

Class of 2006 Survey Excerpts

Post Graduation Activity Summary

Of the 1324 graduates of the Class of 2006, 57% (750) responded. Of those respondents, 722 (96%) of the graduates were employed and/or attending graduate/professional school within one year of graduation.

86% of the graduates were employed.

76% are employed in full time positions

9% are employed in part time positions

11% of the graduates were unemployed, but attending graduate/professional school.

4% of the graduates were unemployed and not attending graduate/professional school.

Internship Participation

520 (60%) of the eligible respondents indicated they had participated in an internship or practicum experience during their undergraduate careers; they interned for an average of 2.53 semesters.

Top Employers

The Top Employers (based on number of TCNJ, Class of '06 graduates hired) were:

- | | |
|--|--|
| 1. Merrill Lynch 11 | 7. The College of New Jersey 5 |
| 2. Johnson & Johnson 8 | 10. Amper, Politziner & Mattia 4 |
| 2. PricewaterhouseCoopers 8 | 10. Bernards Township Public Schools 4 |
| 2. United States Government 8 | 10. Deloitte 4 |
| 5. South Brunswick Public Schools 7 | 10. East Brunswick Public Schools 4 |
| 6. State of New Jersey 6 | 10. Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania 4 |
| 7. Monroe Public Schools 5 | 10. Liberty Mutual 4 |
| 7. North Hunterdon-Voorhees Reg. School District 5 | |

Salary Information

The mean starting salary for graduates of the Class of '06 was **\$42,090** (from salary ranges); reflects a 3% increase in comparison with the Class of '05. Average salaries by School were:

	AMM	BU	CS	ED	EG	NU	SC
Average Salary	\$39,986	\$46,125	\$37,116	\$40,919	\$49,605	\$52,542	\$43,553

Comparing estimated salaries, males earn an average of \$3,093 (8%) per year more than females.

The following majors, with more than one major reporting, had the highest reported average salaries (number reporting):

- | | |
|--|---|
| 1. Mechanical Engineering (9) \$53,046 | 6. Finance (26) \$49,615 |
| 2. Nursing (24) \$52,542 | 7. Computer Science (7) \$49,286 |
| 3. Electrical Engineering (2) \$52,500 | 8. Accounting (29) \$49,138 |
| 4. Statistics (3) \$52,000 | 9. Management (11) \$48,018 |
| 5. Engineering Science (2) \$50,000 | 10. Information Systems Management (6) \$47,583 |

Graduate School Summary

25% of the graduates who responded to the survey were attending graduate/professional school; 11% of all survey respondents indicated that though they were unemployed, they were attending graduate/professional school. Through admissions data secured from the National Clearinghouse and surveys obtained by Career Services we were able to determine that 293 (22%) graduates of the total Class of 2006 attended graduate school within the year after graduation.

56% of graduates indicated they plan to attend graduate/professional school in the future.

64% of those planning to attend, plan to attend within 3 years of graduation

97% of those planning to attend, plan to attend within 4 to 5 years of graduation