



Future Plans of Bachelor's Degree Recipients

Spring 2009

On May 9, 2009, 442 undergraduate students graduated with a bachelor's degree. Bachelor degree recipients who attended commencement on May 9, 2009 were asked to complete a brief graduation exit survey about their future plans. These students were asked "**What is MOST LIKELY to be your PRINCIPAL activity upon graduation?**" Of the 442 undergraduate students graduating in the Spring 2009 semester, 367 students completed the survey, which is a 83% response rate. An analysis of the survey responses is shown below:

ECU Undergraduate Graduation Exit Survey May 9, 2009

Category	<i>n</i>	%
Employment, full-time paid	261	61%
Employment, part-time paid	20	5%
Graduate or professional school, full-time	81	19%
Graduate or professional school, part-time	40	9%
Additional undergraduate coursework	9	2%
Military service	3	1%
Volunteer activity (e.g., Peace Corps)	0	0%
Starting or raising a family	6	1%
Other	10	2%
Total	430	100%

Note: Some students may have selected more than one category.