

Job Placement/Employment information of Wayland Graduates

NOTE: Information comes from the 2016 Wayland Survey of Alumni. More information can be obtained by contacting the Office of Institutional Research and Effectiveness at (806) 291-3406.

What was your primary goal for attending Wayland?	N	%
Advance in current job	47	38.5%
Preparation for employment	24	19.7%
Preparation for grad school	7	5.7%
Personal enrichment/general education	44	36.1%
Other	-	-
Total	122	

Which best describes your first job after Wayland?	N	%
Continued Education	4	3.3%
Government	31	25.4%
Armed Services	17	13.9%
Nonprofit	3	2.5%
Local Business	9	7.4%
Regional Business	3	2.5%
National/Multinational Corporation	5	4.1%
Church	1	0.8%
Public School, College, University	18	14.8%
Professional (Doctor, Lawyer, etc.)	1	0.8%
Self-Employed/Private Practice	7	5.7%
Other Type of Employment	10	8.2%
Not Employed or Enrolled in School	13	10.7%
Total	122	

Which best describes your current job?	N	%
Continued Education	3	2.5%
Government	34	28.3%
Armed Services	11	9.2%
Nonprofit	3	2.5%
Local Business	10	8.3%
Regional Business	1	0.8%
National/Multinational Corporation	5	4.2%
Church	3	2.5%
Public School, College, University	20	16.7%
Professional (Doctor, Lawyer, etc.)	1	0.8%
Self-Employed/Private Practice	7	5.8%

Other Type of Employment	8	6.7%
Not Employed or Enrolled in School	14	11.7%
Total	120	

What was your salary in your first full-time job after graduation?	N	%
I did not seek full-time employment	15	12.2%
Less than \$10,000	1	0.8%
\$10,000-\$14,999	1	0.8%
\$15,000-\$19,999	3	2.4%
\$20,000-\$24,999	2	1.6%
\$25,000-\$29,999	7	5.7%
\$30,000-\$34,999	5	4.1%
\$35,000-\$39,999	6	4.9%
\$40,000-\$49,999	20	16.3%
\$50,000-\$59,999	11	8.9%
\$60,000 or above	34	27.6%
No response	18	14.6%
Total	123	

How long did it take you to find a job after graduation?	N	%
I did not seek full-time employment	17	13.8%
I was employed at the time of graduation	74	60.2%
Less than 1 month	5	4.1%
1-3 months	10	8.1%
4-6 months	10	8.1%
More than 6 monts	7	5.7%
Total	123	

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements:

My current job is related to my major	N	%
Strongly Agree	35	30.2%
Agree	31	26.7%
Neither Agree nor Disagree	13	11.2%
Disagree	10	8.6%
Strongly Disagree	11	9.5%
N/A	16	13.8%
Total	116	

My education prepared me for my employment	N	%
Strongly Agree	25	21.2%
Agree	41	34.7%

Neither Agree nor Disagree	22	18.6%
Disagree	8	6.8%
Strongly Disagree	5	4.2%
N/A	17	14.4%
Total	118	

My current job is appropriate to degree and level of education	N	%
Strongly Agree	31	26.3%
Agree	36	30.5%
Neither Agree nor Disagree	14	11.9%
Disagree	10	8.5%
Strongly Disagree	12	10.2%
N/A	15	12.7%
Total	118	

If your current job is not related to your major, why?	N	%
Couldn't find a job closely related to major	11	27.5%
Didn't take the major to apply toward a profession	6	15.0%
Major has no direct connection with employment	5	12.5%
Confined job search to city or region	4	10.0%
Job search limited due to need to match career	1	2.5%
Developed new career interest after college	5	12.5%
Jobs in field didn't pay well	1	2.5%
Jobs in field didn't offer advancement	1	2.5%
Found great opportunity in unrelated field	5	12.5%
Don't have skills/knowledge to obtain employment in field	1	2.5%
Total	40	

Wayland has high-quality undergrad programs	N	%
Strongly Agree	61	50.0%
Agree	44	36.1%
Neither Agree nor Disagree	14	11.5%
Disagree	3	2.5%
Strongly Disagree	0	0.0%
Total	122	

Wayland has high-quality graduate programs	N	%
Strongly Agree	49	40.8%
Agree	40	33.3%
Neither Agree nor Disagree	28	23.3%
Disagree	2	1.7%
Strongly Disagree	1	0.8%
Total	120	

Wayland's academic programs are worth the cost	N	%
Strongly Agree	57	46.7%
Agree	47	38.5%
Neither Agree nor Disagree	11	9.0%
Disagree	5	4.1%
Strongly Disagree	2	1.6%
Total	122	