

December 2018 Undergraduate Future Plans Survey College of Design Summary Report

This report presents summary results from the December 2018 Undergraduate 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.

Highlights for the College of Design

- 67% of seniors in Design graduating in fall 2018 responded to the survey
- 31% of respondents in Design said they had obtained a full-time position
- Design graduates with full-time employment (excluding internships) reported an average starting salary of \$47,500 (median = \$46,250)
- 100% of Design graduates with full-time employment said they would be working in North Carolina (100% in the Research Triangle Area)

Department Summaries

The following table provides summary statistics for December 2018 graduates in each of the College of Design departments. It includes the number of students in the department who graduated in December 2018 and the number of those students who submitted the Undergraduate 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 accepted full-time employment.

Table 1: Department Summaries

Department	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 Reporting Salary
Architecture	4	3	75.0%	2	.	**	**	**	**	1
Art and Design	10	7	70.0%	1	.	**	**	**	**	1
Graphic & Industrial Design	10	6	60.0%	2	.	**	**	**	**	2
Design Overall	24	16	66.7%	5	.	35,000	46,250	60,000	47,500	4

*Includes all students planning on going to graduate/professional school in the coming year, including those who have been accepted to graduate/professional school and know where they will be going as well as those who have been accepted to at least one school but have not yet finalized their plans, those who have applied but have not yet been accepted, and those who have not yet applied but plan to do so.

**Statistics on salary information for those departments with fewer than 4 respondents reporting their salary have been excluded from the table.

Full-Time Employment (college overall)

Table 2: Name of Company/Organization

	N
Andre Johnson Architect	1
IQVIA	1
Peter Millar	1
Renaissance Innovations	1
SAS	1

Table 3: Location of Company (state)

	N	%
North Carolina	5	100.0

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

	N	%
Triangle	5	100.0

Table 5: Job Title

	N
Associate Graphic Designer	1
Creative Director	1
E-Commerce Specialist	1
Intern	1
UI/UX Designer	1

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

	N	%
Campus or college career center	3	60.0
Applied for job via ePack	2	40.0
Family/friends/classmates/co-workers	2	40.0
Consultation with NC State Career Counselor/Coach	1	20.0
Internship/externship	1	20.0
Personal connection(s) within the company	1	20.0
Other	1	20.0

*Respondents could select more than one resource.

Further Education (college overall)

Information on graduate/professional school name, school location, and degree pursuing is collected and reported only for respondents who indicated that at the time of the survey they had been accepted to graduate/professional school. Therefore, no additional results are available.

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