CAREER PLANS SURVEY  Preliminary Report (10/23/2015)*
College of Arts and Sciences - Class of 2015
*Final full report will be posted in January

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<th>PRIMARY POST GRAD PLANS, COLLEGE OF ARTS &amp; SCIENCES</th>
<th>2015</th>
<th>2014*</th>
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<tr>
<td>Full-Time Employed</td>
<td>69.3%</td>
<td>61%</td>
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<td>Part-Time Employed</td>
<td>4.1%</td>
<td>2%</td>
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<td>Continuing Education</td>
<td>16.9%</td>
<td>18%</td>
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<td>Other/Travel</td>
<td>2.7%</td>
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<td>Seeking Employment</td>
<td>3.7%</td>
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<td>Seeking Continuing Education</td>
<td>3%</td>
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<td><strong>Number of degrees awarded:</strong></td>
<td>1,544</td>
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<td><strong>Number of surveys returned:</strong></td>
<td>1,192</td>
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<td><strong>Response rate:</strong></td>
<td>77%</td>
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*Reflects data from preliminary report in October 2014

**FIELDS OF GRADUATE STUDY, 2015**

- Medicine: 29%
- Law: 18%
- Science: 13%
- Social Sciences: 8%
- Other Health: 8%
- Humanities: 8%
- Engineering: 3%
- Business: 3%
- Education: 3%
- Arts: 5%

85% of those working full-time or going to grad school reported that they used Penn Career Services.

**TOP GRADUATE SCHOOLS, 2015**

Graduate schools accepting between 2-25 students

- Penn University of Pennsylvania
- New York University (NYU)
- Harvard University
- University of Oxford
- Stanford University
- Columbia University
- Yale University
- University of Cambridge
- The University of Chicago
- Princeton University
- Temple University
- University of Southern California (USC)

**AVERAGE SALARY*, 2015**

(*omits stipends below $20,000)

$60,603

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**METHOD OF OBTAINING ACCEPTED JOB OFFER**

- Applied Directly to Organization: 26.5%
- On-Campus Recruiting (OCR): 23.6%
- Other Career Services Leads: 12.1%
- Contacts/Family/Friend/Alumni: 9.3%
- Previous Employer/Internship from OCR: 10%
- Previous Employer/Internship: 10.4%
- Other: 4.9%
- Professor/ Department Referral: 3.2%

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**WHEN STUDENTS RECEIVED THEIR OFFERS**

(For Full-Time and Short-Term Positions)

- Before Start of Fall Semester: 36%
- Fall Semester of Senior Year: 31%
- Summer after Senior Year: 14%
- Fall after Senior Year: 17%
- Spring Semester of Senior Year: 2%