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First Destination Report

Class of 2015



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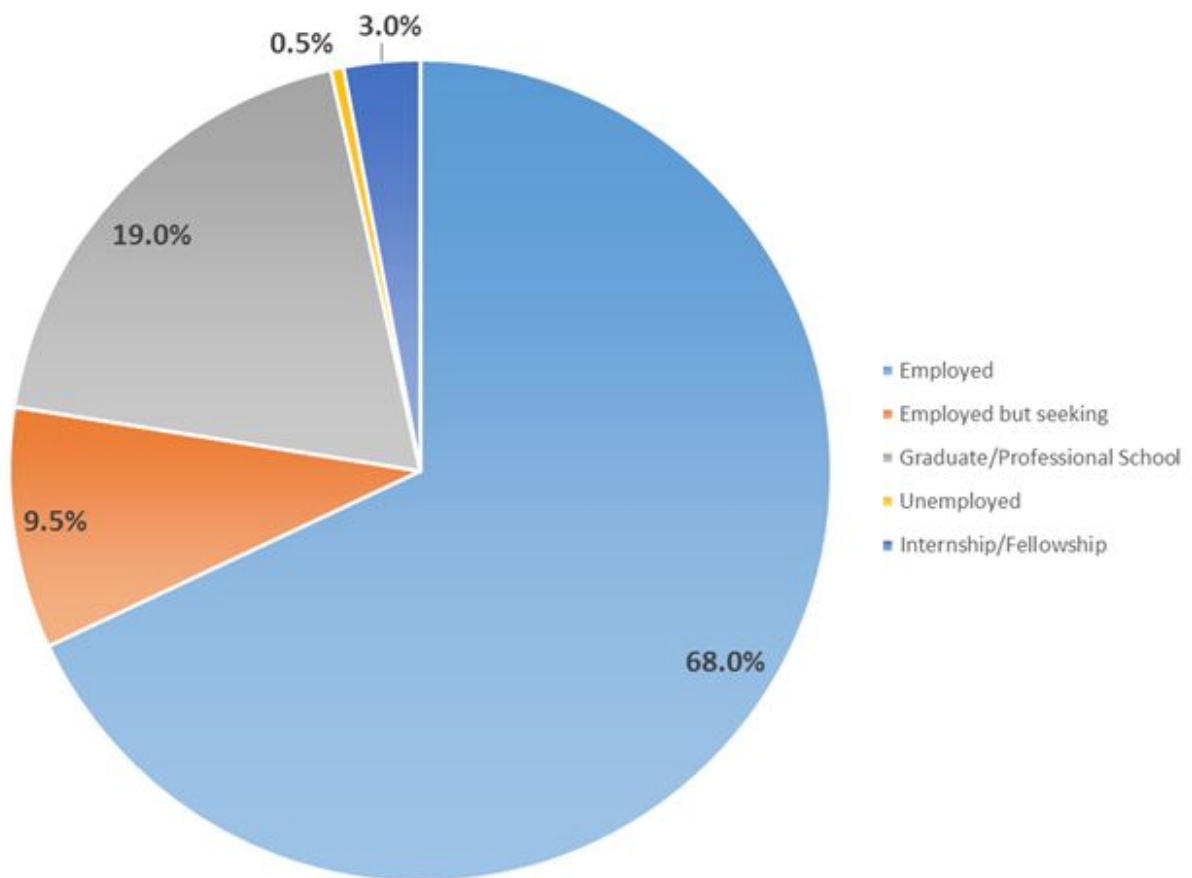
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Current Activity

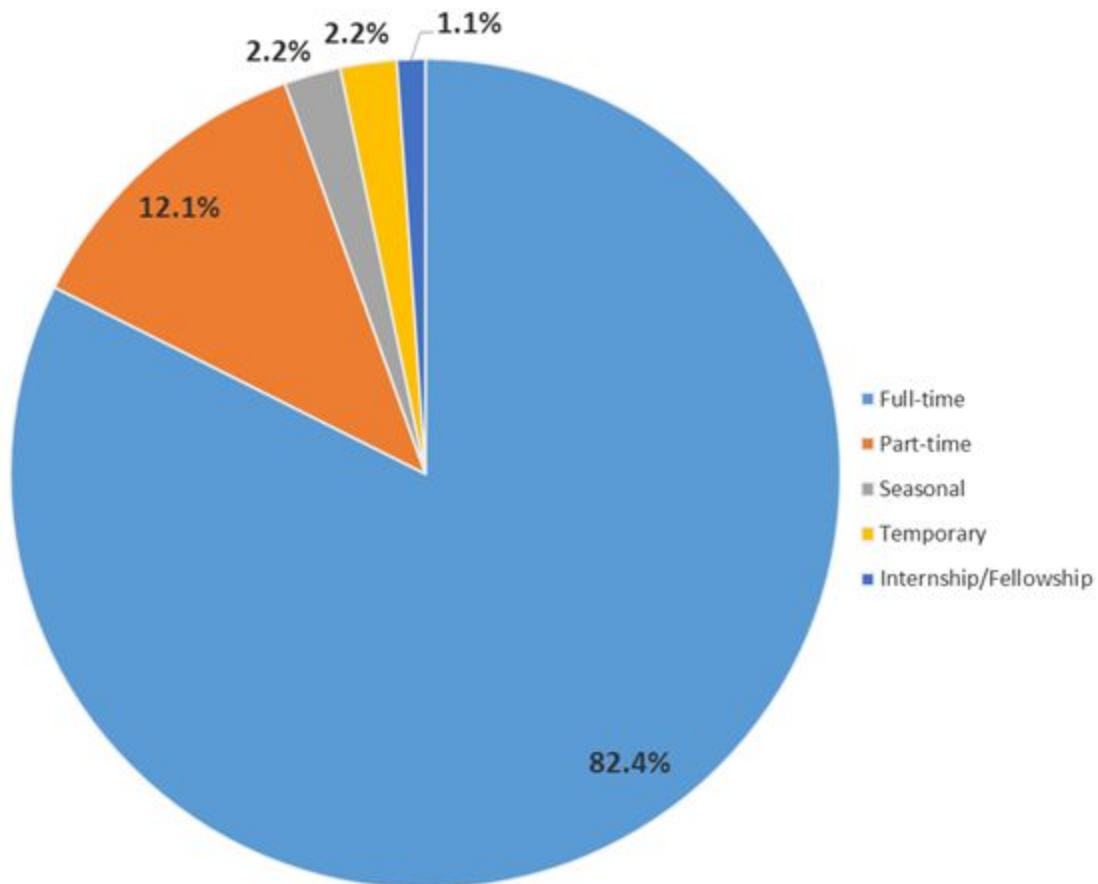
The knowledge rate of the Class of 2015 is 72.2% (200 of 277 graduates). There is no information available for 27.5% of the class. Percentages reported here reflect the knowledge rate of the college, not the total graduating class.

- 99.5% of respondents reported engagement in productive post-graduation activity such as employment, graduate/professional school, or scholarship/fellowship.
- 0.5% of respondents reported that they were unemployed one year after graduation.
- Coe's Class of 2015 produced one Fulbright Scholar.

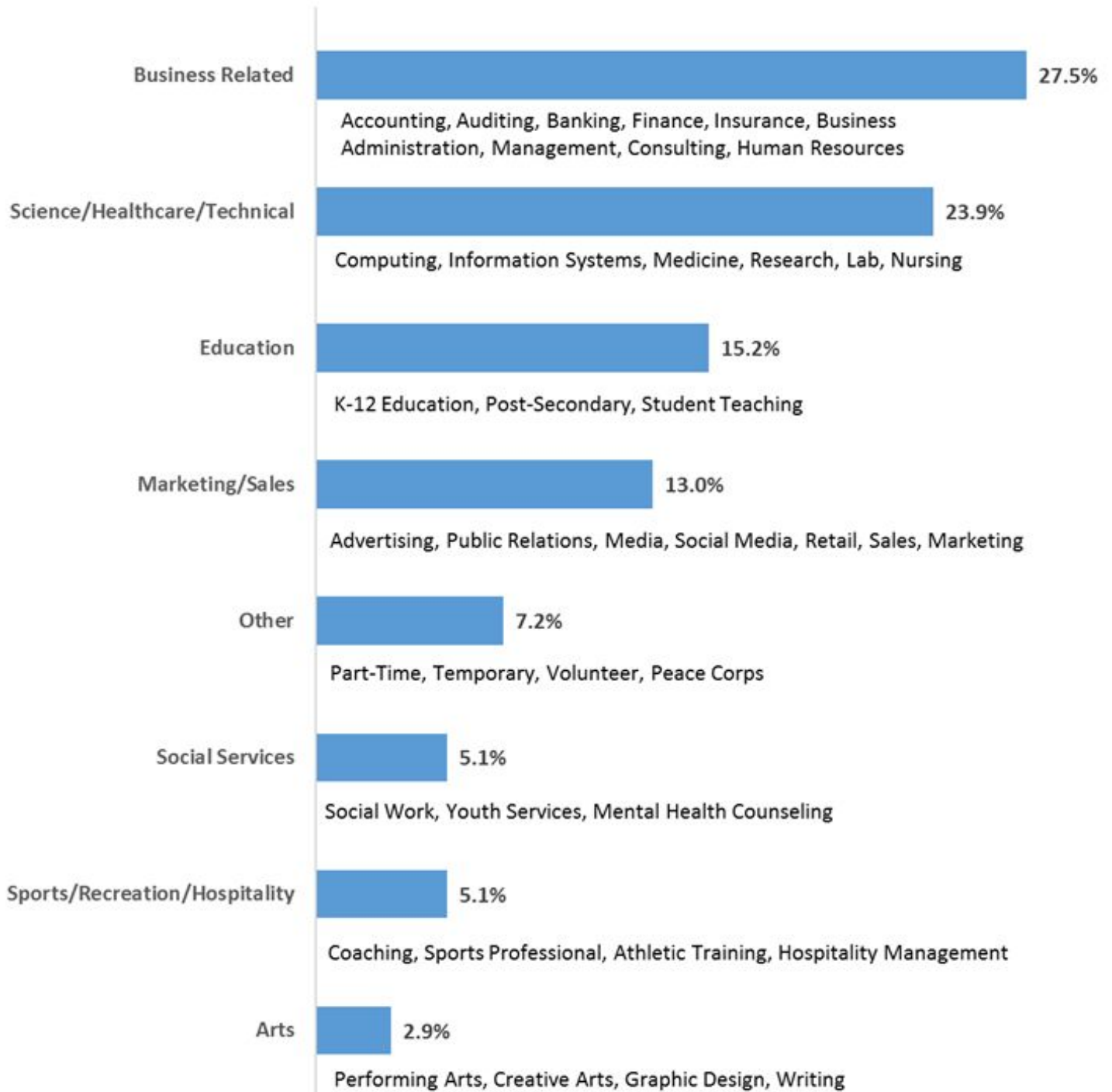


Employment

- 82.4% of respondents who were working reported employment in full-time, permanent positions.
- Nearly 65% (65.1%) of respondents reported an annual salary greater than \$30,000.
- 68.5% of those employed started their job searches either before or within three months after graduation; 31.3% reported accepting their positions within three months of graduation.
- 42.9% of respondents cited a personal referral as the source of a job offer.
- The most commonly-reported employment fields were business-related (27.5%), science/healthcare/technical (23.9%), marketing/sales (13.0%), education (15.2%), sports/recreation/hospitality (5.1%), and social services (5.1%).



Job Classifications



Sample of Reported Job Titles

Account Specialist	Film Editor
Account Support Advisor	Financial Advisor
Accounts Payable Specialist	Financial Institution Specialist
Administrative/Executive Assistant	Freelance Photographer/Videographer
Admissions Counselor	Governance Program Coordinator
Advanced Test Technician Analyst	Head Athletic Trainer
Apps Programmer/Analyst	Health Savings Account Specialist
Art Teacher	IT Security Analyst
Assistant Activities Director	Head Varsity Basketball Coach
Assistant Basketball Coach	Junior Trader
Assistant Health Market Manager	Lab Technician
Assistant Manager - Store Operations	Legal Assistant
Assistant Volunteer Coordinator	Library Technician
Associate Registrar	Manufacturing Supervisor
Athletic Trainer	Marketing and Membership Associate
Band Director	Mascot Coordinator
Book Artist/Illustrator/Printmaker	Marketing Communications Specialist
Brand Specialist	Medical Scribe
Campaign Assistant/Finance Manager	Member Service Representative
Carpenter	Men's Assistant Basketball Coach
Caseworker	Merchandiser
CEO/Founder	Mobile Application Developer
Clinical Research Coordinator	On-Air Personality
Conservationist	Operations Manager/Supervisor
Coordinator of Intercultural Initiatives	Patient Account Representative
Cultural Program Assistant	Patient Affairs Coordinator
Customer Service Representative	Patient Care Technician
Domestic Violence Victim Advocate	Political Representative
Early Childhood Development Specialist	Postsurgical Nurse
Elementary School Teacher	Preschool Teacher
Emergency/Trauma Nurse	Product Development Technician
English Speaking Instructor	Production Line Technician
Enrollment Solutions Consultant	Project Manager
Entrepreneur – Managed Services	Publicity Assistant
Event Coordinator/Special Olympics	Quote Desk Representative
Events & Data Specialist	Recruiting Coordinator

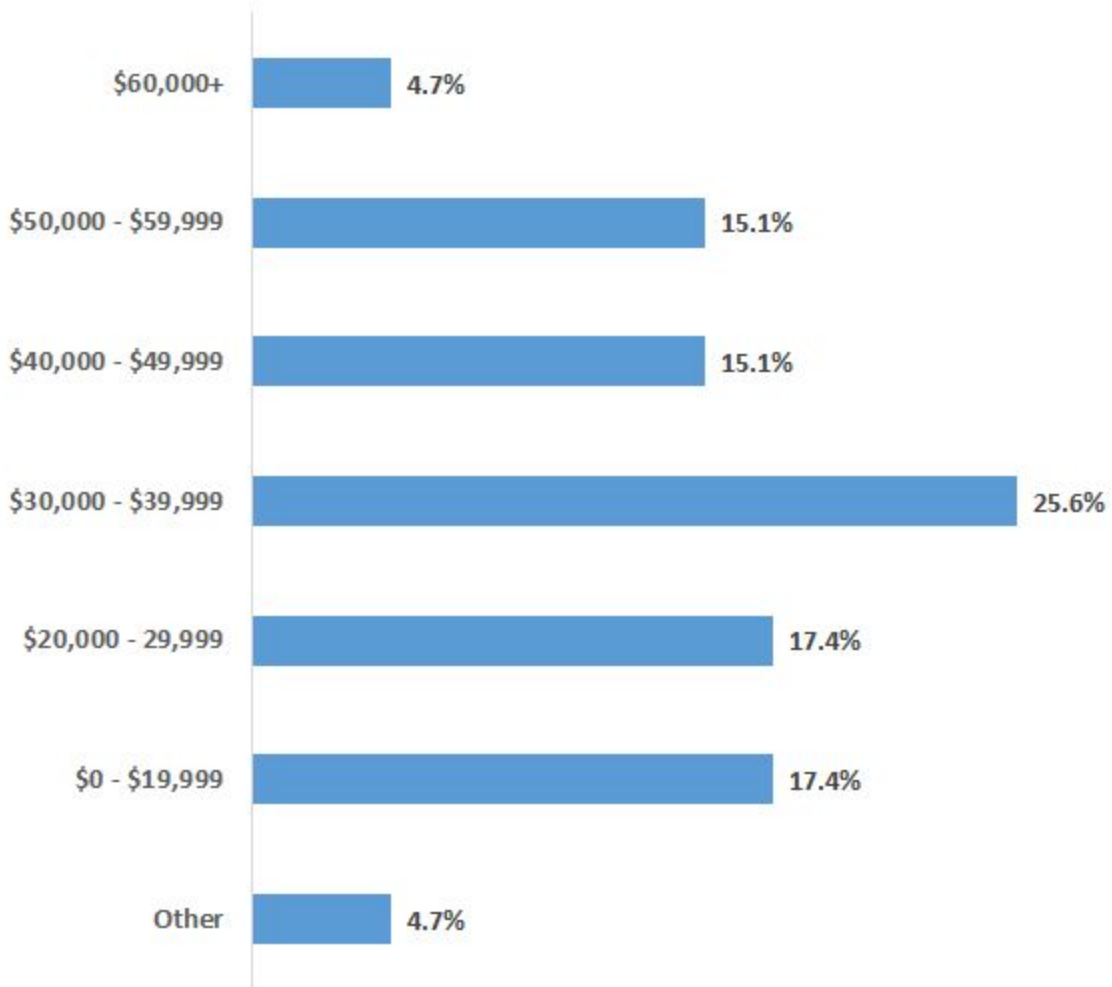
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Research Assistant
Resident Specialist
Residential Treatment Worker
Medical Intensive Care Unit Nurse
NICU Nurse
Neurosurgery Nurse
Safety Administrator
Sales Associate/Representative
Self-Employed Farmer
Senior Software Technician

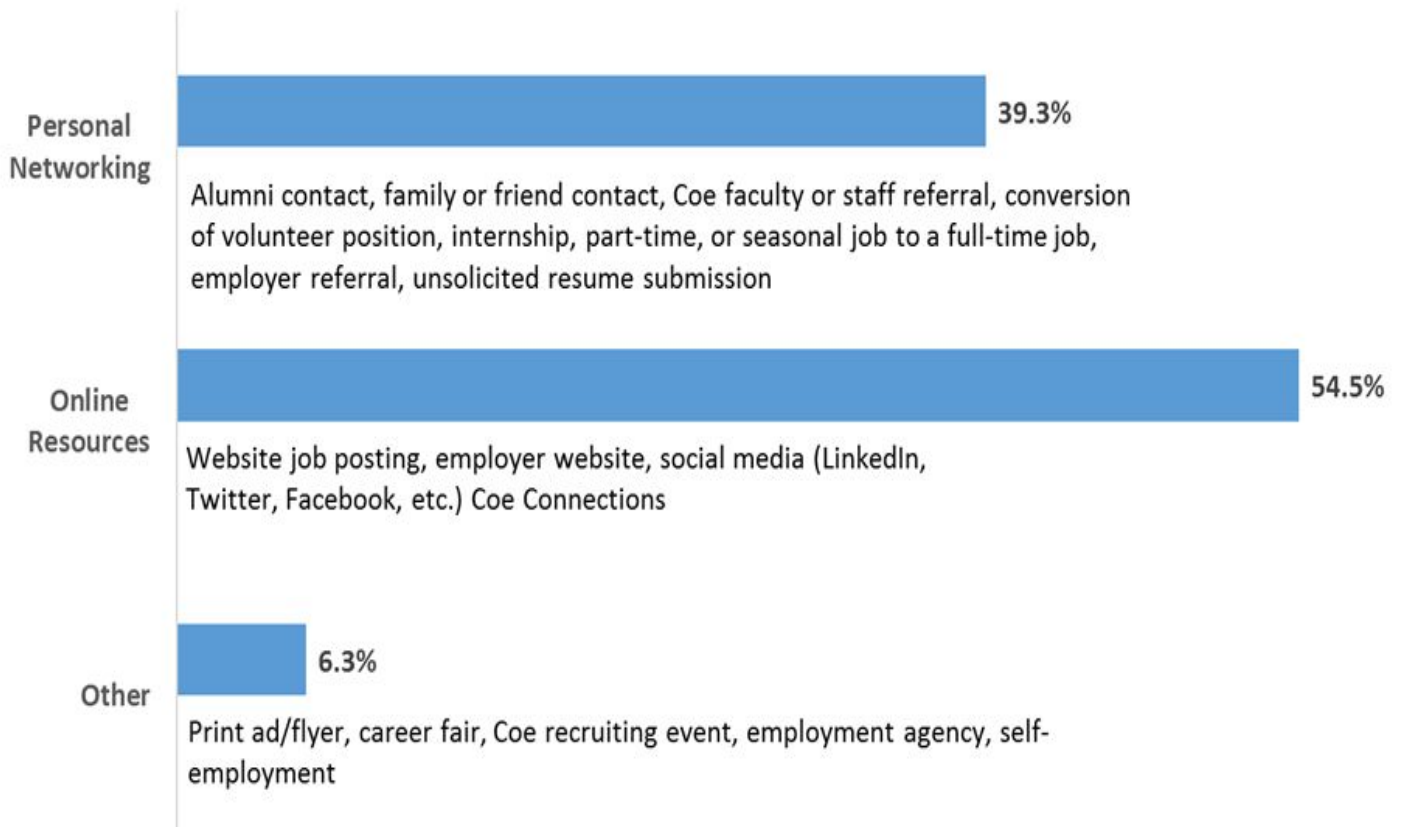
Shift Manager
Support Services Specialist
Tax Analyst Associate
Teaching Assistant
Team Leader
Technical Project Coordinator
Vocal Music Teacher
Volunteer Coordinator
Web Projects Coordinator
Youth Service Worker

Annual Salary Range

- This was an optional question; these figures represent only the members of the Class of 2015 who chose to report their salary information in the survey.
- Note: "Other" indicators of salary included commission-based work, income based on schedule, and salary paid in foreign currency.

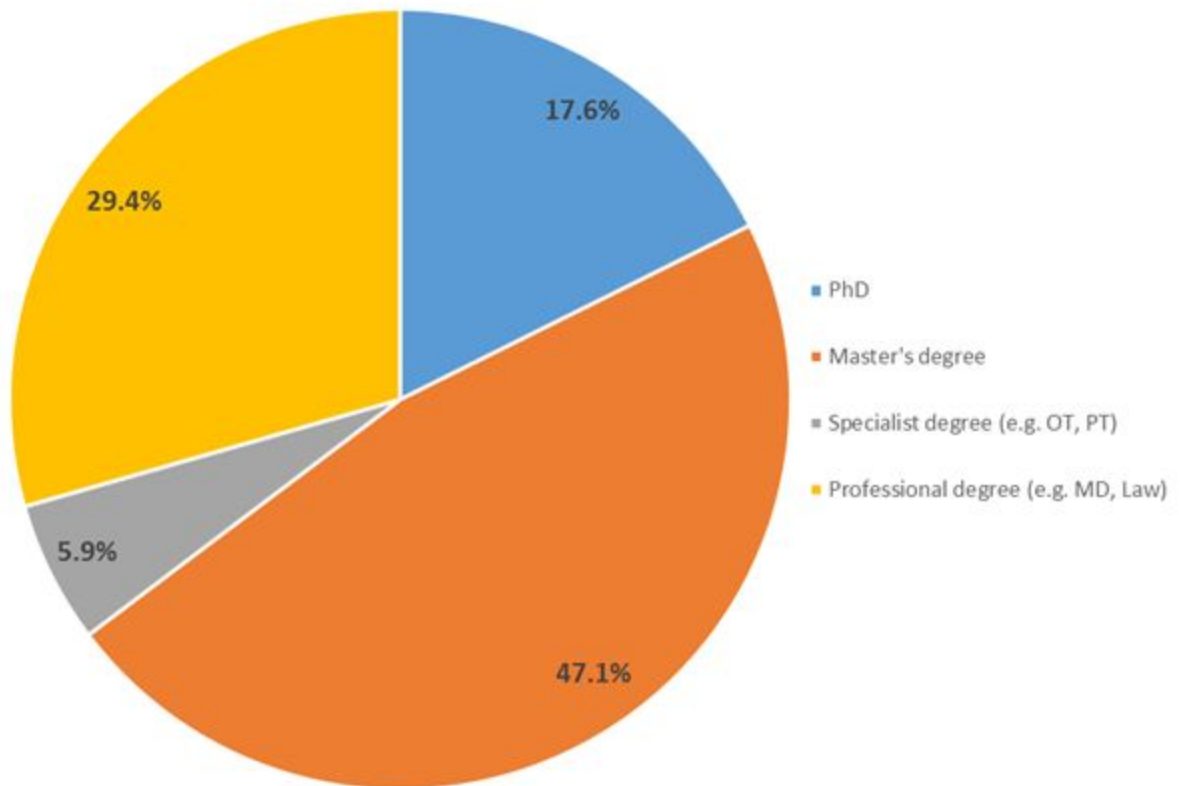


Job Lead Sources



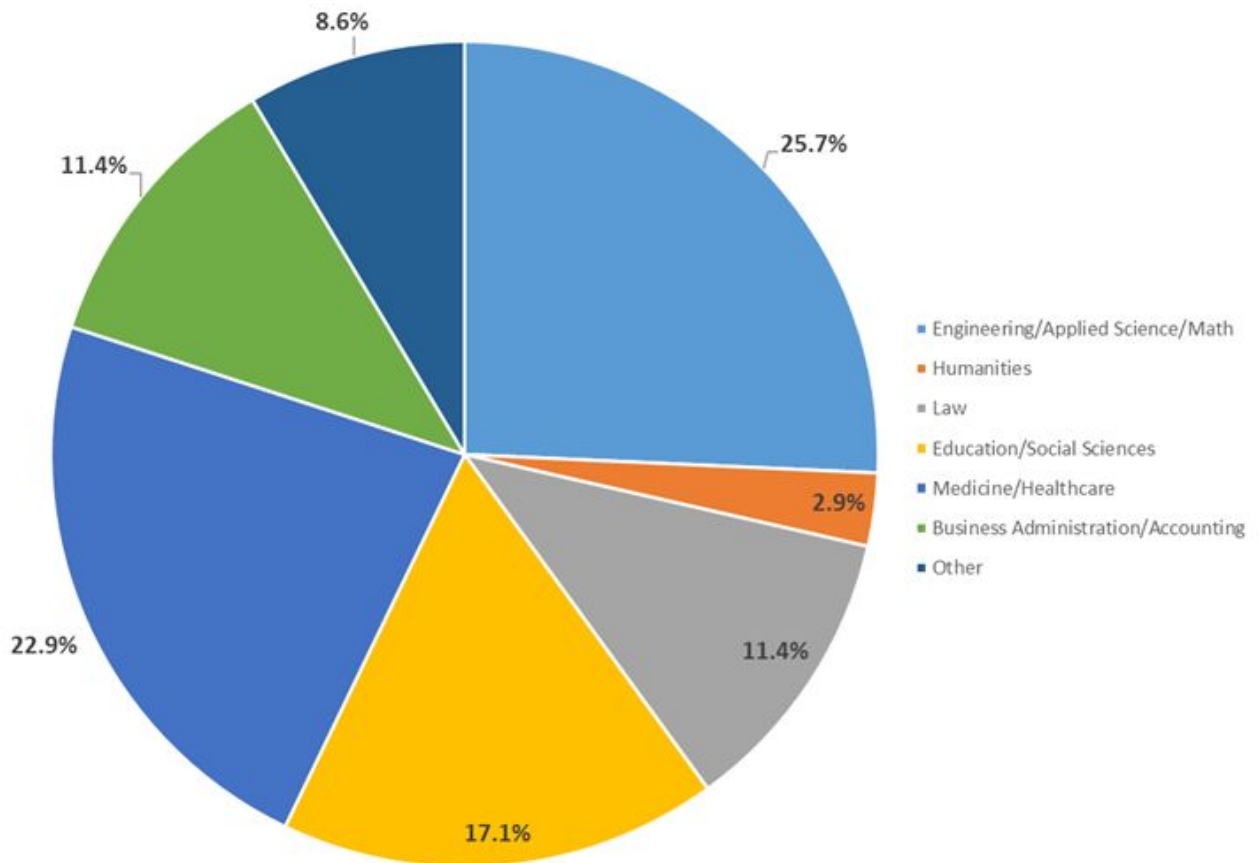
Graduate/Professional School

- 19% of respondents reported that they were enrolled in graduate or professional school.
- Nearly half of those attending graduate school were pursuing a master's degree.
- 35.3% were working on a professional or specialist degree such as medicine, law, engineering, occupational or physical therapy.
- 17.6% of graduate school attendees reported that they were pursuing a PhD.



Graduate Field of Study

- Reported post-graduate fields of study were medicine/healthcare (22.9%), engineering/applied science (25.7%), education/social science (17.1%), law (11.4%), business/management (11.4%), and humanities (2.9%).
- Other fields of study (8.6%) included Master of Divinity, Forensic Toxicology, and Forensic Psychology.



Graduate Programs

Business Administration/Accounting
Doctor of Medicine
Engineering/Applied Science/Math
Forensic Psychology
Forensic Toxicology
Humanities
Law

Master of Divinity
Master of Science
Materials Science
Physical Therapy
School Counseling
School of Medicine and Public Health
Social Sciences
Speech and Hearing

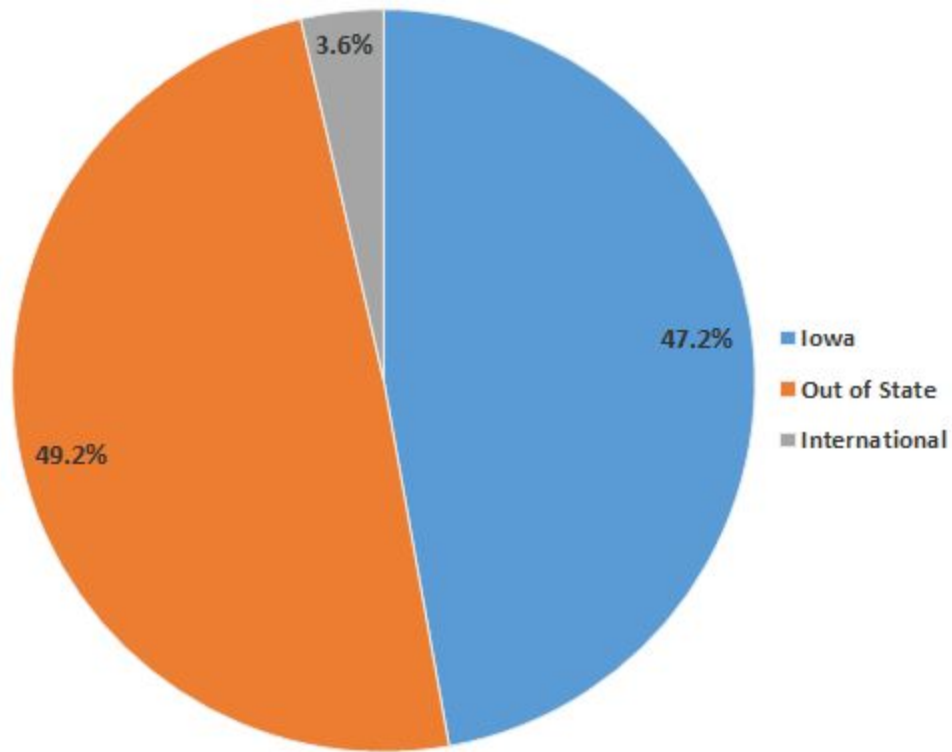
Graduate Schools

Arizona State University
Cornell University
Creighton University
Denver University
Emory University
Harvard University
Iowa State University
Marquette University
Mid-America Reformed Seminary
Mount Mercy University
Northwestern University
Oklahoma State University
Rockhurst University

Southern Illinois University
St. Mary's SIU School of Medicine
University of Cincinnati
University of Denver's School of Social Work
University of Iowa College of Law
University of Iowa College of Medicine
University of Iowa School of Social Work
University of Kansas
University of Michigan College of Law
University of New Mexico
University of North Carolina
University of Northern Iowa
University of Wisconsin School of Medicine
and Public Health

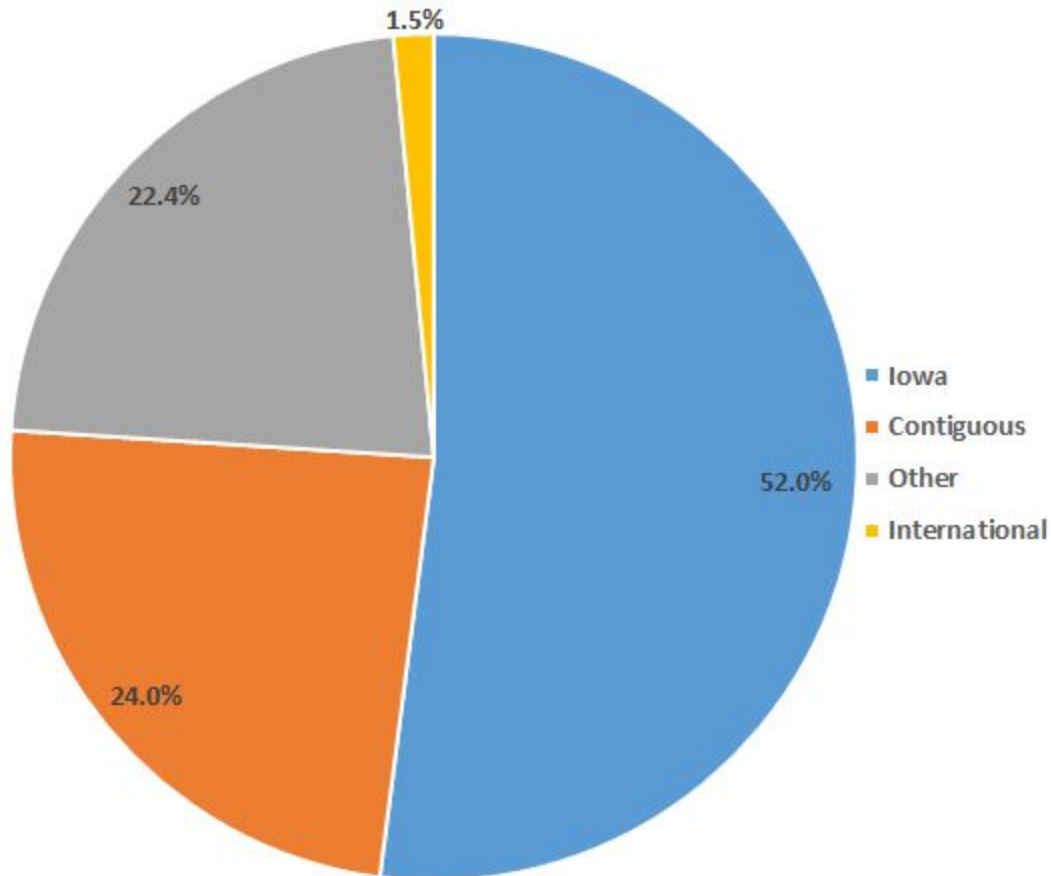
Residence of Origin While at Coe

- 47.2% of respondents came to Coe from Iowa.
- 49.2% came to Coe from other states.
- 3.6% came to Coe from other countries.



Post Graduation Residence

- After leaving Coe, 52.0% of Class of 2015 survey respondents stayed in Iowa.
- 24.0% went to a state contiguous to Iowa.
- 22.4% moved to one of 24 states not contiguous to Iowa.
- 1.5% reported living in another country.



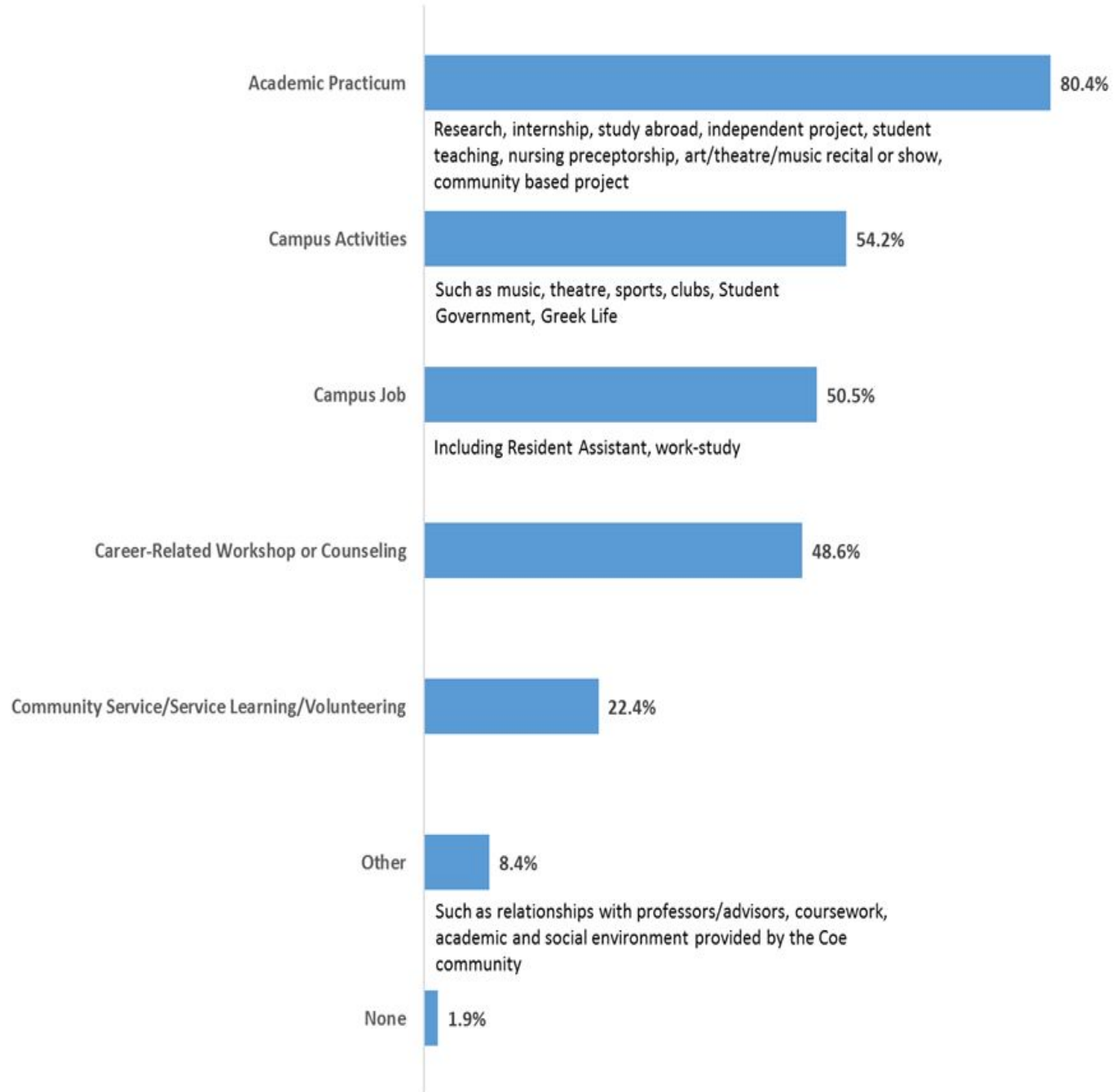
**Contiguous states included Illinois, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, and Wisconsin.*

***Other U.S. states included Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and Washington.*

****International locations included Canada, Nepal and Turkey.*

Life After College Preparation

The Class of 2015 indicated that the following activities were helpful to their life after college planning:



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The Coe College Learning Commons and the Center for Creativity and Careers collected and compiled information about the post-graduation activities of the Class of 2015 within one year of graduation. We gained knowledge of 200 of the 277 total graduates (approximately 72.2% of the class) through the Senior Survey (May 2015), the First Destination Survey (June 2016), or through sources such as social networking websites or information from Coe faculty and staff.

Questions related to this report may be directed to the Coe College Center for Creativity and Careers.

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