EMPLOYMENT FACTS
FOR SPRING 2012 GRADUATES

WHERE THE RESPONDENTS ARE EMPLOYED

THE HIGHLIGHTS

- 86% of respondents indicated their major is helpful for their current position.
- 70% of respondents indicated their major is required for their current position.
- 82% of respondents are employed.
- Of the 18% that are unemployed, 57% are not seeking employment and 55% are planning to continue their education.
- 59% secured employment within 0-1 month after graduation.

ARTS & LETTERS

- 79% employed full- or part-time
- 44% continuing education in next year
- 1.7 months to secure employment

OVERALL AVERAGE SALARY, INCLUDING UNDERGRADUATE, GRADUATE, FULL- AND PART-TIME STUDENT INFORMATION

$25,200

HEALTH SCIENCES

- 87% employed full- or part-time
- 16% continuing education in next year
- 1.6 months to secure employment

OVERALL AVERAGE SALARY, INCLUDING UNDERGRADUATE, GRADUATE, FULL- AND PART-TIME STUDENT INFORMATION

$35,000

BUSINESS

- 87% employed full- or part-time
- 18% continuing education in next year
- 2.0 months to secure employment

OVERALL AVERAGE SALARY, INCLUDING UNDERGRADUATE, GRADUATE, FULL- AND PART-TIME STUDENT INFORMATION

$40,000

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING

- 72% employed full- or part-time
- 46% continuing education in next year
- 1.4 months to secure employment

OVERALL AVERAGE SALARY, INCLUDING UNDERGRADUATE, GRADUATE, FULL- AND PART-TIME STUDENT INFORMATION

$42,900

EDUCATION

- 85% employed full- or part-time
- 26% continuing education in next year
- 1.3 months to secure employment

OVERALL AVERAGE SALARY, INCLUDING UNDERGRADUATE, GRADUATE, FULL- AND PART-TIME STUDENT INFORMATION

$41,300

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Emailed survey sent approximately six months after graduation to a total of 991 spring and summer graduates / 34.8 percent response rate / 33 percent full completion. Unless otherwise specified all information presented is a combination of undergraduate and graduate data.

THE SURVEY PROCESS

- 34.5% of students provided first-destination data.
- Survey opened in November 2012 and closed in December 2012.
- Surveys took less than 2 minutes to complete.
- 96% of respondents that started the survey completed it.