

HIGHLIGHTS

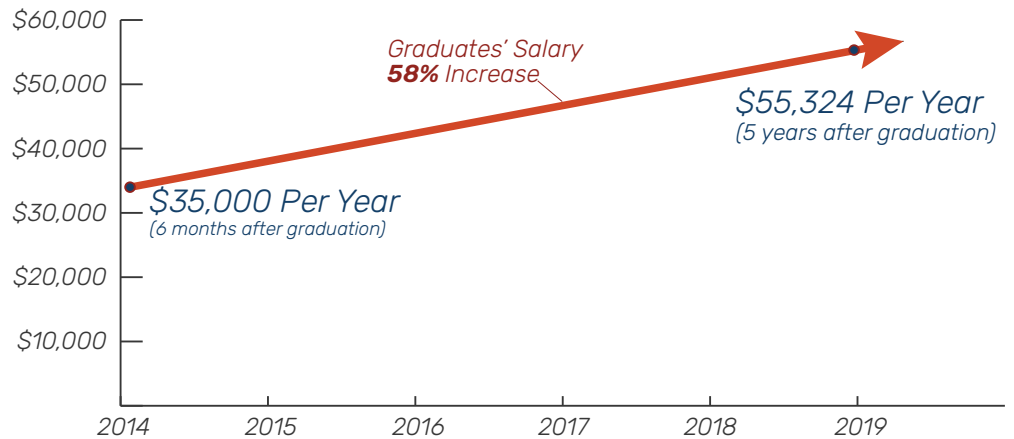
5-YEAR GRADUATE FOLLOW-UP: 2013-14 GRADUATES

The 5-Year Graduate Follow-Up survey gathers data regarding the activities and perceptions of students five years after graduating from a Wisconsin Technical colleges. A total of 25,845 2013-14 graduates were surveyed with 6,308 responding, resulting in a 24 percent response rate.



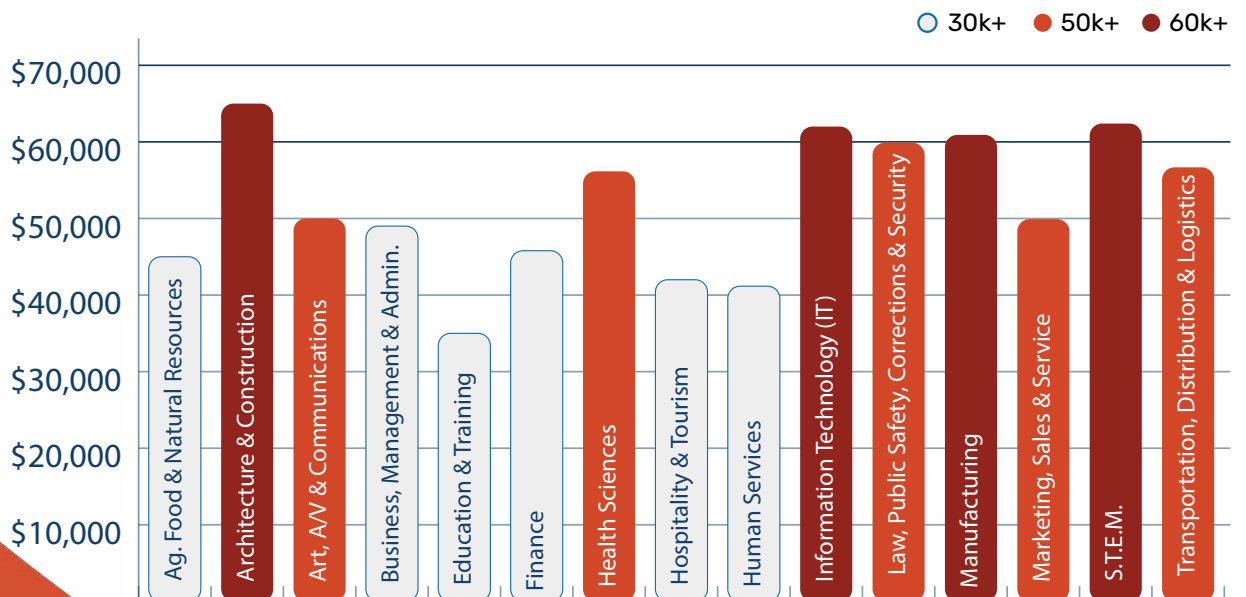
Class of 2013-14 Median Salary Increase

Median equals the mid-point of all salaries reported



A key measure of success was salary growth over time. This year's report shows the median annual salary for responding 2013-14 graduates is \$55,324, which represents a 58 percent increase from the initial median annual salary of \$35,000 within six months of graduation.

MEDIAN SALARIES BY CAREER CLUSTER FOR 2013-14 GRADUATES 5 YEARS AFTER GRADUATION



MEDIAN SALARY

5 Years after graduation
FOR ALL DEGREES



MEDIAN ANNUAL SALARY BY CREDENTIAL TYPE

FOR

2013-14 GRADUATES

5 YEARS AFTER GRADUATION

\$57,468

MEDIAN SALARY FOR
ASSOCIATE DEGREE

\$58,495

MEDIAN SALARY FOR
TWO-YEAR DIPLOMA

\$51,996

MEDIAN SALARY FOR
ONE-YEAR DIPLOMA

\$54,076

MEDIAN SALARY FOR
SHORT-TERM DIPLOMA

Median Salaries listed are for 2013-14 graduates employed in a job related to the training they received.

GRADUATE EMPLOYMENT

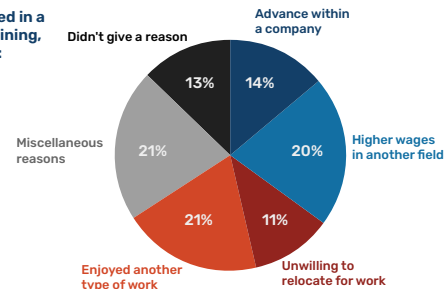
Of the 6,308 2013-14 graduates responding to our survey, 5,158 were in the labor force. Of those in the labor force, 99% were employed; 75% of those employed were in a job related to the training they received.



99%
of 2013-14 graduates in the labor force were employed...

75%
were employed in a field related to their training

2013-14 graduates employed in a field not related to their training, gave the following reasons:



GRADUATE TRAINING SATISFACTION



83%

said their technical college training was important or very important in beginning a career



73%

said technical college training was important or very important to their career advancement



84%

would definitely recommend a technical college

WHERE ALUMNI WORK*

- 58% Stayed in their college district
- 29% Moved within Wisconsin
- 12% Moved out of state

9 in 10
Graduates still live and work in Wisconsin.

*Does not include graduates who did not report location.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

59%

of graduates had taken some additional career-related courses

14%

of graduates had gone on to earn a Bachelors degree or beyond

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