

**BACCALAUREATE FOLLOW-UP SURVEY  
CLASS OF 2009, ONE YEAR OUT**

**Response Rate**

	<b># Surveys</b>	<b># Responses</b>	<b>% Response</b>
<b>Survey Total:</b>	<b>30,011</b>	<b>6,905</b>	<b>23.01%</b>

**Statistics**

	<b>Valid</b>		<b>Missing</b>		<b>Total</b>
	<b>N</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>N</b>
Race/Ethnicity	6,682	96.8%	223	3.2%	6,905
Gender	5,469	99.7%	14	0.3%	5,483
Age	6,378	99.7%	21	0.3%	6,399
Degree Major	6,389	99.8%	10	0.2%	6,399
Employment Status	6,846	99.1%	59	0.9%	6,905
Regional Zip Code of Employment	5,017	90.3%	537	9.7%	5,554
Primary Employer	5,401	97.2%	153	2.8%	5,554
Satisfaction w/ Current Job	5,501	99.0%	53	1.0%	5,554
Relationship Between Job & Major	5,498	99.0%	56	1.0%	5,554
Timing of First Job	5,529	99.5%	25	0.5%	5,554
Income Category - (Full-Time)	3,478	85.9%	573	14.1%	4,051
Income Category - (Part-Time)	869	80.3%	213	19.7%	1,082
Primary Occupation	4,369	94.8%	240	5.2%	4,609
Post-Bac Degrees Enrollment	6,782	98.2%	123	1.8%	6,905
Pursuit/Completion of Degree	1,795	85.6%	302	14.4%	2,097
Baccalaureate as further education prep	1,847	88.1%	250	11.9%	2,097
Attitude Towards the University	6,702	97.1%	203	2.9%	6,905
Attitude Towards Bachelor's. Degree Major	6,697	97.0%	208	3.0%	6,905
Career Path Prep	5,663	82.0%	1,242	18.0%	6,905
Professors were accessible	6,726	97.4%	179	2.6%	6,905
Expected/required to Work Cooperatively	6,721	97.3%	184	2.7%	6,905
Encouraged to Challenge Ideas	6,723	97.4%	182	2.6%	6,905
Appropriate Teaching Activities	6,722	97.3%	183	2.7%	6,905
High Expectations	5,911	96.8%	196	3.2%	6,107
Timely Feedback	5,911	96.8%	196	3.2%	6,107
Emphasis on Studying and Planning	5,266	96.4%	195	3.6%	5,461

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**DEMOGRAPHIC**

**Race/Ethnicity**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Black, non-Hispanic	523	7.6	7.8	7.8
	Asian/Pacific Islander	374	5.4	5.6	13.4
	White, non-Hispanic	5,342	77.4	79.9	93.4
	Native American/Alaskan	15	0.2	0.2	93.6
	Hispanic	323	4.7	4.8	98.4
	Non-resident alien	105	1.5	1.6	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,682	96.8	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	223	3.2		
	<b>Total:</b>	6,905	100.0		

**Gender**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Female	2,959	54.0	54.1	54.1
	Male	2,510	45.8	45.9	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,469	99.7	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	14	0.3		
	<b>Total:</b>	5,483	100.0		

**Age Category**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	25 Years and Younger	4,098	64.0	64.3	64.3
	26 through 35	1,510	23.6	23.7	87.9
	36 through 45	397	6.2	6.2	94.2
	46 and older	373	5.8	5.8	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,378	99.7	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	21	0.3		
	<b>Total:</b>	6,399	100.0		

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**Degree Major**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Agriculture/Natural Resources	171	2.7	2.7	2.7
	Accounting	175	2.7	2.7	5.4
	Business	878	13.7	13.7	19.2
	Communication	330	5.2	5.2	24.3
	Computer/Information Sciences	105	1.6	1.6	26.0
	Education	811	12.7	12.7	38.7
	Engineering	326	5.1	5.1	43.8
	Engineering Technologies	149	2.3	2.3	46.1
	Nursing	178	2.8	2.8	48.9
	Health-Related	308	4.8	4.8	53.7
	Liberal Arts/Humanities	570	8.9	8.9	62.6
	Science and Mathematics	422	6.6	6.6	69.2
	Social/Behavioral Sciences	765	12.0	12.0	81.2
	Visual/Performing Arts	209	3.3	3.3	84.5
	Multi/Interdisciplinary	59	0.9	0.9	85.4
Other	933	14.6	14.6	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	10	0.2		
	<b>Total:</b>	6,389	99.8	100.0	
	<b>Total:</b>	6,399	100.0		

**EMPLOYMENT**

**Employment Status**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Yes, Full-Time	4,353	63.0	63.6	63.6
	Yes, Part-Time	1,201	17.4	17.5	81.1
	No, Is Seeking	773	11.2	11.3	92.4
	No, Not Seeking	519	7.5	7.6	100.0
	Total	6,846	99.1	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	59	0.9		
	<b>Total:</b>	6,905	100.0		

**Regional Zip Code**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Chicago Area	2,238	40.3	44.6	44.6
	Rest of Illinois	1,950	35.1	38.9	83.5
	Out-of-State	829	14.9	16.5	100.0
	Total	5,017	90.3	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	537	9.7		
	<b>Total:</b>	5,554	100.0		

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**Primary Employer**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Self-employed/private practice	260	4.7	4.8	4.8
	Business (industrial, commercial, or service)	2,031	36.6	37.6	42.4
	Professional firm	364	6.6	6.7	49.2
	College/university	527	9.5	9.8	58.9
	Elementary/secondary school	771	13.9	14.3	73.2
	Health agency/institution	479	8.6	8.9	82.1
	Government (federal, state, or local)	392	7.1	7.3	89.3
	Armed services	77	1.4	1.4	90.7
	Non-profit (non-government)	249	4.5	4.6	95.4
	Other employer	251	4.5	4.6	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,401	97.2	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	153	2.8		
	<b>Total:</b>	5,554	100.0		

**Satisfaction w/ Current Job**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very satisfied	1,741	31.3	31.6	31.6
	Satisfied	1,846	33.2	33.6	65.2
	Somewhat satisfied	1,077	19.4	19.6	84.8
	Somewhat dissatisfied	382	6.9	6.9	91.7
	Dissatisfied	272	4.9	4.9	96.7
	Very dissatisfied	183	3.3	3.3	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,501	99.0	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	53	1.0		
	<b>Total:</b>	5,554	100.0		

**Relationship Between Job & Major**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Closely Related	2,501	45.0	45.5	45.5
	Related	1,472	26.5	26.8	72.3
	Unrelated, by choice	734	13.2	13.4	85.6
	Unrelated, not by choice	774	13.9	14.1	99.7
	Unrelated, no further response	17	0.3	0.3	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,498	99.0	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	56	1.0		
	<b>Total:</b>	5,554	100.0		

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**Timing of first job**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Held same job while enrolled	1,313	23.6	23.7	23.7
	Secured job by graduation	1,260	22.7	22.8	46.5
	Secured job in less than 1 month after graduation	521	9.4	9.4	56.0
	Secured job between 1 and 3 months after graduation	798	14.4	14.4	70.4
	Secured job between 3 and 6 months after graduation	722	13.0	13.1	83.5
	Secured job between 6 and 9 months after graduation	462	8.3	8.4	91.8
	Secured job after 9 months after graduation	434	7.8	7.8	99.7
	Secured job after graduation, no time reported	19	0.3	0.3	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5,529</b>	<b>99.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	25	0.5		
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>5,554</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

**Income Category - (Full-Time Employment)**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Under \$20,000	296	7.3	8.5	8.5
	\$20,000 - \$30,000	843	20.8	24.2	32.7
	\$30,001 - \$40,000	879	21.7	25.3	58.0
	\$40,001 - \$50,000	571	14.1	16.4	74.4
	\$50,001 - \$60,000	383	9.5	11.0	85.5
	\$60,001 - \$75,000	271	6.7	7.8	93.2
	\$75,001 - \$99,999	124	3.1	3.6	96.8
	\$100,000+	111	2.7	3.2	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,478</b>	<b>85.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>		
<b>Missing</b>	No response	573	14.1		
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>4,051</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

**Income Category - (Part-Time Employment)**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Under \$20,000	539	49.8	62.0	62.0
	\$20,000 - \$30,000	172	15.9	19.8	81.8
	\$30,001 - \$40,000	74	6.8	8.5	90.3
	\$40,001 - \$50,000	44	4.1	5.1	95.4
	\$50,001 - \$60,000	23	2.1	2.6	98.0
	\$60,001 - \$75,000	7	0.6	0.8	98.8
	\$75,001 - \$99,999	6	0.6	0.7	99.5
	\$100,000+	4	0.4	0.5	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>869</b>	<b>80.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>		
<b>Missing</b>	No response	213	19.7		
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

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**Primary Occupation**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Management	365	7.9	8.4	8.4
	Business Operations	412	8.9	9.4	17.8
	Financial Specialists	223	4.8	5.1	22.9
	Computer Specialists	163	3.5	3.7	26.6
	Mathematical Scientists and Technicians	12	0.3	0.3	26.9
	Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers	23	0.5	0.5	27.4
	Engineers and Related Technicians	216	4.7	4.9	32.4
	Life and Physical Scientists and Technicians	88	1.9	2.0	34.4
	Social Scientists	39	0.8	0.9	35.3
	Health: Doctors	37	0.8	0.8	36.1
	Health: Registered Nurses	136	3.0	3.1	39.2
	Health: Therapists	28	0.6	0.6	39.9
	Health: Other Health Practitioners, Professionals, and Support Workers	180	3.9	4.1	44.0
	Community and Social Service	166	3.6	3.8	47.8
	Legal: Attorneys/Judges	39	0.8	0.9	48.7
	Legal: Legal Support Workers	34	0.7	0.8	49.5
	Education: Early Childhood Teachers	98	2.1	2.2	51.7
	Education: Elementary School Teachers	167	3.6	3.8	55.5
	Education: Middle School Teachers	74	1.6	1.7	57.2
	Education: Secondary School Teachers	132	2.9	3.0	60.2
	Education: Special Education Teachers	110	2.4	2.5	62.8
	Education: Other, except Administrators	280	6.1	6.4	69.2
	Library Occupations	42	0.9	1.0	70.1
	Arts and Design Workers	50	1.1	1.1	71.3
	Entertainers, Performers, Sports, and Related Workers	36	0.8	0.8	72.1
	Media and Communication Workers	77	1.7	1.8	73.9
	Sales	323	7.0	7.4	81.3
	Office and Administration	244	5.3	5.6	86.8
	Protective Services	140	3.0	3.2	90.0
	Food Preparation and Serving	111	2.4	2.5	92.6
	Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	28	0.6	0.6	93.2
	Personal Care Services	59	1.3	1.4	94.6
	Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	43	0.9	1.0	95.6
Construction and Extractive	37	0.8	0.8	96.4	
Installation, Maintenance, and Repair	30	0.7	0.7	97.1	
Production	40	0.9	0.9	98.0	
Transportation and Material Moving	25	0.5	0.6	98.6	
Military	62	1.3	1.4	100.0	
<b>Total</b>	4,369	94.8	100.0		
<b>Missing</b>	No response	240	5.2		
	<b>Total:</b>	4,609	100.0		

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**EDUCATION**

**Post-Baccalaureate enrollment**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
<b>Valid</b>	Yes, Full-Time	1,450	21.0	21.4	21.4
	Yes, Part-Time	647	9.4	9.5	30.9
	No	4,685	67.8	69.1	100.0
	Total	6,782	98.2	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	123	1.8		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

**Pursuit/Completion of degree**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
<b>Valid</b>	Associate	55	2.6	3.1	3.1
	Second baccalaureate	73	3.5	4.1	7.1
	Academic master's	815	38.9	45.4	52.5
	Professional master's	423	20.2	23.6	76.1
	Medicine	44	2.1	2.5	78.6
	Health professional	70	3.3	3.9	82.5
	Theology/divinity	13	0.6	0.7	83.2
	Law	78	3.7	4.3	87.5
	Doctorate	107	5.1	6.0	93.5
	Other	117	5.6	6.5	100.0
	Total	1,795	85.6	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	302	14.4		
<b>Total:</b>		2,097	100.0		

**Baccalaureate as further education prep**

		Frequency	Percent	Valid Percent	Cumulative Percent
<b>Valid</b>	Very well	693	33.0	37.5	37.5
	Well	638	30.4	34.5	72.1
	Adequately	424	20.2	23.0	95.0
	Inadequately	68	3.2	3.7	98.7
	Poorly	14	0.7	0.8	99.5
	Very poorly	10	0.5	0.5	100.0
	Total	1,847	88.1	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	250	11.9		
<b>Total:</b>		2,097	100.0		

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**SATISFACTION**

**Present Attitude Towards the University**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Strongly positive	2,506	36.3	37.4	37.4
	Positive	2,875	41.6	42.9	80.3
	Somewhat positive	867	12.6	12.9	93.2
	Somewhat negative	284	4.1	4.2	97.5
	Negative	101	1.5	1.5	99.0
	Strongly negative	69	1.0	1.0	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,702	97.1	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	203	2.9		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

**Present Attitude Towards Bachelor's Degree Major**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Strongly positive	2,483	36.0	37.1	37.1
	Positive	2,550	36.9	38.1	75.2
	Somewhat positive	1,035	15.0	15.5	90.6
	Somewhat negative	399	5.8	6.0	96.6
	Negative	142	2.1	2.1	98.7
	Strongly negative	88	1.3	1.3	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,697	97.0	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	208	3.0		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

**Baccalaureate as job prep**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very Well	1,431	20.7	25.3	25.3
	Well	1,804	26.1	31.9	57.1
	Adequately	1,676	24.3	29.6	86.7
	Inadequately	414	6.0	7.3	94.0
	Poorly	145	2.1	2.6	96.6
	Very Poorly	193	2.8	3.4	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,663	82.0	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	1,242	18.0		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		



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**EDUCATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS**

**Professors were accessible**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,743	39.7	40.8	40.8
	Often	2,986	43.2	44.4	85.2
	Sometimes	867	12.6	12.9	98.1
	Infrequently	116	1.7	1.7	99.8
	Never	14	0.2	0.2	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,726	97.4	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	179	2.6		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

**Required to work cooperatively**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,794	40.5	41.6	41.6
	Often	2,491	36.1	37.1	78.6
	Sometimes	1,205	17.5	17.9	96.6
	Infrequently	204	3.0	3.0	99.6
	Never	27	0.4	0.4	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,721	97.3	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	184	2.7		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

**Encouraged to challenge ideas**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,227	32.3	33.1	33.1
	Often	2,552	37.0	38.0	71.1
	Sometimes	1,521	22.0	22.6	93.7
	Infrequently	360	5.2	5.4	99.1
	Never	63	0.9	0.9	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,723	97.4	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	182	2.6		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

**Appropriate teaching activities**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,368	34.3	35.2	35.2
	Often	3,149	45.6	46.8	82.1
	Sometimes	1,025	14.8	15.2	97.3
	Infrequently	156	2.3	2.3	99.6
	Never	24	0.3	0.4	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	6,722	97.3	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	183	2.7		
<b>Total:</b>		6,905	100.0		

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**High expectations**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,412	39.5	40.8	40.8
	Often	2,498	40.9	42.3	83.1
	Sometimes	815	13.3	13.8	96.9
	Infrequently	160	2.6	2.7	99.6
	Never	26	0.4	0.4	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,911	96.8	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	196	3.2		
<b>Total:</b>		6,107	100.0		

**Timely feedback**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,045	33.5	34.6	34.6
	Often	2,727	44.7	46.1	80.7
	Sometimes	944	15.5	16.0	96.7
	Infrequently	168	2.8	2.8	99.5
	Never	27	0.4	0.5	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,911	96.8	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	196	3.2		
<b>Total:</b>		6,107	100.0		

**Emphasis on studying and planning**

		<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Valid Percent</b>	<b>Cumulative Percent</b>
<b>Valid</b>	Very often	2,408	44.1	45.7	45.7
	Often	1,953	35.8	37.1	82.8
	Sometimes	722	13.2	13.7	96.5
	Infrequently	144	2.6	2.7	99.3
	Never	39	0.7	0.7	100.0
	<b>Total</b>	5,266	96.4	100.0	
<b>Missing</b>	No response	195	3.6		
<b>Total:</b>		5,461	100.0		