



May 2007 Placement Data

Graduating seniors in the College of Business were asked to respond to an on-line employment survey. The response rate for the survey was 38%.

- 57% of the graduates had already secured professional employment, with 86% of those positions being in Illinois
- 4% were attending graduate school with 50% pursuing an MBA and 37% focusing on Accounting
- 17% were employed part-time or not seeking employment
- Approximately 22% were still actively seeking full-time employment in their field
- Salaries for those professionally employed were on target with averages reported by The National Association of Collegiate Employers.
 - 21.4% were over \$50,000
 - 37.3% were between \$40,000 and \$50,000
 - 71% had salaries between \$30,000 and \$50,000
 - The average of the midpoints was \$42,460

The National Association of Collegiate Employers reports the average starting salaries for graduates with the following majors:

- Accounting - \$47,421
- BIS/MIS - \$46,966
- Business Administration and Management - \$44,048
- Finance - \$47,877
- Insurance - \$41,621
- International Business - \$37,682
- Marketing - \$41,285