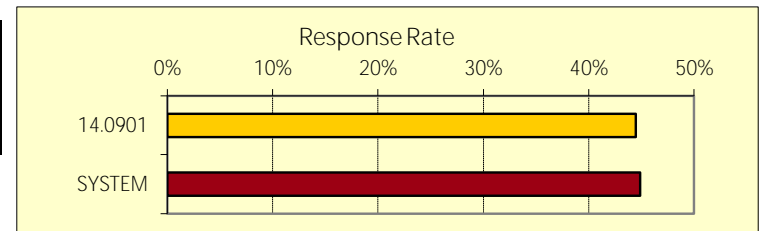


# B.C. Baccalaureate Outcomes 2017 Survey of 2015 Baccalaureate Graduates

## RESPONSE RATE

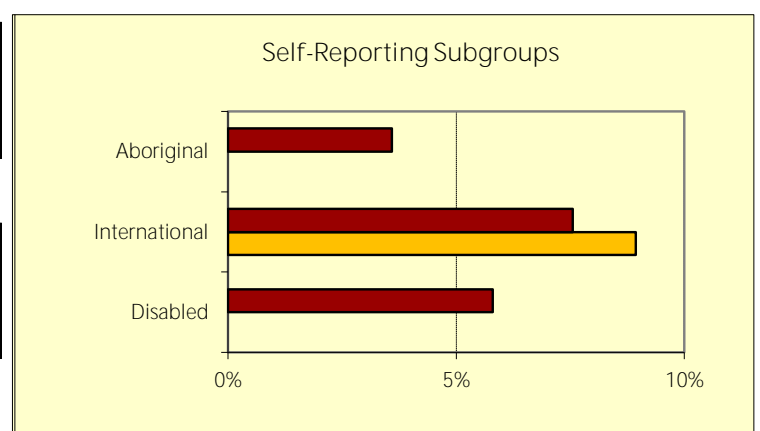
1. Survey Response Rate:	14.0901	SYSTEM
2015 Baccalaureate Graduates Survey Cohort	126	23,715
Survey Respondents and Response Rate	56	44% 10,642



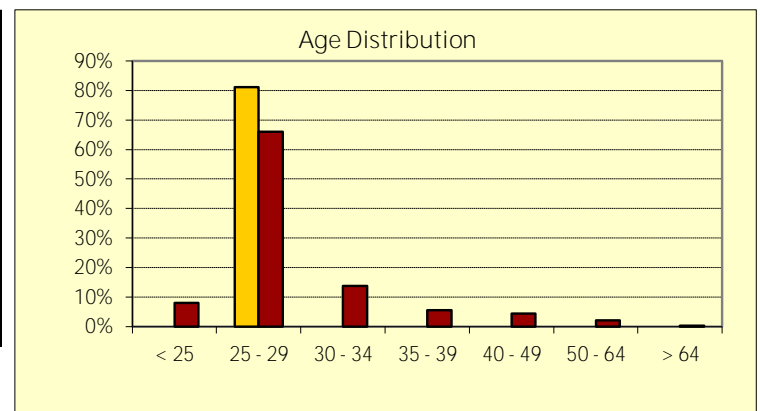
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## DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2. Self-Reporting Subgroups:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Disabled	~	617 6%
International	5 9%	804 8%
Aboriginal	~	348 4%

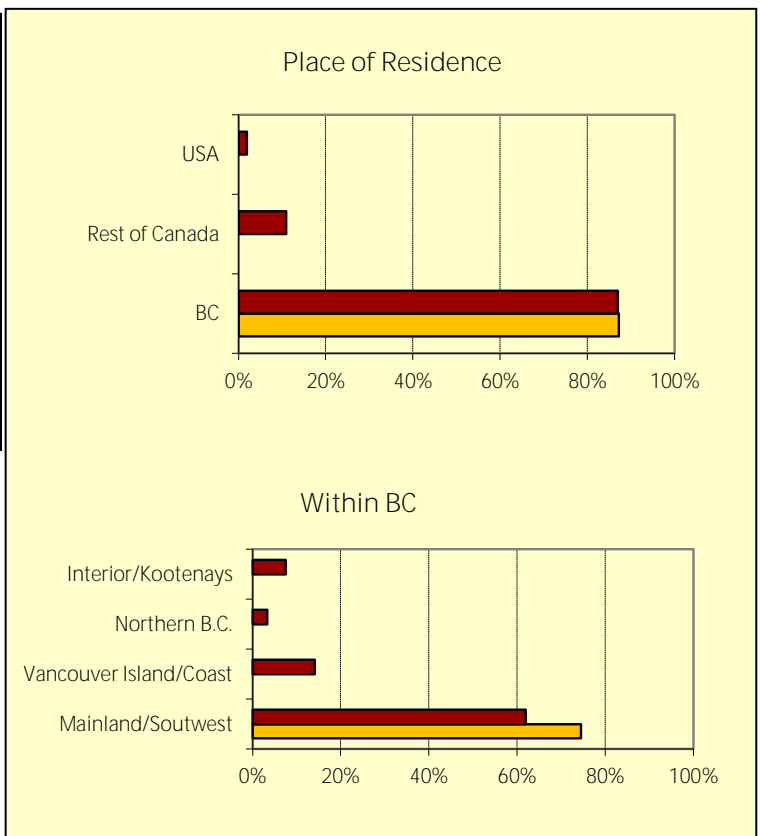


3. Gender:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Male	45 80%	4,168 39%
Female	11 20%	6,474 61%
Total	56 100%	10,642 100%



4. Age (at time of survey):	14.0901	SYSTEM
< 25	~	829 8%
25 to 29	43 81%	6,851 66%
30 to 34	~	1,434 14%
35 to 39	~	574 6%
40 to 49	~	456 4%
50 to 64	~	220 2%
> 64	~	22 0%
Total	53 100%	10,386 100%
Mean Age:	27	29

5. Place of Residence (at time of survey):	14.0901	SYSTEM
BC - Mainland/Southwest	35 74%	5,663 62%
BC - Vancouver Island/Coast	~	1,294 14%
BC - Northern B.C.	~	307 3%
BC - Interior/Kootenays	~	693 8%
BC Subtotal	41 87%	7,957 87%
Canada - Alberta	~	450 5%
Canada - Ontario	~	330 4%
Canada - Other	~	225 2%
U.S.A.	~	177 2%
Non-BC Subtotal	6 13%	1,182 13%
Total	47 100%	9,139 100%

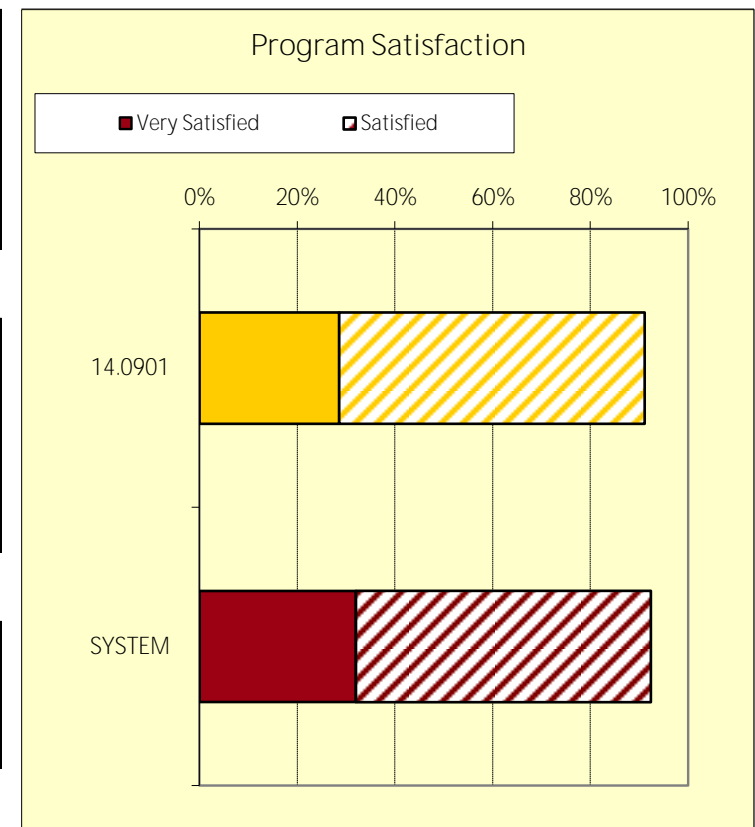


EDUCATION EVALUATION AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT

6. Program Satisfaction:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Very Satisfied	16 (29%)	3,369 (32%)
Satisfied	35 (63%)	6,351 (60%)
Dissatisfied	4 (7%)	652 (6%)
Very Dissatisfied	1 (2%)	155 (1%)
Total	56 (100%)	10,527 (100%)

7. Usefulness of Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities Acquired during Program in Work:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Very Useful	24 (44%)	3,734 (42%)
Somewhat Useful	25 (46%)	3,756 (43%)
Not Very Useful	5 (9%)	986 (11%)
Not at All Useful	- (0%)	312 (4%)
Total	54 (100%)	8,788 (100%)

8. Took upgrading, access, bridging, or other preparatory courses during or prior to studies:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Yes	3 (5%)	983 (9%)
No	53 (95%)	9,490 (91%)



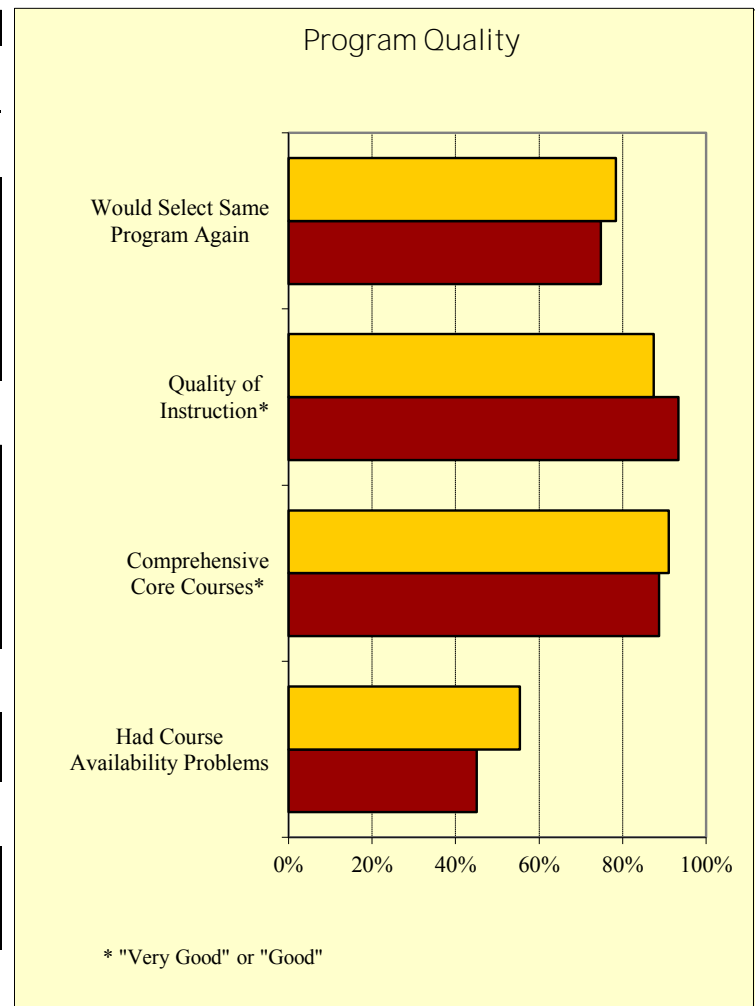
9. Select the same program again:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Yes	40 (78%)	7,418 (75%)
No	11 (22%)	2,493 (25%)

10. Quality of Instruction:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Very Good	10 (18%)	3,347 (32%)
Good	39 (70%)	6,511 (62%)
Poor	5 (9%)	607 (6%)
Very Poor	2 (4%)	90 (1%)
Total	56 (100%)	10,555 (100%)

11. Comprehensiveness of Core Courses:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Very Good	11 (20%)	2,892 (28%)
Good	40 (71%)	6,379 (61%)
Poor	4 (7%)	1,059 (10%)
Very Poor	1 (2%)	115 (1%)
Total	56 (100%)	10,445 (100%)

12. Course Availability:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Encountered course availability problems	31 (55%)	4,727 (45%)

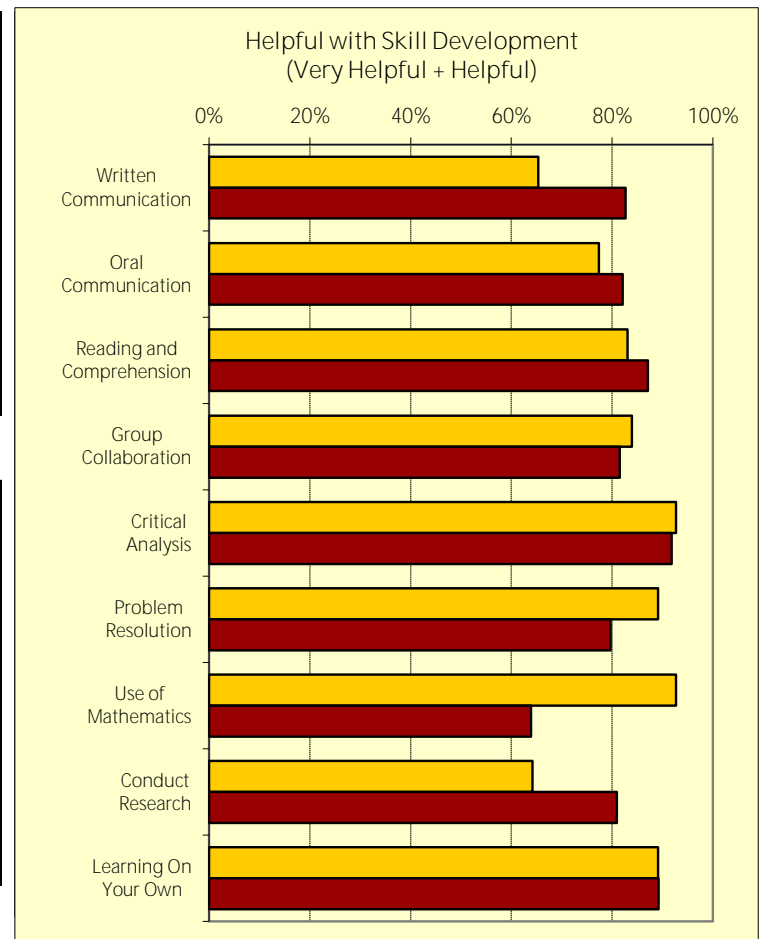
13. Financial Constraints:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Had to interrupt studies for financial reasons	2 (4%)	1,431 (14%)
Had to take program part-time for financial reasons	4 (7%)	2,183 (21%)



SKILL DEVELOPMENT

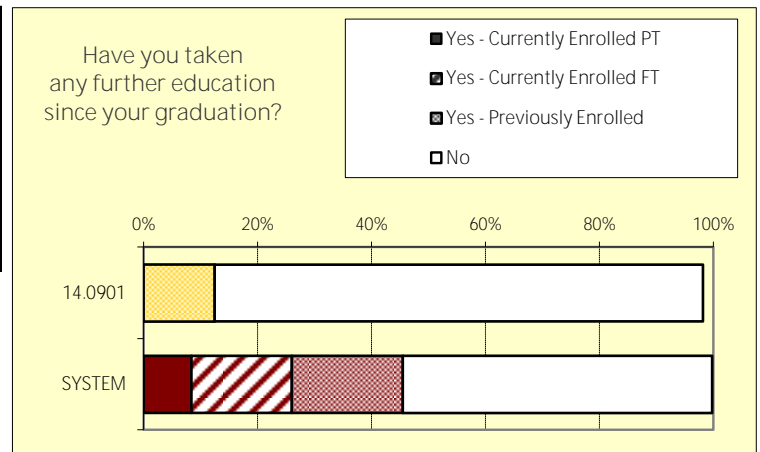
14a. Skill Development: How helpful was institution?	14.0901				# Resp.
	Very Helpful	Helpful	Not Very Helpful	Not at all Helpful	
Written Communication	10%	56%	33%	2%	52
Oral Communication	4%	74%	21%	2%	53
Reading and Comprehension	11%	72%	15%	2%	53
Group Collaboration	34%	50%	14%	2%	56
Critical Analysis	35%	58%	7%	0%	55
Problem Resolution	20%	69%	11%	0%	55
Use of Mathematics	29%	64%	7%	0%	55
Conducting Research	21%	43%	32%	4%	53
Learning On Your Own	53%	36%	11%	0%	55

14b. Skill Development: How helpful was institution?	SYSTEM				# Resp.
	Very Helpful	Helpful	Not Very Helpful	Not at all Helpful	
Written Communication	27%	56%	15%	2%	10,296
Oral Communication	24%	58%	16%	2%	10,421
Reading and Comprehension	29%	59%	12%	1%	10,385
Group Collaboration	30%	52%	16%	3%	10,431
Critical Analysis	43%	49%	7%	1%	10,570
Problem Resolution	22%	58%	18%	2%	10,307
Use of Mathematics	18%	46%	27%	9%	8,311
Conducting Research	30%	51%	16%	3%	10,161
Learning On Your Own	34%	55%	9%	1%	10,462

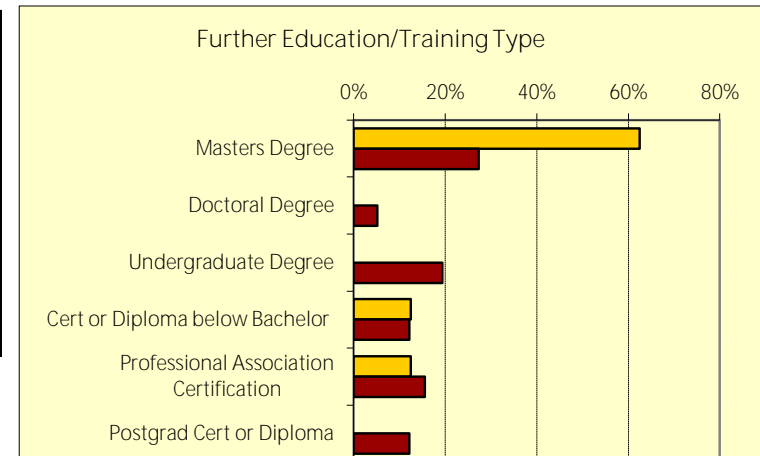


FURTHER EDUCATION

15a. Took further education since 2015 graduation:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Yes:	8	4,851
Not currently enrolled	7	2,060
Currently enrolled full-time	-	1,863
Currently enrolled part-time	1	887
No	48	5,756
Total	56	10,607

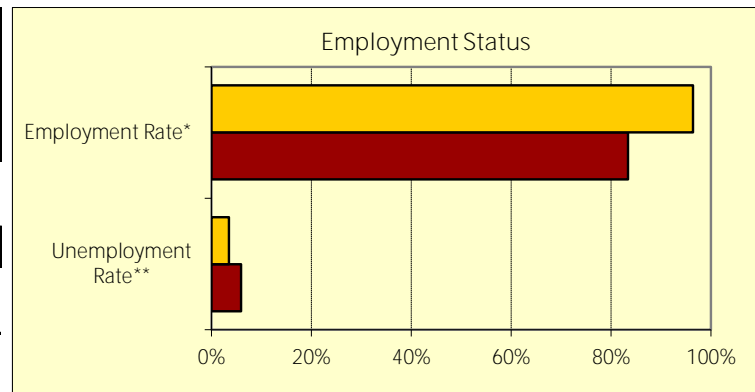


15b. Type of Formal Post-Secondary Education:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Masters Degree	5	1,289
Doctoral Degree	-	242
Another Undergraduate Degree	-	914
Certificate or Diploma below Bachelor level	1	574
Professional Association Certification	1	733
Postgraduate Certificate or Diploma	-	572
Other	1	397
Total	8	4,721



EMPLOYMENT

16. Labour Force Status:	14.0901	SYSTEM
In Labour Force (working or seeking work)	56 100%	9,385 89%
Not in Labour Force	- 0%	1,157 11%
Total	56 100%	10,542 100%

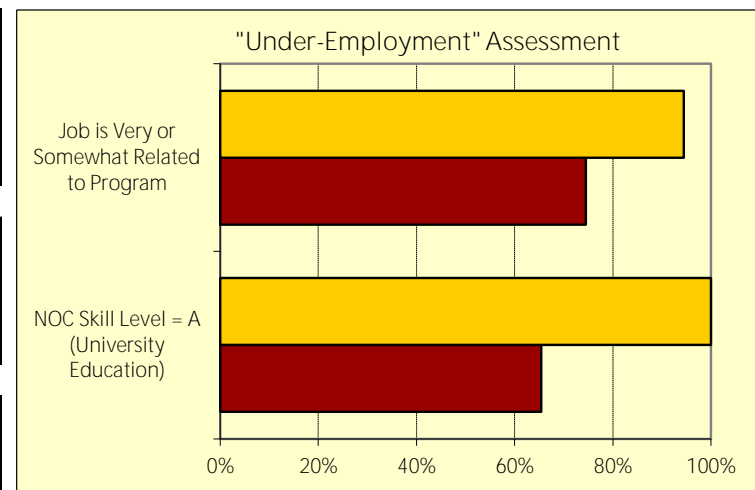


17. Employment:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Employment Rate*	54 96%	8,823 83%
Unemployment Rate**	2 3.6%	562 6.0%

\* Total employed divided by total number of respondents

\*\* Total unemployed divided by total number in Labour Force

18. Status of Graduates NOT in Labour Force:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Attending School FT	N/A	868 75%
Attending School PT	N/A	26 2%
Other	N/A	263 23%
Total NOT in Labour Force	-	1,157 100%



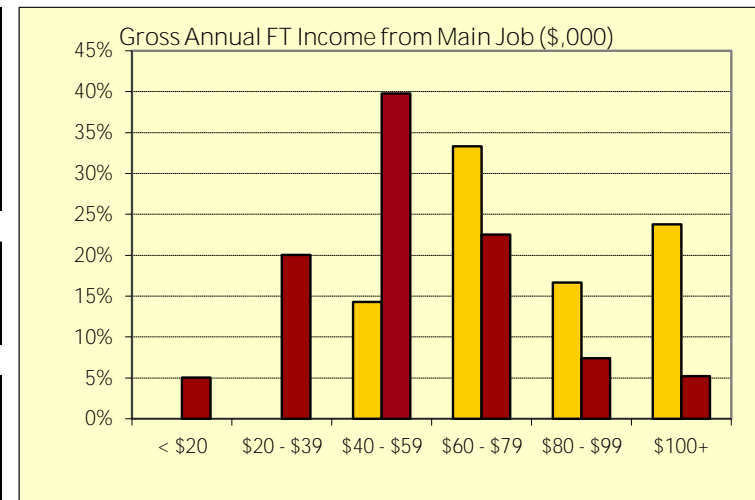
19. Primary Employment Type:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Paid worker	49 92%	8,241 94%
Self-employed	4 8%	555 6%
Total	53 100%	8,796 100%

20. Job Characteristics:	14.0901	SYSTEM
I hold more than one job	3 6%*	1,573 18%*
My main job is full-time (>= 30 hours per week)	49 96%**	7,384 88%**

\* Of total employed

\*\* of those who provided data on hours/week worked

21. How related is your main job to your program?	14.0901	SYSTEM
Very Related	36 67%	3,911 44%
Somewhat Related	15 28%	2,650 30%
Not Very Related	2 4%	1,137 13%
Not At All Related	1 2%	1,103 13%
Total	54 100%	8,801 100%



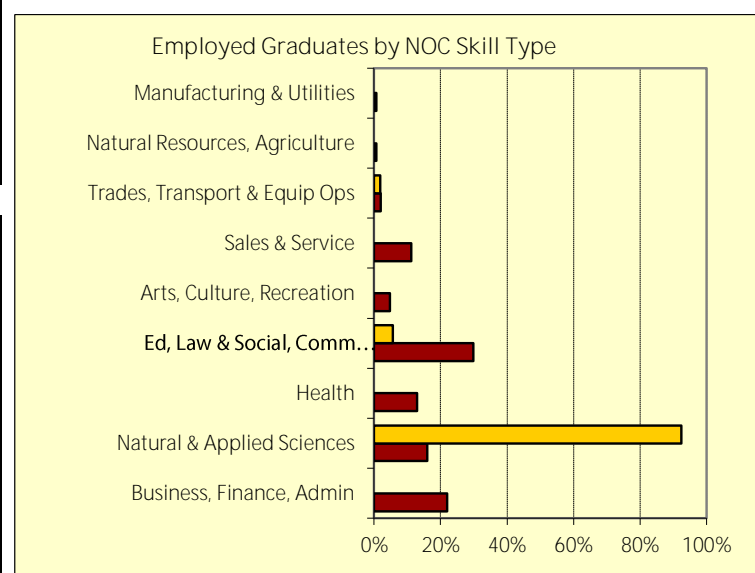
22. "Under-employment" Assessment:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Job is very or somewhat related to program	51 94%	6,561 75%
NOC Skill Level = A (University Education)*	53 100%	5,584 65%

\* Of total valid responses

23. Gross Annual Income from Main Job:*	14.0901	SYSTEM
Less than \$20,000	~	311 5%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	~	1,239 20%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	6 14%	2,459 40%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	14 33%	1,392 23%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	7 17%	458 7%
\$100,000 and Above	10 24%	325 5%
Total	42 100%	6,184 100%
Median Annual Income (full-time)	\$73,500	\$52,000
Average Annual Income (full-time)	\$82,869	\$57,523

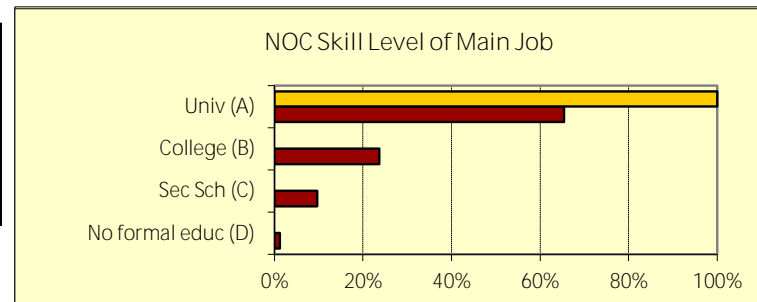
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24. NOC Skill Type of Main Job:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Business, finance & administration	- 0%	1,870 22%
Natural & applied sciences & related	49 92%	1,351 16%
Health	- 0%	1,099 13%
Education, law and social, community & government	3 6%	2,535 30%
Art, culture, recreation & sport	- 0%	405 5%
Sales & service	- 0%	943 11%
Trades, transport & equipment operators & related	1 2%	166 2%
Natural resources, agriculture & related production	- 0%	56 1%
Manufacturing & utilities	- 0%	59 1%
Total	53 100%	8,484 100%

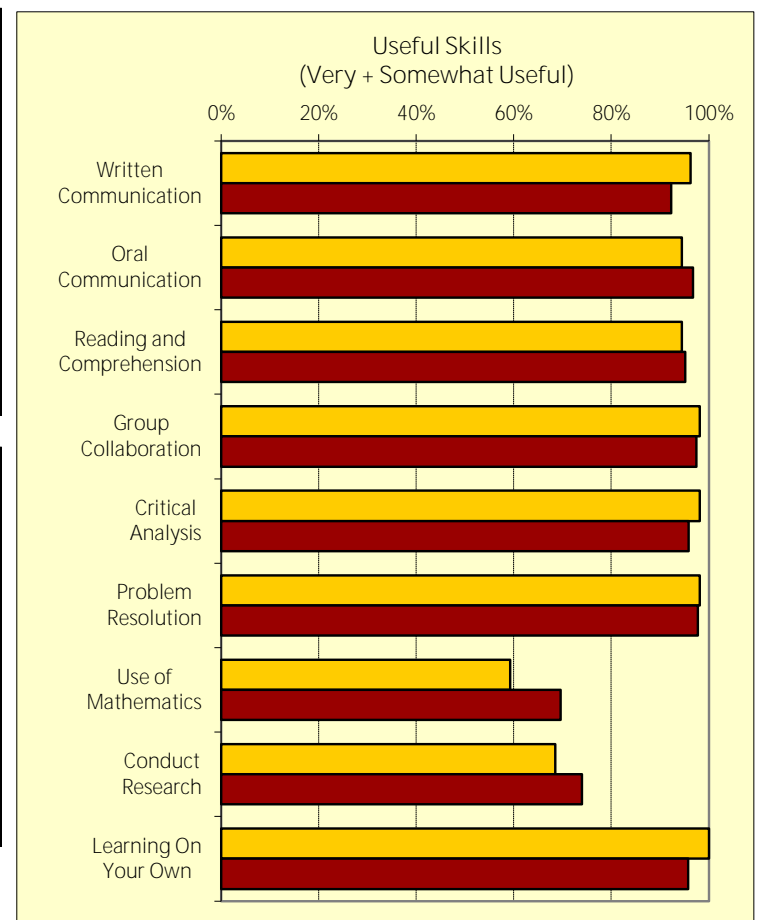


EMPLOYMENT, continued

NOC Skill Level of Main Job:		14.0901		SYSTEM	
A. University education	53	100%	5,584	65%	
B. College education/trade apprenticeship	-	0%	2,020	24%	
C. Secondary school + job-specific training	-	0%	830	10%	
D. No formal education	-	0%	108	1%	
Total	53	100%	8,542	100%	



How useful are the following skills and abilities in doing your main job?	14.0901				# Resp.
	Very Useful	Somewhat Useful	Not Very Useful	Not at all Useful	
Written Communication	48%	48%	4%	0%	54
Oral Communication	74%	20%	6%	0%	54
Reading and Comprehension	72%	22%	6%	0%	54
Group Collaboration	74%	24%	2%	0%	54
Critical Analysis	87%	11%	2%	0%	54
Problem Resolution	81%	17%	2%	0%	54
Use of Mathematics Appropriate to Field	20%	39%	22%	19%	54
Ability to Conduct Research	30%	39%	20%	11%	54
Learning On Your Own	81%	19%	0%	0%	54



How useful are the following skills and abilities in doing your main job?	SYSTEM				# Resp.
	Very Useful	Somewhat Useful	Not Very Useful	Not at all Useful	
Written Communication	69%	24%	5%	2%	8,796
Oral Communication	78%	18%	2%	1%	8,798
Reading and Comprehension	74%	21%	4%	1%	8,799
Group Collaboration	81%	16%	2%	1%	8,794
Critical Analysis	77%	19%	3%	1%	8,797
Problem Resolution	81%	17%	2%	1%	8,799
Use of Mathematics Appropriate to Field	33%	36%	19%	11%	8,676
Ability to Conduct Research	38%	36%	17%	9%	8,721
Learning On Your Own	71%	25%	3%	1%	8,788

Top 10 Full-time Occupations of 14.0901 Graduates:				14.0901
NOC	NOC Skill Level	Description		% Employed FT in this Occ.**
2173	A	Software engineers and designers		41%
2174	A	Computer programmers and interactive media developers		26%
2147	A	Computer engineers (except software engineers and designers)		13%
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\* Data not displayed where n < 5

\*\* Percentages cited are of those for whom occupational data was provided, full-time and part-time

Top 10 Full-time Occupations of Graduates from All Institutions:				SYSTEM
NOC	NOC Skill Level	Description		% Employed FT in this Occ.**
3012	A	Registered nurses and registered psychiatric nurses		7%
4032	A	Elementary school and kindergarten teachers		5%
1111	A	Financial auditors and accountants		4%
4031	A	Secondary school teachers		2%
4212	B	Social and community service workers		2%
2174	A	Computer programmers and interactive media developers		2%
1123	A	Professional occupations in advertising, marketing and public relations		2%
XXXX	0	Unclassified occupations		2%
2173	A	Software engineers and designers		2%
4112	A	Lawyers and Quebec notaries		2%

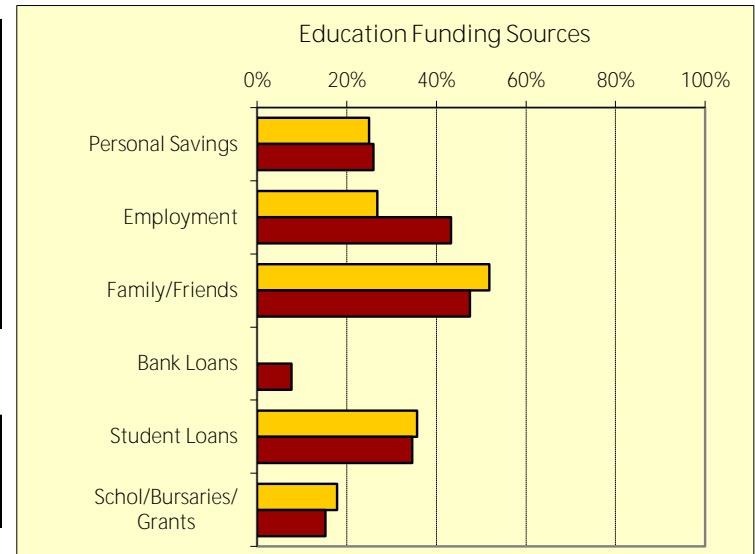
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EDUCATION FINANCING

28. Funding Sources (2 sources allowed):	14.0901	SYSTEM
Personal Savings	14 25%*	2,709 26%*
Employment	15 27%*	4,513 43%*
Family/Friends	29 52%*	4,957 47%*
Bank Loans	- 0%*	803 8%*
Student Loans	20 36%*	3,616 35%*
Scholarships/Bursaries/Grants	10 18%*	1,588 15%*
Other	18 32%*	944 9%*
Total	56	10,438

\* Percentage of respondents who identified this source

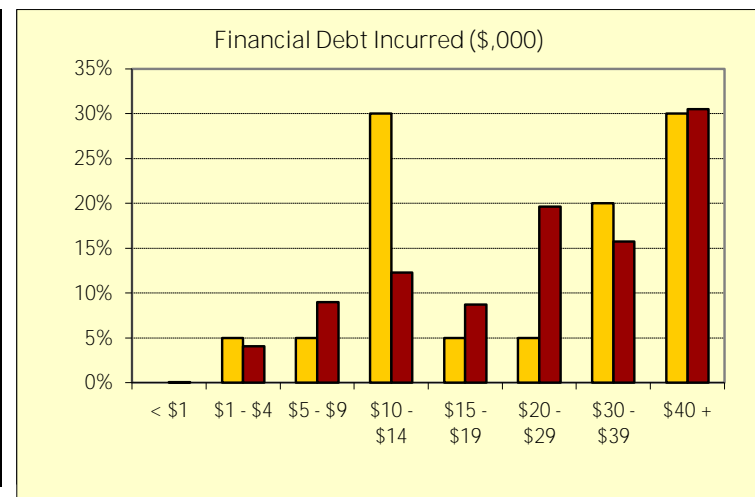


29. Financial Debt Incurred to Finance Bac. Ed.:	14.0901	SYSTEM
Incurred any form of financial debt	20 43%*	4,384 47%
Incurred government-sponsored student loan debt	17 36%*	3,311 35%

\* Percentage of respondents who provided data

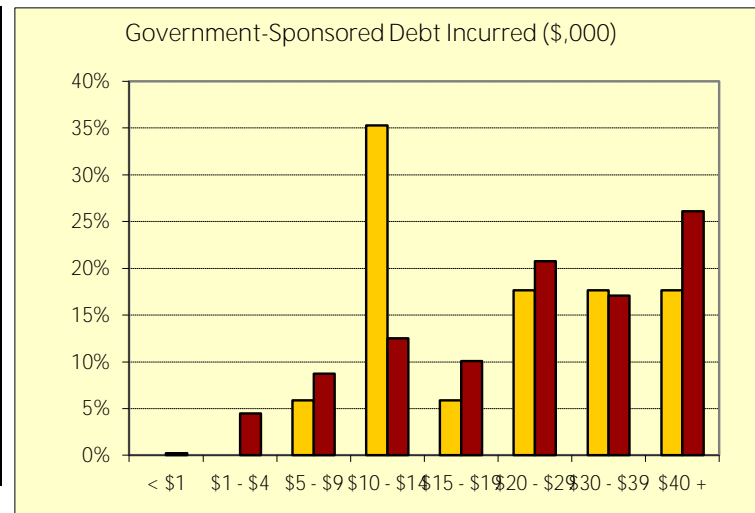
30. Financial Debt Amount:*	14.0901	SYSTEM
< \$1,000	- 0%	4 0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1 5%	178 4%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 5%	393 9%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	6 30%	538 12%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1 5%	382 9%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1 5%	861 20%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	4 20%	691 16%
\$40,000 or More	6 30%	1,337 30%
Total	20 100%	4,384 100%
Median Financial Debt	\$25,000	\$25,000

\* Includes only cases where financial debt was incurred



31. Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt Amount:*	14.0901	SYSTEM
< \$1,000	- 0%	7 0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	- 0%	149 5%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 6%	289 9%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	6 35%	414 13%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1 6%	334 10%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	3 18%	688 21%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	3 18%	566 17%
\$40,000 or More	3 18%	864 26%
Total	17 100%	3,311 100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt	\$20,000	\$25,000

\* Includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred



32. Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding:*	14.0901	SYSTEM
None - Loan repaid in full	12 80%	856 27%
< \$1,000	- 0%	12 0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	- 0%	158 5%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	1 7%	259 8%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	- 0%	266 8%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	- 0%	262 8%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1 7%	459 15%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1 7%	374 12%
\$40,000 or More	- 0%	497 16%
Total	15 100%	3,143 100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding**	\$20,000	\$22,000

\* Includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred, and valid "amount remaining" was provided

\*\* Median amounts shown are based on those who had remaining government student loan debt

