Post-Graduation Activity 2015–16

93% of degree recipients were actively engaged.

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<th>Category</th>
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<td>Actively Engaged</td>
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<td>Employed full time</td>
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<td>Employed part time</td>
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<td>Continuing education</td>
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<td>Military service</td>
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<td>Not Actively Engaged</td>
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<td>Unemployed and seeking employment</td>
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Full-time Employment

- Median salary was $32,500 to $37,500 (based on 82 responses).
- 76% were located in Michigan.
- 49% indicated their job was related to their degree.
- 75% were satisfied with their job.

About the Data

Graduating students were asked to provide their information through the WMU Post-Graduation Activity Survey within three months of their date of graduation. Some additional data was obtained from students’ public professional profiles.

Bachelor's degree recipients 270
Post-graduation data was obtained for 180 (67%)
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### Sample Job Titles and Employers

- 2nd Lieutenant at Michigan Air National Guard
- Account Manager at Robert Half Management
- Analyst at Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan
- Anesthesia Technician at University of Michigan Health Systems
- Assistant Equipment Manager at Davidson College
- Assistant Principal at Lansing School District
- Branch & Marketing Manager at Marshall Community Credit Union
- Brand Ambassador at Winston Grey
- Captain at Allegan County Sheriff's Office
- Case Manager at Hegira Programs
- Community Support Specialist at Van Buren Community Mental Health
- Content Editor at Gracenote
- Costume Designer at Shaw Weber Studios
- Database Builder at Community Homeworks
- Demand Planning Manager at Wolverine Worldwide
- Designer at Dart Container
- Director at Pathfinder Kids
- Director of Administration at Cornerstone United Methodist Church
- Director of IT at Donald W. Reynolds Foundation
- Educational ASL Interpreter at Kalamazoo RESA
- Event Coordinator at University of Georgia
- Formulation R&D Technician at Perrigo
- HR Coordinator at Mattawan School District
- Inbound Logistics Coordinator at Big Dutchman
- Job Coach at GateWay Services
- Lead Web Developer and CEO at Yupoyo Web Design
- Literacy Tutor at AmeriCorps
- Marketing Manager at Eckert Wordell
- Medical Technologist at Community Health Center of Branch County
- Missionary at Adventures in Missions
- Nuclear Missile Operator at United States Air Force
- Outreach Coordinator (AmeriCorps VISTA) at REACH Studio Art Center
- Packaging Engineer at Perrigo
- Pharmacy Technician at CVS
- Prepress, Webpage & Graphic Design at iPartnerMedia
- Preschool Teacher at Explore and Grow
- Process Engineer at Evergreen Packaging
- Project Scientist at Envirologic Technologies
- Quality Assurance Specialist at US Army, Japan
- Quality Operations Lab Technician at Pfizer
- Registered Behavior Technician at Residential Opportunities Inc.
- Reiki Practitioner and Patient Advocate at Natural Health Improvement Center
- Research and Development Laboratory Technician at Axalta Coating Systems
- Resident Artist at Kalamazoo Education For the Arts
- Section Sergeant at Michigan Air National Guard
- Self-Employed Nanny
- Site Director at YMCA
- Sr. AV Specialist at Logicalis
- Superintendent of Public Works at City of Wayland
- Supply Chain Analyst at Veritiv
- Talent Acquisition Specialist at Arrow Strategies
- Teacher at Universidad Nacional Pedro Henríquez Ureña

### Sample Continuing Education Choices

- Bachelors in Criminal Justice at WMU
- Doctorate in Chiropractic at Palmer College of Chiropractic
- Law at Loyola University
- Masters in Anthropology at WMU
- Masters in East Asian Studies at Kyung Hee University
- Masters in Educational Leadership at WMU
- Masters in Library Science at Wayne State
- Masters in Occupational Therapy at Eastern Michigan University
- Masters in Public Administration at WMU
- Masters in School Counseling at WMU
- Masters in Social Work at University of Michigan
- Masters in Speech Pathology at WMU
- Masters in Sport Management at WMU
- Nursing at KVCC
- Specialty Program in Alcohol and Drug Abuse at WMU
- Teacher Certification at California State University Long Beach

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