

**May 2013 Future Plans Survey
College of Design
Summary Report**

This report presents summary results from the May 2013 Future Plans Survey for departments in the College of Design, 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 Design 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
Art & Design	24	10	41.7%	6	1	\$28,750	\$35,000	\$38,750	\$33,750	4
Architecture	52	21	40.4%	8	6	\$33,750	\$41,250	\$41,250	\$40,000	6
Graphic & Industrial Design	35	24	68.6%	13	3	\$28,750	\$36,250	\$68,750	\$46,818	11
Landscape Architecture	10	4	40.0%	1	1
Design Overall	121	59	48.8%	28	11	\$31,250	\$36,250	\$51,250	\$42,381	21

Full-Time Employment (college overall)

Table 2: Name of Company/Organization

	N
Beck Group	1
CAM Raleigh	1
Culp Inc.	1
Cushman & Wakefield Thalhimer	1
Elkus Manfredi Architects	2
Frameworks	1
Henri Bendel	1
Hewlett-Packard	1
IBM	3
Jim Spencer Architects	1
Moon and Lola	1
NC State University	1
New City Design Group	1
Not sure	1
Perkins+Will	1
Sunstreet Corporations	1
TSI Healthcare	1
Teach for America	1
US Marine Corps	1
University Directories	3
Urban Outfitters	1

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

	N
Wildfire, LLC	1

Table 3: Location of Company (state)

	N	%
North Carolina	16	59.3
Texas	3	11.1
Massachusetts	2	7.4
New York	1	3.7
California	1	3.7
Georgia	1	3.7
Oklahoma	1	3.7
Not sure	1	3.7
Pennsylvania	1	3.7

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

	N	%
Triangle	12	48.0
Outside NC	10	40.0
Other NC	3	12.0

Table 5: Job Title

	N
Architect I	1
Architectural Designer	1
Architecture Summer Intern	1
Assistant Merchandiser	1
Candidate	1
Design Camp Coordinator	1
Design and Marketing Specialist	1
Designer	1
Gifting and Accessories Design Intern	1
Graphic Designer	1
Industrial Designer	1
Intern	1
Intern Architect	1
Jr. Graphic Designer	1
Junior Designer	1
Knit Designer	1
Private housekeeper/food server	1
Project Design Specialist	3
Project Designer	1
Secondary Math/Science Teacher	1
Temporary Designer	1
User Experience Designer	3
Not sure	1

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

	N
Internship/externship	11
On-campus interviewing	8
Campus Career Center	7
Career fair at NC State	7
Personal connection(s) within the company	6
Family/friends/classmates/co-workers	5
Faculty member or found job listing in an NC State dept	3
Internet	3
Consultation with NCSU Career Counselor/Coach	2
Applied for job via ePack	2
Co-op experience	2
Career fair off campus	1
Employer info session on campus	1
Professional society	1
Other	7

*Respondents could select more than one option.

Further Education (college overall)

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

	N
NC State University	7
The School of Visual Arts (NYC)	1

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

	N	%
North Carolina	7	87.5
New York	1	12.5

Table 9: Type of Degree

	N	%
Master's	4	50.0
Professional	1	12.5

*Respondents could select more than one degree.

Table 10: Master's Degree

	N
MArch	1
MBA	1
MFA	1
MLA	1

Table 11: Professional Degree

	N
BArch	1

Table 12: Academic Program*

	N
Architecture	2
Bachelor of Architecture (5th year degree)	1
Fifth Year Program Bachelor of Architecture	1
Landscape Architecture	1
MFA Design for Social Innovation	1
Masters of Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing	1
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*Academic program has not been cleaned. Responses are verbatim.

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