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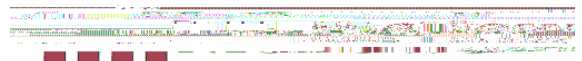
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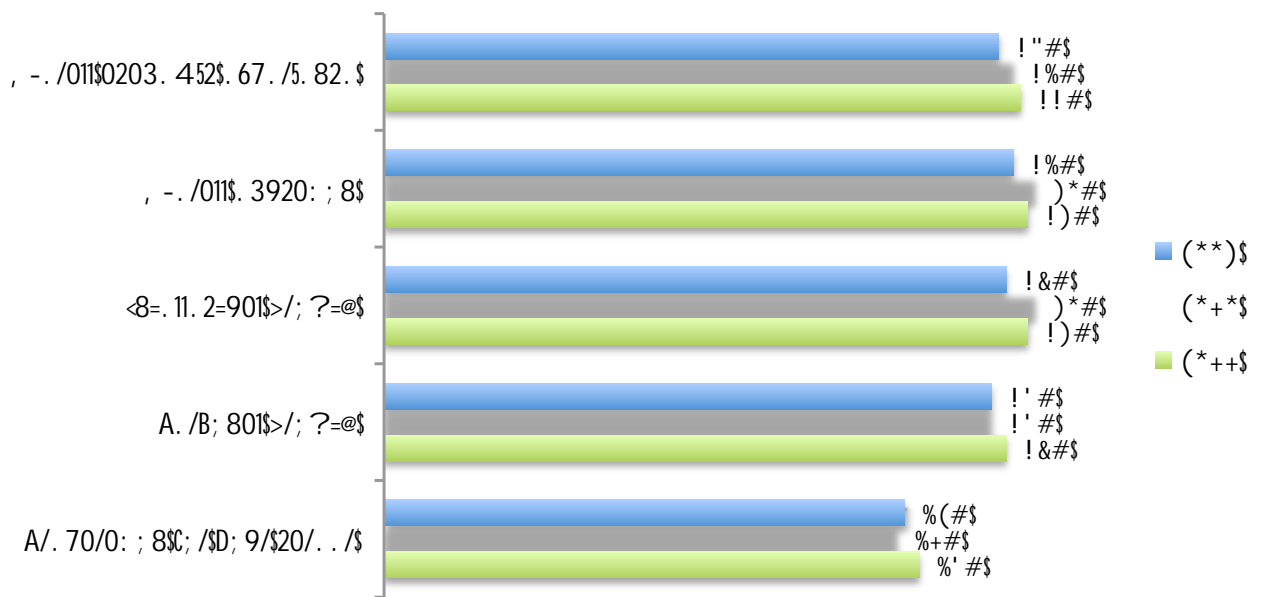
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POST-GRADUATION ACTIVITIES

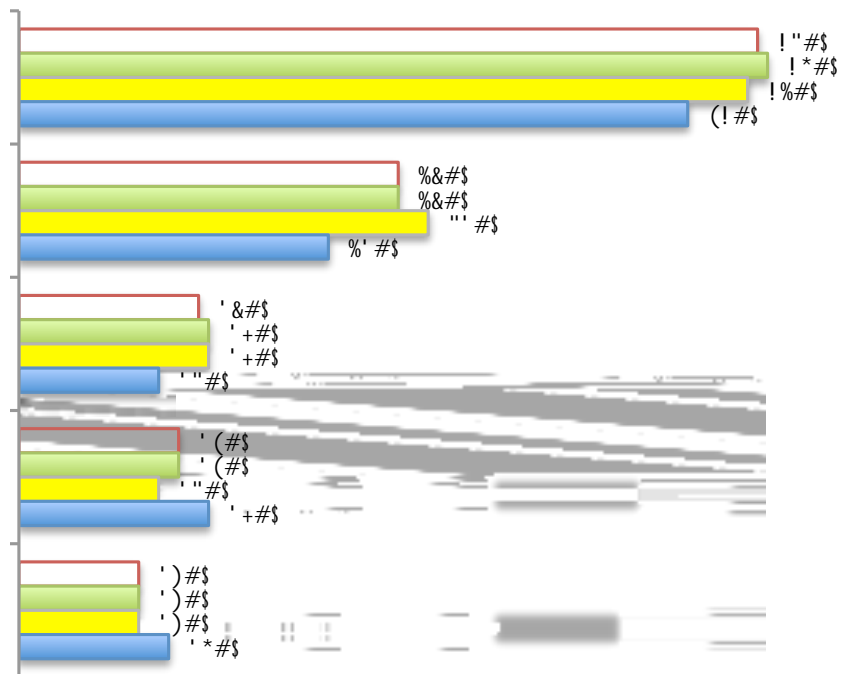
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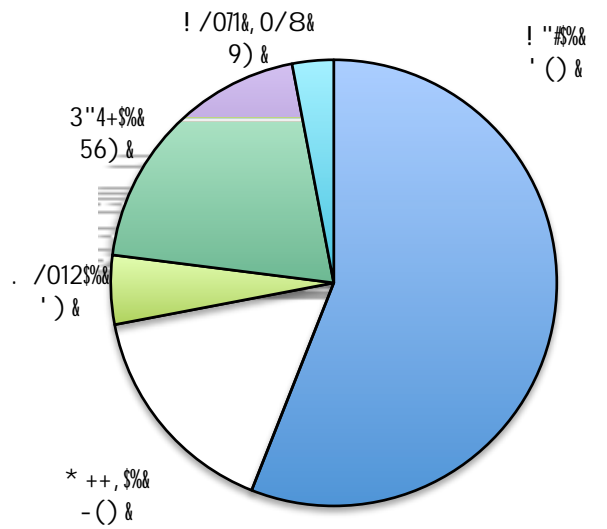
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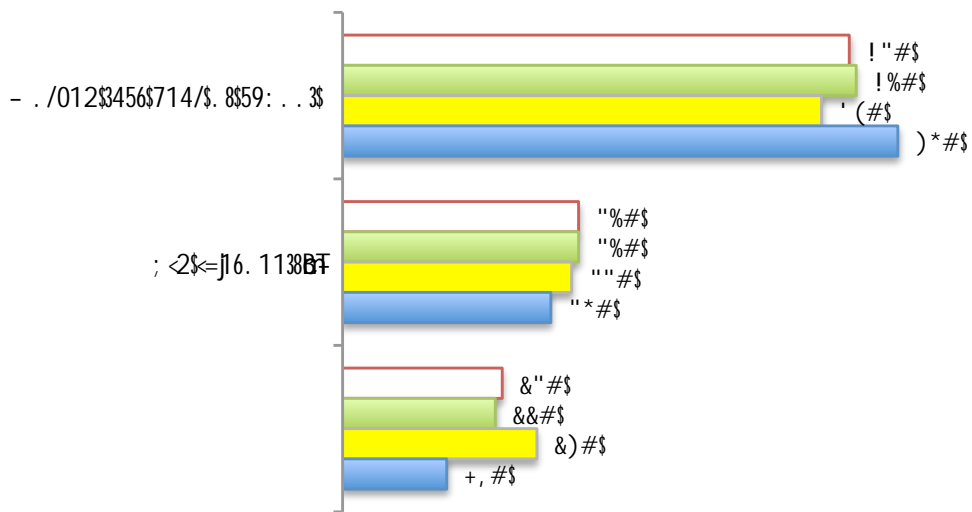
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Which of the following are you pursuing (or planning to pursue) in your post-graduation year?
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Frequency of Using Knowledge/Skills Gained
in UA Degree Program in Current Position





Introduction and Methodology

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Planning and Goals

What are your plans for the future?

- In 2011, 88% of respondents plan to continue their education, 6% plan to enter the workforce, and 6% plan to take a break from education.
- Respondents who plan to continue their education are more likely to be in the UAA (88%) and UAF (89%) than those who plan to enter the workforce (6%) or take a break from education (6%).

Which of the following statements best describes your plans when you started your degree/certificate program with UA?

	TOTAL n=1,145	UAA n=676	UAF n=344	UAS n=126
I plan to continue my education	88	88	89	89
I plan to enter the workforce		6		4
I plan to take a break from education	6	6	6	4

- Respondents who plan to continue their education are more likely to be in the UAA (88%) and UAF (89%) than those who plan to enter the workforce (6%) or take a break from education (6%).

- Respondents who are currently working in that field
- Respondents who are currently pursuing that degree

Are you currently working in that field?

By degree type

	TOTAL n=623	UAA n=306	UAF n=248	UAS n=86
Yes	1	1	69	23
No	29	29	31	23

- Respondents who are currently pursuing that degree

Are you currently pursuing that degree?

By degree type

	TOTAL	UAA	UAF	UAS
Yes				
No				

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If you could start your college career all over again, would you choose the same field of study?

	TOTAL		UAA		UAF		UAS	
	2010 n=1,133	2011 n=1,145	2010 n=648	2011 n=582	2010 n=350	2011 n=422	2010 n=130	2011 n=141
Yes	9	8	2	60	6	62		
No	1	1						

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How important were each of the following factors in helping you attain your degree?



- $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-i\omega t}}{i\omega} d\omega = \pi \delta(t)$
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Activities, Work, and Internships While Attending UA

ACTIVITIES WHILE ATTENDING UA

- $(x^2 + 3x - 4) \div (x - 2) = x + 5$ with a remainder of 6
- $(x^3 + 2x^2 - 28x + 16) \div (x - 4) = x^2 + 6x - 12$ with a remainder of 8
- $(x^4 + 9x^3 + 0x^2 + 0x + 2) \div (x - 2) = x^3 + 11x^2 + 22x + 44$ with a remainder of 90
- $(x^4 + 12x^3 + 18x^2 + 10x + 2) \div (x - 2) = x^3 + 14x^2 + 46x + 94$ with a remainder of 190

TRENDS

- $(x^2 + 2x + 1) \div (x + 1) = x + 1$ with a remainder of 0
- $(x^2 + 6x + 9) \div (x + 3) = x + 3$ with a remainder of 0

While you were attending UA, did you participate
in any of the following groups or activities?

TOTAL		UAA		UAF		UAS	
2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
n=1,133	n=1,145	n=648	n=582	n=350	n=422	n=130	n=141

Analysis By Degree Type

	AA/CT		BA		MA/PhD	
	2010 n=303	2011 n=299	2010 n=475	2011 n=513	2010 n=267	2011 n=271

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Was your internship coordinated through your campus Career Services Office?

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- $B = \frac{1}{2} (2 + 38) \times 2 = 40$
- $V = (1 + 13) \times 4 = 56$

TRENDS

- T 2010: 6, 2011: 4, 2012: 2

Which statement best describes your current employment status?

TOTAL

- $R = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{18} + \frac{1}{13} \right) \left(\frac{1}{28} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$
- $U = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{3} \right) \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \right)$
- $M = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{21} + \frac{1}{18} \right) \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{12} \right)$
- $T = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{20} + \frac{1}{9} \right) \left(\frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$

TRENDS

- $2010 - 2011 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{28} + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{21} + \frac{1}{18} \right)$
- $2010 - 2011 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{16} + \frac{1}{2} \right) \left(\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{3} \right)$
- $2010 - 2011 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{4} \right) \left(\frac{1}{9} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$

In what industry are you currently employed?

Business Administration



What occupation or position do you hold?

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Which of the following benefits
 are in your current position.

TAL	UAA		UAF		UAS	
	2010 n=433	2011 n=364	2010 n=204	2011 n=253	2010 n=73	2011 n=82
66	6	6	6	66	81	69
63	6	62	63	60	9	1
8	1	6	0	3	6	0
3	3	38	33	3	38	0
29	30	29	31	30	33	28
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Can you estimate how many job offers you received?

B

TOTAL		UAA		UAF	UAS
2010	2011	2010	2011		
n=539	n=546	n=332	n=334		

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Why didn't you use the Career Services Office?

By year, campus

	TOTAL		UAA		UAF		UAS	
	2010 n=792	2011 n=817	2010 n=451	2011 n=488	2010 n=230	2011 n=232	2010 n=107	2011 n=97
It was not my responsibility	33	31	33	31	33	2	36	38
I was not aware of the office	31	33	3	3	23	2	3	29
I did not have time	26	26	2	2	26	26	26	2
I did not know how to use the office	23	23	22	23	2	2	22	1
I did not have a need for the office	8	12	9	12	8	1		4
I did not have a job offer	8			6	6	6	26	1
I did not have a resume						6		4
I did not have a job to apply for	3	1					4	4

Fact Sheet: A Review

- 61 percent of respondents reported that they were satisfied with their Career Services Office experiences. This is a decrease from 72 percent in 2010.

TRENDS

- The percentage of respondents who were satisfied with their Career Services Office experiences decreased from 72 percent in 2010 to 61 percent in 2011.

Overall, how satisfied were you with your Career Services Office experiences?



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- $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{2-1} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^1 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$
- $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{2-2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^0 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 = \frac{1}{2}$
- $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{2-3} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 2 = 1$
- $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{2-4} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{-2} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 = 2$
- $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{2-5} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{-3} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 8 = 4$
- $\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{2-6} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right)^{-4} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 16 = 8$

Current Enrollment Activities (cont'd)

Budgetary

TOTAL		UAA	UAF	UAS
2010 n=311	2011 n=317	2010 n=170		

Current Enrollment Activities, by Type of Degree Recently Obtained

	AA/CT n=149	BA n=153	MA/PhD n=58
Are you pursuing a degree?			
Yes	94	82	33
No	55	71	25
What type of degree? (Bachelor's or higher)			
Bachelor's	11	3	0
Master's	8	11	10
PhD	2	6	2
Other	1	1	6
None	0	1	0
Other	0	0	0

Do you plan on enrolling in any college or university classes in the future?

By total enrollment

TOTAL	UAA
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Future Enrollment Plans

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TOTAL		UAA		UAF	UAS
2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	
n=698	n=675	n=399	n=350		

Future Enrollment Plans (cont'd)

In what field of study? (B)	TOTAL		UAA		UAF		UAS	
	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011	2010	2011
	n=698	n=342	n=399	n=210	n=215	n=106	n=82	n=26
Business Administration	18	16	19	14	1	1	16	3
Business Management	1		21	4	10		8	4
Management	1	13	1	1	13	9	0	21
Accounting	10	8	8	8	11		16	10
Finance	6	9		6	6	1		
Marketing						11		
Information Systems		8		8		9		
Information Technology			4	6			4	
Information Management	4		4			4		
Information Technology Management	4	3	4	3		4	4	
Information Technology / Business Administration	4		4			4	4	

Future Enrollment Plans, by Type of Degree Recently Obtained

	AA/CT n=299	BA n=513	PhD n=271
Will you be pursuing a degree?			
Yes	63	11	2
No	31	30	3
What type of degree? (Bachelor's or Master's)			
Bachelor's	2	1	1
Master's	9	6	6
None	12	8	16
Other	2		

UA Graduate Profile

UA Database: Gender and Age

2011 TOTAL	
Gender	
Female	61
Male	39
Age	
18-24	2
25-34	7
35-44	18

UA Database: Campus

2011 TOTAL	
UAF	9
UAS	30
UAA	11

UA Database: Type of Degree

	TOTAL	UAA	UAF	UAS
AA/CT degree				
B.S.	31	3	26	2
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What was your hourly wage for your internship?

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University of Alaska 2011 Graduate Opinion Survey

Welcome! The University of Alaska is conducting a survey of recent graduates. Your responses will help the University better serve its students in the future. Those who complete the survey will be entered in a drawing to win their choice of 10,000 Alaska Airlines miles or a \$250 Amazon.com gift certificate.

1. Do you currently reside in Alaska, other US state or outside of the United States?

- | | |
|----------------|------------------------------------|
| 01! Alaska | 03! Other US State (Specify) _____ |
| 02! Outside US | 04! Don't know |

1a. Of the classes you took towards your degree program, about how many did you attend in person (as opposed to via video conference, audio conference, correspondence, or internet)?

- 01! Attended all classes in person
- 02! Attended most classes in person
- 03! Attended about half of my classes in person
- 04! Attended some of my classes in person
- 05! Attended none of my classes in person
- 06! Don't know

2. How satisfied were you with each of the following aspects of your UA experience?

	01 <i>Very Dissatisfied</i>	02 <i>Dissatisfied</i>	03 <i>Neutral</i>	04 <i>Satisfied</i>	05 <i>Very Satisfied</i>	06 <i>Don't Know</i>
a. Your overall academic experience	01	02	03	04	05	06
b. Your overall education	01	02	03	04	05	06
c. Your intellectual growth	01	02	03	04	05	06

d. Your personal growth

f.

5. **While you were attending UA, did you participate in any of the following groups or activities?** (Check all that apply)

7b. What was your hourly wage for your internship?

01! \$0; unpaid

03! \$9.00-\$11.99/hour

05! \$16.00-\$19.99/hour

07! Other

23. Are you currently enrolled in any college or university classes?

- 01! Yes
- 97! Don't know (Skip to Q 24)
- 02! No (Skip to Q 24)

23a. What school are you attending?

UAA

- 01! Anchorage
- 02! Chugiak-Eagle River
- 03! Elmendorf
- 04! Fort Richardson
- 05! Kachemak Bay
- 06! Kenai Peninsula
- 07! Kodiak College
- 08! Mat-Su College
- 09! Prince William Sound Comm. College

UAF

- 10! Fairbanks

- 10! Medical support (Nursing, Social Work, Public Health, Physical/Occupational Therapy)
- 11! Process Technology/Logistics/Project Management
- 12! Rural Development/Tribal Management
- 13! Social Sciences (Anthropology, Psychology)
- 14! Sciences (Biology, Chemistry, Fisheries, etc.)
- 15!

