Masters & Doctorates Highlights of the Class

93% Response Rate

96% Employment “Related” or “Somewhat Related” to major

97% Employed or Continuing Education

85% Employed

11% Continuing Education

70% Employed in Minnesota

The data for this report were collected through Internet, e-mail, and telephone surveys, and by using social media. Staff from the office of Career and Internship Services surveyed alumni who received graduate degrees (Masters and Doctorates) from UMD between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017. This report is based on responses from 201 graduates (93% of the reported 217 graduate students granted graduate degrees during the time frame).

Of the 201, 194 (97%) reported “employed” or “continuing education,”
• 171 (85%) reported “employed,”
• 23 (11%) reported “continuing education.”

Of the 171 employed, 171 (100%) responded to a question about the relevance of their jobs to their majors, with 164 (96%) reporting employment “related” or “somewhat related” to major,
• 144 (84%) reported employment “related” to major,
• 20 (12%) reported employment “somewhat related” to major.

Of the 171 employed, 171 respondents indicated in which state they were employed and, of those, 119 (70%) reported accepting employment in Minnesota.

Of the 201, 5 (2%) reported they were still seeking employment.