

Davidson College Office of Career Services Class of 2004 Survey Report

Each year, the Office of Career Services collects information from the previous year's graduating class to document their post-graduation pursuits. The data is collected from a variety of sources including an online survey, the Banner database, a telephone survey, and *The Davidson Journal*. In November of 2004, alumni of the Class of 2004 who had not already reported were contacted by email. Follow-up contacts were made to non-respondents via email and phone from December through February. These efforts yielded information from 424 of the 435 members of the Class of 2004, representing a sample of 97.5% of the class. The results of the 424 surveys are presented below.

	Number	Percentage
Full-Time Employment	274	64.6 %
Business	77	
Education	76	
Non-Profit	38	
Law/Politics	26	
Science/Medicine	21	
Other	17	
Communications	14	
Military	5	
Graduate School / Continuing Education¹	108	25.5%
Arts & Sciences	34	
Law	23	
Medicine	15	
Continuing Education	15	
Divinity	4	
Business (MBA)	1	
Other Professional Degrees:		
MAcc / MSA	4	
MAT / MEd	4	
MPH	3	
DDS	1	
MPA	1	
MLS	1	
MSOT	1	
MSW	1	
Fellowships (Fulbright, Lilly, Rotary, & Watson)	8	1.9%
Seeking²	9	2.1 %
Time Off³	25	5.9 %

¹"Graduate School" refers to full-time study leading to a graduate degree; "Continuing Education" refers to certification/licensure training, second Bachelor's degree, or post-baccalaureate coursework.

²Unemployed or working part-time and actively seeking full-time employment.

³Refers to individuals not seeking employment because of a purposeful decision to travel, care for family members, apply to graduate schools, or engage in other activities.