Highlights of the Class

The data for this report were collected through Internet, e-mail, and telephone surveys, and social media. Staff from the office of Career and Internship Services surveyed alumni who received undergraduate degrees from UMD between July 1, 2012 and June 30, 2013. This report is based on responses from 1792 graduates (90% of the reported 1982 undergraduate students granted degrees during the time frame).

Of the 1792, 1704 (95%) reported "employed" or "continuing education,"
  • 1463 (82%) reported "employed,"
  • 241 (13%) reported "continuing education."

746 (48%) of 1570 respondents indicated they had completed an internship or co-op experience.

Of those who completed an internship or co-op experience,
  • 448 (61%) of 736 respondents reported they received academic credit for their internship or co-op,
  • 280 (38%) of 733 respondents reported receiving an offer of employment from the internship or co-op site,
  • 173 (62%) of 277 respondents accepted the offer.

273 (18%) of 1551 respondents indicated they had participated in a study abroad program.

Of the 1463 employed, 1436 (98%) responded to a question about the relevance of their jobs to their majors, with 1163 (81%) reporting employment "related" or "somewhat related" to major,
  • 835 (58%) reported employment "related" to major,
  • 328 (23%) reported employment "somewhat related" to major.

Of the 1463 employed, 1447 respondents indicated in which state they were employed and, of those, 1206 (83%) reported accepting employment in Minnesota.

Of the 1792, 60 (3%) reported they were still seeking employment.