemployed ----- | 13 | 3% |  | 5 | 4% |  | 8 | 3% |  |

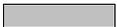
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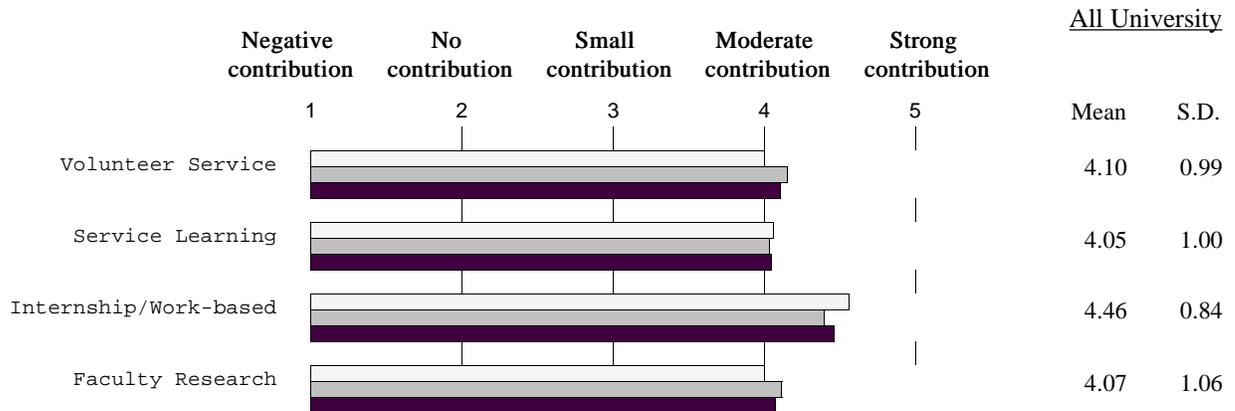
| | <u>All University</u> | | <u>All Arts and Sciences</u> | | <u>All Professional</u> | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-----|
| Working | | | | | | |
| JOB IS: | | | | | | |
| Full-time, career field, permanent-- | 595 | 36% | 196 | 22% | 409 | 51% |
| Full-time, career field, will change | 499 | 30% | 273 | 30% | 240 | 30% |
| Full-time, outside career field----- | 291 | 17% | 240 | 27% | 52 | 7% |
| Full-time, temporary----- | 132 | 8% | 101 | 11% | 35 | 4% |
| Part-time----- | 152 | 9% | 93 | 10% | 61 | 8% |
| WORK IS: | | | | | | |
| Definitely beneath my level----- | 303 | 18% | 225 | 25% | 84 | 11% |
| Somewhat beneath my level----- | 451 | 27% | 286 | 32% | 170 | 21% |
| At an appropriate level----- | 894 | 54% | 378 | 42% | 535 | 67% |
| At too advanced a level----- | 18 | 1% | 9 | 1% | 10 | 1% |
| ATTENDING SCHOOL? | | | | | | |
| Yes, related to UW education---- | 66 | 4% | 31 | 3% | 37 | 5% |
| Yes, career related, new area--- | 149 | 9% | 88 | 10% | 66 | 8% |
| Yes, not career related----- | 34 | 2% | 18 | 2% | 16 | 2% |
| No----- | 1,413 | 85% | 760 | 85% | 677 | 85% |
| MONTHLY INCOME: | | | | | | |
| Under \$500----- | 29 | 2% | 24 | 3% | 5 | 1% |
| \$500 - 999----- | 119 | 7% | 100 | 11% | 21 | 3% |
| 1000- 1499----- | 262 | 16% | 206 | 23% | 60 | 8% |
| 1500- 1999----- | 303 | 18% | 212 | 23% | 94 | 12% |
| 2000- 2499----- | 336 | 20% | 174 | 19% | 170 | 21% |
| 2500- 2999----- | 217 | 13% | 80 | 9% | 140 | 18% |
| 3000- 3499----- | 159 | 10% | 53 | 6% | 107 | 14% |
| 3500- 3999----- | 105 | 6% | 21 | 2% | 90 | 11% |
| 4000- 4500----- | 61 | 4% | 14 | 2% | 50 | 6% |
| Over \$4500----- | 72 | 4% | 19 | 2% | 54 | 7% |
| JOB LOCATION: | | | | | | |
| King, Pierce, Snohomish----- | 846 | 58% | 509 | 65% | 348 | 50% |
| Other Washington counties--- | 369 | 25% | 160 | 20% | 218 | 32% |
| Alaska, Idaho, Oregon----- | 55 | 4% | 24 | 3% | 33 | 5% |
| California, Hawaii----- | 76 | 5% | 42 | 5% | 38 | 5% |
| Mountain states----- | 24 | 2% | 11 | 1% | 13 | 2% |
| Central states----- | 25 | 2% | 14 | 2% | 12 | 2% |
| Eastern states----- | 55 | 4% | 27 | 3% | 29 | 4% |
| International----- | 1 | 1% | 1 | 1% | | |
| Attending School | | | | | | |
| LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: | | | | | | |
| Undergraduate----- | 102 | 17% | 63 | 13% | 41 | 29% |
| Master's----- | 60 | 10% | 49 | 10% | 12 | 8% |
| Doctoral----- | 286 | 48% | 224 | 48% | 67 | 47% |
| Professional-- | 128 | 21% | 109 | 23% | 21 | 15% |
| Vocational---- | 9 | 2% | 9 | 2% | | |
| Other----- | 15 | 2% | 14 | 3% | 1 | 1% |
| ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? | | | | | | |
| Yes, by the school--- | 101 | 17% | 75 | 16% | 30 | 23% |
| Yes, other part-time--- | 136 | 23% | 111 | 24% | 28 | 22% |
| Yes, other full-time--- | 134 | 23% | 107 | 23% | 28 | 22% |
| No----- | 209 | 36% | 166 | 36% | 44 | 34% |
| Unemployed | | | | | | |
| LOOKING FOR WORK? | | | | | | |
| Yes, career field only---- | 35 | 21% | 22 | 18% | 13 | 32% |
| Yes, any field----- | 15 | 9% | 15 | 12% | | |
| Yes, may be temporary----- | 28 | 17% | 25 | 20% | 3 | 8% |
| No, traveling, etc.----- | 36 | 22% | 29 | 24% | 7 | 18% |
| No, deciding what to do--- | 10 | 6% | 6 | 5% | 4 | 10% |
| No, not at present----- | 39 | 24% | 26 | 21% | 13 | 32% |

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

| While a UW student, did you participate in: | <u>All University</u> | | <u>All Arts and Sciences</u> | | <u>All Professional</u> | |
|--|-----------------------|-------|------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-----|
| | Yes | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |
| Community volunteer service (outside of UW) ----- | 1,247 | 1,005 | 794 | 575 | 480 | 443 |
| Community service as part of a UW course (Service learning) ----- | 388 | 1,849 | 222 | 1,138 | 178 | 739 |
| A public service internship or other work-based learning (for credit or pay) ----- | 814 | 1,427 | 451 | 910 | 389 | 531 |
| Faculty research beyond being a research subject ----- | 477 | 1,761 | 330 | 1,030 | 157 | 760 |

How has your participation contributed to your preparation and success in your current primary activity?

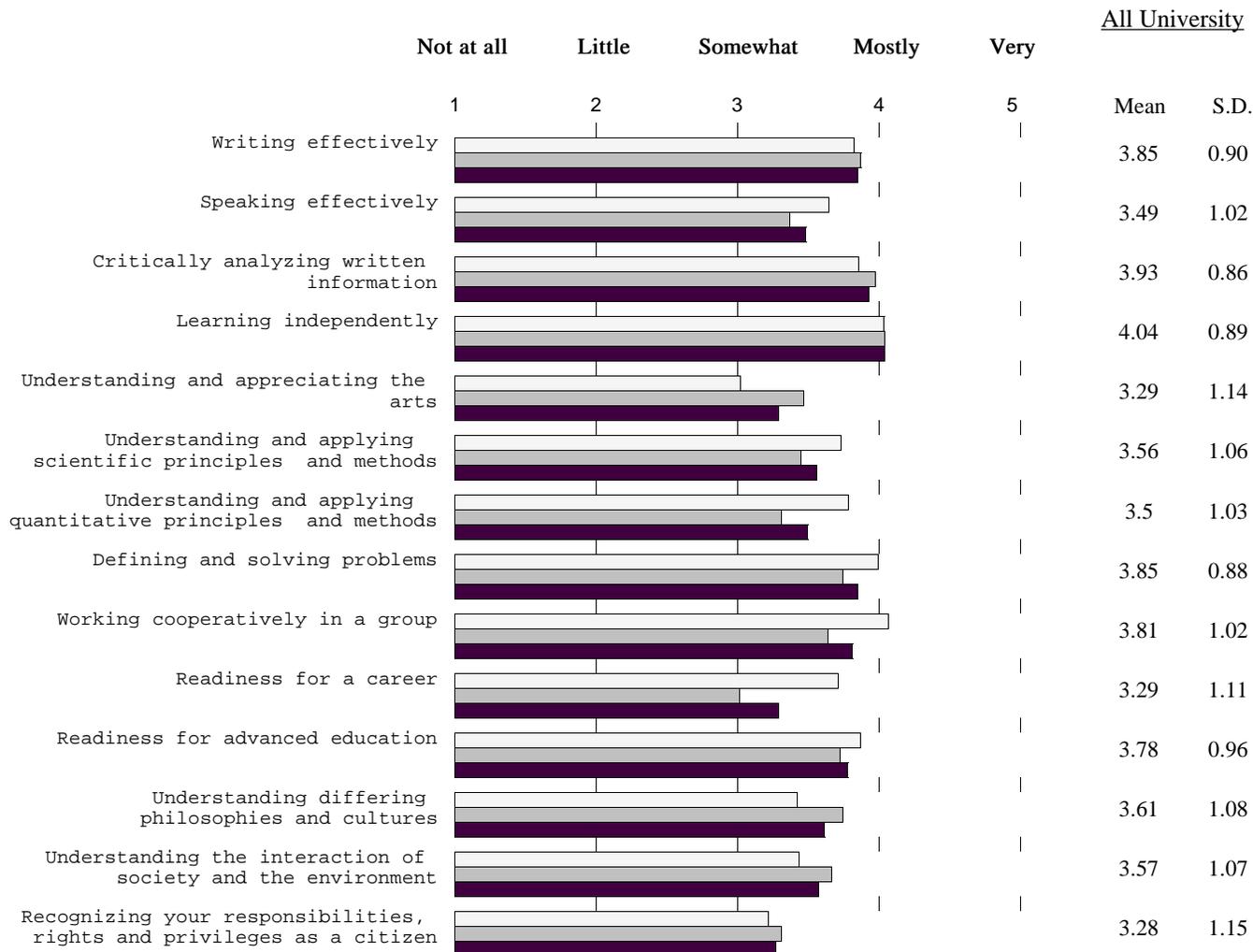
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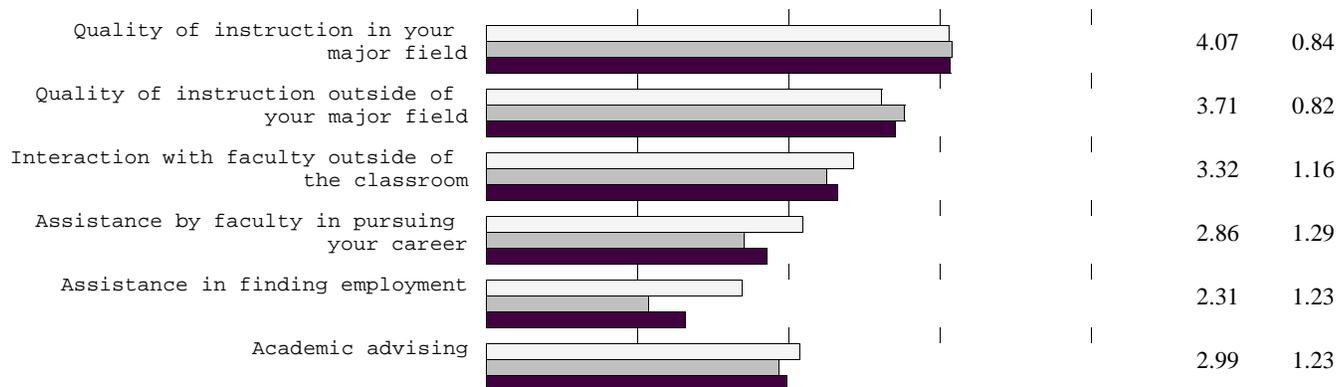
STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

How satisfied are you with the University of Washington's contribution to your academic and/or personal growth in each of the following areas?

All University 
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In general, how satisfied are you with your UW education with regard to each of the following?



DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients

| | <u>All University</u> | | <u>All Arts and Sciences</u> | | <u>All Professional</u> | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-----|
| Working | | | | | | |
| JOB IS: | | | | | | |
| Full-time, career field, permanent-- | 479 | 58% | 41 | 38% | 441 | 61% |
| Full-time, career field, will change | 172 | 21% | 25 | 23% | 148 | 20% |
| Full-time, outside career field----- | 24 | 3% | 9 | 8% | 15 | 2% |
| Full-time, temporary----- | 47 | 6% | 10 | 9% | 37 | 5% |
| Part-time----- | 105 | 13% | 22 | 21% | 83 | 11% |
| WORK IS: | | | | | | |
| Definitely beneath my level----- | 47 | 6% | 15 | 14% | 32 | 4% |
| Somewhat beneath my level----- | 178 | 21% | 27 | 25% | 151 | 21% |
| At an appropriate level----- | 600 | 72% | 63 | 59% | 541 | 74% |
| At too advanced a level----- | 4 | 1% | 1 | 1% | 3 | 1% |
| ATTENDING SCHOOL? | | | | | | |
| Yes, post-graduate in my degree-- | 82 | 10% | 10 | 10% | 72 | 10% |
| Yes, career related, new area--- | 124 | 15% | 14 | 14% | 111 | 15% |
| Yes, not career related----- | 35 | 4% | 4 | 4% | 31 | 4% |
| No----- | 577 | 71% | 75 | 73% | 505 | 70% |
| MONTHLY INCOME: | | | | | | |
| Under \$500----- | 10 | 1% | 3 | 3% | 7 | 1% |
| \$500 - 999----- | 26 | 3% | 12 | 11% | 14 | 2% |
| 1000- 1499----- | 63 | 8% | 14 | 13% | 49 | 7% |
| 1500- 1999----- | 101 | 12% | 16 | 15% | 85 | 12% |
| 2000- 2499----- | 134 | 16% | 20 | 19% | 115 | 16% |
| 2500- 2999----- | 111 | 13% | 9 | 8% | 102 | 14% |
| 3000- 3499----- | 126 | 15% | 17 | 16% | 109 | 15% |
| 3500- 3999----- | 64 | 8% | 4 | 4% | 61 | 8% |
| 4000- 4500----- | 49 | 6% | 2 | 2% | 47 | 6% |
| Over \$4500----- | 143 | 17% | 10 | 9% | 135 | 19% |
| JOB LOCATION: | | | | | | |
| King, Pierce, Snohomish----- | 380 | 52% | 44 | 53% | 337 | 52% |
| Other Washington counties--- | 159 | 22% | 10 | 12% | 150 | 23% |
| Alaska, Idaho, Oregon----- | 41 | 6% | 5 | 6% | 36 | 6% |
| California, Hawaii----- | 57 | 8% | 8 | 10% | 50 | 8% |
| Mountain states----- | 20 | 3% | 3 | 4% | 17 | 3% |
| Central states----- | 26 | 4% | 4 | 5% | 22 | 3% |
| Eastern states----- | 39 | 5% | 8 | 10% | 31 | 5% |
| International----- | 2 | 1% | 1 | 1% | 1 | 1% |
| JOB SEARCH: | | | | | | |
| Newspaper ads----- | 114 | 22% | 17 | 24% | 97 | 21% |
| World wide web/internet----- | 83 | 16% | 5 | 7% | 79 | 17% |
| Employment agency----- | 33 | 6% | 9 | 12% | 24 | 5% |
| Professional organization----- | 140 | 27% | 23 | 32% | 118 | 26% |
| Faculty advisor or committee--- | 152 | 29% | 18 | 25% | 135 | 30% |

DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients

| | All University | | All Arts and Sciences | | All Professional | |
|--|----------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
| Attending School | | | | | | |
| LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate- | | | | | | |
| Master's----- | 7 | 4% █ | | | 7 | 7% □ |
| Doctoral----- | 142 | 89% █ | 58 | 97% █ | 84 | 84% □ |
| Professional-- | 9 | 6% █ | 2 | 3% █ | 7 | 7% □ |
| Vocational---- | 1 | 1% █ | | | 1 | 1% █ |
| Other----- | 1 | 1% █ | | | 1 | 1% █ |
| ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school--- | 81 | 59% █ | 42 | 72% █ | 39 | 49% □ |
| Yes, other part-time- | 10 | 7% █ | 4 | 7% █ | 6 | 8% □ |
| Yes, other full-time- | 18 | 13% █ | 3 | 5% █ | 15 | 19% □ |
| No----- | 28 | 20% █ | 9 | 16% █ | 19 | 24% □ |
| Unemployed | | | | | | |
| LOOKING FOR WORK? Yes, career field only---- | 15 | 35% █ | 3 | 30% █ | 12 | 36% □ |
| Yes, any field----- | 3 | 7% █ | | | 3 | 9% □ |
| Yes, may be temporary---- | 3 | 7% █ | | | 3 | 9% □ |
| No, traveling, etc.----- | 6 | 14% █ | 3 | 30% █ | 3 | 9% □ |
| No, deciding what to do--- | 2 | 5% █ | 1 | 10% █ | 1 | 3% █ |
| No, not at present----- | 14 | 33% █ | 3 | 30% █ | 11 | 33% □ |

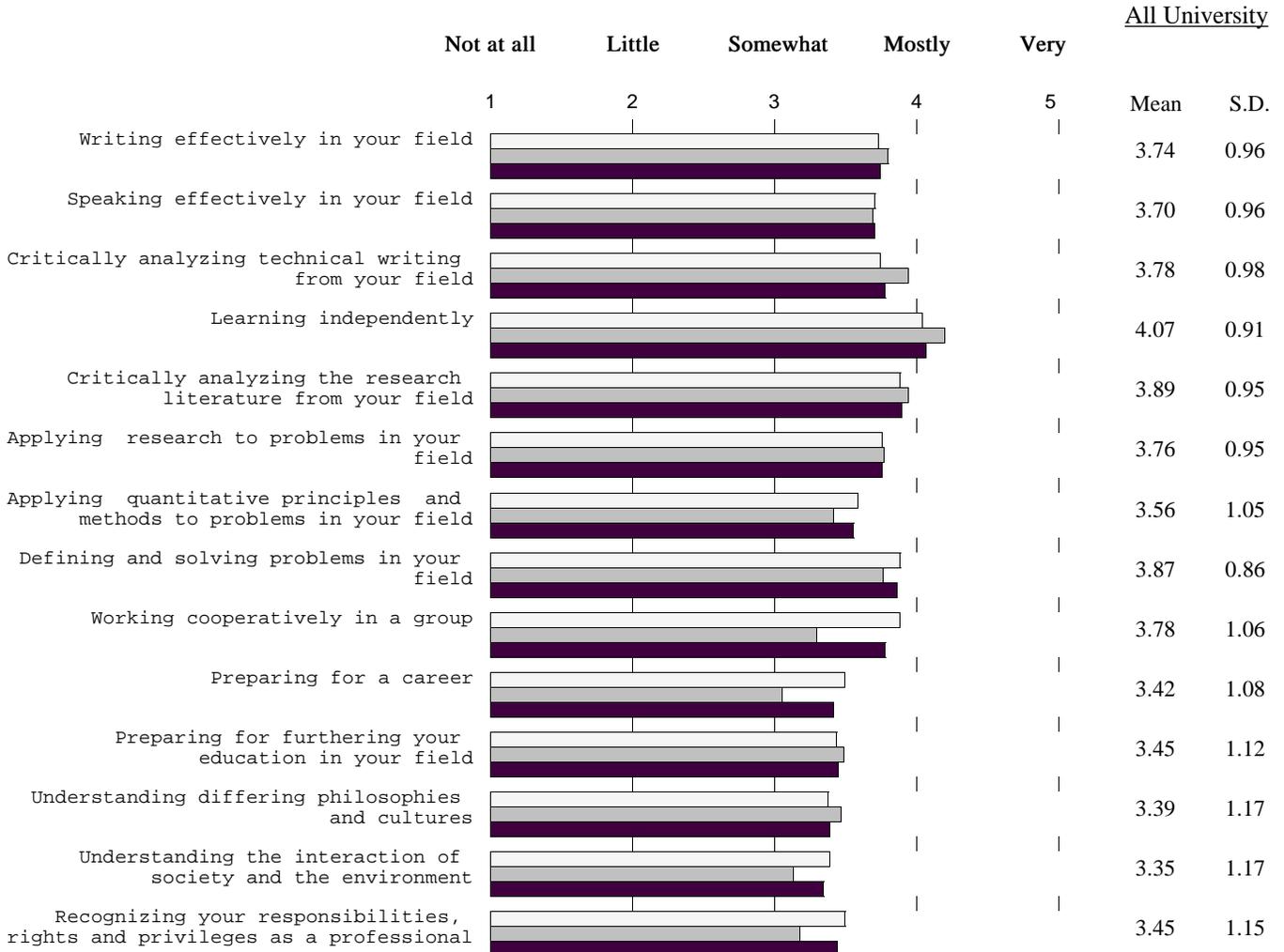
TYPE OF EMPLOYER - Master's Degree Recipients

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|---|-----|-------|----|-------|-----|-------|
| Business (for profit)----- | 200 | 21% █ | 25 | 16% █ | 177 | 23% □ |
| Business (not for profit)----- | 28 | 3% █ | 7 | 4% █ | 21 | 3% █ |
| Education (K-12)----- | 152 | 16% █ | 11 | 7% █ | 141 | 18% □ |
| Education (post-secondary) | | | | | | |
| Univ/college tenure-track faculty----- | 43 | 5% █ | 26 | 16% █ | 17 | 2% █ |
| Univ/college non-tenure-track faculty--- | 35 | 4% █ | 19 | 12% █ | 16 | 2% █ |
| Univ/college research or administrative-- | 41 | 4% █ | 14 | 9% █ | 28 | 4% █ |
| Postdoctoral appointment----- | 13 | 1% █ | 4 | 3% █ | 9 | 1% █ |
| Government agency----- | 98 | 11% █ | 8 | 5% █ | 91 | 12% □ |
| Industry----- | 71 | 8% █ | 8 | 5% █ | 63 | 8% █ |
| Law firm----- | 14 | 2% █ | 3 | 2% █ | 11 | 1% █ |
| Medical faculty----- | 86 | 9% █ | 9 | 6% █ | 77 | 10% □ |
| Military----- | 18 | 2% █ | 3 | 2% █ | 15 | 2% █ |
| Private practice----- | 18 | 2% █ | 2 | 1% █ | 16 | 2% █ |
| Self-employed----- | 28 | 3% █ | 11 | 7% █ | 17 | 2% █ |
| Social service agency----- | 43 | 5% █ | 2 | 1% █ | 41 | 5% █ |
| Other----- | 44 | 5% █ | 6 | 4% █ | 38 | 5% █ |

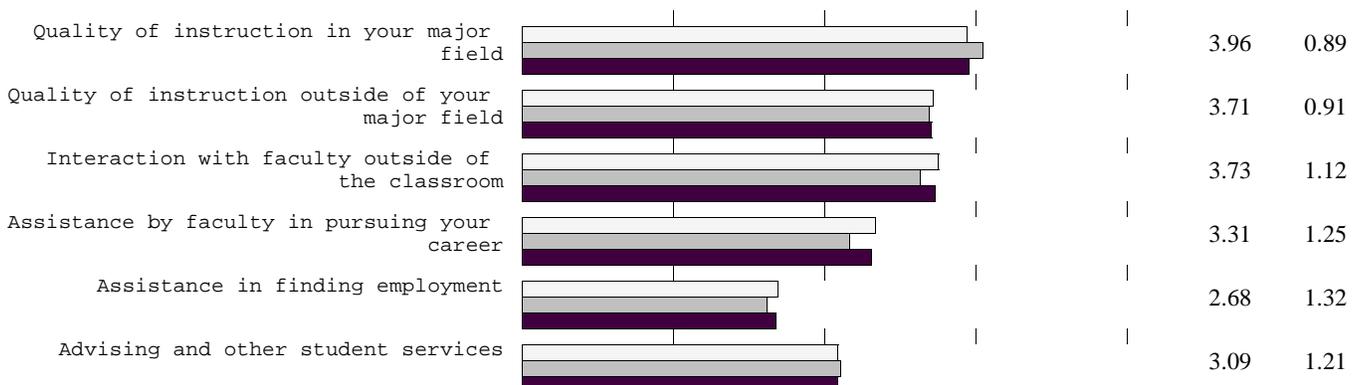
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| Working | | | | | | |
| JOB IS: | | | | | | |
| Full-time, career field, permanent-- | 207 | 51% | 51 | 42% | 156 | 55% |
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| WORK IS: | | | | | | |
| Definitely beneath my level----- | 27 | 7% | 15 | 12% | 12 | 4% |
| Somewhat beneath my level----- | 58 | 14% | 26 | 22% | 32 | 11% |
| At an appropriate level----- | 319 | 79% | 78 | 65% | 241 | 84% |
| At too advanced a level----- | 2 | 1% | 1 | 1% | 1 | 1% |
| ATTENDING SCHOOL? | | | | | | |
| Yes, post-graduate in my degree-- | 13 | 3% | 3 | 2% | 10 | 4% |
| Yes, career related, new area--- | 21 | 5% | 1 | 1% | 20 | 7% |
| Yes, not career related----- | 15 | 4% | 5 | 4% | 10 | 4% |
| No----- | 355 | 88% | 112 | 93% | 243 | 86% |
| MONTHLY INCOME: | | | | | | |
| Under \$500----- | 9 | 2% | 3 | 3% | 6 | 2% |
| \$500 - 999----- | 6 | 2% | 4 | 3% | 2 | 1% |
| 1000- 1499----- | 22 | 6% | 9 | 8% | 13 | 5% |
| 1500- 1999----- | 36 | 9% | 9 | 8% | 27 | 10% |
| 2000- 2499----- | 65 | 16% | 15 | 13% | 50 | 18% |
| 2500- 2999----- | 49 | 12% | 14 | 12% | 35 | 13% |
| 3000- 3499----- | 52 | 13% | 22 | 18% | 30 | 11% |
| 3500- 3999----- | 42 | 11% | 18 | 15% | 24 | 9% |
| 4000- 4500----- | 37 | 9% | 15 | 13% | 22 | 8% |
| Over \$4500----- | 80 | 20% | 10 | 8% | 70 | 25% |
| JOB LOCATION: | | | | | | |
| King, Pierce, Snohomish----- | 146 | 40% | 40 | 38% | 106 | 41% |
| Other Washington counties--- | 52 | 14% | 15 | 14% | 37 | 14% |
| Alaska, Idaho, Oregon----- | 25 | 7% | 8 | 8% | 17 | 7% |
| California, Hawaii----- | 41 | 11% | 9 | 9% | 32 | 12% |
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| Eastern states----- | 59 | 16% | 20 | 19% | 39 | 15% |
| International----- | 2 | 1% | 2 | 2% | | |
| JOB SEARCH: | | | | | | |
| Newspaper ads----- | 28 | 9% | 12 | 11% | 16 | 8% |
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| Attending School | | | |
| LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate----- | | | |
| Master's----- | 1 3% █ | 1 7% █ | |
| Doctoral----- | 19 49% █ | 9 64% █ | 10 40% █ |
| Professional-- | 17 44% █ | 2 14% █ | 15 60% █ |
| Vocational---- | 1 3% █ | 1 7% █ | |
| Other----- | 1 3% █ | 1 7% █ | |
| ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school--- | | | |
| Yes, other part-time- | 8 30% █ | 4 44% █ | 4 22% █ |
| Yes, other full-time- | 1 4% █ | | 1 6% █ |
| No----- | 18 67% █ | 5 56% █ | 13 72% █ |
| Unemployed | | | |
| LOOKING FOR WORK? Yes, career field only---- | | | |
| Yes, any field----- | 6 26% █ | 1 12% █ | 5 33% █ |
| Yes, may be temporary---- | 2 9% █ | 2 25% █ | |
| No, traveling, etc.----- | 4 17% █ | 1 12% █ | 3 20% █ |
| No, deciding what to do--- | 5 22% █ | 2 25% █ | 3 20% █ |
| No, not at present----- | 1 4% █ | | 1 7% █ |
| | 5 22% █ | 2 25% █ | 3 20% █ |

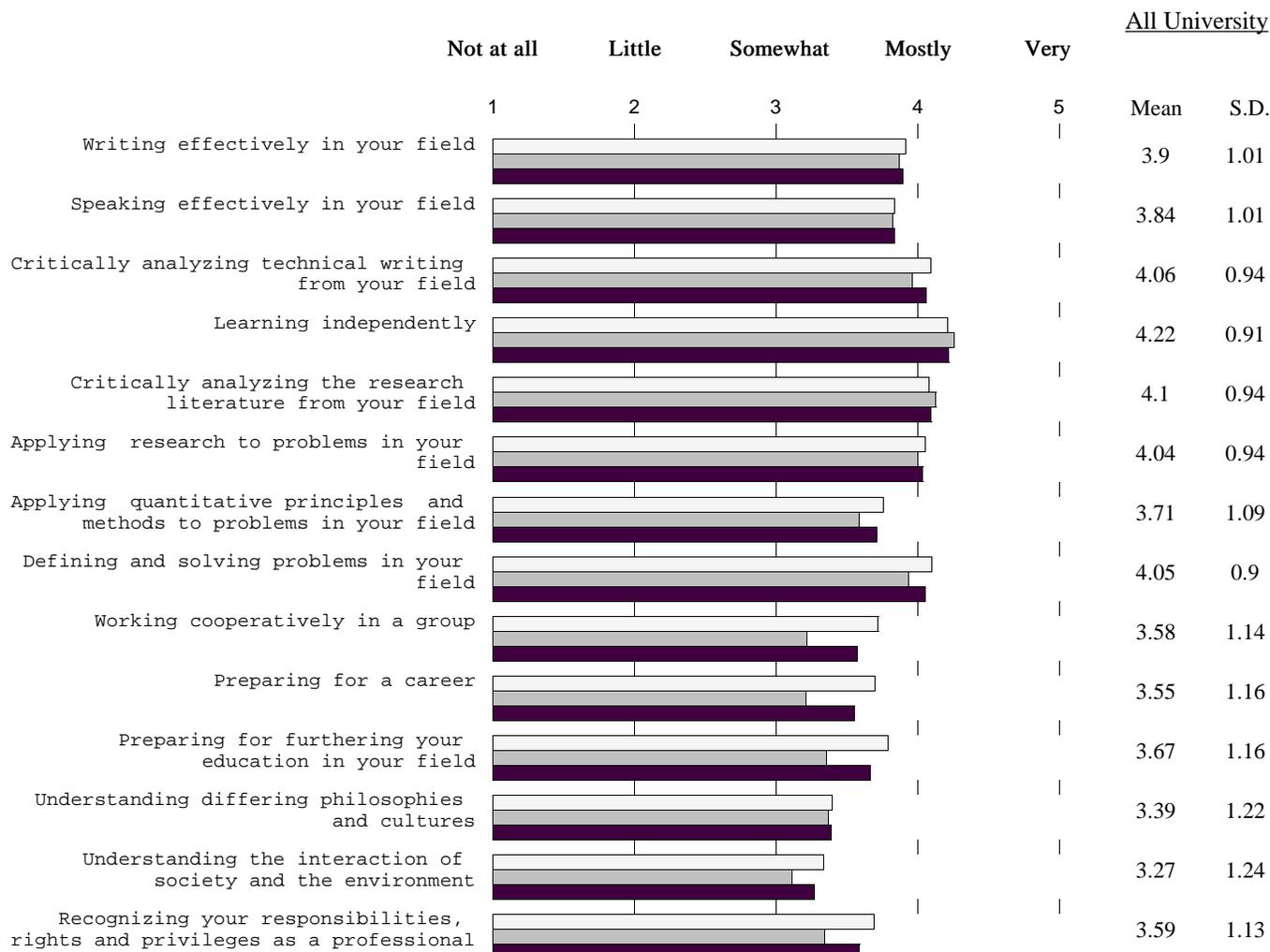
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|---|----------|----------|----------|
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| Education (post-secondary) | | | |
| Univ/college tenure-track faculty----- | 60 14% █ | 31 25% █ | 29 10% █ |
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| Postdoctoral appointment----- | 43 10% █ | 20 16% █ | 23 8% █ |
| Government agency----- | 40 10% █ | 9 7% █ | 31 11% █ |
| Industry----- | 20 5% █ | 6 5% █ | 14 5% █ |
| Law firm----- | 44 11% █ | 1 1% █ | 43 15% █ |
| Medical faculty----- | 72 17% █ | 4 3% █ | 68 24% █ |
| Military----- | 5 1% █ | | 5 2% █ |
| Private practice----- | 15 4% █ | 1 1% █ | 14 5% █ |
| Self-employed----- | 12 3% █ | 3 2% █ | 9 3% █ |
| Social service agency----- | 1 1% █ | 1 1% █ | |
| Other----- | 11 3% █ | 3 2% █ | 8 3% █ |

STUDENT OUTCOMES - Doctoral Degree Recipients

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