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Wright State University
First Destination Survey: 2017-18

The First Destination Survey was administered to students during the first year after graduation from Wright State University. The survey was emailed to all students who graduated between July 1, 2017, and June 30, 2018 (Summer 2017, Fall 2017, and Spring 2018). All data are self-reported by the respondent at the time of the survey completion. For some occupations, the State of Ohio may require additional licensure/permits beyond a college degree/credential. For a list of additional requirements/permits, visit <https://ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/site/jobs/resources/licenses-and-permits>

Reporting Methodology: Data are reported for respondents who completed the survey for the semester in which they graduated. For respondents who may have completed more than one survey (i.e., earned degrees in more than one semester during the reporting time frame), data from the latest completed survey are reported. Degree/credential and college-level data are reported for the highest degree/credential earned and by first major.

Number of Surveys Emailed

College	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
College of Education and Human Services	27		371	211	1	610
College of Engineering and Computer Science	31		405	351	19	806
College of Liberal Arts	85		523	130		738
College of Nursing and Health	21		198	61	1	281
College of Science and Mathematics	22		313	110	20	465
Raj Soin College of Business	17		395	192		604
Lake Campus	1	48	100			149
Boonshoft School of Medicine	38			43	1	82
School of Professional Psychology				23	15	38
Total	242	48	2,305	1,121	57	3,773

Response Rate

College	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
College of Education and Human Services	0%		6%	8%	0%	7%
College of Engineering and Computer Science	13%		7%	8%	16%	8%
College of Liberal Arts	7%		7%	8%		7%
College of Nursing and Health	0%		3%	8%	0%	4%
College of Science and Mathematics	0%		10%	5%	5%	8%
Raj Soin College of Business	6%		8%	8%		8%
Lake Campus	0%	4%	8%			7%
Boonshoft School of Medicine	5%			12%	0%	9%
School of Professional Psychology				0%	0%	0%
Total	5%	4%	7%	8%	7%	7%

Primary Pursuit After Graduation

Primary Pursuit After Graduation	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
Continuing Education	15%	0%	20%	9%	0%	16%
Military	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Not Seeking	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Still Looking	31%	50%	34%	42%	25%	36%
Volunteering	0%	0%	2%	1%	0%	1%
Working	54%	50%	43%	48%	75%	46%

Post-Graduation Degree Sought

Continuing Education Level	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
No Response	85%	100%	80%	91%	100%	84%
Associates	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Bachelors	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Masters	15%	0%	15%	0%	0%	10%
Doctorate	0%	0%	3%	9%	0%	5%

Median Salary

College	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree
College of Education and Human Services			\$36,500	\$32,500	
College of Engineering and Computer Science	**		\$60,000	\$66,000	**
College of Liberal Arts	**		\$36,000	\$50,000	
College of Nursing and Health			**	**	
College of Science and Mathematics			\$27,000	**	
Raj Soin College of Business	**		\$38,000	\$54,000	
Lake Campus		**	**		
Boonshoft School of Medicine	**			**	
School of Professional Psychology					
Total	\$46,500	**	\$39,000	\$56,500	**

Note. Median salaries have been rounded to the nearest \$500. **Less than five responses.

Job Location

Employer Location	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
No Response	31%	50%	32%	42%	25%	35%
Arizona	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
California	0%	0%	1%	2%	25%	1%
Colorado	0%	0%	2%	1%	0%	1%
Florida	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Georgia	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Indiana	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%

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Job Location (continued)

Employer Location	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
Michigan	0%	0%	0%	1%	25%	1%
Missouri	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Mississippi	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Ohio	69%	50%	57%	45%	25%	53%
Pennsylvania	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Tennessee	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Texas	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Virginia	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Washington	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Washington, DC	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
United States (State not provided)	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Outside United States	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%	1%

Employer Industry

Employer Industry	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
No Response	46%	50%	56%	52%	25%	54%
Accounting	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Advertising, PR & Marketing	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Automotive	0%	0%	4%	1%	0%	3%
Civil Engineering	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Commercial Banking & Credit	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Computer Networking	8%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Construction	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
CPG - Consumer Packaged Goods	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Defense	8%	0%	3%	3%	0%	3%
Design	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Electronic & Computer Hardware	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Food & Beverage	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Government - Local, State & Federal	0%	0%	3%	5%	0%	3%
Healthcare	0%	0%	4%	8%	0%	5%
Higher Education	0%	0%	2%	5%	0%	3%
Human Resources	0%	0%	0%	0%	25%	0%
Insurance	8%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Internet & Software	8%	0%	1%	2%	0%	2%
Investment / Portfolio Management	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Investment Banking	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
K-12 Education	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%
Legal & Law Enforcement	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Management Consulting	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Manufacturing - Other	0%	0%	5%	6%	0%	5%
Non-Profit - Other	8%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Other Industries	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%
Real Estate	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Research	0%	0%	1%	0%	25%	1%
Restaurants & Food Service	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Retail Stores	8%	0%	3%	1%	25%	3%
Scientific and Technical Consulting	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Social Assistance	8%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Sports & Leisure	0%	50%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Transportation & Logistics	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Utilities and Renewable Energy	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Veterinary	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

Job Function

Job Function	Certificate	Associate Degree	Baccalaureate Degree	Masters Degree	Doctoral Degree	Grand Total
No Response	46%	50%	55%	51%	25%	53%
Accounting	0%	0%	3%	0%	0%	2%
Administration	0%	0%	2%	6%	0%	3%
Advertising, Media & PR	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Business Development	0%	0%	1%	1%	25%	1%
Community & Social Services	0%	0%	4%	0%	0%	2%
Counseling	8%	0%	2%	3%	0%	3%
Customer/Technical Support	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Data & Analytics	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%
Design / Art	0%	50%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Education / Teaching / Training	8%	0%	1%	3%	0%	2%
Engineering - Civil / Mechanical / Other	0%	0%	7%	5%	0%	5%
Engineering - Web / Software	8%	0%	3%	2%	0%	3%
Environmental / Sustainability Mgmt	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%
Finance	0%	0%	2%	5%	0%	3%
General Management	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Healthcare Services	0%	0%	2%	5%	0%	3%
Human Resources	8%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Information Technology	23%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%
Logistics & Supply Chain	0%	0%	1%	2%	0%	1%
Marketing - Brand Management	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%

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Marketing - General	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Military & Protective Services	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Operations / Production	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Other	0%	0%	4%	0%	0%	3%
Product / Project Management	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%
Purchasing	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Quality Assurance	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Research	0%	0%	1%	5%	50%	3%
Sales	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%
Veterinary / Animal Care	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%