Graduate Education at Lehigh

Lehigh offers a wide array of both masters and doctoral programs that are housed in all five of Lehigh’s colleges—College of Arts and Sciences, College of Business, College of Education, College of Health and P.C. Rossin College of Engineering and Applied Science. Our graduate programs are nationally recognized, research-based, and prepare the next generation of scholars and professionals as experts and impactful leaders in a wide range of fields. Our research institutes, centers and clinics foster abundant cross-disciplinary research and professional development opportunities for graduate students.

Lehigh is committed to preparing our graduate students for successful careers in a variety of fields. We offer professional development events and resources throughout campus. The Center for Career & Professional Development hosts a multitude of events to connect graduate students with the resources they need to land in their dream careers.

The Graduate Life Office strives to enhance the academic, personal and professional development of Lehigh graduate students through providing a range of programs, activities, events and workshops, while also creating a community of graduate students.

grad.lehigh.edu  Graduate Education & Life Office

careercenter.lehigh.edu  Center for Career & Professional Development
Graduate Outcomes Summary: Class of 2021

Of the total graduate degree recipients, verifiable data was obtained for 79%. Outcome data were collected through December 31, 2021, and include students who received graduate degrees between July 1, 2020, and June 30, 2021.*

90% of the Class of 2021 are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

- Employed: 77%
- Continuing Education: 12%
- Still Seeking Employment: 10%
- Volunteer Service: < 1%
- Not Seeking Employment or Further Education at This Time: < 1%

$82K average starting salary
627 total number of graduates
90 doctoral graduates
537 masters graduates

*The same applies to the college-level outcomes on the following pages.
College of Arts and Sciences

Doctoral Outcomes

94% Employed
6% Still Seeking Employment

Top Industries

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Top Employers

- Lehigh University
- California Institute of Technology
- University of Delaware
- Cabrini University
- University of Virginia
- Sanofi

Scan the QR code below or visit cas.lehigh.edu/content/graduate-programs to learn more about doctoral programs at the College of Arts and Sciences.

$66K average starting salary
College of Arts and Sciences

Masters Outcomes

87% are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

Top Industries

- 25% Technology
- 19% Education
- 19% Healthcare
- 6% Government
- 6% Nonprofit
- 25% Other

Top Employers

- Aqua
- Bose
- St. Luke’s University Health Network
- Janssen
- Los Alamos National Laboratory
- STEM Healthcare

$64K average starting salary

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College of Business

Masters Outcomes

95% of graduates are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

94% Employed
5% Still Seeking Employment
1% Continuing Education

Top Industries

- 22% Healthcare
- 21% Financial Services
- 11% Energy
- 9% Manufacturing
- 8% Consulting
- 29% Other

Top Employers

- Deloitte
- Lutron
- Air Products and Chemicals
- Sanofi
- Ernst & Young
- KPMG

$105K average starting salary

Scan the QR code below or visit business.lehigh.edu/graduate to learn more about graduate programs at the College of Business.
College of Education

Doctoral Outcomes

78% are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

78% Employed
22% Still Seeking Employment

Top Industries

- 50% Education
- 38% Healthcare
- 12% Nonprofit

Top Employers

- Lehigh University
- U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs
- Iowa State University
- Kutztown University
- North Penn School District
- Nemours

$67K average starting salary

Scan the QR code below or visit ed.lehigh.edu/academics/degrees/doctoral-degrees to learn more about doctoral programs at the College of Education.
College of Education
Masters Outcomes

90% are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

76% Employed
10% Still Seeking Employment
12% Continuing Education
1% Volunteer Service
1% Not Seeking Employment or Further Education

Top Industries
- 74% Education
- 6% Government
- 6% Technology
- 3% Healthcare
- 3% Consulting
- 8% Other

Top Employers
- Lehigh University
- Bethlehem Area School District
- East Penn School District
- Palisades School District
- ACS International Schools
- International Baccalaureate

$51K average starting salary

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P.C. Rossin College of Engineering and Applied Science

Doctoral Outcomes

93% are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

93% Employed
7% Still Seeking Employment

Top Industries
- 35% Technology
- 15% Education
- 15% Energy
- 10% Healthcare
- 10% Nonprofit
- 15% Other

Top Employers
- Lehigh University
- Amobee
- Facebook
- Johns Hopkins
- Goldman Sachs
- Oracle

$98K average starting salary

Scan the QR code below or visit engineering.lehigh.edu/academics/graduate/phd to learn more about doctoral programs at P.C. Rossin College of Engineering and Applied Science.
P.C. Rossin College of Engineering and Applied Science

Masters Outcomes

89% are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

- 68% Employed
- 11% Still Seeking Employment
- 20% Continuing Education
- < 1% Volunteer Service
- < 1% Not Seeking Employment or Further Education

Top Industries

- 22% Technology
- 15% Consulting
- 13% Healthcare
- 11% Energy
- 9% Manufacturing
- 30% Other

Top Employers

- 3M
- Lutron
- Alfred Benesch & Company
- Lockheed Martin
- Naval Nuclear Laboratory
- Boeing

$76K average starting salary

Scan the QR code below, or visit engineering.lehigh.edu/academics/graduate/masters to learn more about graduate programs at P.C. Rossin College of Engineering and Applied Science.
Intercollegiate Programs
Masters in Financial Engineering

92% are employed, continuing education, or pursuing military or volunteer service.

- 75% Employed
- 17% Still Seeking Employment
- 8% Continuing Education

Top Industries
- 78% Financial Services
- 11% Consulting
- 11% Other

Top Employers
- KKR
- Mortgage Industry Advisory Corporation (MIAC)
- DH Fund Management
- GEICO
- Hamilton Lane
- Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA)

Visit [business.lehigh.edu/academics/graduate/masters-programs/ms-financial-engineering](http://business.lehigh.edu/academics/graduate/masters-programs/ms-financial-engineering) to learn more about Financial Engineering at Lehigh University.

Visit [lehigh.edu/academics/interdisciplinary-studies](http://lehigh.edu/academics/interdisciplinary-studies) to learn more about the other intercollegiate interdisciplinary graduate programs offered at Lehigh University.

$80K average starting salary

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Pursuing Further Education at the Following Universities:

Case Western Reserve University
School of Medicine
Cornell University
Duquesne University
Keio University
Lehigh University
Northeastern University
Temple University
Texas A&M
The Pennsylvania State University
Tsinghua University
Tufts University
University of California, Santa Barbara
University of Iowa

University of Memphis
University of Miami
Rosenstiel School of Marine and Atmospheric Science
University of Nebraska–Lincoln
University of Pennsylvania
University of Richmond
School of Law
University of Washington
Vanderbilt University
Wake Forest University
Zhejiang University

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