

1997 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

Graduate School

All Professional

All Campus

**Bachelor's Degree Recipients**

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	2,193	100%		5,765	100%	
Questionnaires:						
Not returned -----	1,300	59%		3,445	60%	
Not delivered by post office -----	104	5%		308	5%	
Returned by graduate -----	789	36%		2,012	35%	
Responding graduates currently:						
Working & not planning full-time school	680	87%		1,495	74%	
Attending or waiting to attend school -	84	11%		423	21%	
Unemployed -----	22	3%		90	4%	

Subsequent tables for bachelor's degree recipients are not included because of the low number of respondents.

**Master's Degree Recipients**

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	114	100%		1,426	100%		1,816	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned -----	52	46%		559	39%		757	42%	
Not delivered by post office -----	6	5%		93	7%		120	7%	
Returned by graduate -----	56	49%		774	54%		939	52%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working & not planning full-time school	50	91%		699	91%		803	86%	
Attending or waiting to attend school -	3	5%		50	6%		105	11%	
Unemployed -----	2	4%		22	3%		27	3%	

**Doctoral Degree Recipients**

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	12	100%		615	100%		838	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned -----	6	50%		268	44%		346	41%	
Not delivered by post office -----	1	8%		42	7%		57	7%	
Returned by graduate -----	5	42%		305	50%		435	52%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working & not planning full-time school	4	80%		287	94%		408	94%	
Attending or waiting to attend school -				9	3%		12	3%	
Unemployed -----	1	20%		8	3%		13	3%	

Subsequent tables for doctorate degree recipients are not included because of the low number of respondents.

**DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients**

		<u>Graduate School</u>		<u>All Professional</u>		<u>All Campus</u>	
<b>Working</b>							
JOB IS:	Full-time, career field, permanent--	23	46%	415	60%	453	57%
	Full-time, career field, will change	10	20%	145	21%	169	21%
	Full-time, outside career field-----	3	6%	14	2%	23	3%
	Full-time, temporary-----	4	8%	36	5%	46	6%
	Part-time-----	10	20%	81	12%	103	13%
WORK IS:	Definitely beneath my level-----	5	10%	32	5%	47	6%
	Somewhat beneath my level-----	7	14%	141	20%	168	21%
	At an appropriate level-----	38	76%	518	75%	577	72%
	At too advanced a level-----			3	1%	4	1%
ATTENDING SCHOOL?	Yes, post-graduate in my degree--	3	6%	66	10%	76	10%
	Yes, career related, new area---	9	19%	105	15%	118	15%
	Yes, not career related-----	1	2%	29	4%	33	4%
	No-----	35	73%	486	71%	558	71%
MONTHLY INCOME:	Under \$500-----	1	2%	7	1%	10	1%
	\$500 - 999-----	4	8%	14	2%	26	3%
	1000- 1499-----	6	12%	48	7%	62	8%
	1500- 1999-----	5	10%	80	12%	96	12%
	2000- 2499-----	11	23%	105	15%	124	16%
	2500- 2999-----	7	15%	95	14%	104	13%
	3000- 3499-----	7	15%	99	14%	116	15%
	3500- 3999-----	4	8%	61	9%	64	8%
	4000- 4500-----	2	4%	47	7%	49	6%
	Over \$4500-----	1	2%	135	20%	143	18%
JOB LOCATION:	King, Pierce, Snohomish-----	25	58%	319	52%	362	52%
	Other Washington counties---	8	19%	142	23%	151	22%
	Alaska, Idaho, Oregon-----	4	9%	36	6%	41	6%
	California, Hawaii-----	1	2%	50	8%	57	8%
	Mountain states-----	3	7%	16	3%	19	3%
	Central states-----	1	2%	22	4%	26	4%
	Eastern states-----	1	2%	30	5%	38	5%
	International-----			1	1%	2	1%
JOB SEARCH:	Newspaper ads-----	5	14%	92	21%	109	22%
	World wide web/internet-----	15	42%	79	18%	83	16%
	Employment agency-----			23	5%	32	6%
	Professional organization-----	8	22%	113	26%	135	27%
	Faculty advisor or committee---	8	22%	129	30%	146	29%

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	<u>Graduate School</u>		<u>All Professional</u>		<u>All Campus</u>	
<b>Attending School</b>						
LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate-						
Master's-----			5	5%	5	3%
Doctoral-----	4	100%	81	85%	139	90%
Professional--			7	7%	9	6%
Vocational----			1	1%	1	1%
Other-----			1	1%	1	1%
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school---	3	75%	38	50%	80	60%
Yes, other part-time-	1	25%	6	8%	10	7%
Yes, other full-time-			13	17%	16	12%
No-----			19	25%	28	21%
<b>Unemployed</b>						
LOOKING FOR WORK? Yes, career field only----	1	50%	12	39%	15	37%
Yes, any field-----			3	10%	3	7%
Yes, may be temporary----			3	10%	3	7%
No, traveling, etc.-----	1	50%	3	10%	6	15%
No, deciding what to do---			1	3%	2	5%
No, not at present-----			9	29%	12	29%

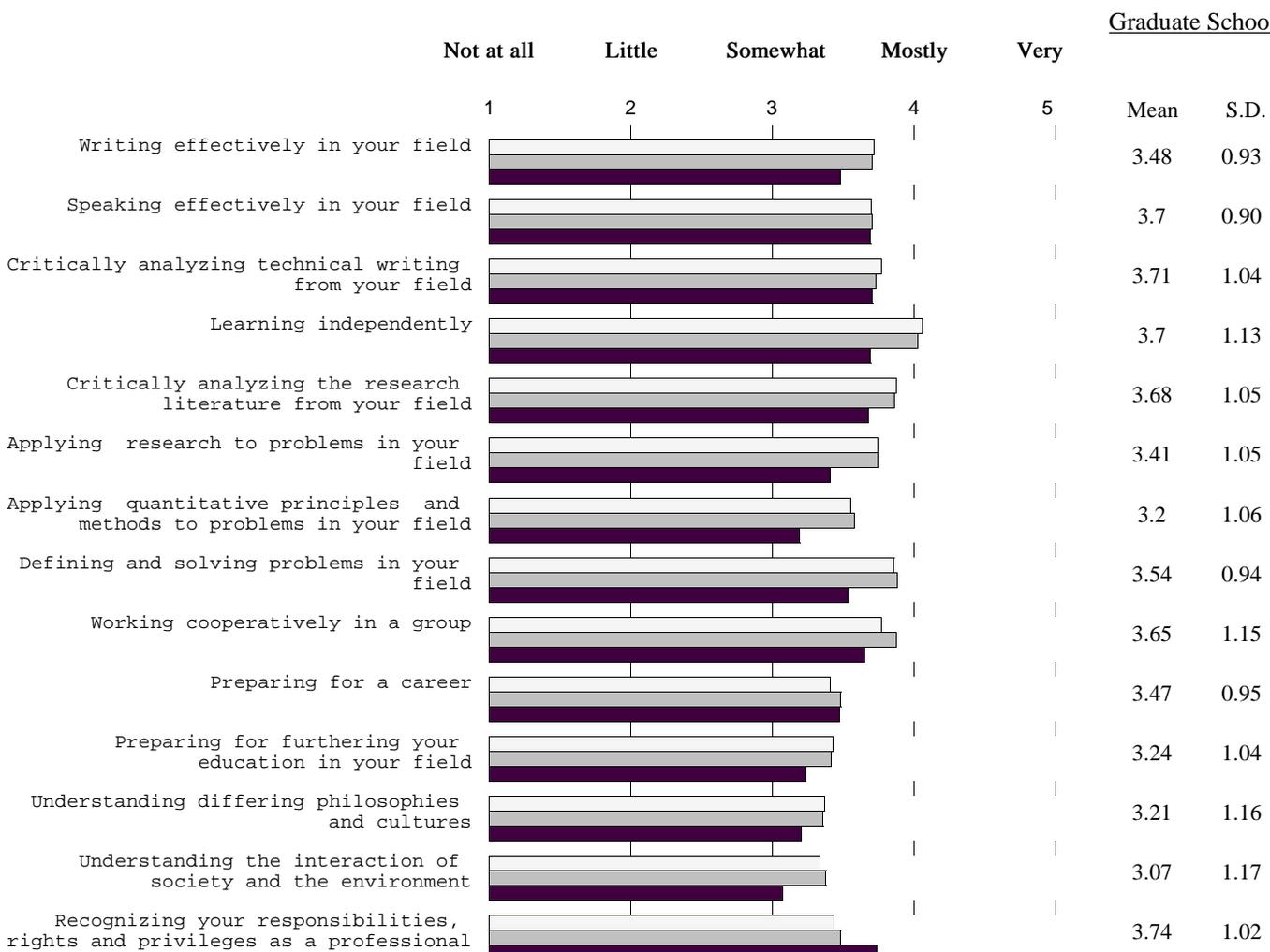
### TYPE OF EMPLOYER - Master's Degree Recipients

Business (for profit)-----	8	15%	176	24%	199	22%
Business (not for profit)-----	3	6%	21	3%	28	3%
Education (K-12)-----	4	7%	118	16%	129	14%
Education (post-secondary)						
Univ/college tenure-track faculty-----	4	7%	16	2%	42	5%
Univ/college non-tenure-track faculty---	4	7%	13	2%	32	4%
Univ/college research or administrative--	2	4%	25	3%	38	4%
Postdoctoral appointment-----			9	1%	13	1%
Government agency-----	13	24%	90	12%	97	11%
Industry-----	1	2%	63	8%	71	8%
Law firm-----			11	1%	14	2%
Medical faculty-----	6	11%	77	10%	86	10%
Military-----	1	2%	15	2%	18	2%
Private practice-----			16	2%	18	2%
Self-employed-----			17	2%	28	3%
Social service agency-----			41	5%	43	5%
Other-----	8	15%	38	5%	44	5%

### STUDENT OUTCOMES - Master's Degree Recipients

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

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*In general, how satisfied are you with your UW education for this degree with regard to each of the following?*

