



UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN

ILLINI SUCCESS

Individual achievements. Global impact. Experience our points of pride.

THREE YEAR TRENDS

2014-2015 | 2015-2016 | 2016-2017

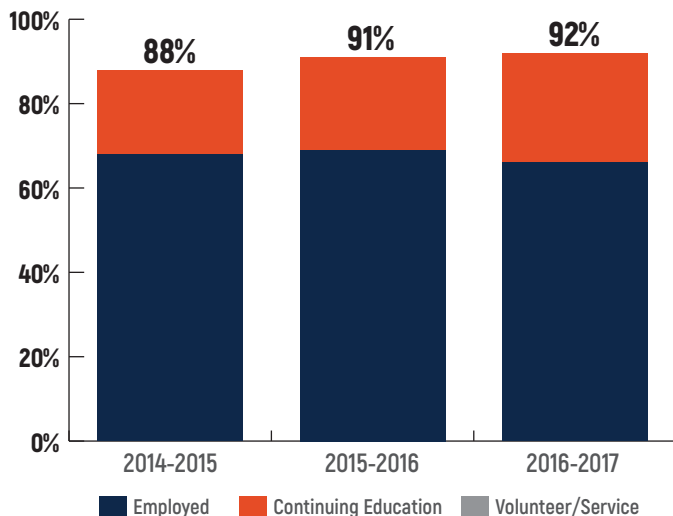
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING

Three-year trend data demonstrates a strong, steady picture of success for College of Engineering bachelor's degree graduates. Approximately 90% of respondents reported secured first destinations annually. Nearly two-thirds of graduates attained employment, while one-quarter enrolled in continuing education. The average salary increased 8% over this three-year time period. This report shares trends for the College of Engineering as a whole, followed by trends for individual academic majors.

College of Engineering

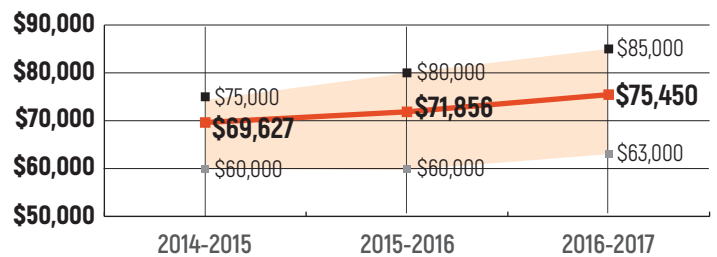
Class Overview	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Number of Graduates	1,788	1,750	1,690
Number Respondents	1,406	1,371	1,273
Knowledge Rate	79%	78%	75%
Reported Secured First Destination	88%	91%	92%
Primary Status	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Employed	68%	69%	66%
Continuing Education	20%	22%	26%
Volunteer / Service	<1%	<1%	<1%
Seeking	10%	8%	7%
Other	2%	1%	1%
Full-Time Employed Annual Salary	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Average Salary	\$69,627	\$71,856	\$75,450
25th Percentile	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$63,000
75th Percentile	\$75,000	\$80,000	\$85,000

Secured a First Destination



Full-time Employment Salary Trends

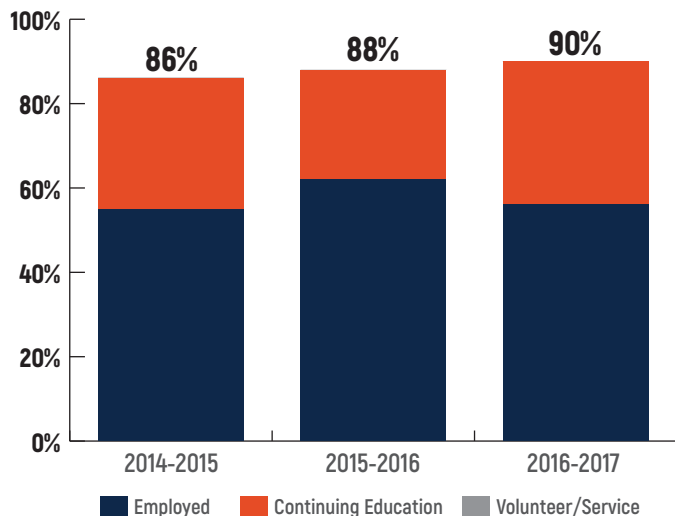
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Materials Science & Engineering

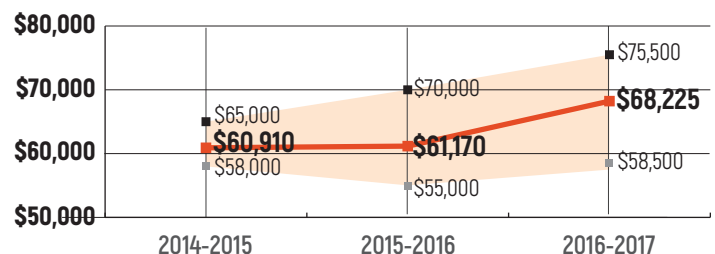
Class Overview	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Number of Graduates	102	99	98
Number Respondents	75	78	71
Knowledge Rate	74%	79%	72%
Reported Secured First Destination	86%	88%	90%
Primary Status	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Employed	55%	62%	56%
Continuing Education	31%	26%	34%
Volunteer / Service	0%	0%	0%
Seeking	12%	11%	10%
Other	1%	1%	0%
Full-Time Employed Annual Salary	2014-2015	2015-2016	2016-2017
Average Salary	\$60,910	\$61,170	\$68,225
25th Percentile	\$58,000	\$55,000	\$58,500
75th Percentile	\$65,000	\$70,000	\$75,500

Secured a First Destination



Full-time Employment Salary Trends

(25th Percentile, Average, 75th Percentile)



† Notes on Majors:

- a. The academic majors of (1) Engineering Mechanics and (2) Mechanical Engineering have been combined into the academic department of Mechanical Science and Engineering. This was due the need to protect the confidentiality of the smaller number of Engineering Mechanics graduates.
- b. Due to strong cross-campus partnerships and overlaps in course offerings between Engineering Physics (College of Engineering) and Physics (College of Liberal Arts and Sciences) these two majors are presented together in the Illini Success reports as “Physics.”
- c. Systems Engineering and Design represents a recent departmental and major name change. In the 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 annual reports, this major is represented as “General Engineering.” In the 2016-2017 report, and in future reports, it will be represented as “Systems Engineering and Design.”

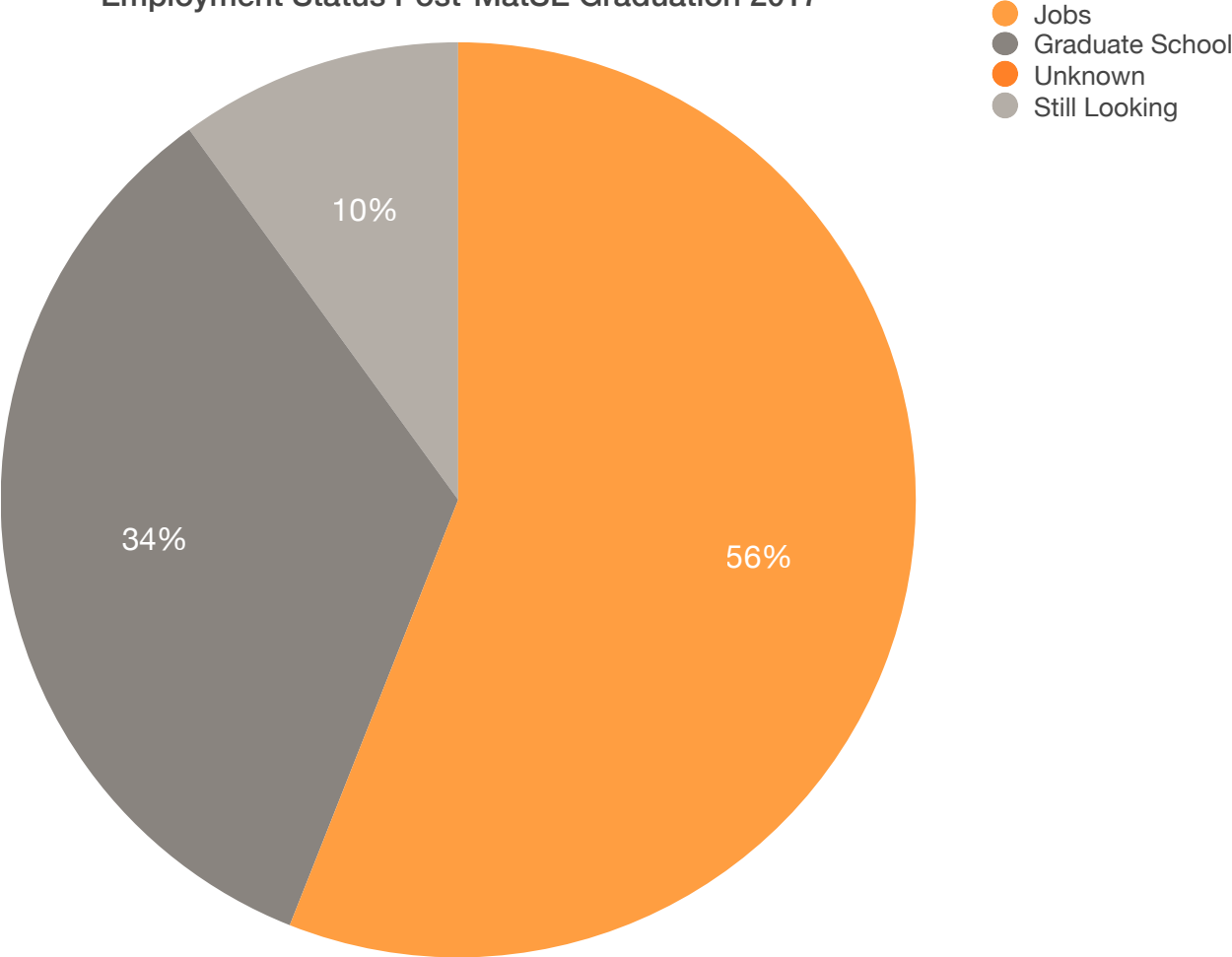
* Note on Annual Salary:

Our Institutional Review Board requires a minimum number of responses from full-time employed graduates in the sample to protect confidentiality. In our first two years of data collection, that minimum was set at 20 respondents. In 2016-2017, the minimum was revised to 10 respondents. When the minimum number of respondents was not achieved during our first year of campus-wide data collection (2014-2015), salary data were not reported. In subsequent years, when the minimum number of respondents was not achieved, salary data were combined over the two most recent years to calculate summary statistics. All cases where annual data were combined are denoted with an asterisk.

Employment Status Post Graduation

CAREER	NUMBERS
Jobs	40
Graduate School	24
Unknown	0
Still Looking	7

Employment Status Post-MatSE Graduation 2017



Average Annual Salary Upon
Graduation:
\$68,225