2020 First Destination Highlights Higher Ed Master’s

- **83%** of known graduates* found full time employment in education or pursued a higher degree.
- **73%** Highly Satisfied or Satisfied with current position.

Where are they?

- **1 Country:** Michigan (73%)
- **6 US States:**
  - Michigan (73%)
  - Illinois (8%)
  - Arizona (4%)
- Other states reported: Alabama, California, and Florida
- Other nation reported: Chile

Starting salary:
- Average: $48,000

Length of job search:
- <2 months: 50%
- 3-6 months: 31%
- 7-12 months: 19%
### How Grads Found Their Jobs:

- **Online Jobs Boards, Edworks, & Handshake:** 69%
- **Personal/Professional Contacts:** 65%
- **Institution/Company Websites:** 38%

### Hiring Organizations & Job Titles

#### Student Affairs

- **Arizona State University**
  - Chinese Student Services Coordinator
  - Tempe, AZ

- **Kansas State University**
  - Assistant Director of Fraternity and Sorority Life
  - Manhattan, KS

- **University of Connecticut**
  - Academic Advisor
  - Storrs, CT

- **University of Michigan**
  - Student Services Coordinator, Biological Station
  - Ann Arbor, MI

#### Academic Affairs

- **Marine Corps University**
  - Academic Policy Officer
  - Quantico, VA

- **University of Michigan**
  - Educational Program Coordinator
  - Ann Arbor, MI

- **University of Michigan**
  - Learning and Assessment Coordinator
  - Ann Arbor, MI

#### Development

- **College of William & Mary**
  - Assistant Director for Regional Advancement
  - Arlington, VA

- **University of Michigan**
  - Project Manager, Strategic Resource Management
  - Ann Arbor, MI

#### Research

- **Harvard University**
  - Research Analyst I
  - Cambridge, MA

- **National Humanities Alliance**
  - Research Associate
  - New York, NY

- **University of Texas at Austin**
  - Data/Research Analyst
  - Austin, TX

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*The listing above does not include all responses*

*Knowledge rate 100%*