

Class of 2009
Graduate Follow-Up Survey



Career Services
Mount Aloysius College

2009 GRADUATE SURVEY

CAREER SERVICES

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INTRODUCTION

The Mount Aloysius College Career Services Office surveys the previous year's graduates annually to provide planning information for students, faculty, administrators, employers and the community.

The information regarding the current status of the class of 2009 was obtained by mailing a questionnaire and postage paid envelope to all graduates of that class in June, July, September, November 2009 and January and February of 2010. This timeline is consistent with other colleges and universities and allows the graduates time to secure employment before being surveyed. These mailings yielded a 52% response rate.

90% percent of the responding graduates indicate they are employed. 4% indicate they are not seeking employment for personal reasons, including continuing education. 6% of the responding graduates indicate they are actively seeking. In summary, based upon the data from responding 2009 graduates, 94% of graduates are employed, continuing their education or pursuing some other alternative option to employment.

The student satisfaction rate with Career Services was at 84% indicating a good to excellent rating of services. No one rated the services as deficient. Very positive classroom comments are documented on evaluation forms available in the career center. Classroom instruction included resume/cover letter writing, interview, and job searching skills.

The following text provides two different types of information about our 2009 graduates. The first section contains a breakdown by division and department of the current status of the respective graduates. The second section lists job title, employer, and location for those working; program of study, name of school, and location for those in professional and/or graduate school; and rank and branch of service for anyone in the military.

2009 Graduates

Number of Graduates 313

Overall Response Rate 52%

Total Number of Responses 163

EMPLOYMENT STATUS:	147	72%
Employed	106	6%
Full Time/In Field of Study	9	14%
Full Time/Out of Field of Study	20	8%
Part Time/In Field of Study	12	10%
Part Time/Out of Field of Study	16	6%
Unemployed	9	4%
Seeking Employment	7	21%
Not Seeking Employment for Other Reasons	34	.5%
Pursuing Additional Education	1	
Military Service		
GRADUATES EMPLOYED OR PURSUING OTHER OPTIONS FROM THE 52% SAMPLE GROUP SURVEYED.		94%

Career Services Use Rate 40%

CAREER SERVICES SATISFACTION:	65	Satisfaction Rate
Use of Career Services	Satisfaction Responses	39%
	62	34%
Career Services Satisfaction	21	50%
Outstanding	31	11%
Good	7	5%
Adequate	3	
Poor	Response Rate	
Employment Responses	90%	

SALARY INFORMATION:

Median Salary Range – Nursing and Health Studies Majors	\$40,001 – 45,000
Median Salary Range – Other Majors	\$25,001 – 30,000

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATIONS:	Geographic Responses	Response Rate
	144	88%
In State	136	94%
Out of State	8	6%
County or Region	Responses	Response Rate
Cambria	48	33%
Blair	42	29%
Bedford	4	3%
Centre	4	3%
Clearfield	5	3%
Indiana	5	3%
Harrisburg Area	3	2%
Somerset	12	8%
Other PA Region	13	9%
Out of State	8	6%

Salary Responses
107

Response Rate
66%