

**May 2013 Future Plans Survey
College of Natural Resources
Summary Report**

This report presents summary results from the May 2013 Future Plans Survey for departments in the College of Natural Resources, followed by summary information on employment and further education for the college as a whole.

Department Summaries

The following table provides summary statistics for May 2013 graduates in each of the College of Natural Resources departments. It includes the number of students in the department who graduated in May 2013 and the number of those students who submitted the Future Plans Survey. It also includes the number of students who indicated that at the time of the survey they had already accepted a full-time position (including military and volunteer work [e.g., Peace Corps]), and the number who indicated they were either attending or planning on attending graduate or professional school in the coming year. Finally, it includes summary statistics on the self-reported salaries of those having accepting full-time employment.

Table 1: Department Summaries

	Survey Population	Survey Respondents	Response Rate	N Full Time Job	N Grad/ Prof School	25th Percentile Salary	Median Salary	75th Percentile Salary	Average Salary	N Reported Salary
Forestry	70	46	65.7%	15	9	\$6,250	\$26,250	\$36,250	\$25,357	14
Parks, Rec & Tourism Mgmt	85	38	44.7%	21	3	\$13,750	\$18,750	\$26,250	\$22,279	17
Wood & Paper Science	23	10	43.5%	9	1	\$61,250	\$66,250	\$66,250	\$62,639	9
CNR Overall	178	94	52.8%	45	13	\$16,250	\$26,250	\$48,750	\$32,438	40

Full-Time Employment (college overall)

Table 2: Name of Company/Organization

	N
Aurauco flakeboard	1
Beyond Organic	1
Carolina Railhawks	1
Cascades Tissue Group	1
Classic Cab Company	1
Cru Global	2
Dugout Media	1
Duke Energy	1
EHG	1
Enzymatic Deinking Technologies	1
ExxonMobil	1
Georgia Pacific	1
IP	1
Indianapolis Colts NFL Team	1
Intrepid Marketing Group	1
Jimmy Johns	1
Kepley Frank Hardwood	1
Kimberly-Clark	1
MHC Kenworth	1
McConnell Golf	1
Mead West Vecco	1

Table 2: Name of Company/Organization, *continued*

	N
Michael D. Neal & Associates	1
Mount Mitchell State Park	1
NC DENR	1
NC State Entomology Department	1
NC State University	2
NC Wildlife Resources Commission	1
Octagon Sports & Entertainment	1
Residence Inn Raleigh Crabtree	1
SCA and Mattamuskeet NWR	1
Sepi Engineering and Construction	1
Sport2Sport	1
Sporting Kansas City	1
St. Louis Cardinals	1
The Aspire Group at the University of Alabama at Birmingham	1
The Special Event Company	1
Timbco LLC.	1
US Air Force	1
Walt Disney Company	1
Williamsburg Club	1
YMCA	1
Youth Advocacy and Involvement Office	1
Zee Water & Energy	1

Table 3: Location of Company (state)

	N	%
North Carolina	26	60.5
Not sure	2	4.7
Georgia	2	4.7
Louisiana	2	4.7
Kansas	2	4.7
Missouri	1	2.3
Indiana	1	2.3
South Carolina	1	2.3
Texas	1	2.3
Alabama	1	2.3
Mississippi	1	2.3
Florida	1	2.3
Virginia	1	2.3
Colorado	1	2.3

Table 4: Region of Company (inside/outside NC Triangle)

	N	%
Outside NC	18	41.9
Triangle	16	37.2
Other NC	9	20.9

Table 5: Job Title

	N
Area Scout	1
Assistant Golf Professional	1
Central Aquatic Wildlife Diversity Technician	1
Communications Intern	1
Community Relations Intern	1
Counselor-in-Training Program Coordinator	1
Dealership Management Trainee	1
Director of Operations	1
Environmental Specialist	1
Event Coordinator	2
Field Safety Intern	1
Field Service Engineer	1
Guest Services Associate / Manager-in-Training	1
Inshop worker	1
Intern	1
Intern Biotech	1
Kennel Technician	1
Managing Director	1
Media Buyer	1
Pilot Candidate	1
Private Landowner Forest Consultant	1
Process Engineer	5
Process Improvement Specialist	1

Table 5: Job Title, *continued*

	N
Procurement Forester	1
Professional Soccer Player	1
Project Engineer	1
Regional Procurement Manager	1
Sales Associate	1
Sales Consultant	1
Sales/Service Representative	1
Seasonal Naturalist	1
Short Term International Intern	1
Staff	1
Teaching Assistant	1
Technician	1
Tour Staff Intern	1
Vacation Planner	1
Wildlife Technician	1

Table 6: Resources Used to Help Get/Locate Job*

	N	%
Internship/externship	23	51.1
Personal connection(s) within the company	15	33.3
Faculty member or found job listing in an NC State dept	12	26.7
Family/friends/classmates/co-workers	10	22.2
On-campus interviewing	6	13.3
Career fair at NC State	5	11.1
Professional society	5	11.1
Internet	5	11.1
Campus Career Center	4	8.9
Co-op experience	4	8.9
Applied for job via ePack	1	2.2
Employer info session on campus	1	2.2
Other	4	8.9

*Respondents could select more than one resource.

Further Education (college overall)

Table 7: Name of Graduate/Professional School Students will be Attending

	N
Campbell University	1
Duke University	1
East Carolina University	1
NC State University	2
University of Alabama	1
University of Minnesota	1

Table 8: Location of Graduate/Professional School Students will be Attending

	N	%
North Carolina	5	71.4
Alabama	1	14.3
Minnesota	1	14.3

Table 9: Type of Degree

	N	%
Master's	5	71.4
Doctoral	1	14.3
Professional	1	14.3

*Respondents could select more than one degree.

Table 10: Master's Degree

	N
MBA	1
MCM	1
MEM	1
MS	2

Table 11: Doctoral Degree

	N
PhD	1

Table 12: Professional Degree

	N
JD	1

Table 13: Academic Program*

	N
Agroecology	1
Construction Management	1
JD in patent law	1
MBA	1
Masters of Environmental Management/ Water Resources Management	1
Masters of Science in Forestry	1
Natural Resources Science & Management	1

*Academic program has not been cleaned. Responses are verbatim.

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