

2008 MBA GRADUATE PLACEMENT DATA<sup>1</sup>**PLACEMENT STATISTICS**

% of MBA Graduates employed within 6 months.....	93% <sup>2</sup>
% of MBA Graduates promoted within their same organization during or after the program.....	26%

**EMPLOYMENT PROFILE**

Average salary.....	\$80,882 <sup>3</sup>
Average salary increase for industry changer.....	45%
Average salary increase for function changer.....	45%
% receiving signing bonus, commission, or stock options.....	41%

**AVERAGE SIZE OF COMPANY**

% Self Employed.....	4%
% under 20 Employees.....	4%
% 20 – 100 Employees.....	9%
% 100 – 500 Employees.....	17%
% 500 – 1000 Employees.....	9%
% over 1000 Employees.....	57%

**TOP FIVE RESOURCES GRADUATES FOUND HELPFUL DURING JOB SEARCH**

Friends/Colleagues.....	86%
Career Services Office one-on-one appointments.....	84%
Websites.....	83%
SOM Alumnae Contacts.....	79%
Outside networking events.....	70%

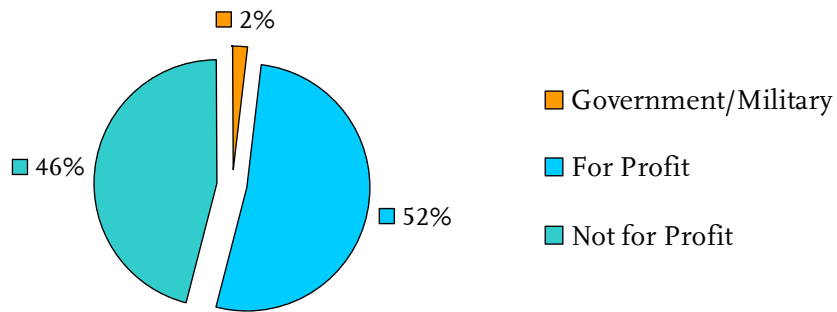
**OVERALL SATISFACTION WITH CAREER SERVICES OFFICE** ..... 4.3 (on 5pt scale)

<sup>1</sup> A total of 52 responses were received, for a response rate of 81%. 2 responses were incomplete and are used only when relevant information was completed.

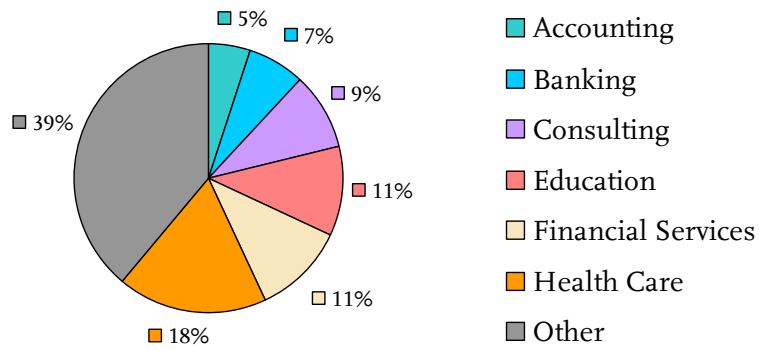
<sup>2</sup> Out of 52 responses, 6 are not seeking employment (either because they choose to stay in their current position or for personal reasons) and 2 are self-employed. 41 of the remaining 44 are employed (either through promotion inside their existing organization or in a new organization).

<sup>3</sup> Data does not include annual bonuses or commission.

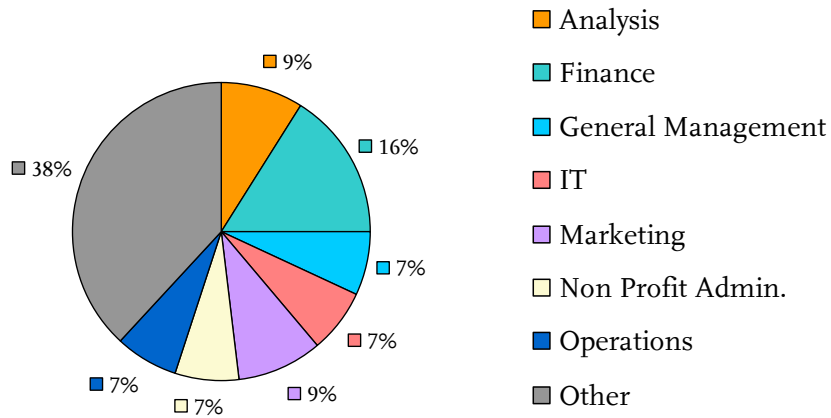
## % OF GRADUATES EMPLOYED BY SECTOR



## % OF GRADUATES EMPLOYED BY INDUSTRY<sup>4</sup>



## % OF GRADUATES EMPLOYED BY FUNCTION<sup>5</sup>



<sup>4</sup> Other: Biotechnology, Environmental, Fashion/Cosmetics, Government, High Tech, Hospitality, Insurance, Law, Non Profit, Retail, & Others.

<sup>5</sup> Other: Account Management, Accounting, Business Owner, Consulting, Creative, Human Resources, Planning, Management, Project Management, Research, & Other.

## 2008 GRADUATE PLACEMENTS – PARTIAL LIST

3M	Clinical Trainer
athenahealth	Learning and Development Associate
Bank of America	Assistant VP (MBA Rotational Program)
Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts	Financial Analyst
Buck Consulting (an ACS company)	Senior Associate
Center for Women & Enterprise	Director of Program & Service Delivery
Harvard Business School	Research Associate
Harvard University	Assistant Dean for Arts and Humanities
Harvard University	Financial Analyst
Harvard University	Manager of Client Relations and Product Development
Hebrew SeniorLife	Associate Director of the Hospitalized Elder Life Program
Libya Oil Kenya LTD	Cost Account Analyst
Management Sciences for Health	Project Support Officer
Manomet Center for Conservation Sciences	Director of Finance and Operations
MIT	Leadership Giving Officer
MIT Sloan School of Management	Associate Director, Major Gifts
Morrison Mahoney LLP	IT Director
New England Aquarium	Human Resources Generalist
Partners Healthcare	Partners Research Management Training Program
Partners Healthcare	Application Analyst I
Procter & Gamble	Optima Release Manager
Shire Human Genetic Therapies	Marketing Analyst
Town of Danvers	Program Engineer
Trinity Partners LLC	Business Analyst
Wellington Management International Ltd	Business Analyst



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