

**Combined Future Plans Surveys and Survey of Recent Graduates
Academic Year 2016-2017 Graduates
College Comparisons**

This overview report presents findings from all graduating seniors participating in either the December 2016 or May 2017 Future Plans Survey (FPS) or the follow-up September 2017 Survey of Recent Graduates (SRG), by college. Separate reports on the survey methods, overall results, and department summaries, as well as copies of the questionnaires, can be found on the Office of Institutional Research and Planning (OIRP) [website](#).

Table 1: Response Rate, Overall and by College

College/School	AY 16-17 Population		FPS/SRG Respondents		Response Rate
	N	%	N	%	%
College of Agriculture and Life Sciences	624	12.0%	340	10.4%	54.5%
College of Design	128	2.5%	104	3.2%	81.3%
College of Education	129	2.5%	90	2.8%	69.8%
College of Engineering	1,216	23.3%	829	25.4%	68.2%
College of Natural Resources	385	7.4%	227	7.0%	59.0%
College of Humanities and Social Sciences	1,066	20.4%	608	18.7%	57.0%
College of Sciences	607	11.6%	387	11.9%	63.8%
College of Textiles	257	4.9%	177	5.4%	68.9%
Poole College of Management	803	15.4%	497	15.3%	61.9%
Total	5,215	100.0%	3,259	100.0%	62.5%

Table 2: Primary Plans Following Graduation, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Have accepted a job/am currently employed	59.1%	58.2%	64.4%	55.6%	65.6%	62.6%	48.2%	44.7%	66.1%	68.8%
Currently seeking employment/unemployed and currently seeking employment	13.6%	10.0%	9.6%	31.1%	12.4%	19.8%	16.6%	11.4%	15.8%	10.3%
Planning to seek paid employment*	1.5%	0.9%	4.8%	1.1%	0.7%	1.8%	2.3%	2.3%	0.6%	1.0%
Am planning on/will be/am going to graduate or professional school full-time	15.5%	18.5%	9.6%	7.8%	14.4%	6.6%	14.8%	26.9%	11.3%	15.7%
Will be/am going to graduate school and working	4.7%	5.3%	9.6%	3.3%	2.9%	2.6%	8.2%	7.2%	1.7%	2.0%
Will be/am taking additional undergraduate coursework	0.7%	0.6%	1.0%	.	0.2%	0.4%	1.3%	1.3%	.	0.6%
Will be entering or continuing military service/am currently serving in the military	1.2%	1.2%	.	.	2.2%	0.4%	1.8%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%
Will be/am doing paid work for a volunteer organization (e.g., Peace Corps)	1.0%	0.3%	.	.	0.7%	0.9%	2.5%	1.0%	1.1%	0.4%
Other	2.7%	5.0%	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	4.8%	4.3%	4.7%	2.8%	0.6%
Total	3,259	340	104	90	829	227	608	387	177	497

*This response option was not included in the SRG.

Post-Graduate Employment

The first part of this section of the report focuses specifically on the responses of those students who indicated they had obtained a full-time position. We then look briefly at information provided by those who said they were actively seeking but had not yet found a position.

Full-Time Employment

Table 3: Full- or Part-Time Employment, by College (among those securing any type of employment)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Full-time	91.2%	92.4%	80.6%	98.0%	97.8%	87.8%	78.8%	88.5%	95.0%	94.6%
Part-time	8.8%	7.6%	19.4%	2.0%	2.2%	12.2%	21.2%	11.5%	5.0%	5.4%
Total	2,058	210	72	51	578	148	339	191	119	350

Table 4: When Started Looking for a Job, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
12 or more months before graduation	16.8%	19.0%	17.9%	2.0%	17.5%	19.2%	13.7%	12.3%	8.4%	23.2%
9-11 months before graduation	15.9%	13.0%	3.6%	4.0%	21.6%	10.4%	10.4%	11.7%	20.6%	19.2%
6-8 months before graduation	25.0%	25.0%	19.6%	12.0%	28.0%	28.8%	22.4%	23.9%	28.0%	23.2%
3-5 months before graduation	25.0%	25.0%	42.9%	28.0%	22.7%	26.4%	27.0%	26.4%	27.1%	21.7%
1-2 months before graduation	8.6%	8.7%	5.4%	32.0%	5.3%	7.2%	12.4%	9.8%	10.3%	7.4%
Less than one month before graduation	2.9%	4.3%	.	8.0%	1.7%	0.8%	6.2%	3.1%	2.8%	1.9%
Within 4 weeks after graduation	3.3%	3.8%	3.6%	14.0%	2.3%	4.0%	4.1%	5.5%	.	2.2%
5-8 weeks after graduation	1.2%	1.1%	5.4%	.	0.4%	0.8%	2.5%	3.1%	1.9%	0.3%
9-12 weeks after graduation	0.7%	.	.	.	0.4%	0.8%	0.4%	3.1%	0.9%	0.6%
More than 12 weeks after graduation	0.5%	.	1.8%	.	0.2%	1.6%	0.8%	1.2%	.	0.3%
Total	1,781	184	56	50	532	125	241	163	107	323

Table 5: Number of Positions Interviewed For (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
None	6.7%	8.3%	9.3%	.	6.3%	12.8%	9.1%	7.3%	2.8%	3.8%
One	21.0%	32.0%	11.1%	29.2%	16.9%	29.6%	25.6%	20.7%	21.5%	15.1%
Two	20.0%	21.0%	31.5%	27.1%	15.2%	18.4%	27.3%	24.4%	19.6%	17.6%
Three	19.2%	18.8%	20.4%	27.1%	20.1%	16.0%	17.4%	19.5%	17.8%	19.5%
Four	11.5%	6.1%	11.1%	10.4%	13.0%	5.6%	9.5%	12.8%	15.9%	13.8%
Five or more	21.6%	13.8%	16.7%	6.3%	28.4%	17.6%	11.2%	15.2%	22.4%	30.2%
Total	1,777	181	54	48	538	125	242	164	107	318

Table 6: When Received Job Offer, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Upon graduation	78.4%	75.4%	79.3%	70.0%	84.7%	78.3%	72.9%	67.9%	71.2%	82.9%
Within 3 months after graduation	16.4%	18.8%	13.8%	28.0%	10.5%	16.3%	21.8%	22.6%	24.3%	13.8%
More than 3 months after graduation	5.2%	5.8%	6.9%	2.0%	4.8%	5.4%	5.3%	9.5%	4.5%	3.4%
Total	1,857	191	58	50	561	129	262	168	111	327

Table 7: Number of Job Offers, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Only job offer	49.8%	52.5%	54.5%	53.1%	51.9%	52.0%	51.7%	46.0%	53.3%	42.0%
One additional job offer	27.9%	24.9%	27.3%	28.6%	22.6%	22.8%	30.9%	35.4%	30.8%	33.1%
Two additional job offers	13.7%	13.3%	7.3%	14.3%	14.0%	18.7%	10.2%	13.0%	10.3%	16.7%
Three or more additional job offers	8.6%	9.4%	10.9%	4.1%	11.5%	6.5%	7.2%	5.6%	5.6%	8.2%
Total	1,759	181	55	49	530	123	236	161	107	317

Table 8: Helpful Resources, by College (full-time employees only)*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Internship/externship	37.7%	35.1%	55.2%	10.0%	40.4%	51.5%	32.2%	20.7%	38.9%	43.2%
Career fair at NC State	26.1%	15.5%	10.3%	12.0%	39.6%	13.1%	8.6%	12.4%	36.3%	36.9%
Applied for job via ePACK	21.5%	13.4%	8.6%	2.0%	26.7%	4.6%	13.1%	18.3%	12.4%	40.5%
Family/friends/classmates/co-workers	20.2%	27.3%	24.1%	18.0%	16.5%	16.9%	23.6%	23.7%	26.5%	16.9%
Personal connection in company	20.0%	29.9%	24.1%	24.0%	15.2%	17.7%	23.2%	16.6%	24.8%	19.6%
Campus or college career center	19.9%	16.5%	13.8%	8.0%	20.0%	8.5%	10.9%	21.3%	40.7%	28.7%
Internet: LinkedIn	16.6%	13.4%	22.4%	4.0%	11.0%	12.3%	18.7%	22.5%	20.4%	24.8%
On-campus interviewing	14.8%	6.7%	6.9%	4.0%	18.8%	17.7%	6.7%	8.9%	22.1%	21.5%
Internet (excluding LinkedIn)	13.3%	14.9%	5.2%	18.0%	8.8%	19.2%	15.4%	30.2%	12.4%	8.2%
Faculty member or found job listing in an NC State dept	7.6%	14.4%	17.2%	10.0%	6.0%	11.5%	6.4%	8.9%	6.2%	3.3%
Co-op experience	6.9%	0.0%	1.7%	0.0%	18.6%	12.3%	0.4%	0.0%	0.9%	1.5%
Consultation w/ Career Counselor/Coach	6.7%	4.1%	1.7%	4.0%	5.8%	4.6%	5.6%	10.1%	7.1%	10.6%
Employer info session on campus	6.3%	3.6%	0.0%	4.0%	9.7%	10.0%	3.4%	3.6%	2.7%	6.9%
Professional society	5.6%	5.7%	8.6%	4.0%	6.2%	5.4%	2.6%	5.9%	2.7%	7.9%
Employer found resume on ePACK	5.0%	4.6%	0.0%	2.0%	7.8%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%	4.4%	6.3%
Student teaching experience	3.4%	4.1%	1.7%	60.0%	1.1%	0.8%	3.0%	3.0%	1.8%	0.6%
Staffing agency	3.4%	4.1%	1.7%	2.0%	3.0%	0.0%	3.4%	8.3%	4.4%	2.7%
Career fair off campus	1.8%	1.5%	0.0%	2.0%	1.9%	2.3%	1.9%	1.2%	1.8%	2.1%
Other	8.3%	10.3%	15.5%	8.0%	6.0%	9.2%	12.4%	8.3%	8.8%	6.0%
Total	1,877	194	58	50	565	130	267	169	113	331

*Respondents could select more than one resource.

Table 9: Industry, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Accounting	1.5%	.	.	.	.	.	0.8%	.	.	7.9%
Advertising	0.3%	.	.	.	0.2%	.	0.8%	.	.	0.9%
Aerospace	1.5%	.	.	.	4.1%	0.8%	.	.	0.9%	0.9%
Agriculture	3.5%	27.5%	.	.	0.2%	0.8%	.	0.6%	0.9%	2.1%
Architecture/Urban Planning	1.1%	.	27.6%	.	0.4%	.	0.8%	.	.	.
Arts & Entertainment	0.3%	.	1.7%	.	.	.	1.2%	0.6%	.	0.3%
Automotive	0.9%	.	.	.	2.0%	0.8%	.	.	.	1.2%
Banking	1.8%	1.0%	.	.	1.1%	.	0.4%	1.8%	.	6.7%
Biotechnology	2.2%	3.1%	.	.	2.2%	.	.	11.2%	2.7%	0.3%
Business Services	2.1%	2.1%	3.4%	.	0.2%	1.6%	3.1%	.	0.9%	6.4%
Chemicals	1.1%	.	.	.	1.6%	0.8%	0.4%	3.6%	0.9%	0.6%
Communications	0.7%	.	.	.	0.7%	.	2.0%	.	.	1.2%
Computer Software/Hardware	5.4%	0.5%	3.4%	.	11.9%	1.6%	2.3%	4.7%	0.9%	4.0%
Construction	2.1%	3.1%	.	4.0%	4.0%	0.8%	0.4%	0.6%	.	1.8%
Consulting	2.6%	1.0%	.	.	3.4%	2.4%	1.2%	1.8%	2.7%	4.6%
Consumer Products	1.4%	1.6%	8.6%	.	1.3%	0.8%	1.2%	0.6%	0.9%	1.2%
Counseling	0.3%	.	.	.	.	.	2.0%	0.6%	.	.
Design	1.5%	.	29.3%	.	0.5%	0.8%	.	.	4.5%	0.3%
Education	5.4%	4.7%	.	78.0%	0.5%	3.2%	13.3%	4.1%	0.9%	0.9%
Electronics	0.4%	.	1.7%	.	0.9%	.	.	.	.	0.3%
Energy	1.5%	.	.	.	3.6%	0.8%	.	.	.	2.1%
Engineering	10.4%	6.2%	1.7%	10.0%	28.6%	6.3%	1.6%	.	1.8%	0.6%
Entrepreneurial/Venture Capital	0.2%	0.5%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0.6%
Environment/Sustainability	1.0%	2.6%	.	.	.	7.1%	.	3.0%	.	.
Faith Based	0.8%	0.5%	.	4.0%	0.2%	.	3.1%	1.8%	.	.
Fashion	1.4%	.	1.7%	.	.	.	.	.	20.5%	0.3%
Financial Services	3.1%	1.0%	.	.	1.3%	3.2%	2.0%	.	0.9%	11.6%
Food Science	0.6%	3.1%	.	.	0.4%	0.8%	0.4%	0.6%	.	0.3%
Government	1.7%	.	.	.	0.5%	4.0%	6.3%	1.8%	0.9%	0.9%
Health Care	4.1%	6.2%	.	.	1.8%	0.8%	5.1%	14.8%	2.7%	3.7%
Hotel, Restaurant, Hospitality	0.9%	0.5%	.	.	0.2%	1.6%	3.1%	.	0.9%	0.9%
Human/Social Services	0.5%	.	.	.	.	.	2.7%	0.6%	0.9%	.
Insurance	0.6%	0.5%	.	.	0.4%	0.8%	1.2%	.	.	1.5%
International Affairs & Development	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0.9%	.
Law Enforcement/Security/Corrections	0.5%	0.5%	.	.	.	0.8%	2.3%	0.6%	.	.
Legal	0.3%	.	.	.	.	.	2.0%	0.6%	.	.
Manufacturing	4.5%	1.6%	.	.	7.2%	11.1%	0.4%	1.8%	8.0%	4.0%

Table 9: Industry, by College (full-time employees only), continued

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Marketing	2.1%	1.0%	1.7%	.	.	0.8%	5.1%	0.6%	1.8%	5.5%
Materials - Plastics, Metals, Ceramics	0.4%	0.5%	1.7%	.	0.5%	0.8%	.	.	0.9%	.
Media	0.3%	.	.	.	.	.	0.8%	0.6%	.	0.6%
Military & Defense	3.2%	2.1%	.	.	6.5%	0.8%	3.9%	1.2%	3.6%	0.9%
Museums & Libraries	0.2%	.	.	.	.	0.8%	0.8%	.	.	.
Natural Resources	0.3%	.	.	.	.	4.8%	.	.	.	.
Non-Profit/Philanthropy	1.1%	0.5%	.	.	0.2%	1.6%	5.5%	0.6%	.	0.6%
Pharmaceutical	3.3%	5.2%	.	.	3.1%	1.6%	1.6%	12.4%	2.7%	1.2%
Print & Publishing	0.1%	.	1.7%	.	.	.	0.4%	.	.	.
Public Policy	0.2%	0.5%	.	.	0.2%	.	0.8%	.	.	.
Public Relations	0.2%	.	.	.	.	.	1.2%	.	.	0.3%
Real Estate	0.8%	.	1.7%	.	.	0.8%	1.2%	.	.	3.0%
Recreation & Sports	0.9%	0.5%	.	.	0.2%	9.5%	0.4%	1.2%	.	.
Research	3.5%	7.3%	3.4%	.	1.3%	3.2%	2.0%	18.3%	0.9%	0.3%
Retail/Merchandising	1.9%	.	1.7%	.	0.4%	0.8%	2.7%	0.6%	16.1%	1.8%
Staffing & Executive Search	0.9%	.	.	.	.	1.6%	3.5%	.	0.9%	1.5%
Technology	4.0%	0.5%	5.2%	2.0%	3.2%	1.6%	3.9%	1.2%	5.4%	9.5%
Telecommunications	0.5%	.	.	2.0%	1.1%	.	0.4%	.	.	0.6%
Transportation	1.3%	0.5%	1.7%	.	2.0%	1.6%	1.6%	0.6%	.	1.2%
Travel & Tourism	0.2%	0.5%	.	.	.	0.8%	0.4%	.	.	.
Utilities (Public & Private)	0.6%	.	.	.	1.3%	3.2%	.	.	.	.
Veterinary	1.1%	8.3%	.	.	.	.	.	2.4%	.	.
Wood Products	0.5%	.	.	.	0.2%	7.1%	.	.	.	.
Other	3.8%	4.7%	1.7%	.	0.7%	7.1%	4.3%	3.6%	14.3%	4.3%
Not sure	0.2%	.	.	.	0.2%	.	.	1.2%	.	0.3%
Total	1,848	193	58	50	556	126	256	169	112	328

Table 10: Job Function, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Account Management	1.0%	1.5%	.	.	.	0.8%	0.8%	.	2.7%	3.0%
Accounting	1.9%	.	.	.	.	.	0.8%	.	.	10.4%
Actuarial/Statistical & Data Analysis	0.9%	1.0%	.	.	0.5%	.	0.4%	3.0%	2.7%	0.9%
Administrative	1.9%	1.0%	3.4%	.	0.2%	4.8%	4.2%	4.2%	1.8%	1.5%
Advertising	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0.3%
Agricultural Business/Economics	0.5%	3.6%	.	.	.	0.8%	0.4%	.	.	.
Agronomy/Plant/Crop Science	0.6%	5.7%	.	.	.	.	.	0.6%	.	.
Analyst	3.2%	0.5%	.	.	1.3%	0.8%	0.8%	5.4%	3.6%	11.0%
Animal/Veterinary	2.1%	13.9%	.	.	.	0.8%	.	6.0%	.	.
Architecture/Landscape Architecture	0.9%	.	27.6%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Arts/Performing Arts/Music	0.2%	.	.	.	.	.	0.8%	.	.	0.3%
Bio/Ag Engineering	0.3%	2.6%	.	.	.	.	.	0.6%	.	.
Buying/Purchasing	0.9%	0.5%	.	.	.	0.8%	0.4%	.	4.5%	2.4%
Construction	0.9%	1.5%	1.7%	2.0%	1.6%	1.6%	.	0.6%	.	.
Consulting	3.9%	0.5%	.	.	5.6%	4.0%	1.2%	3.0%	4.5%	6.7%
Counseling - School/Agency/College	0.6%	.	.	.	.	.	3.9%	0.6%	.	0.3%
Creative Design/Graphic Arts	1.6%	.	37.9%	.	.	.	.	.	6.3%	.
Customer Service	1.3%	2.1%	1.7%	.	0.7%	1.6%	2.3%	.	.	2.1%
Database Management	0.6%	0.5%	.	.	0.2%	.	0.4%	1.2%	2.7%	1.2%
Economics	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	0.4%	.	.	0.3%
Education/Teaching/Curriculum Development	4.9%	6.2%	.	74.0%	0.4%	0.8%	12.0%	2.4%	1.8%	0.6%
Engineering	17.8%	8.2%	.	8.0%	50.0%	16.0%	0.8%	1.2%	7.1%	.
Environmental/Conservation	1.5%	2.1%	.	.	0.2%	15.2%	.	2.4%	.	.
Film/Video	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	0.4%	.	.	.
Finance	2.7%	1.5%	.	.	.	1.6%	1.5%	0.6%	.	11.9%
Fundraising/Development	0.1%	0.5%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Government	1.3%	1.5%	.	.	0.9%	2.4%	3.9%	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%
Horticulture/Turfgrass	0.4%	3.6%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	0.3%
Human Health/Medical	2.1%	5.2%	.	.	0.7%	.	0.8%	11.4%	1.8%	0.3%
Human Resources	2.4%	0.5%	.	.	.	.	5.8%	0.6%	0.9%	8.2%
Human/Social Services	0.5%	.	.	.	.	.	2.7%	0.6%	0.9%	.
Information Technology/Systems	1.9%	.	1.7%	4.0%	2.5%	.	0.4%	.	.	5.5%
International/NGO	0.2%	0.5%	.	.	.	.	0.8%	.	.	.
Laboratory Science	1.7%	3.1%	.	.	.	0.8%	.	13.2%	1.8%	.
Legal/Corrections/Criminology	0.6%	.	.	.	.	0.8%	3.5%	0.6%	.	.
Management	3.0%	3.1%	1.7%	.	1.6%	5.6%	5.8%	0.6%	6.3%	3.0%
Manufacturing/Production/Development	3.2%	3.6%	1.7%	.	5.4%	6.4%	.	1.2%	7.1%	1.2%

Table 10: Job Function, by College (full-time employees only), continued

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Marketing	2.8%	.	1.7%	.	.	0.8%	6.9%	.	4.5%	7.9%
Media/Journalism	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	0.4%	0.6%	.	.
Non Profit	0.5%	0.5%	.	.	.	.	3.1%	.	.	.
Operations	1.5%	2.1%	.	.	1.4%	1.6%	2.3%	.	1.8%	1.5%
Political Organizations/Advocacy	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	0.4%	.	.	.
Product Development/Management	1.5%	.	6.9%	.	1.4%	1.6%	0.4%	0.6%	9.8%	.
Project Management	1.4%	.	1.7%	2.0%	1.8%	3.2%	1.9%	0.6%	.	0.9%
Public Administration/Policy	0.1%	.	.	.	0.2%	.	0.4%	.	.	.
Public Relations	0.5%	.	.	.	.	.	3.1%	.	.	0.3%
Quality Assurance	1.0%	1.5%	.	.	0.9%	0.8%	.	3.0%	2.7%	0.3%
Recreation/Sports	0.6%	1.0%	.	.	.	6.4%	0.4%	0.6%	.	.
Religion/Ministry	0.6%	.	.	4.0%	0.4%	.	1.9%	1.2%	.	.
Research & Development	2.8%	6.2%	1.7%	.	2.5%	1.6%	0.8%	9.0%	5.4%	.
Sales	4.7%	3.1%	3.4%	.	1.6%	5.6%	9.3%	1.2%	8.0%	8.5%
Science - Life/Physical Science	0.8%	2.1%	.	2.0%	.	.	.	5.4%	.	.
Software Development	4.4%	0.5%	.	.	12.6%	2.4%	0.8%	3.0%	0.9%	.
Soil/Environmental Science	0.2%	.	.	.	.	0.8%	.	1.2%	.	.
Supply Chain Management/Logistics	1.9%	1.0%	.	.	1.4%	0.8%	0.8%	1.2%	1.8%	5.8%
Training & Development	0.6%	0.5%	.	.	0.5%	0.8%	0.4%	2.4%	.	0.6%
Travel/Tourism/Hospitality	0.3%	.	.	.	.	0.8%	1.5%	.	.	.
Web Design/Development	0.2%	.	1.7%	.	0.4%	.	0.4%	.	.	.
Writing/Editing/Translation	0.3%	0.5%	.	.	.	.	1.5%	0.6%	.	.
Other	4.3%	5.7%	5.2%	4.0%	2.2%	5.6%	6.9%	7.2%	8.0%	1.8%
Not sure	0.8%	0.5%	.	.	0.7%	1.6%	1.5%	1.8%	.	0.3%
Total	1,847	194	58	50	554	125	259	167	112	328

Table 11: Type of employment (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Academic	7.4%	9.8%	5.2%	62.0%	1.4%	6.3%	13.7%	15.6%	0.9%	1.8%
Federal, state, or local government	11.2%	12.9%	6.9%	20.0%	9.9%	20.3%	19.1%	10.8%	6.3%	4.0%
Private, for profit business or organization	73.7%	67.5%	84.5%	18.0%	84.9%	60.9%	48.5%	64.7%	86.6%	90.0%
Private, not for profit business or organization	5.9%	8.8%	1.7%	.	3.0%	9.4%	14.5%	7.2%	2.7%	3.0%
Self-employed	1.8%	1.0%	1.7%	.	0.7%	3.1%	4.2%	1.8%	3.6%	1.2%
Total	1,858	194	58	50	558	128	262	167	112	329

Table 12: Relationship of Job to Academic Major, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Directly related	62.1%	60.3%	82.8%	84.0%	74.2%	57.7%	31.1%	55.6%	57.5%	67.1%
Somewhat related	29.5%	31.4%	12.1%	12.0%	21.6%	26.2%	49.1%	34.9%	31.0%	29.9%
Not at all related	8.4%	8.2%	5.2%	4.0%	4.2%	16.2%	19.9%	9.5%	11.5%	3.0%
Total	1,877	194	58	50	565	130	267	169	113	331

Table 13: Satisfaction with Job, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very Satisfied	54.7%	54.2%	56.1%	70.0%	59.2%	52.8%	45.6%	46.1%	53.6%	57.8%
Satisfied	35.1%	38.5%	36.8%	24.0%	32.7%	36.2%	38.4%	34.7%	36.6%	35.0%
Neutral	8.4%	6.3%	3.5%	6.0%	7.4%	8.7%	13.7%	14.4%	7.1%	5.8%
Dissatisfied	1.4%	1.0%	1.8%	.	0.7%	.	1.9%	4.2%	2.7%	0.9%
Very Dissatisfied	0.4%	.	1.8%	.	.	2.4%	0.4%	0.6%	.	0.6%
Total	1,851	192	57	50	554	127	263	167	112	329

Table 14: Job Location, by College (in or out of the Triangle; full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Triangle	49.3%	48.1%	56.1%	77.6%	42.9%	31.4%	59.3%	60.2%	23.4%	57.8%
Other NC	24.4%	36.6%	14.0%	12.2%	23.1%	28.8%	21.0%	19.3%	36.4%	22.9%
Outside NC	26.3%	15.3%	29.8%	10.2%	34.0%	39.8%	19.8%	20.5%	40.2%	19.3%
Total	1,760	183	57	49	536	118	243	161	107	306

Table 15: Type of Compensation, by College* (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Salary	72.4%	57.2%	50.0%	90.0%	88.0%	60.8%	65.2%	43.8%	75.2%	80.1%
Hourly	25.5%	44.8%	51.7%	14.0%	10.3%	32.3%	27.7%	52.7%	24.8%	19.0%
Performances Bonuses	13.3%	10.8%	8.6%	0.0%	14.5%	10.0%	10.5%	9.5%	15.0%	20.2%
Commission	5.5%	4.6%	1.7%	0.0%	1.6%	6.9%	11.6%	1.8%	7.1%	10.3%
Other	3.9%	2.6%	3.4%	2.0%	3.7%	7.7%	6.0%	5.3%	2.7%	1.8%
Tips	0.7%	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%	1.5%	2.2%	0.6%	0.0%	0.3%
Total	1,877	194	58	50	565	130	267	169	113	331

*Respondents could indicate more than one type of compensation.

Table 16: Type of Compensation Combined, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Salary only	56.0%	41.1%	43.1%	84.0%	71.8%	46.9%	50.8%	34.7%	56.3%	54.4%
Hourly only	21.1%	39.6%	37.9%	8.0%	7.6%	29.7%	21.8%	48.5%	18.8%	14.9%
Salary plus perf. bonuses	9.2%	6.3%	1.7%	.	12.7%	5.5%	3.8%	5.4%	9.8%	15.5%
Salary plus commission	2.9%	3.1%	.	.	0.9%	2.3%	6.1%	0.6%	4.5%	5.2%
Salary plus hourly	2.1%	3.1%	5.2%	6.0%	1.6%	2.3%	1.9%	1.2%	1.8%	1.8%
Salary plus comm plus perf bonus	1.3%	1.0%	.	.	0.4%	3.1%	1.5%	0.6%	1.8%	2.7%
Hourly plus perf. bonuses	1.3%	1.6%	6.9%	.	0.4%	.	1.9%	2.4%	2.7%	0.9%
Commission only	0.4%	.	.	.	.	.	1.1%	.	.	1.5%
Salary plus perf bonus plus hourly	0.3%	1.0%	.	.	0.2%	.	0.4%	.	0.9%	0.3%
Hourly plus tips	0.3%	.	.	.	0.2%	.	1.1%	0.6%	.	0.3%
Hourly plus commission	0.2%	.	1.7%	.	0.2%	.	0.4%	.	.	.
Commission plus perf bonus plus hourly	0.2%	.	.	.	.	.	0.8%	.	.	0.3%
Tips only	0.1%	.	.	.	.	0.8%	0.4%	.	.	.
Performance bonuses only	0.1%	.	.	.	.	.	0.4%	.	.	0.3%
Other comp. only	2.4%	0.5%	3.4%	2.0%	1.6%	6.3%	4.6%	4.2%	2.7%	0.3%
Other combinations	2.2%	2.6%	.	.	2.5%	3.1%	3.1%	1.8%	0.9%	1.5%
Total	1,851	192	58	50	553	128	262	167	112	329

Table 17: Annual Starting Salary, by College (full-time employees only)*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Mean (\$)	48,885	38,445	47,610	38,404	62,287	45,631	36,723	38,222	46,856	50,562
Median (\$)	48,750	38,750	45,000	38,750	63,750	41,250	36,250	33,750	46,250	51,250
Less than \$30,000	13.8%	26.8%	5.3%	10.6%	3.4%	18.2%	30.0%	31.0%	8.7%	3.9%
\$30,000 - \$39,999	17.9%	26.3%	15.8%	42.6%	2.7%	23.6%	34.6%	30.3%	15.5%	14.8%
\$40,000 - \$49,999	18.2%	23.5%	31.6%	34.0%	4.7%	21.8%	18.1%	19.4%	33.0%	27.3%
\$50,000 - \$59,999	17.5%	11.7%	21.1%	10.6%	22.7%	6.4%	7.4%	5.8%	22.3%	28.6%
\$60,000 or more	30.3%	7.8%	15.8%	2.1%	64.2%	25.5%	7.8%	12.9%	18.4%	23.4%
Would prefer not answer	1.5%	1.7%	2.6%	.	1.9%	1.8%	1.2%	.	1.0%	1.6%
Not sure	1.0%	2.2%	7.9%	.	0.4%	2.7%	0.8%	0.6%	1.0%	0.3%
Total	1,707	179	38	47	528	110	243	155	103	304

Table 18: Received Signing Bonus, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Yes	19.0%	7.3%	6.1%	2.4%	32.8%	21.0%	8.3%	5.6%	15.1%	23.1%
No	81.0%	92.7%	93.9%	97.6%	67.2%	79.0%	91.7%	94.4%	84.9%	76.9%
Total	1,717	177	49	41	519	119	242	161	106	303

Table 19: Amount of Signing Bonus, by College (full-time employees only)*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than \$500	1.2%	.	**	**	.	.	.	22.2%	.	2.9%
\$500 to \$999	1.2%	.	**	**	1.2%	.	.	.	.	1.4%
\$1,000 to \$1,999	9.3%	7.7%	**	**	8.9%	4.0%	31.6%	.	6.3%	7.1%
\$2,000 to \$2,999	19.4%	46.2%	**	**	22.6%	16.0%	5.3%	.	25.0%	11.4%
\$3,000 to \$3,999	11.7%	7.7%	**	**	11.3%	8.0%	15.8%	11.1%	18.8%	12.9%
\$4,000 to \$4,999	4.0%	.	**	**	5.4%	.	.	.	6.3%	4.3%
\$5,000 to \$5,999	20.4%	30.8%	**	**	22.0%	16.0%	.	22.2%	25.0%	21.4%
\$6,000 to \$6,999	4.6%	7.7%	**	**	4.8%	8.0%	.	22.2%	6.3%	1.4%
\$7,000 to \$7,999	5.6%	.	**	**	3.6%	16.0%	.	.	.	11.4%
\$8,000 to \$8,999	1.9%	.	**	**	1.8%	4.0%	.	.	6.3%	1.4%
\$9,000 to \$9,999	1.2%	.	**	**	1.2%	4.0%	.	.	.	1.4%
\$10,000 or more	15.1%	.	**	**	13.7%	16.0%	42.1%	22.2%	.	17.1%
Would prefer not answer	3.4%	.	**	**	3.0%	8.0%	.	.	.	5.7%
Not sure	0.9%	.	**	**	0.6%	.	5.3%	.	6.3%	.
Total	324	13	3	1	168	25	19	9	16	70

**Statistics on signing bonuses for those colleges with fewer than 4 respondents reporting a signing bonus have been excluded from the table.

Table 20: Relocation Package, by College (full-time employees only)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Yes	19.4%	10.4%	5.4%	2.0%	35.9%	24.4%	6.1%	8.4%	21.4%	15.3%
No	40.9%	41.1%	57.1%	44.0%	31.2%	46.5%	48.3%	39.5%	58.9%	40.4%
Not applicable	39.7%	48.4%	37.5%	54.0%	32.8%	29.1%	45.6%	52.1%	19.6%	44.3%
Total	1,843	192	56	50	551	127	261	167	112	327

Seeking Employment

Table 21: When Started Looking for a Job, by College (among those seeking but not yet securing a job)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
12 or more months before graduation	2.8%	.	.	.	5.9%	4.4%	3.1%	2.4%	.	.
9-11 months before graduation	4.4%	.	.	.	5.0%	8.9%	3.1%	.	10.7%	8.2%
6-8 months before graduation	16.8%	14.7%	.	3.6%	20.8%	15.6%	15.3%	9.5%	25.0%	26.5%
3-5 months before graduation	29.0%	44.1%	30.0%	25.0%	33.7%	33.3%	25.5%	28.6%	14.3%	22.4%
1-2 months before graduation	23.0%	20.6%	10.0%	42.9%	10.9%	17.8%	27.6%	33.3%	14.3%	32.7%
Less than one month before graduation	12.0%	14.7%	40.0%	25.0%	10.9%	8.9%	9.2%	9.5%	17.9%	6.1%
Within 4 weeks after graduation	6.0%	5.9%	.	.	5.9%	8.9%	9.2%	4.8%	7.1%	2.0%
5-8 weeks after graduation	2.1%	.	.	.	3.0%	2.2%	2.0%	7.1%	.	.
9-12 weeks after graduation	2.3%	.	20.0%	.	.	.	4.1%	4.8%	7.1%	.
More than 12 weeks after graduation	1.8%	.	.	3.6%	4.0%	.	1.0%	.	3.6%	2.0%
Total	435	34	10	28	101	45	98	42	28	49

Table 22: Number Of Positions Interviewed For (among those seeking but not yet securing a job)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
None	29.8%	38.2%	55.6%	48.1%	18.0%	24.4%	38.8%	39.0%	28.6%	13.7%
One	22.9%	17.6%	33.3%	11.1%	24.0%	28.9%	20.4%	34.1%	25.0%	17.6%
Two	15.9%	14.7%	.	18.5%	18.0%	15.6%	16.3%	14.6%	7.1%	19.6%
Three	12.7%	20.6%	11.1%	14.8%	15.0%	6.7%	10.2%	4.9%	10.7%	19.6%
Four	7.4%	2.9%	.	7.4%	9.0%	8.9%	6.1%	2.4%	7.1%	13.7%
Five or more	11.3%	5.9%	.	.	16.0%	15.6%	8.2%	4.9%	21.4%	15.7%
Total	433	34	9	27	100	45	98	41	28	51

Table 23: Received any Job Offers, by College (among those seeking but not yet securing a job)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
No	80.6%	85.3%	88.9%	80.8%	79.8%	80.0%	75.8%	90.5%	89.3%	74.0%
Yes: one	14.6%	2.9%	11.1%	15.4%	17.2%	15.6%	19.2%	9.5%	7.1%	16.0%
Yes: two	3.9%	5.9%	.	.	3.0%	4.4%	5.1%	.	3.6%	8.0%
Yes: three or more	0.9%	5.9%	.	3.8%	.	.	.	.	.	2.0%
Total	432	34	9	26	99	45	99	42	28	50

Table 24: Looking for Full- or Part-Time Work, by College (among those seeking but not yet securing a job)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Full-time	86.7%	94.1%	70.0%	96.4%	88.3%	88.9%	86.1%	72.7%	85.7%	88.2%
Part-time	2.0%	.	10.0%	3.6%	.	.	2.0%	6.8%	3.6%	2.0%
Either	11.3%	5.9%	20.0%	.	11.7%	11.1%	11.9%	20.5%	10.7%	9.8%
Total	444	34	10	28	103	45	101	44	28	51

Table 25: Relationship of Job Seeking to Academic Major, by College (among those seeking but not yet securing a job)

	Overall	College/School									
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM	
Looking for position directly related to my major	38.7%	32.4%	50.0%	89.3%	54.4%	33.3%	19.8%	34.1%	28.6%	33.3%	
Looking for position somewhat related to my major	55.4%	52.9%	50.0%	10.7%	45.6%	57.8%	65.3%	65.9%	67.9%	64.7%	
Looking for position unrelated to my major	2.5%	8.8%	.	.	.	4.4%	5.0%	.	.	2.0%	
How closely position is related to major is irrelevant	3.4%	5.9%	.	.	.	4.4%	9.9%	.	3.6%	.	
Total	444	34	10	28	103	45	101	44	28	51	

Table 26: Looking for Employment Inside or Outside of North Carolina, by College (among those seeking but not yet securing a job)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
N.C. only	45.6%	45.2%	.	88.0%	29.7%	42.1%	51.3%	42.9%	35.0%	58.3%
Only outside N.C.	6.4%	12.9%	14.3%	4.0%	4.1%	5.3%	7.9%	8.6%	5.0%	2.8%
Both	48.0%	41.9%	85.7%	8.0%	66.2%	52.6%	40.8%	48.6%	60.0%	38.9%
Total	342	31	7	25	74	38	76	35	20	36

Further Education

About one-fifth of graduates responding to the December 2016 or May 2017 Future Plans Survey or the September 2017 Survey of Recent Graduates said they planned to attend graduate/professional school in the coming year (18.0%). This section of the report provides detailed information on further education being pursued by these graduates.

Table 27: Reasons for Attending Graduate/Professional School, by College (among all those saying they were planning on going to graduate/professional school in the coming year)*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
To enhance knowledge in subject area	63.5%	56.3%	55.0%	50.0%	83.8%	57.1%	57.1%	56.5%	82.6%	58.0%
Chosen career requires grad school	62.1%	68.8%	70.0%	60.0%	38.0%	57.1%	71.4%	78.6%	30.4%	63.6%
To earn a higher salary	57.1%	48.8%	30.0%	40.0%	64.1%	81.0%	59.3%	49.6%	60.9%	62.5%
To improve marketability	48.9%	41.3%	40.0%	30.0%	62.7%	52.4%	49.3%	29.8%	73.9%	58.0%
Other	6.0%	5.0%	25.0%	20.0%	4.2%	4.8%	4.3%	3.1%	17.4%	8.0%
Unable to find a job	4.1%	6.3%	0.0%	0.0%	4.9%	4.8%	3.6%	3.8%	13.0%	1.1%
Employer encouraging me to attend	3.4%	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%	2.8%	4.8%	2.1%	1.5%	4.3%	11.4%
Total	655	80	20	10	142	21	140	131	23	88

*Respondents could select more than one option.

Table 28: Current Status for Graduate/Professional School Attendance, by College (among all those saying they were planning on going to graduate/professional school in the coming year)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Have been accepted and know where I'm going/Am currently enrolled	85.7%	82.7%	90.0%	100.0%	90.8%	85.7%	80.0%	76.3%	95.7%	97.7%
Have been accepted to at least one school but have not yet decided where I will be going	0.9%	.	.	.	1.4%	.	1.4%	1.5%	.	.
Have applied, but have not yet been accepted anywhere	3.8%	6.2%	5.0%	.	2.8%	.	5.0%	4.6%	4.3%	1.1%
Have not yet applied but plan to do so within the coming year	9.6%	11.1%	5.0%	.	4.9%	14.3%	13.6%	17.6%	.	1.1%
Total	656	81	20	10	142	21	140	131	23	88

Table 29: Attending First Choice School, by College (among those accepted and/or enrolled in graduate/professional school)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Yes	85.6%	84.6%	100.0%	80.0%	86.0%	83.3%	83.0%	80.6%	90.9%	91.8%
No	14.4%	15.4%	.	20.0%	14.0%	16.7%	17.0%	19.4%	9.1%	8.2%
Total	557	65	18	10	129	18	112	98	22	85

Table 30: Degree Program Enrolled In, by College* (among those who have been accepted and know where they will be attending)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Master's	65.6%	51.5%	66.7%	100.0%	64.3%	77.8%	68.8%	39.0%	90.9%	91.9%
Doctoral	14.3%	7.6%	0.0%	0.0%	34.9%	0.0%	3.6%	25.0%	4.5%	0.0%
Professional	18.4%	36.4%	5.6%	0.0%	3.1%	16.7%	26.8%	35.0%	0.0%	7.0%
Other	2.9%	4.5%	27.8%	10.0%	0.8%	5.6%	1.8%	2.0%	4.5%	0.0%
Total	561	66	18	10	129	18	112	100	22	86

*Respondents could select more than one degree.

Table 31: Graduate/Professional School Funding/Awards, by College (among those who have been accepted and know where they will be attending)*

	Overall	College/School									
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM	
Scholarship	24.2%	16.7%	11.1%	10.0%	15.5%	22.2%	31.3%	11.0%	13.6%	57.0%	
Research Assistantship	17.3%	25.8%	0.0%	20.0%	34.9%	22.2%	4.5%	18.0%	22.7%	1.2%	
Teaching Assistantship	16.2%	12.1%	5.6%	0.0%	20.2%	11.1%	12.5%	23.0%	9.1%	17.4%	
Fellowship	9.6%	3.0%	5.6%	0.0%	20.9%	11.1%	0.9%	15.0%	0.0%	7.0%	
Other assistantship (not teaching/research)	6.1%	6.1%	5.6%	10.0%	3.1%	16.7%	8.9%	8.0%	0.0%	3.5%	
Honor/award	3.4%	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%	2.3%	5.6%	4.5%	4.0%	0.0%	5.8%	
Total	561	66	18	10	129	18	112	100	22	86	

*Respondents could select more than one funding/award.

NC State Experiences and Resources

This section of the report looks at students' participation in various work-related experiences while at NC State and their use of various resources made available through the University and College career services offices.

Table 32: Participation in Work-Related Experiences, by College*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Co-op	7.6%	2.1%	7.8%	1.1%	21.7%	14.3%	0.2%	1.1%	1.1%	2.2%
Internship/Job in Field	64.1%	64.6%	70.9%	31.5%	65.6%	88.8%	57.0%	43.4%	80.5%	73.6%
Practicum	5.5%	2.4%	0.0%	10.1%	1.0%	7.2%	3.3%	4.5%	1.7%	19.5%
Student Teaching	9.7%	14.7%	1.9%	84.3%	5.8%	8.1%	4.7%	18.3%	5.2%	2.6%
Research w/ Faculty	23.0%	39.0%	1.9%	16.9%	28.1%	21.5%	16.1%	46.6%	19.5%	1.4%
Class Project	24.1%	14.7%	42.7%	12.4%	38.9%	20.6%	13.5%	6.1%	47.1%	24.0%
None of the above	16.7%	18.0%	18.4%	4.5%	9.4%	4.5%	28.1%	24.3%	9.2%	17.9%
Total	3,205	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492

*Respondents could select more than one experience.

Table 33: Number of Semesters/Summers in Which Participated in Co-op, by College (among those ever having such an experience)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than one semester/summer	0.8%	.	.	.	0.6%	.	.	25.0%	.	.
1 semester/summer	22.2%	57.1%	75.0%	.	13.0%	43.8%	100.0%	25.0%	50.0%	36.4%
2 semesters/summers	20.2%	28.6%	12.5%	100.0%	19.8%	12.5%	.	50.0%	50.0%	27.3%
3 semesters/summers	44.4%	.	12.5%	.	58.2%	12.5%	.	.	.	.
4+ semesters/summers	12.3%	14.3%	.	.	8.5%	31.3%	.	.	.	36.4%
Total	243	7	8	1	177	32	1	4	2	11

Table 34: Number of Semesters/Summers in Which Participated in Internship/Job in Field, by College (among those ever having such an experience)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than one semester/summer	1.9%	2.3%	1.4%	.	1.3%	3.0%	2.6%	1.8%	2.9%	1.1%
1 semester/summer	34.9%	28.4%	28.8%	25.0%	38.5%	40.6%	38.2%	33.5%	31.4%	30.9%
2 semesters/summers	25.9%	25.1%	26.0%	21.4%	29.7%	25.9%	20.9%	22.6%	28.6%	26.0%
3 semesters/summers	17.2%	17.7%	12.3%	17.9%	17.9%	14.7%	13.8%	19.5%	18.6%	19.9%
4+ semesters/summers	20.2%	26.5%	31.5%	35.7%	12.5%	15.7%	24.4%	22.6%	18.6%	22.1%
Total	2,054	215	73	28	535	197	340	164	140	362

Table 35: Number of Semesters/Summers in Which Participated in Practicum, by College (among those ever having such an experience)

	Overall	College/School							
		CALS	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than one semester/summer	6.3%	25.0%	11.1%	.	25.0%	.	17.6%	.	1.0%
1 semester/summer	77.3%	62.5%	22.2%	75.0%	62.5%	84.2%	64.7%	66.7%	87.5%
2 semesters/summers	11.4%	12.5%	.	25.0%	6.3%	10.5%	17.6%	33.3%	10.4%
3 semesters/summers	2.8%	.	44.4%	.	.	.	.	.	1.0%
4+ semesters/summers	2.3%	.	22.2%	.	6.3%	5.3%	.	.	.
Total	176	8	9	8	16	19	17	3	96

Table 36: Number of Semesters/Summers in Which Participated in Student Teaching, by College (among those ever having such an experience)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than one semester/summer	1.9%	.	.	.	4.3%	.	3.6%	.	11.1%	15.4%
1 semester/summer	48.9%	51.0%	100.0%	60.8%	21.3%	77.8%	50.0%	40.6%	66.7%	53.8%
2 semesters/summers	28.2%	22.4%	.	36.5%	29.8%	11.1%	32.1%	27.5%	22.2%	23.1%
3 semesters/summers	9.1%	10.2%	.	1.4%	25.5%	.	7.1%	10.1%	.	7.7%
4+ semesters/summers	12.0%	16.3%	.	1.4%	19.1%	11.1%	7.1%	21.7%	.	.
Total	309	49	2	74	47	18	28	69	9	13

Table 37: Number of Semesters/Summers in Which Participated in Research w/ Faculty, by College (among those ever having such an experience)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than one semester/summer	2.8%	2.3%	.	20.0%	0.9%	6.3%	1.0%	2.8%	8.8%	14.3%
1 semester/summer	26.7%	26.9%	50.0%	33.3%	25.3%	43.8%	19.8%	22.2%	47.1%	42.9%
2 semesters/summers	26.5%	20.8%	50.0%	33.3%	25.8%	25.0%	41.7%	21.6%	29.4%	42.9%
3 semesters/summers	18.6%	23.8%	.	.	18.3%	10.4%	20.8%	20.5%	8.8%	.
4+ semesters/summers	25.4%	26.2%	.	13.3%	29.7%	14.6%	16.7%	33.0%	5.9%	.
Total	737	130	2	15	229	48	96	176	34	7

Table 38: Number of Semesters/Summers in Which Participated in Class Project, by College (among those ever having such an experience)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Less than one semester/summer	6.0%	12.2%	11.4%	.	2.8%	6.7%	12.7%	8.7%	6.1%	5.1%
1 semester/summer	45.8%	55.1%	34.1%	36.4%	44.2%	51.1%	68.4%	65.2%	31.7%	40.2%
2 semesters/summers	38.7%	28.6%	34.1%	45.5%	51.4%	17.8%	11.4%	13.0%	57.3%	28.2%
3 semesters/summers	6.5%	2.0%	13.6%	9.1%	0.6%	15.6%	5.1%	8.7%	2.4%	21.4%
4+ semesters/summers	3.0%	2.0%	6.8%	9.1%	0.9%	8.9%	2.5%	4.3%	2.4%	5.1%
Total	767	49	44	11	317	45	79	23	82	117

Table 39: Helpfulness of Co-op in Securing Job Offer, by College (among those having such an experience and looking for employment)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very helpful	61.8%	42.9%	42.9%	100.0%	68.5%	56.3%	.	.	.	36.4%
Somewhat helpful	28.3%	42.9%	28.6%	.	25.0%	31.3%	100.0%	75.0%	50.0%	36.4%
Not very helpful	6.9%	14.3%	28.6%	.	4.2%	9.4%	.	.	.	27.3%
Not at all helpful	3.0%	.	.	.	2.4%	3.1%	.	25.0%	50.0%	.
Total	233	7	7	1	168	32	1	4	2	11

Table 40: Helpfulness of Internship/Job in Field in Securing Job Offer, by College (among those having such an experience and looking for employment)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very helpful	62.9%	61.4%	55.7%	73.1%	68.5%	59.1%	53.2%	58.7%	59.2%	70.1%
Somewhat helpful	27.7%	30.7%	32.9%	15.4%	24.0%	27.4%	34.6%	33.6%	30.8%	21.7%
Not very helpful	7.2%	6.3%	8.6%	7.7%	6.6%	8.6%	9.3%	4.2%	8.5%	6.7%
Not at all helpful	2.2%	1.6%	2.9%	3.8%	1.0%	4.8%	3.0%	3.5%	1.5%	1.4%
Total	1,891	189	70	26	501	186	301	143	130	345

Table 41: Helpfulness of Practicum in Securing Job Offer, by College (among those having such an experience and looking for employment)

	Overall	College/School							
		CALS	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very helpful	38.1%	20.0%	28.6%	62.5%	9.1%	53.3%	7.7%	33.3%	43.0%
Somewhat helpful	40.6%	40.0%	57.1%	12.5%	54.5%	33.3%	53.8%	33.3%	39.8%
Not very helpful	13.5%	20.0%	.	25.0%	18.2%	6.7%	15.4%	33.3%	12.9%
Not at all helpful	7.7%	20.0%	14.3%	.	18.2%	6.7%	23.1%	.	4.3%
Total	155	5	7	8	11	15	13	3	93

Table 42: Helpfulness of Student Teaching in Securing Job Offer, by College (among those having such an experience and looking for employment)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very helpful	35.0%	30.0%	.	64.8%	21.4%	6.3%	40.0%	27.9%	14.3%	.
Somewhat helpful	43.4%	47.5%	100.0%	25.4%	45.2%	50.0%	40.0%	57.4%	57.1%	40.0%
Not very helpful	16.1%	17.5%	.	7.0%	26.2%	37.5%	16.0%	8.2%	14.3%	50.0%
Not at all helpful	5.5%	5.0%	.	2.8%	7.1%	6.3%	4.0%	6.6%	14.3%	10.0%
Total	274	40	2	71	42	16	25	61	7	10

Table 43: Helpfulness of Research w/ Faculty in Securing Job Offer, by College (among those having such an experience and looking for employment)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very helpful	45.2%	52.9%	50.0%	14.3%	43.6%	41.9%	40.2%	50.3%	31.0%	75.0%
Somewhat helpful	36.6%	37.5%	.	28.6%	39.2%	39.5%	40.2%	30.6%	41.4%	25.0%
Not very helpful	13.0%	4.8%	50.0%	35.7%	14.7%	11.6%	12.2%	13.4%	20.7%	.
Not at all helpful	5.2%	4.8%	.	21.4%	2.5%	7.0%	7.3%	5.7%	6.9%	.
Total	639	104	2	14	204	43	82	157	29	4

Table 44: Helpfulness of Class Project in Securing Job Offer, by College (among those having such an experience and looking for employment)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very helpful	21.9%	34.1%	21.4%	27.3%	17.5%	28.6%	15.9%	38.1%	26.0%	22.9%
Somewhat helpful	47.2%	43.2%	40.5%	27.3%	51.1%	42.9%	43.5%	42.9%	43.8%	50.5%
Not very helpful	19.9%	15.9%	26.2%	27.3%	17.9%	21.4%	30.4%	9.5%	15.1%	21.1%
Not at all helpful	11.1%	6.8%	11.9%	18.2%	13.5%	7.1%	10.1%	9.5%	15.1%	5.5%
Total	685	44	42	11	274	42	69	21	73	109

Table 45: Career Offices Used, by College*

	Overall	College/School									
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM	
Career Development Center	42.2%	27.9%	6.8%	19.1%	59.9%	34.1%	44.5%	43.9%	28.2%	38.4%	
CALS Career Services	5.9%	45.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.8%	1.2%	6.9%	0.0%	0.4%	
College of Textiles Career Services	5.2%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	0.5%	0.3%	90.2%	0.2%	
College of Design Career Services	2.3%	0.3%	68.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.6%	0.0%	
Poole COM Career Development Center	11.3%	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	1.8%	3.5%	1.3%	0.0%	65.9%	
None	42.3%	41.7%	29.1%	80.9%	39.8%	63.2%	52.7%	51.6%	8.6%	25.6%	
Total	3,205	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492	

*Respondents could select more than one career office.

Table 46: How Often Used Career Development Center Services, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
On a regular basis	1.0%	0.3%	.	1.1%	1.0%	1.3%	0.7%	1.9%	0.6%	1.2%
Many times	3.5%	2.4%	1.0%	1.1%	4.9%	0.4%	3.7%	3.7%	4.0%	3.9%
Several Times	13.3%	9.6%	2.9%	2.2%	20.7%	10.3%	13.2%	11.1%	12.6%	11.0%
Just once or twice	24.4%	15.6%	2.9%	14.6%	33.3%	22.0%	26.9%	27.2%	10.9%	22.4%
Never	57.8%	72.1%	93.2%	80.9%	40.1%	65.9%	55.5%	56.1%	71.8%	61.6%
Total	3,205	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492

Table 47: How Often Used CALS (College of Agriculture and Life Sciences) Career Services, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
On a regular basis	0.2%	1.8%	.	.	.	.	.	0.3%	.	.
Many times	0.3%	3.0%	.	.	.	.	.	0.3%	.	.
Several Times	1.6%	12.0%	.	.	.	.	0.3%	1.9%	.	0.2%
Just once or twice	3.8%	28.3%	.	.	.	1.8%	0.8%	4.5%	.	0.2%
Never	94.1%	54.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	98.2%	98.8%	93.1%	100.0%	99.6%
Total	3,204	332	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492

Table 48: How Often Used COT (College of Textiles) Career Services, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
On a regular basis	1.6%	.	.	.	0.2%	.	.	.	28.7%	.
Many times	1.2%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23.0%	.
Several Times	1.4%	.	.	.	0.1%	.	.	0.3%	25.3%	.
Just once or twice	0.9%	0.3%	.	.	0.2%	.	0.5%	.	13.2%	0.2%
Never	94.8%	99.7%	100.0%	100.0%	99.4%	100.0%	99.5%	99.7%	9.8%	99.8%
Total	3,205	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492

Table 49: How Often Used College of Design Career Services, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
On a regular basis	0.0%	.	1.0%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Many times	0.1%	.	3.9%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Several Times	1.1%	.	33.0%	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Just once or twice	1.1%	0.3%	31.1%	.	.	.	0.2%	.	0.6%	.
Never	97.7%	99.7%	31.1%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%	100.0%	99.4%	100.0%
Total	3,205	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492

Table 50: How Often Used PCOM (Poole College of Management) Career Development Center, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
On a regular basis	0.8%	.	.	.	0.1%	.	.	.	.	4.9%
Many times	1.2%	.	.	.	.	.	0.5%	0.3%	.	6.9%
Several Times	3.9%	0.3%	.	.	0.5%	.	0.7%	.	.	23.6%
Just once or twice	5.4%	0.3%	.	.	0.2%	1.8%	2.3%	1.1%	.	30.3%
Never	88.7%	99.4%	100.0%	100.0%	99.1%	98.2%	96.5%	98.7%	100.0%	34.2%
Total	3,204	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	491

Table 51: Evaluation of Career Development Center Information/Services, by College (among those using services)

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Excellent	29.1%	33.3%	28.6%	29.4%	25.7%	28.9%	32.1%	33.7%	24.5%	28.6%
Good	50.4%	48.4%	42.9%	64.7%	50.1%	53.9%	48.3%	44.6%	46.9%	58.7%
Fair	17.5%	18.3%	28.6%	5.9%	20.5%	13.2%	16.2%	18.7%	26.5%	10.1%
Poor	2.1%	.	.	.	2.7%	2.6%	3.0%	0.6%	2.0%	1.6%
Very Poor	1.0%	.	.	.	1.0%	1.3%	0.4%	2.4%	.	1.1%
Total	1,349	93	7	17	487	76	265	166	49	189

Table 52: Evaluation of CALS Career Center Information/Services, by College (among those using services)

	Overall	College/School				
		CALS	CNR	CHASS	COS	PCOM
Excellent	39.7%	42.0%	.	57.1%	30.8%	.
Good	43.9%	44.7%	75.0%	42.9%	38.5%	.
Fair	13.8%	12.7%	.	.	23.1%	50.0%
Poor	0.5%	.	25.0%	.	.	.
Very Poor	2.1%	0.7%	.	.	7.7%	50.0%
Total	189	150	4	7	26	2

Table 53: Evaluation of COT Career Center Information/Services, by College (among those using services)

	Overall	College/School					
		CALS	COE	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Excellent	73.2%	100.0%	80.0%	.	.	75.2%	.
Good	21.4%	.	20.0%	100.0%	.	20.4%	.
Fair	4.2%	.	.	.	100.0%	3.8%	.
Poor	0.6%	.	.	.	.	0.6%	.
Very Poor	0.6%	.	.	.	.	.	100.0%
Total	168	1	5	3	1	157	1

Table 54: Evaluation of College of Design Career Center Information/Services, by College (among those using services)

	Overall	College/School			
		CALS	Design	CHASS	COT
Good	44.6%	100.0%	43.7%	.	100.0%
Excellent	32.4%	.	32.4%	100.0%	.
Fair	16.2%	.	16.9%	.	.
Poor	6.8%	.	7.0%	.	.
Poor	0.0%	.	.	.	.
Total	74	1	71	1	1

Table 55: Evaluation of PCOM Career Development Center Information/Services, by College (among those using services)

	Overall	College/School					
		CALS	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	PCOM
Excellent	40.9%	50.0%	57.1%	25.0%	42.9%	40.0%	40.6%
Good	45.9%	50.0%	42.9%	50.0%	47.6%	60.0%	45.5%
Fair	10.8%	.	.	25.0%	9.5%	.	11.1%
Poor	1.7%	.	.	.	.	.	1.9%
Very Poor	0.8%	.	.	.	.	.	0.9%
Total	362	2	7	4	21	5	323

Table 56: Career Related Resources Used While at NC State, by College*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
ePACK	69.9%	61.0%	57.3%	31.5%	83.3%	61.0%	60.7%	61.9%	60.3%	88.0%
Attended career fair	65.7%	55.9%	56.3%	50.6%	85.5%	52.0%	41.6%	55.8%	86.8%	79.7%
Presentations on resume writing, interviewing skills, etc	36.8%	31.8%	47.6%	53.9%	28.8%	48.4%	32.6%	31.7%	61.5%	43.1%
Visited NC State Career Development Center website	35.4%	30.9%	17.5%	10.1%	40.2%	26.9%	37.5%	39.4%	32.8%	37.8%
Attended employer info sessions	31.8%	15.6%	14.6%	14.6%	49.1%	30.9%	16.2%	21.2%	40.2%	45.1%
Joined professional society at NC State related to career field	30.1%	33.9%	22.3%	31.5%	31.5%	33.6%	20.4%	20.9%	35.1%	42.3%
On-campus interviewing	28.0%	13.2%	40.8%	11.2%	45.3%	22.0%	8.2%	9.3%	50.6%	43.1%
Spoke w/ Career Counselor/Coach	22.7%	18.3%	18.4%	13.5%	17.9%	11.7%	28.3%	26.7%	28.2%	29.7%
Mock interviews w/ Career Counselor/Coach	11.0%	6.9%	9.7%	11.2%	10.7%	19.3%	7.9%	11.1%	5.2%	16.9%
Total	3,205	333	103	89	815	223	598	378	174	492

Table 57: Career Fairs Attended, by College (among those saying they had attended any career fair)*

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Attended career fair	65.7%	55.9%	56.3%	50.6%	85.5%	52.0%	41.6%	55.8%	86.8%	79.7%
Career Fair Attended (among those attending a career fair)										
CALS Career Expo	10.6%	79.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	4.3%	4.0%	28.4%	0.0%	0.3%
CHASS Career Fair	7.8%	1.6%	0.0%	2.2%	0.0%	2.6%	59.8%	0.9%	0.7%	1.5%
College of Design Networking Fair	2.9%	0.0%	96.6%	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%
Engineering Career Fair	43.8%	23.7%	5.2%	26.7%	98.4%	31.9%	9.2%	21.3%	21.2%	10.2%
Poole COM Career & Internship Fair	23.8%	3.8%	1.7%	2.2%	2.7%	9.5%	24.1%	5.2%	4.6%	97.7%
Sciences, Sustainability & Environmental Career Fair	6.8%	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	43.1%	0.8%	36.5%	2.0%	0.5%
Textiles Job Forum	7.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.9%	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%	97.4%	0.3%
Grad School Career Fair at NC State	1.7%	4.3%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%	1.7%	3.6%	5.2%	1.3%	0.5%
Law School Fair	1.9%	0.5%	1.7%	0.0%	0.3%	0.9%	11.6%	0.5%	0.0%	1.5%
Health Career Expo	5.2%	14.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	5.2%	30.8%	1.3%	0.5%
Other fair at NC State	10.4%	14.5%	0.0%	53.3%	8.0%	27.6%	13.7%	10.9%	2.0%	5.1%
Career fair at other university	1.2%	1.1%	1.7%	4.4%	1.3%	0.9%	2.4%	0.9%	0.0%	0.8%
Career fair unaffiliated w/ university	3.6%	3.8%	1.7%	17.8%	2.2%	9.5%	6.8%	1.9%	3.3%	1.8%
Don't know/don't remember	2.7%	2.7%	0.0%	8.9%	0.4%	9.5%	4.4%	10.0%	0.7%	0.3%
Total	2,105	186	58	45	697	116	249	211	151	392

*Respondents could select more than one career fair.

Closing Comments

This final section of the report provides a look at respondents' overall satisfaction with the career guidance they have received while at NC State and their feelings about their future career paths.

Table 58: Overall Satisfaction with Career Guidance, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very Satisfied	27.4%	30.6%	18.4%	39.8%	23.2%	34.2%	20.3%	20.0%	51.1%	34.6%
Satisfied	41.3%	39.6%	43.7%	42.0%	43.0%	42.9%	38.4%	39.5%	35.1%	45.4%
Neutral	23.5%	24.6%	26.2%	13.6%	25.5%	16.4%	31.0%	27.5%	11.5%	15.7%
Dissatisfied	5.5%	4.2%	8.7%	2.3%	5.8%	5.0%	8.1%	8.0%	1.7%	2.2%
Very Dissatisfied	2.3%	0.9%	2.9%	2.3%	2.5%	1.4%	2.2%	5.1%	0.6%	2.0%
Total	3,183	333	103	88	811	219	591	375	174	489

Table 59: Feelings about Future Career Path, by College

	Overall	College/School									
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM	
Very excited - Confident this is what I want to do at this time	47.7%	52.3%	49.0%	65.9%	48.6%	49.8%	42.3%	46.0%	39.1%	49.4%	
Excited - Fairly sure this is what I want to do at this time	36.1%	34.2%	33.3%	25.0%	38.4%	32.0%	36.1%	33.2%	38.5%	39.6%	
A bit confused/uncertain - Not really sure what I want to do at this time	14.4%	11.7%	15.7%	8.0%	11.8%	16.0%	19.1%	17.6%	21.3%	10.2%	
Very confused/uncertain - Don't know what I want to do at this time	1.8%	1.8%	2.0%	1.1%	1.2%	2.3%	2.5%	3.2%	1.1%	0.8%	
Total	3,183	333	102	88	808	219	593	376	174	490	

Table 60: Feelings of Preparation for Future Career Path, by College

	Overall	College/School								
		CALS	Design	CED	COE	CNR	CHASS	COS	COT	PCOM
Very prepared	47.6%	49.5%	41.6%	63.6%	48.9%	52.1%	40.8%	43.9%	52.9%	49.8%
Somewhat prepared	45.0%	43.5%	48.5%	30.7%	44.9%	41.1%	49.1%	46.3%	39.7%	45.5%
Somewhat unprepared	6.0%	6.3%	6.9%	3.4%	5.6%	5.9%	7.8%	6.7%	6.3%	4.1%
Very unprepared	1.4%	0.6%	3.0%	2.3%	0.6%	0.9%	2.4%	3.2%	1.1%	0.6%
Total	3,182	333	101	88	810	219	593	374	174	490

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