

Summary Results
First Destinations Outcomes
Survey Baccalaureate
Class of 2019

METHODOLOGY & TERMINOLOGY

Simmons subscribes to the guidelines for undergraduate outcomes data collection and reporting first published by the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) in January, 2014. The Career Education Center surveyed all four graduating baccalaureate cohorts that comprise the Class of 2019: August and October, 2018, and January and May, 2019. The survey period ran up to approximately seven months out from the last of the four cohorts (December 31, 2019). We used the Outcomes Survey tool from Handshake to administer the survey online. We then supplemented the online survey with phone calls, with additional data gathered from the offices of the Registrar and Advancement as well as LinkedIn. We also adopted the NACE terminology, hence “Knowledge Rate” (all data obtained from survey responses and other sources) and “Career Outcomes Rate” (percent engaged either FT or PT, continuing education, volunteering, or in the military).

For further information, please contact the Simmons University Career Education Center, (617) 521-2488 or careers@simmons.edu.

UNIVERSITY KNOWLEDGE RATE

Knowledge Rate: includes direct responses to survey, and additional reliable sources including: registrar’s office, office of alumni relations, faculty, online sources such as LinkedIn.

Knowledge Rate (% for whom data obtained): 66%

Total No. of Graduates Surveyed: 487

Total No. for Whom Data Obtained: 320

No. of Cohorts Surveyed: 4 (Aug & Oct, 2018; Jan & May, 2019)

CAREER OUTCOMES

Career Outcomes Rate:	91%
Employed Full-Time:	60%
Engaged in Military or Volunteer Service:	2%
Enrolled/Enrolling in Continuing Education: Full-time Rate (sub-total):	<u>22%</u>
	<u>84%</u>
Employed Part-Time (temp, internship, etc.):	<u>8%</u>
Seeking Employment:	8%
Other:	0%
(sub-total):	<u>8%</u>
TOTAL:	100%

EMPLOYMENT

Top Fields of Employment	Rank	# of graduates in this field	Percentage of graduates in this field
Healthcare	1	85	39.91%
Higher Education	2	21	9.86%
Retail Stores	3	11	5.16%
Non-Profit-Other	4	10	4.69%
Advertising, PR & Marketing	5	7	3.29%
Government-Local, State & Federal	6	7	3.29%
Other Industries	7	7	3.29%
Internet & Software	8	6	2.82%
Social Assistance	9	6	2.82%
Research	10	5	2.35%

Top Employers

More than two hires:

- Brigham and Women's Hospital
- Massachusetts General Hospital
- Boston Children's Hospital
- Simmons University
- Boston Medical Center
- Tufts Medical Center

Two hires each:

- Connection
- Franciscan Children's
- Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health
- Massachusetts House of Representatives
- Newton-Wellesley Hospital
- Staples, Inc.
- Tufts University

Select Other Employers:

- Amazon
- Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
- Boston Public Health Commission
- Boston Symphony Orchestra
- Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard
- Columbia University
- Dana-Farber Cancer Institute
- Harvard University
- Massachusetts Department of Children and Families
- Mayo Clinic
- Museum of Fine Arts Boston
- Spaulding Hospital
- Ten Bridge Communications
- The Johns Hopkins Hospital
- The Walt Disney Company

Relation to Major:

Very Related/Somewhat Related: 87%

Starting Salary:

- Average Salary \$45,749
- Median Salary \$43,616
- Range \$8,400-\$104,000

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Enrolled/Enrolling in Continuing Education: 22%

Top Graduate Schools (two or more enrolled):

- **Simmons University**
- **Boston College**
- **Boston University**
- **Tufts University**
- **University of Maine**

Selected Other Graduate Schools:

- **Cornell University**
- **Duke University**
- **Georgetown University**
- **Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences**
- **MGH Institute of Health Professions**
- **New England School of Law**
- **Northwestern University**
- **Regis College**
- **Suffolk University Law School**
- **University of Massachusetts Medical School at Worcester**