

Lehigh
University
First
Destination
Report
2019



LEHIGH
UNIVERSITY

The Center for Career & Professional Development

Career Learning Cycle

The mission of Lehigh's Center for Career & Professional Development is to provide career education and connections that support student success. We fulfill this mission with a focus on students and their unique needs. Utilizing a blended learning approach, we deliver career education through career coaching, learning labs, workshops, classroom presentations, online tools and high-impact experiential learning opportunities to enhance student development.

Our team is aligned with the undergraduate colleges to deliver customized career education and connections. We develop opportunities for students to connect with employer partners and alumni through externships, internships, on-campus interviews, career expos and more.

CCPD uses a four-year learning cycle that helps students take charge of their career development.

Our career learning cycle is a simple way to help students think about and plan their futures.



EXPLORE

Ask big questions, and explore and participate in activities that will help you develop an understanding of how your strengths, skills, interests and values relate to your choice of a major and career.



DEVELOP SKILLS

Build effective skills and your personal brand, and develop the tools and strategies needed to secure an internship or full-time position.



GAIN EXPERIENCE

Try things through capstone projects, research, study abroad and leadership opportunities, as well as internships, externships or a co-op position.



BUILD CONNECTIONS AND NETWORK

Build connections and network, seek information and advice about career paths and work with the CCPD team to develop a strategy.

Internships and Experiential Learning



94%

of our students completed one or more internships or an experiential learning opportunity



BREAKDOWN BY COLLEGE:

92%

College of Arts and Sciences

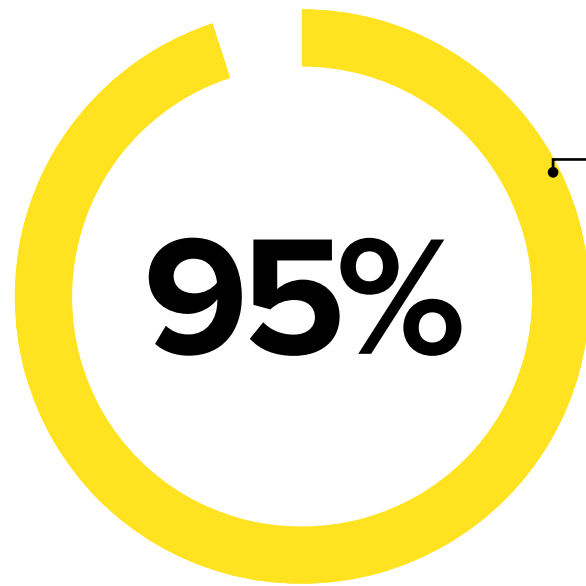
96%

College of Business

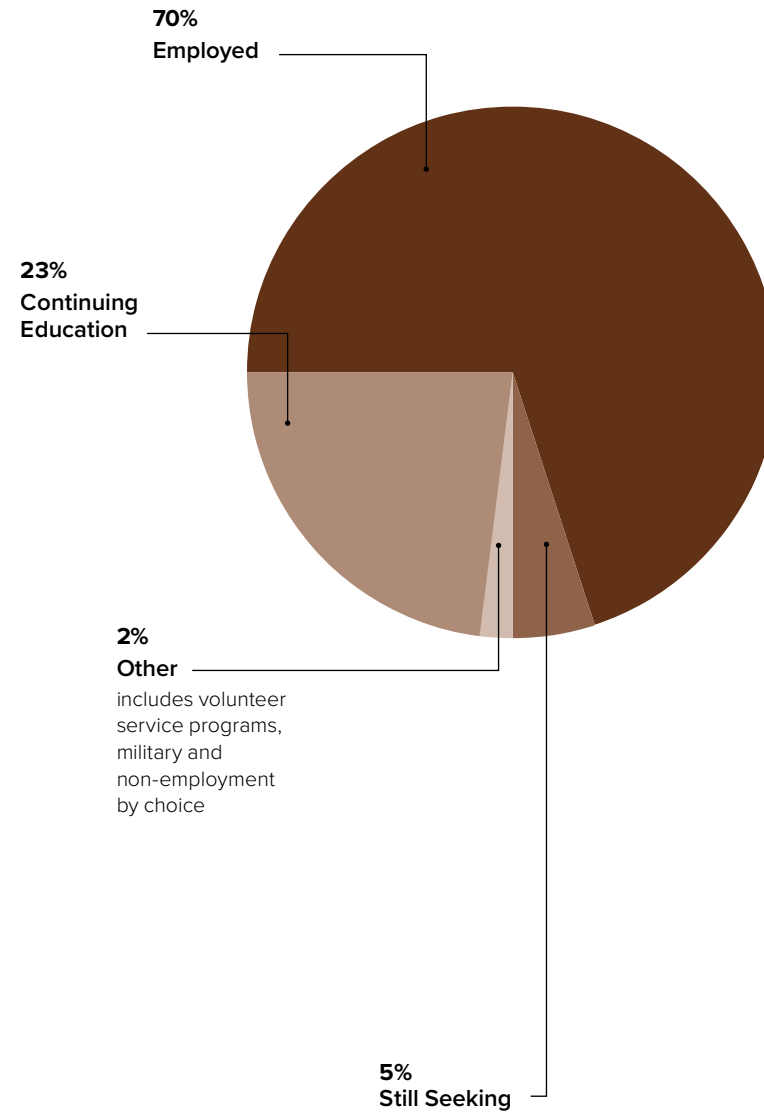
94%

P.C. Rossin College of Engineering and Applied Science

Undergraduate Outcomes Summary



of the class of 2019 are employed, continuing education or pursuing military or volunteer service within 6 months of graduation



\$67K

average starting salary



85K

graduates in the Lehigh alumni network



434

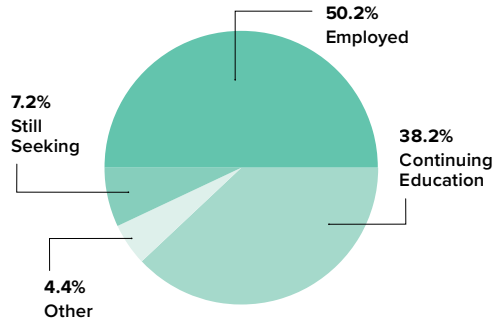
unique employers hired Lehigh students

College of Arts and Sciences

Undergraduate Outcomes



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Top Employers

Charles River Laboratories
Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Condé Nast
Corning
Cushman & Wakefield

EY
KPMG
L'Oréal
Lutron Electronics
Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center

Moody's Analytics
SAP
Sony Pictures Entertainment
Teach For America
The Walt Disney Company

Average Starting Salary: \$54,126

BY FIELD OF STUDY:

Arts & Humanities
\$55,743

Math & Natural Sciences
\$52,710

Social Sciences
\$51,319

INTERCOLLEGIATE INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAM:

Integrated Degree in Engineering, Arts & Sciences (IDEAS)
\$65,290

Top Industries

Healthcare
11%

Financial Services
8%

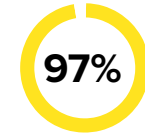
Higher Education
6%

Management Consulting
5%

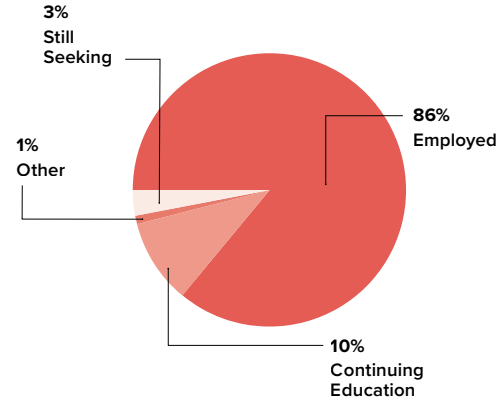
Legal Services
4%

College of Business

Undergraduate Outcomes



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Top Employers

Accenture
Bank of America Merrill Lynch
Bloomberg
Citi
Deloitte

EY
Goldman Sachs
Google
J.P. Morgan
Johnson & Johnson
KPMG

Prudential
PwC
SEI
Vanguard

Average Starting Salary: \$69,841

BY FIELD OF STUDY:

Accounting
\$63,187

Business Information Systems
\$78,864

Economics
\$65,125

Finance
\$67,753

Management
\$58,167

Marketing
\$53,281

Supply Chain Management
\$60,688

INTERCOLLEGIATE INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMS:

Computer Science & Business (CSB)
\$88,427

Integrated Business & Engineering (IBE)
\$78,656

Top Industries

Financial Services
23%

Management Consulting
15%

Accounting
13%

Marketing and Advertising
5%

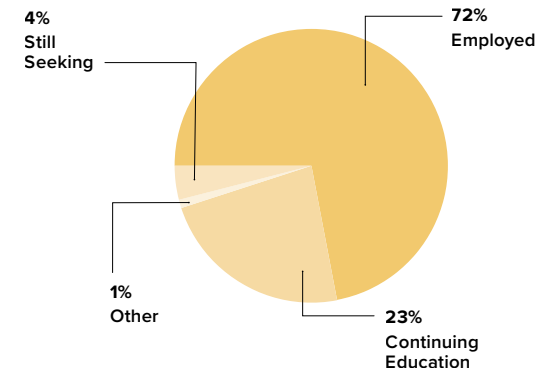
Healthcare
4%

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Top Employers

Accenture
Amazon
Citi
Deloitte
Epic Systems
EY

Google
KPMG
Lockheed Martin
PwC
Raytheon

Sanofi Pasteur
Siemens
The Whiting-Turner Contracting Company
W.L. Gore & Associates

Average Starting Salary: \$73,413

BY FIELD OF STUDY:

Bioengineering
\$59,220

Chemical Engineering
\$66,892

Civil Engineering
\$64,351

Computer Engineering
\$72,154

Computer Science
\$84,162

Electrical Engineering
\$77,000

Environmental Engineering
\$64,500

Industrial & Systems Engineering
\$70,091

Materials Science & Engineering
\$65,929

Mechanical Engineering
\$68,309

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Top Industries

Management Consulting
15%

Financial Services
10%

Defense & Space
10%

Computer Software
6%

Information Technology
5%

Graduate School Matriculation

Partial Listing



HEALTH

Columbia University
College of Dental Medicine

Cooper Medical School of Rowan University

Harvard Medical School

Lewis Katz School of Medicine
at Temple University

Milken Institute School of Public Health
at George Washington University

Pennsylvania State University
College of Medicine

Tufts University School of Dental Medicine

University of California, San Diego School of
Medicine

University of Pennsylvania
School of Dental Medicine

University of South Florida Morsani
College of Medicine



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Boston College Law School

Duke University School of Law

Emory University School of Law

Georgetown University Law Center

New York University School of Law

Rutgers Law School

University of California, Los Angeles School of Law

University of Texas School of Law

University of Virginia School of Law

Vanderbilt University Law School



GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Boston College

Carnegie Mellon University

Clemson University

Johns Hopkins University

Stanford University

University of Connecticut

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

University of Maryland, College Park

University of Michigan

Washington University in St. Louis

Of the 1,146 bachelor's degree recipients, verifiable data was obtained for 87% of the graduates. Outcome data for the class of 2019 includes students who received bachelor's degrees between July 1, 2018, and June 30, 2019.