Masters & Doctorates Highlights of the Class

89% Response Rate

96% Employment “Related” or “Somewhat Related” to major

96% Employed or Continuing Education

70% Employed in Minnesota

82% Employed

14% Continuing Education

The data for this report were collected through Internet, e-mail, and telephone surveys, and by using social media. Staff from the office of Career and Internship Services surveyed alumni who received graduate degrees (Masters and Doctorates) from UMD between July 1, 2017 and June 30, 2018. This report is based on responses from 208 graduates (89% of the reported 234 graduate students granted graduate degrees during the time frame).

Of the 208, 199 (96%) reported “employed” or “continuing education,”
  • 170 (82%) reported “employed,”
  • 29 (14%) reported “continuing education.”

Of the 170 employed, 169 (99%) responded to a question about the relevance of their jobs to their majors, with 163 (96%) reporting employment “related” or “somewhat related” to major;
  • 141 (83%) reported employment “related” to major;
  • 22 (13%) reported employment “somewhat related” to major.

Of the 170 employed, 169 respondents indicated in which state they were employed and, of those, 119 (70%) reported accepting employment in Minnesota.

Of the 208, 9 (4%) reported they were still seeking employment.