

Class of 2011 Graduate Survey Results

The graduating class of May 2011 received two email requests, two U.S. mailings, and follow-up phone calls to non-respondents from the Cooperative Education and Career Services Office. A link to the survey was also available to graduates on our website and department Facebook page.

The purpose of this survey is to determine if Cabrini College graduates have successfully secured employment, where and what they are doing, whether their employment is related to their major, if their employment was a result of a co-op experience they had while at Cabrini, and if they are attending graduate/professional school.

Three hundred and twenty-one (321) graduates from the class of 2011 (August 2010, December 2010, and May 2011 graduates) received the graduate survey.

Of the 321 graduates, 233 responded to the survey, resulting in a **73%** response rate.

Respondents were asked about their post baccalaureate graduate/professional school plans, name of institution and graduate course/program of study. Of the 233 respondents, 18% (N=42) indicated that they are currently attending graduate school full-time and 9% (N=22) are attending graduate school part-time.

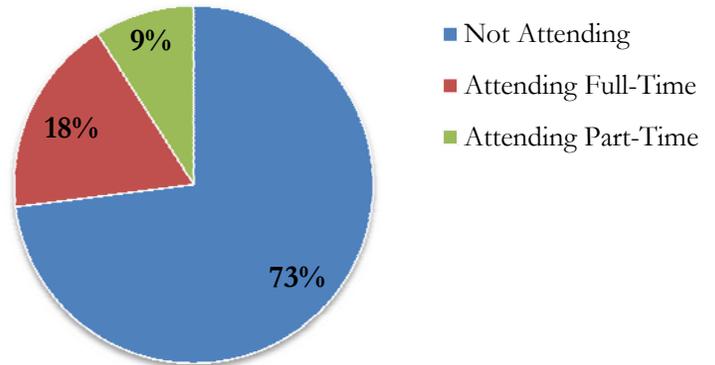


Figure 1: Percent of 2011 Graduates Continuing Education

The survey asked graduates about their current employment status. Of the 233 respondents, 65% (N=151) are employed on a full-time basis, while 19% (N=45) are employed part-time. Sixteen percent (N=32) reported being unemployed.

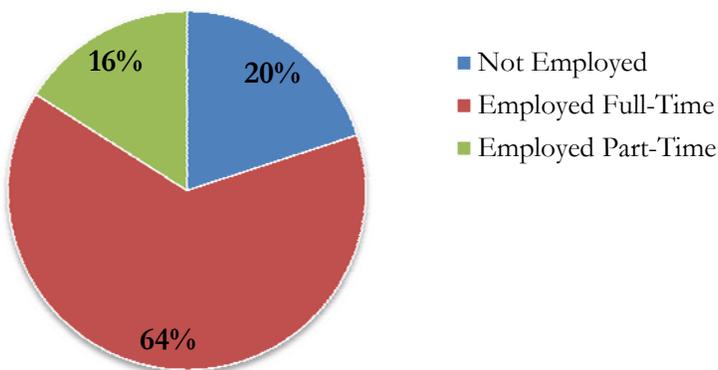


Figure 2: Percent of 2011 Graduates Employed

Included in employment related questions, graduates were asked if their current employment was related to their major. Of those employed both full and part-time, 59% (N=116) said their employment was directly related to their major, 19% (N=37) said that their employment was indirectly related to their major, 7% (N=14) were employed in a position unrelated to their major and that related employment was not important, and 14% (N=27) said that they could not locate work related to their major.

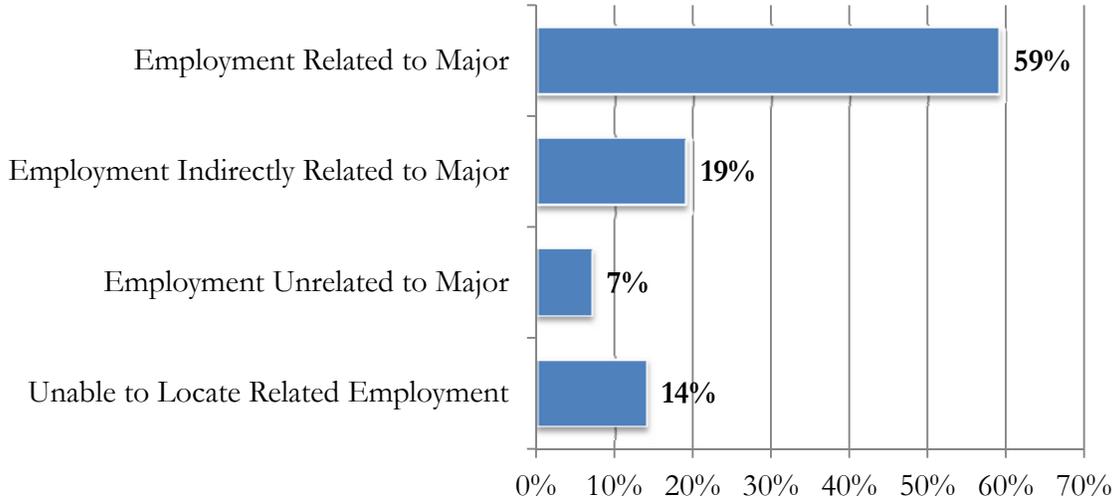


Figure 3: Percent of 2011 Graduates Employed - Employment Relation to Major

Commitment to service: no students reported committing to a year of service after graduation.

Of the employed graduates who reported their current salary range, the totals are as follows:

Employed Full-time:

Less than \$19,999 (14)	\$35,000 - \$39,999 (15)
\$20,000 - \$24,999 (13)	\$40,000 - \$44,999 (12)
\$25,000 - \$29,999 (17)	\$45,000 - \$49,999 (3)
\$30,000 - \$34,999 (16)	\$50,000 or more (8)

Employed Part-time:

Less than \$19,999 (27)	\$35,000 - \$39,999 (0)
\$20,000 - \$24,999 (3)	\$40,000 - \$44,999 (0)
\$25,000 - \$29,999 (1)	\$45,000 - \$49,999 (0)
\$30,000 - \$34,999 (1)	\$50,000 or more (0)

The final section of the survey asked graduates about their Cooperative Education/Internship experience. Twenty percent (N=46) of respondents reported having a Co-op/Internship while at Cabrini.

Of those, 24% (N=11) received a job offer from their Co-op employer, 44% (N=20) received a job offer due to experience gained through their Co-op internship, and 32% (N=15) did not acknowledge an offer due to their experience.



Figure 4: Percent of 2011 Graduates with Co-op/ Internship Placement – Secured employment due to Co-op/ Internship

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A total of 221 of the 233 survey respondents reported being either employed, in graduate/professional school, or both, totaling 95% of the respondents having a positive placement rate.

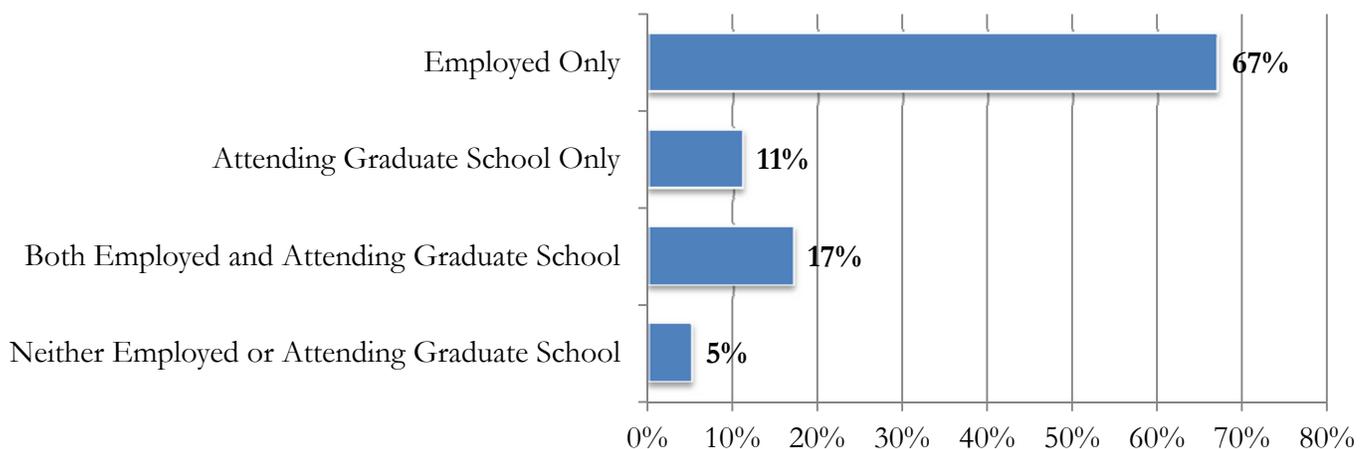


Figure 5: Percent of 2011 Graduates with Positive Placement Rate