Career Services Alumni Survey, Summer/Spring 2010 Cohorts

The Career Services Alumni Survey was administered via the web in March and April 2011 to 3318 graduate and undergraduate alumni graduating in spring and summer 2010. A total of 289 complete responses were received, resulting in a 9% response rate.

Selected Survey Highlights

Employment Status

- 54% of respondents are employed full-time
- 16% are employed part-time
- 15% are pursuing a graduate degree

Finding a position

- 37% of those employed found their current position on employer web sites
- 31% found their position on internet employment sites
- 45% found employment before attending or while attending EWU
- 44% found employment within 6 months after graduation

Salary and Relevance to Major

- 26% estimate their salary less than $20,000
- 35% estimate their salary greater than $40,000
- 82% stated that their employment was related to their major

Career Services/EWU Experiences

- 55% of respondents reported having an internship/practicum while in college
- 72% reported having “career-related experiences prior to graduation”
- 18% reported volunteering before graduation
- 37% used Career Services resources while in college