

2021 Exit Survey



In Spring 2021 graduating students who applied for Spring or Summer graduation were invited to take the Exit Survey to share their post-graduation plans. Their responses inform initiatives to help current CSUSM students and alumni in their career development.

Employment

How many graduates are employed?

27% of graduating students are employed*

How did employed students find their job?

graduates who indicated they were employed found their jobs through...

36% a friend, family member, or acquaintance

17% their employers website

16% through a job posting on a career site



Are employed graduates staying in the San Diego region?

North San Diego **41%**

Elsewhere in San Diego **22%**

Riverside county **11%**



*Based off the number of students who responded to the survey

Internship data points

How many graduates participated in an internship?

30% participated in an internship

Were any of those internships paid?

24% of internship participants reported that their internship was paid

Did their internship help their job search?

10% of employed respondents found their current job through their internship



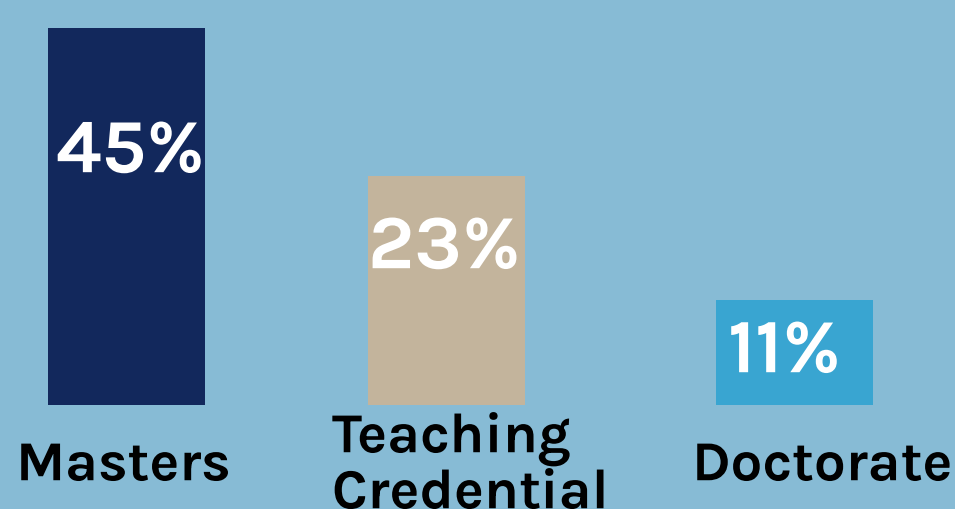
Continuing Education

How many graduating students are pursuing post-graduation programs?



26% are pursuing post-graduate programs: graduate, teaching, or professional preparation programs*

What programs are graduating students mainly pursuing?



*Based off the number of students who responded to the survey

Fun Facts

• Top programs of study (as reported by students continuing their education)

Education

Medical

Social Work

Speech-Language Pathology



• Of graduates who indicated they are continuing their education...

43% have applied or been accepted at CSUSM



• Of graduates who indicated they were employed...



49% reported they have jobs directly related to their major/field of study

• While at CSUSM...

45% of graduates utilized the career center

