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Q1 - Q4 are for internal purposes

Q5- What is MOST LIKELY to be your PRINCIPAL activity upon graduation? (Check all that apply)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Employment, full-time paid	981	79%	67%
Employment, part-time paid	124	10%	8%
Graduate or professional school, full-time	154	12%	10%
Graduate or professional school, part-time	24	2%	2%
Military service	33	3%	2%
Volunteer activity (e.g., Peace Corps)	34	3%	2%
Starting or raising a family	67	5%	5%
Other (please specify)	58	5%	4%
Total Unique Respondents	1,238		
Total Responses	1,475		100%

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Q6 - If employment will most likely be your primary activity, which of the following best describes your current state of plans for employment immediately after graduation?

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Have accepted a position (including residency positions)	439	41%
Have been offered a position or multiple positions, but declined positions and still searching for preferred position	21	2%
Considering one or more offers	68	6%
Currently searching or waiting on offers	290	27%
Will begin searching for a position after graduation	97	9%
Other (please specify)	165	15%
Total Responses	1,080	100%

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Q7 and Q8 are open-ended questions. Please request results.

Q9 - What is your starting annual salary excluding benefits, but including bonuses?

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Under \$25,000	29	7%
\$25,000 - \$35,000	43	10%
\$35,001 - \$45,000	77	18%
\$45,001 - \$55,000	63	15%
\$55,001 - \$65,000	44	10%
\$65,001 - \$75,000	31	7%
\$75,001 - \$85,000	25	6%
\$85,001 - \$95,000	29	7%
\$95,001 - \$105,000	29	7%
\$105,001 - \$115,000	14	3%
\$115,001 - \$125,000	13	3%
\$125,001 - or above	24	6%
Total Responses	421	100%

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Q10 - Which occupation category best describes the position you have accepted or are seeking?

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Architecture and engineering	157	15%
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	21	2%
Business and financial/accounting	79	7%
Community and social services	14	1%
Computer and mathematical	112	10%
Construction and extraction	12	1%
Education, training and library	150	14%
Farming, fishing and forestry	14	1%
Healthcare/medical	203	19%
Law enforcement	9	1%
Legal	15	1%
Life, physical, and social sciences	63	6%
Management	44	4%
Marketing and sales	22	2%
Military	23	2%
Office and administrative support	*	*
Student	7	1%
Transportation	*	*
Other (please specify)	130	12%
Total Responses	1,080	100%

**Responses less than or equal to five are not reported*
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Q11 - In what state will you be employed?

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Alabama	*	*
Arizona	*	*
Arkansas	*	*
California	37	8%
Colorado	*	*
Connecticut	*	*
Delaware	*	*
District of Columbia	*	*
Florida	217	45%
Georgia	18	4%
Hawaii	*	*
Illinois	*	*
Indiana	*	*
Kansas	*	*
Kentucky	*	*
Louisiana	*	*
Maryland	9	2%
Massachusetts	7	1%
Michigan	*	*
Minnesota	*	*
Mississippi	*	*
Missouri	*	*
Nebraska	*	*
New Jersey	*	*
New Mexico	*	*
New York	16	3%
North Carolina	9	2%
Ohio	*	*

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<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Oklahoma	*	*
Oregon	*	*
Pennsylvania	*	*
Puerto Rico	*	*
South Carolina	*	*
Tennessee	6	1%
Texas	15	3%
Utah	*	*
Virginia	10	2%
Washington	31	6%
West Virginia	*	*
Wisconsin	*	*
Outside of the United States	33	7%
Total Responses	486	100%

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Q12 through Q15 are open-ended questions. Please request results.

Q16 - How did you find your full-time and/or part-time employment opportunity? (Check all that apply)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Academic department (faculty & advisors)	70	16%	10%
Career Resource Center (job postings, interviews, etc...)	61	14%	9%
Career fairs	82	19%	12%
Professional contacts	113	26%	17%
Family/friends	57	13%	9%
Other job/career fairs	11	3%	2%
Employment agency	*	*	*
Alumni	10	2%	1%
Job ads in publication/print media	24	5%	4%
Previous work with an employer	67	15%	10%
Professional association(s)	37	8%	6%
Internet site(s)	85	19%	13%
Other (please specify)	48	11%	7%
Total Unique Respondents	439		
Total Responses	669		100%

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Q17 - Which, if any, degrees do you plan to pursue either immediately upon graduation or at any time in the future? (Check all that apply) - Law (L.L.B. or J.D.)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	*	*	*
Future plans	38	93%	90%
Total Unique Respondents	41		
Total Responses	42		100%

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Q18 - Which, if any, degrees do you plan to pursue either immediately upon graduation or at any time in the future? (Check all that apply) - Medicine (M.D.)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	*	*	*
Future plans	13	76%	76%
Total Unique Respondents	17		
Total Responses	17		100%

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Q19 - Which, if any, degrees do you plan to pursue either immediately upon graduation or at any time in the future? (Check all that apply) - Other Medical (D.D.S., D.M.D., D.C., D.C.M., D.N.P., O.D., D.O., Pharm.D., D.P.M., D.P., Pod.D., D.V.M., or other)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	6	25%	24%
Future plans	19	79%	76%
Total Unique Respondents	24		
Total Responses	25		100%

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Q20 - Which, if any, degrees do you plan to pursue either immediately upon graduation or at any time in the future? (Check all that apply) - Second Bachelors Degree

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	*	*	*
Future plans	6	75%	75%
Total Unique Respondents	8		
Total Responses	8		100%

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Q21 - Which, if any, degrees do you plan to pursue either immediately upon graduation or at any time in the future? (Check all that apply) - Masters Degree (M.A., M.S., M.F.A., or other)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	51	28%	27%
Future plans	140	76%	73%
Total Unique Respondents	185		
Total Responses	191		100%

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Q22 - Which, if any, degrees do you plan to pursue either immediately upon graduation or at any time in the future? (Check all that apply) - Doctorate (Ph.D., Ed.D., or other)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	118	29%	28%
Future plans	302	73%	72%
Total Unique Respondents	411		
Total Responses	420		100%

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Q23 - In which fields do you plan to pursue a Masters degree or Doctorate? (Check all that apply)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Agriculture	*	*	*
Agricultural Sciences	10	6%	4%
Natural Resources	6	4%	3%
Architecture	*	*	*
Area, Ethnic and Cultural Studies	*	*	*
Marketing Operations	*	*	*
Communication, Journalism and Related Programs	*	*	*
Computer and Information Sciences	7	4%	3%
Education	9	5%	4%
Engineering	60	36%	27%
Foreign Languages and Literatures	*	*	*
Legal Studies	*	*	*
English and Literature	*	*	*
Liberal Arts General Studies	*	*	*
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	11	7%	5%
Mathematics and Statistics	13	8%	6%
Interdisciplinary Studies	*	*	*
Philosophy and Religious Studies	*	*	*
Physical Sciences	16	9%	7%
Science Technologies	*	*	*
Psychology	*	*	*
Social Sciences (Anthropology, Economics, International Relations, Political Science, Sociology, Urban Studies)	10	6%	4%
Visual and Performing Arts	*	*	*
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences (Medicine, Dentistry, Health Services, Allied Health, Nursing, Public H	18	11%	8%
Business Management	17	10%	8%
History	*	*	*

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<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Other	12	7%	5%
Total Unique Respondents	169		
Total Responses	226		100%

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Q24 and Q25 are open-ended questions. Please request results.

Q26 - How many years did it take to complete your degree at the University of Florida? (Whole number only)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
1	162	13%
2	551	45%
3	181	15%
4	119	10%
5	119	10%
6	61	5%
7	26	2%
8	9	1%
9+	9	1%
Total Responses	1,237	100%

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Q27 - Please rate your overall satisfaction with your university experience at UF

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Very dissatisfied	49	4%
Dissatisfied	14	1%
Somewhat dissatisfied	35	3%
Somewhat satisfied	142	11%
Satisfied	554	45%
Very Satisfied	444	36%
Total Responses	1,238	100%