



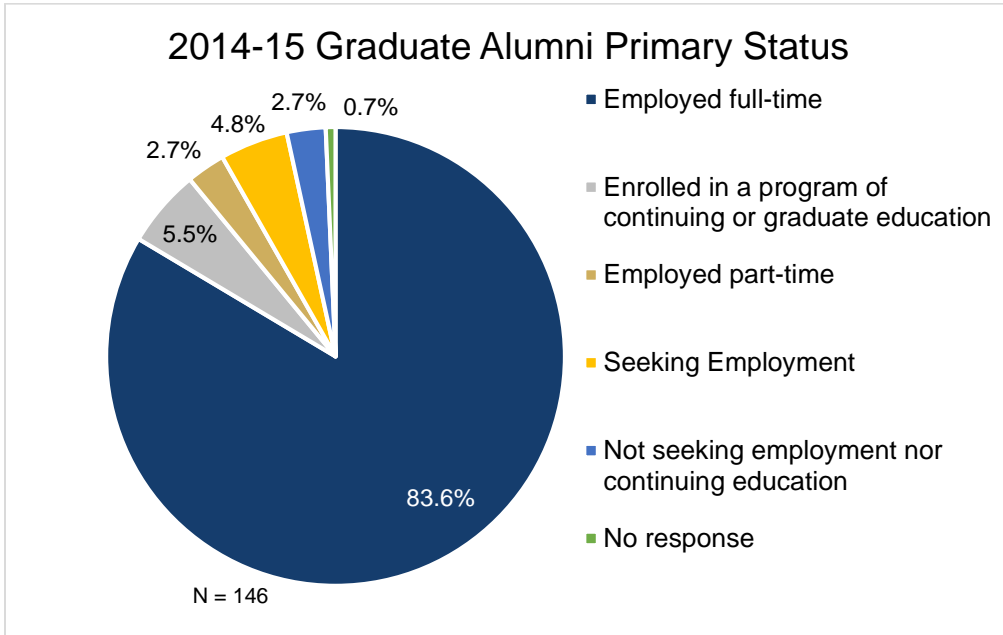
West Chester University of Pennsylvania: 2014-15 Graduate Alumni Survey

The 2014-15 Graduate Alumni Survey was administered to 682 graduate degree recipients during the spring of 2017 with the goal of capturing overall satisfaction, employment-search experience, post-graduation employment and/or continuing education, and the importance of various skills acquired while a graduate student.

A total of 146 graduate alumni responded to the survey for an overall response rate of 21.4% and 11 were recipients of a \$10 Amazon.com gift card offered by the State System as an incentive for participation. Of those 146 graduate alumni, 84% were employed full-time, while an additional 6% were enrolled in a program of continuing or graduate education. Less than 5% were seeking employment and less than 3% were neither seeking employment nor continuing their education.

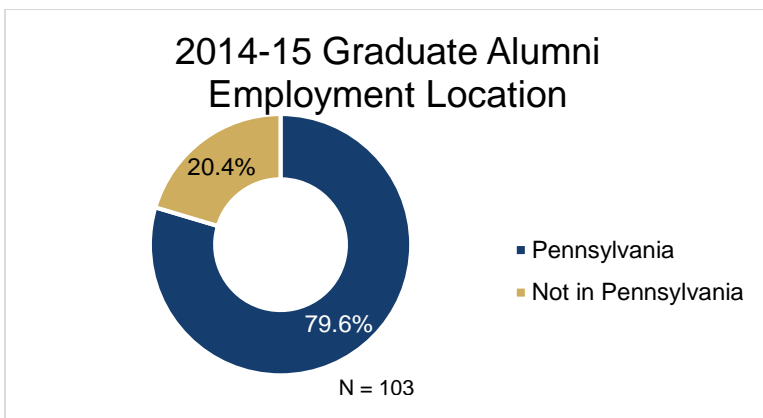
21.4%
Response Rate

A total of 146 alumni responded to the 2014-15 Graduate Alumni Survey



79.6%
employed in PA

Of those graduate alumni who were employed and provided employment information, 80% were employed in Pennsylvania.

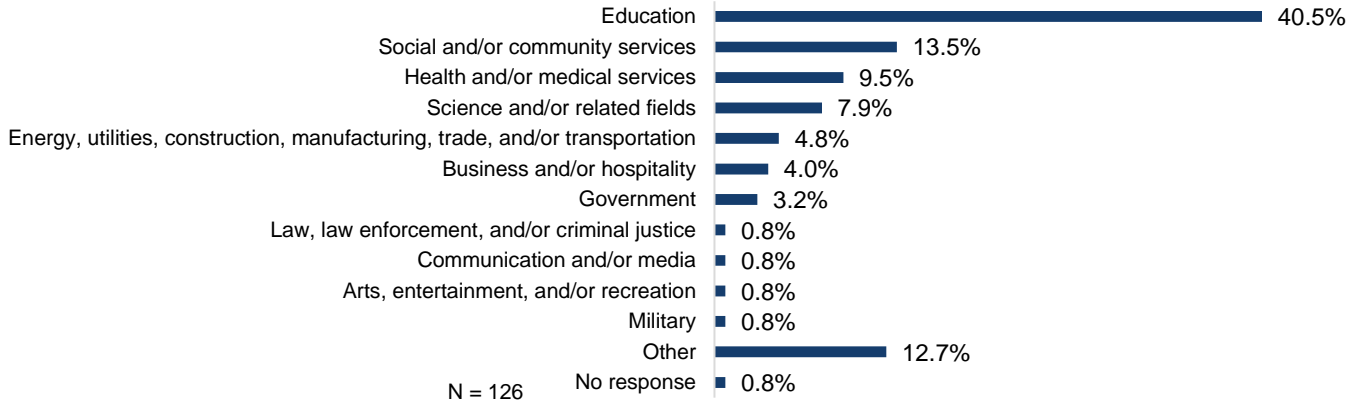


Of those graduate alumni who provided a location of employment, most are employed in PA



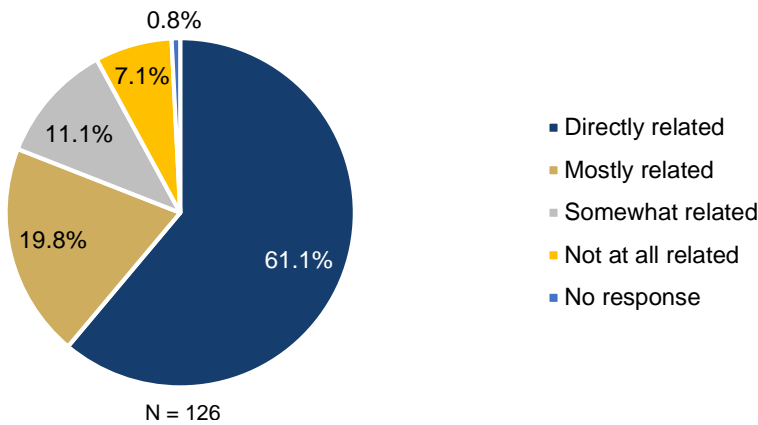
The education industry, social and/or community services industry, health and/or medical services industry, and the science and/or related fields industry employed over 71% of graduate alumni. The agriculture, forestry, fishing, and hunting industry did not employ any graduate alumni.

2014-15 Graduate Alumni Industry of Employment



Less than 8% of employed graduate alumni said their occupation is unrelated to their program/area of study, while over 61% said their job is directly related to their area of study.

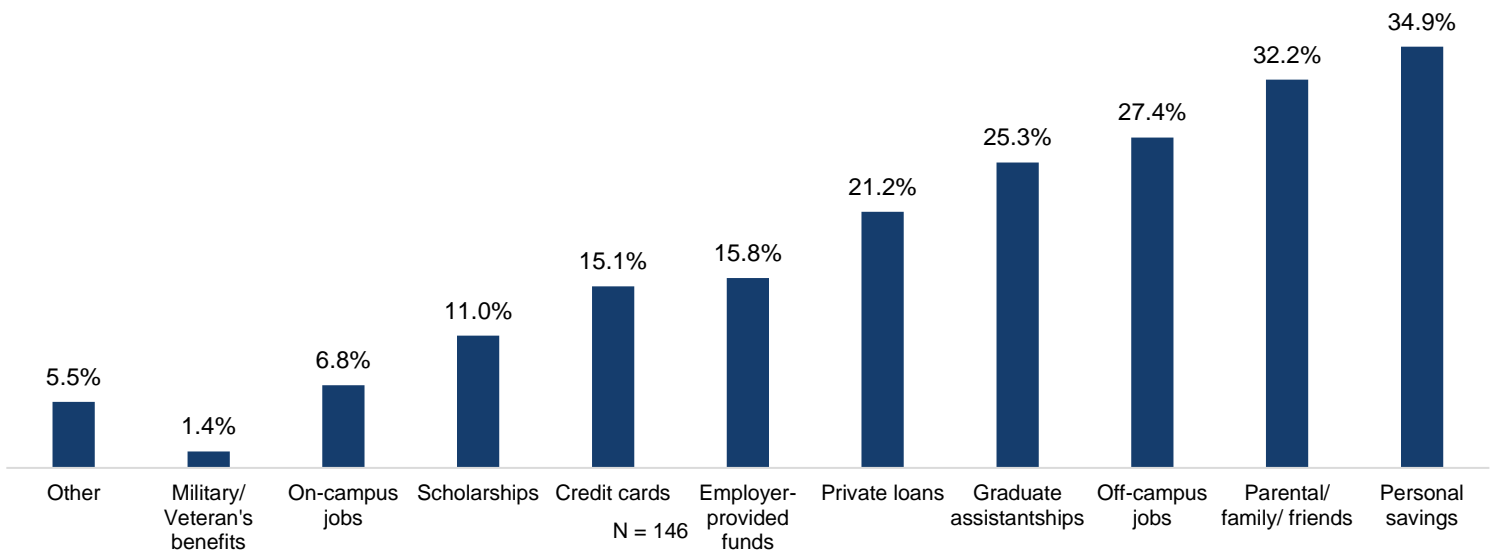
2014-15 Graduate Alumni Relationship between Occupation and Program





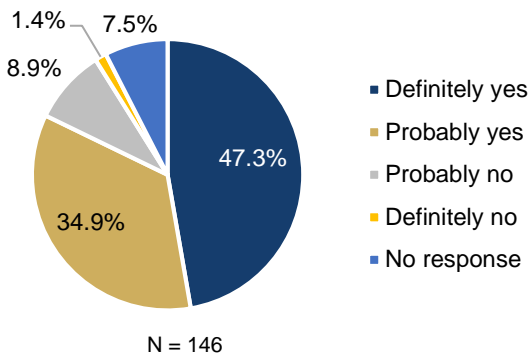
The top five sources for graduate alumni to cover their college expenses excluding Federal and/or State financial aid were from personal savings (35%), parental/family/friends contributions (32%), off-campus jobs (27%), graduate assistantships (25%), and private loans (21%).

2014-15 Graduate Alumni College Expense Payment Sources

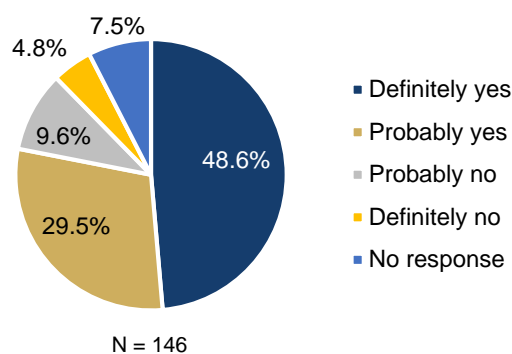


Overall, 82% of graduate alumni said they would choose the same university again if they had to do it over, while 78% would choose the same major(s).

2014-15 Graduate Alumni Choose Same University



2014-15 Graduate Alumni Choose Same Major(s)



82.2% would choose same University

If they had to do it over again, while 78.1% would choose the same major