

### Alumni Survey Background:

Bachelor degree recipients from 2010-11 were surveyed during spring quarter 2012 on a variety of questions, including job placement information. Alumni received an online survey and reminder messages and 27% responded.

*Note: An average response rate for this type of survey is 30%.*

### Job Placement Information – of those employed full-time:

- 90% were employed in their field of study (major) or in a different field by choice.
- 84% were employed in their first position within 6 months of graduation
- 72% sought guidance from SPU individuals or departments with respect to securing their first position and of those seeking guidance, the majority (79%) were very satisfied/somewhat satisfied with the assistance received.
- 76% stated Seattle Pacific did an excellent/good job in preparing them for their current position.

The following provides the most common occupations listed by alumni.

Seattle Pacific Alumni - Job Placement Information by Occupation Employed Full-time or Part-time				
Arts & Communications 3%	Business 43%	Education 13%	Engineering / Technical 7%	Miscellaneous 4%
Health Care 19%	Military / Law Enforcement 2%	Scientist / Research 5%	Social Work 5%	

### Common Job Titles Held by Alumni with Most Frequent SPU Majors:

**Arts & Communications:** Designer, Graphic Designer, Design Assistant, Photographer

SPU Majors: Visual Communication, Interior Design and Global Development Studies

**Business:** Account Coordinator, Accountant, Administrative Assistant, Assistant Manager, Auditor, Business Analyst, Business Development Coordinator, Director of Operations, Financial Advisor, Human Resources Coordinator, Marketing Manager, Merchandiser, Operations Manager, Owner, Personal Banker, Product Team Lead, Project Manager, Sales Consultant, Social Media Manager

SPU Majors: Accounting, Art, Biology, Business Administration, Clothing & Textiles, Communication, Educational Ministry, English, Global Development Studies, Individual and Family Development, Interior Design, Math Education, Mathematics, Music, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Student-Designed, Visual Communication

**Education:** Teacher (Elementary/Secondary), Professor, Teaching Assistant, Literacy Tutor, Nutrition Educator, Para Educator, Preschool Director, Substitute Teacher

SPU Majors: Art, Chemistry, English, European Studies – Linguistics, Food & Nutritional Sciences, General Science, Integrated Studies, Language Arts, Latin American Studies-Spanish, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, Special Education, Student-Designed

**Engineering / Technical:** Business Systems Analyst, Electrical Engineer, Input Device Firmware Engineer, IT Analyst, Software Engineer, Senior Developer, System analyst, Technical Developer, Web Designer

SPU Majors: Business Administration, Clothing & Textiles, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Information Systems

**Health Care:** Registered Nurse, Clinic Manager, Cognitive Skills Trainer & Test Administrator, Dietary Aide, Medical Research Associate, Medical Scribe, Pediatric Mental Health Specialist, Personal Trainer, Rehab Aide, Vocational Rehabilitation Counselor

SPU Majors: Biology, European Studies – Spanish, Exercise Science, Food & Nutritional Sciences, Individual and Family Development, Nursing, Physiology, Psychology, Sociology

**Military / Law Enforcement:** Senior Airman, Trooper

SPU Majors: Christian Theology, Educational Ministry, Political Science

**Scientist / Research:** Research Assistant, Research Coordinator, Research Technician

SPU Majors: Biology, Psychology, Sociology

**Social Work:** AmeriCorps College Guide, Community Coordinator, Residential Counselor, Tutor/Mentor

SPU Majors: Biology, Business Administration, Individual and Family Development, Latin American Studies-Spanish, Psychology, Psychology, Sociology

**Other:** Barista, Canvasser, Nanny

SPU Majors: Communication, Global Development Studies, Music, Psychology, Sociology

## **Employment:**

The following companies or organizations employed survey respondents on a full-time or part-time basis:

(2011 Alumni Survey: 2010-11 Graduates)

Company/Organizations	Company/Organizations	Company/Organizations
5focus	Johns Hopkins Childrens Center	Silver Cloud Hotels
Alaska Native Medical Center	KPMG LLP	Snohomish School District
Amazon	LearningRx	SnoSprings School
Antioch Ministries International	Liberty Mutual Insurance	St. Alphonsus regional medical center
Apple, Inc.	Livemocha	Starbucks Coffee Company
Associated Behavioral Health	Majerus & CO PT; and 360 PT	State Farm
ATGStores.com	Mars Hill Church	Susan Marinello Interiors
Barnes & Noble	Masterworks	Swedish Med Center
BigTip Inc.	Microsoft	Tacoma Public Schools
Boyd/Cascade	Minnesota Reading Corps	Teach For America
Bridgewater	MultiCare --Good Sam Hospital	Texas State University
CCI	New India Development Society	The Boeing Compnay
Chariots Afire	Nintendo of America	The Vancouver Clinic
Cherry Creek High School	North Olympic AmeriCorps	Theo Chocolate
Clover Park School District	Northwest University	Tooth & Nail Records
College Now Greater Cleveland	Northwestern bank	Tooth and Nail Records
Colliers International	Ocean Beauty Seafoods	Triumph Dining
Concrete Elementary	Oregon Health and Sciences University	U.S. Government
Costco	Pacific Capital Resource Group	UC Davis Children's Hospital
Covina Valley Urology	Pacific Northwest Conference-Free Methodist Church	Union Gospel Misson, Hope Place
Crystal's Administrative Services	Paradigm Tax Group	University of WA, Alzheimer's Disease Research Center
Dapper + Associates	Peace Corps	University of Washington Medical Center
Deloitte & Touche	Peace Health St. Joseph Medical Center	University of WA, Dept, Psychiatry & Behavioral Studies
Department of Social and Health Services (WA State)	Polyclinic	University Volkswagen Audi
EastLake community Church	Portland Christian Schools	US Army Corps of Engineers
Ernst and Young	Pregnancy Aid WIC	US Air Force
Experimental Education Unit	Providence Medical Center	VA Puget Sound
Exsilio Solutions [Microsoft]	QuickMedical	Virginia Mason Medical Center
Filament LLC	Reagan Dunn for Attorney General	Vox Lab Pte Ltd
FMYI	Recreational Equipment Inc. (REI)	VSH CPAs
Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center	Ryther	Washington Access Fund
Fulbright Program	Salem Hospital	Washington Athletic Club
GO on the Mission	Sanctuary Psychological Services	Washington State Patrol
Grant & Associates	Scribes STAT	Washington State University-Vancouver
Grassroots Campaigns	Seattle Athletic Club	West Elm
Gravity Payments	Seattle Cancer Care Alliance	Weston Middle School
Green Canopy Homes	Seattle Children's Hospital	Whatcom Occupational Health
Gymboree	Seattle Pacific University	White Center Heights Elementary
Hornall Anderson Design Works	Seattle Public Schools	Wooba
Hub Seattle	Seattle Rental Group	WSU FoodSense Program
Inner Mongolia University of Science and Technology	Sequim High School	Young Life
Jake Knows	Shah Safari	Young Life Washington Family Ranch
		Yuen Lui Photography Studio