Placement in Employment, Job Placement, and Graduate and Professional Education

Introduction

The Office of Career Services prepares an annual First Destination Report about Life after CCGA. The graduating class is surveyed, and research continues for at least six months after graduation with a goal of at least 80% of the graduating class responding to at least one survey. This executive summary represents data results from students graduating (N=430) during the 2014-15 academic year.

The survey cohort consists of Bachelor-level graduates from Business, Health Informatics, Public Affairs, Education, Psychology, Biology and Nursing. The cohort also consists of Career Associate-level graduates in Radiologic Science, Clinical Laboratory Technology, Hotel Operations/Culinary Arts and Nursing. Lastly, Associate for Transfer graduates from over 46 pre-majors were included in the survey. The overall response rate was 64%.

Employment Placement

A sample of organizations who hired CCGA graduates this past year include: Southeastern Pathology, Southeast Georgia Health System, US Department of Homeland Security, International Auto Processing, Memorial Hospital, Coastal Regional Commission Area on Agency, Sea Island Company, Glynn County Health Department, Glynn County School System, GEO Group, Edward Jones Investments, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, Long County School System, Toombs County Board of Education, UF Health Jacksonville, Satilla Riverkeeper, and Warner Robbins Air Force Base.

Job Placement

- 36% of respondents indicated that they had secured either full-time or part-time employment.
- 65% of graduates who reported being employed indicated that the position they found was in their area of study.

Graduate and Professional Education

According to information collected for the class of 2015, 13% of surveyed graduates planned to pursue further graduate or professional school study within one year or in the near future. A sample of institutions where recent graduates are planning to enroll include:

- Georgia Southern University (GA)
- University of Georgia (GA)
- Savannah State University (GA)
- Eastern Tennessee State University (TN)