

# Fall 2013 Graduation Survey Results

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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	383	67%	49%
Employment, part-time paid	95	17%	12%
Graduate or professional school, full-time	165	29%	21%
Graduate or professional school, part-time	33	6%	4%
Military service	16	3%	2%
Volunteer activity (e.g., Peace Corps)	41	7%	5%
Starting or raising a family	25	4%	3%
Other (please specify)	26	5%	3%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>574</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>784</b>		<b>100%</b>

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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)	174	37%
Have been offered a position or multiple positions, but declined positions and still searching for preferred position	8	2%
Considering one or more offers	25	5%
Currently searching or waiting on offers	139	29%
Will begin searching for a position after graduation	59	12%
Already have a position/staying in current position	55	12%
Other (please specify)	13	3%
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>100%</b>

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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	11	7%
\$25,000 - \$35,000	12	7%
\$35,001 - \$45,000	13	8%
\$45,001 - \$55,000	28	17%
\$55,001 - \$65,000	48	29%
\$65,001 - \$75,000	33	20%
\$75,001 - \$85,000	7	4%
\$85,001 - \$95,000	*	*
\$95,001 - \$105,000	7	4%
\$105,001 - \$115,000	*	*
\$115,001 - \$125,000	*	*
\$125,001 - or above	*	*
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>100%</b>

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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	144	31%
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	*	*
Building and grounds cleaning and maintenance	*	*
Business and financial/accounting	12	3%
Community and social services	*	*
Computer and mathematical	59	13%
Construction and extraction	25	5%
Education, training and library	13	3%
Farming, fishing and forestry	12	3%
Food preparation and serving related	*	*
Healthcare/medical	50	11%
Legal	*	*
Life, physical, and social sciences	26	6%
Management	8	2%
Marketing and sales	*	*
Military	10	2%
Office and administrative support	*	*
Student	13	3%
Transportation	*	*
Other (please specify)	81	17%
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>100%</b>

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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	*	*
Alaska	*	*
California	10	5%
Colorado	*	*
District of Columbia	*	*
Florida	121	56%
Georgia	19	9%
Idaho	*	*
Illinois	*	*
Indiana	*	*
Iowa	*	*
Kentucky	*	*
Louisiana	*	*
Maryland	*	*
Massachusetts	*	*
New Jersey	*	*
New York	*	*
North Carolina	*	*
Ohio	*	*
Oklahoma	*	*
Oregon	*	*
Pennsylvania	*	*
Rhode Island	*	*
South Carolina	*	*
Tennessee	*	*
Texas	14	6%
Virginia	*	*
Washington	*	*

*\*Responses less than or equal to five are not reported*  
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<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Wisconsin	*	*
Outside of the United States (please specify where)	*	*
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>100%</b>

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**Q12 - Did you complete an internship (either academic or non-academic) while attending the University of Florida? (If you had both academic and non-academic internships, please indicate that in your response below)**

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
No - I did not complete an internship while attending UF	238	42%
Yes - I completed 1 or more academic internship (credit bearing)	91	16%
Yes - I completed 1 or more non-academic internship (non-credit bearing)	192	34%
Yes - I completed both academic and non-academic internships	51	9%
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>100%</b>

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*Q13 through Q16 are open-ended questions. Please request results.*

**Q17 - 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)	39	15%	9%
Career Resource Center (job postings, interviews, etc...)	50	19%	11%
UF Career Fairs	85	33%	19%
Professional contacts	63	24%	14%
Family/friends	72	28%	16%
Other job/career fairs (statewide job fair or other local, regional, or state job fair, etc.)	*	*	*
Employment agency	*	*	*
Alumni	16	6%	4%
Job ads in publication/print media	*	*	*
Previous work with an employer	51	20%	11%
Professional association(s)	16	6%	4%
Internet site(s)	34	13%	8%
Other (please specify)	14	5%	3%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>260</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>451</b>		<b>100%</b>



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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) - 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	16	84%	80%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>19</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>20</b>		<b>100%</b>

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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) - Medicine (M.D.)**

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	18	32%	31%
Future plans	41	73%	69%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>56</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>59</b>		<b>100%</b>

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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) - 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	22	34%	32%
Future plans	47	72%	68%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>65</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>69</b>		<b>100%</b>

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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) - 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	27	84%	84%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>32</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>32</b>		<b>100%</b>

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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) - 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	81	21%	21%
Future plans	313	83%	79%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>378</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>394</b>		<b>100%</b>

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**Q23 - 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	17	19%	18%
Future plans	76	85%	82%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>89</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>93</b>		<b>100%</b>

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**Q24 - 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	13	7%	5%
Natural Resources	14	8%	5%
Architecture	*	*	*
Area, Ethnic and Cultural Studies	*	*	*
Marketing Operations	*	*	*
Communication, Journalism and Related Programs	*	*	*
Communications Technologies	*	*	*
Computer and Information Sciences	12	7%	5%
Personal and Culinary Services	*	*	*
Education	9	5%	3%
Engineering	57	31%	22%
Foreign Languages and Literatures	*	*	*
Family and Consumer Sciences	*	*	*
Legal Studies	*	*	*
Liberal Arts General Studies	*	*	*
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	19	10%	7%
Mathematics and Statistics	*	*	*
Interdisciplinary Studies	*	*	*
Parks, Recreation, Leisure and Fitness Studies	*	*	*
Philosophy and Religious Studies	*	*	*
Theology and Religious Studies	*	*	*
Physical Sciences	8	4%	3%
Science Technologies	*	*	*
Psychology	*	*	*
Public Administration	*	*	*
Social Sciences (Anthropology, Economics, International Relations, Political Science, Sociology, Urban Studies)	*	*	*

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<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Construction Trades	*	*	*
Mechanical and Repair Technologies	*	*	*
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences (Medicine, Dentistry, Health Services, Allied Health, Nursing, Public H	49	27%	18%
Business Management	18	10%	7%
Other (please specify)	24	13%	9%
<b>Total Unique Respondents</b>	<b>181</b>		
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>265</b>		<b>100%</b>



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**Q25 - Have you already been accepted to a university for graduate studies?**

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Yes	58	30%
No	134	70%
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>100%</b>

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**Q28 - 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>
2	56	10%
3	89	16%
4	179	31%
5	203	36%
6	28	5%
7	6	1%
8	*	*
9+	7	1%
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>100%</b>

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**Q29 - 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	9	2%
Dissatisfied	9	2%
Somewhat dissatisfied	29	5%
Somewhat satisfied	69	12%
Satisfied	266	47%
Very satisfied	189	33%
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>571</b>	<b>100%</b>