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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	487	70%	55%
Employment, part-time paid	82	12%	9%
Graduate or professional school, full-time	158	23%	18%
Graduate or professional school, part-time	36	5%	4%
Military service	14	2%	2%
Volunteer activity (e.g., Peace Corps)	40	6%	4%
Starting or raising a family	30	4%	3%
Other (please specify)	43	6%	5%
Total Unique Respondents	700		
Total Responses	890		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)	168	30%
Have been offered a position or multiple positions, but declined positions and still searching for preferred position	15	3%
Considering one or more offers	38	7%
Currently searching or waiting on offers	149	26%
Will begin searching for a position after graduation	57	10%
Already have a position/staying in current position	122	22%
Other (please specify)	17	3%
Total Responses	566	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	17	10%
\$25,000 - \$35,000	22	13%
\$35,001 - \$45,000	26	16%
\$45,001 - \$55,000	20	12%
\$55,001 - \$65,000	13	8%
\$65,001 - \$75,000	17	10%
\$75,001 - \$85,000	15	9%
\$85,001 - \$95,000	8	5%
\$95,001 - \$105,000	12	7%
\$105,001 - \$115,000	6	4%
\$115,001 - \$125,000	*	*
\$125,001 - or above	6	4%
Total Responses	163	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	111	20%
Arts, design, entertainment, sports and media	*	*
Business and financial/accounting	9	2%
Community and social services	*	*
Computer and mathematical	63	11%
Construction and extraction	10	2%
Education, training and library	42	7%
Farming, fishing and forestry	10	2%
Food preparation and serving related	*	*
Healthcare/medical	89	16%
Law enforcement	10	2%
Legal	*	*
Life, physical, and social sciences	85	15%
Management	8	1%
Marketing and sales	7	1%
Military	11	2%
Office and administrative support	*	*
Personal care and service	*	*
Student	11	2%
Transportation	*	*
Other (please specify)	85	15%
Total Responses	566	100%

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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	19	9%
Colorado	*	*
Delaware	*	*
District of Columbia	*	*
Florida	84	39%
Georgia	6	3%
Illinois	*	*
Indiana	*	*
Kansas	*	*
Kentucky	*	*
Louisiana	*	*
Maryland	*	*
Massachusetts	*	*
Michigan	*	*
Minnesota	*	*
Missouri	*	*
Nebraska	*	*
Nevada	*	*
New Jersey	*	*
New Mexico	*	*
New York	*	*
North Carolina	*	*
Ohio	*	*
Oklahoma	*	*
Oregon	*	*

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<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Pennsylvania	*	*
Rhode Island	*	*
South Carolina	*	*
Tennessee	*	*
Texas	11	5%
Virginia	6	3%
Washington	7	3%
Outside of the United States (please specify where)	18	8%
Total Responses	216	100%

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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	482	69%
Yes - I completed 1 or more academic internship (credit bearing)	118	17%
Yes - I completed 1 or more non-academic internship (non-credit bearing)	78	11%
Yes - I completed both academic and non-academic internships	22	3%
Total Responses	700	100%

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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)	66	19%	13%
Career Resource Center (job postings, interviews, etc...)	18	5%	4%
UF Career Fairs	35	10%	7%
Professional contacts	86	25%	17%
Family/friends	56	16%	11%
Other job/career fairs(statewide job fair or other local, regional, or state job fair, etc.)	10	3%	2%
Employment agency	6	2%	1%
Alumni	9	3%	2%
Job ads in publication/print media	24	7%	5%
Previous work with an employer	49	14%	10%
Professional association(s)	34	10%	7%
Internet site(s)	75	22%	15%
Other (please specify)	40	12%	8%
Total Unique Respondents	343		
Total Responses	508		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) - 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	11	73%	69%
Total Unique Respondents	15		
Total Responses	16		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) - Medicine (M.D.)

<i>Response</i>	<i># of Responses</i>	<i>% of unique Respondents</i>	<i>% of all Responses</i>
Immediately upon graduation	14	22%	20%
Future plans	55	86%	80%
Total Unique Respondents	64		
Total Responses	69		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) - 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	18	28%	27%
Future plans	49	77%	73%
Total Unique Respondents	64		
Total Responses	67		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) - 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	14	100%	88%
Total Unique Respondents	14		
Total Responses	16		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) - 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	42	24%	23%
Future plans	142	80%	77%
Total Unique Respondents	178		
Total Responses	184		100%

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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	60	28%	27%
Future plans	163	77%	73%
Total Unique Respondents	212		
Total Responses	223		100%

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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	8	5%	3%
Agricultural Sciences	12	7%	5%
Natural Resources	12	7%	5%
Architecture	*	*	*
Marketing Operations	*	*	*
Communication, Journalism and Related Programs	*	*	*
Computer and Information Sciences	7	4%	3%
Education	*	*	*
Engineering	32	19%	14%
Foreign Languages and Literatures	*	*	*
Legal Studies	6	4%	3%
Biological and Biomedical Sciences	33	19%	14%
Mathematics and Statistics	8	5%	3%
Interdisciplinary Studies	*	*	*
Philosophy and Religious Studies	*	*	*
Theology and Religious Studies	*	*	*
Physical Sciences	9	5%	4%
Science Technologies	*	*	*
Psychology	*	*	*
Security Services	*	*	*
Public Administration	*	*	*
Social Sciences (Anthropology, Economics, International Relations, Political Science, Sociology, Urban Studies)	*	*	*
Mechanical and Repair Technologies	*	*	*
Health Professions and Related Clinical Sciences (Medicine, Dentistry, Health Services, Allied Health, Nursing, Public H	55	32%	23%
Business Management	8	5%	3%
Other	19	11%	8%

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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>
Total Unique Respondents	170		
Total Responses	235		100%

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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	82	44%
No	106	56%
Total Responses	188	100%

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Q26 and Q27 are open-ended questions. Please request results.

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>
1	31	4%
2	205	29%
3	85	12%
4	190	27%
5	105	15%
6	49	7%
7	18	3%
8	8	1%
9+	9	1%
Total Responses	700	100%

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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	27	4%
Dissatisfied	11	2%
Somewhat dissatisfied	25	4%
Somewhat satisfied	89	13%
Satisfied	311	44%
Very Satisfied	237	34%
Total Responses	700	100%