

# CLASS OF 2018 Post-Graduation Destinations Survey

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The Yeshiva University Career Center conducted a post-graduation survey of 579 undergraduate students, who completed YU in the 2018-2019 academic year as indicated by Banner and the Registrar's office. Through the outreach efforts of the Career Center, including online and phone surveys, internal data on YU employment and graduate school enrollment, as well as reliable external sources such as LinkedIn, the overall results are included for 80% (N=463) of the Class of 2018. The methodology included data for Summer 2017, January 2018, and May 2018 graduates, consistent with guidelines set by the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE).

## SUMMARY

**93%** of undergraduate Class of 2018 had post-graduation destinations either at graduation or within six-months of graduating

80% of graduates responded to survey or were accounted for through reliable internal and external sources (knowledge rate)

**> 80%**

**90.5%**  
of graduates

reported that their position was strongly or moderately related to their field of interest

**74%**  
of graduates

held one or more internships/part-time jobs during their time at YU

### Top Industries of Employment

- Accounting
- Education
- Finance Services
- Health Care/Medicine
- Jewish Communal Service
- Marketing

### Top Areas of Graduate/Professional Study

- Dentistry
- Education
- Law
- Medicine
- Nursing
- Social Work

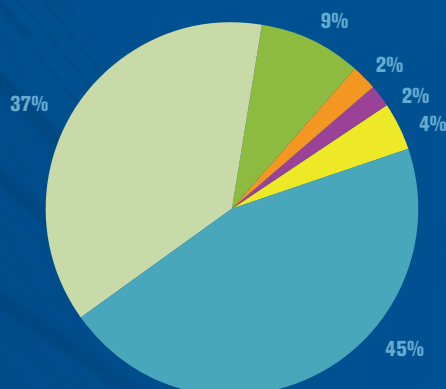


# CLASS OF 2018 CAREER OUTCOMES

## OVERALL

# 93%

of graduates  
have post-graduation  
destinations



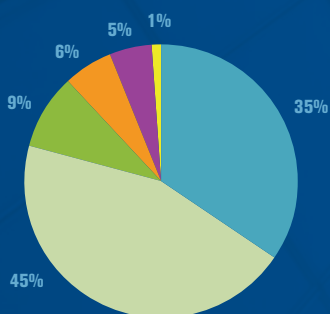
- 45% employment
- 37% graduate school
- 9% both
- 2% other
- 2% none
- 4% not seeking

## BY COLLEGE

# 90%

of Stern College for  
Women (SCW) graduates  
have post-graduation  
destinations

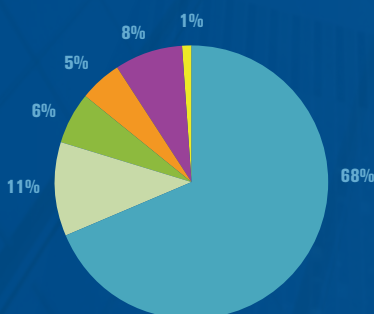
- 35% employment
- 45% graduate school
- 9% still seeking
- 6% both
- 5% none
- 1% other



# 93%

of Sy Syms School of  
Business (SYMS) graduates  
have post-graduation  
destinations

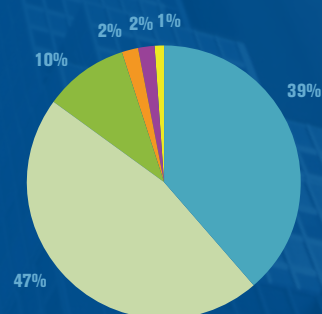
- 68% employment
- 11% graduate school
- 6% still seeking
- 5% both
- 8% none
- 1% other



# 96%

of Yeshiva College (YC)  
graduates have post-  
graduation destinations

- 39% employment
- 47% graduate school
- 10% both
- 2% other
- 2% none
- 1% not seeking





**BY MAJOR/CONCENTRATION**  
(for majors/concentrations reporting at  
least 10 instances)

Accounting (70 respondents)	<b>96%</b>	70% employment	14% grad school	9% both	4% none	3% not seeking
Biology (82 respondents)	<b>91%</b>	37% employment	46% grad school	7% both	1% other	9% none
Business Intel Marketing Analytics (10 respondents)	<b>90%</b>	60% employment	20% grad school	10% other	10% none	
English (18 respondents)	<b>83%</b>	78% employment	6% grad school	16% not seeking		
Finance (35 respondents)	<b>97%</b>	80% employment	9% grad school	3% both	3% none	6% not seeking
Jewish Studies (14 respondents)	<b>100%</b>	21% employment	36% grad school	29% both	14% not seeking	
Management (21 respondents)	<b>88%</b>	52% employment	10% grad school	10% both	10% still seeking	19% not seeking
Marketing (33 respondents)	<b>86%</b>	67% employment	6% grad school	12% still seeking	15% not seeking	
Mathematics (19 respondents)	<b>94%</b>	58% employment	16% grad school	11% both	5% still seeking	15% not seeking
Political Science (19 respondents)	<b>88%</b>	21% employment	47% grad school	5% both	11% none	16% not seeking
Psychology (56 respondents)	<b>94%</b>	36% employment	32% grad school	13% both	2% other	5% none 13 not seeking
Shaped Major (22 respondents)	<b>100%</b>	32% employment	59% grad school	9% not seeking		
Speech Pathology/ Audiology (15 respondents)	<b>100%</b>	7% employment	93% grad school			

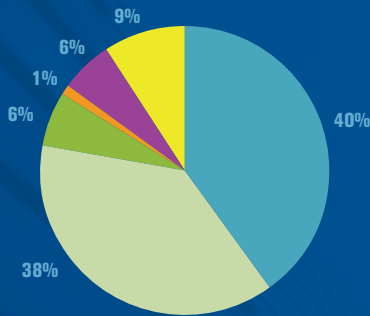


## BY GENDER



**91%**

of women graduates have post-graduation destinations

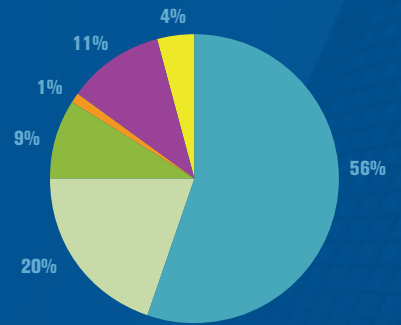


- 40% employment
- 38% graduate school
- 6% both
- 1% other
- 6% none
- 9% still seeking



**96%**

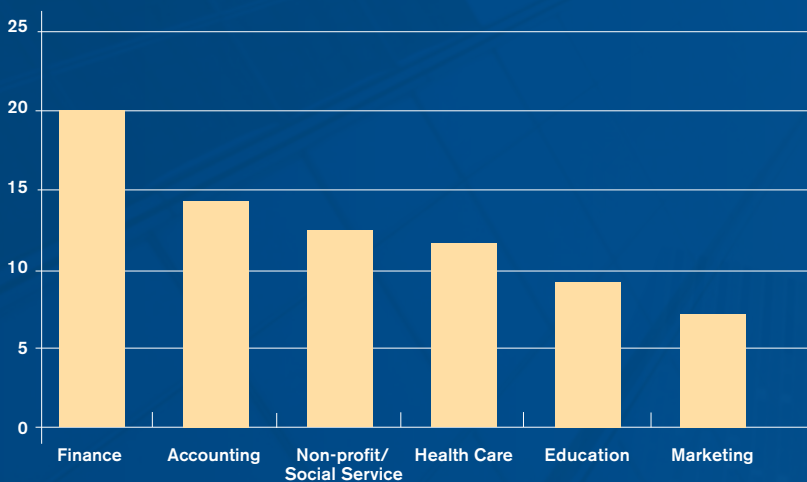
of men graduates have post-graduation destinations



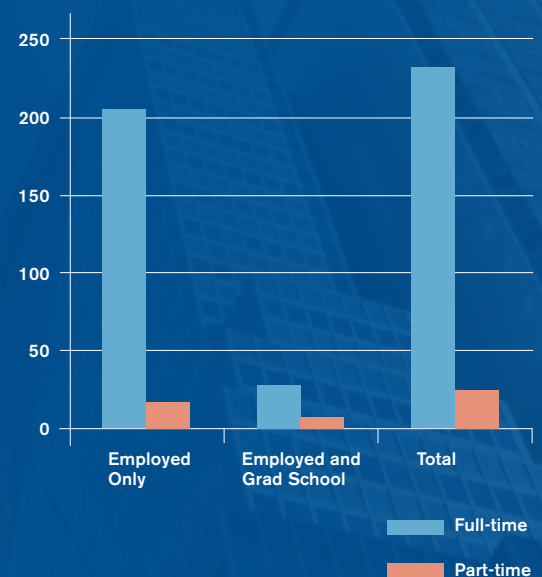
- 56% employment
- 20% graduate school
- 9% both
- 1% other
- 11% none
- 4% still seeking

## EMPLOYMENT AND GRADUATE SCHOOL STATISTICS

Top industries (by percent of employed graduates working in them: 258 respondents)



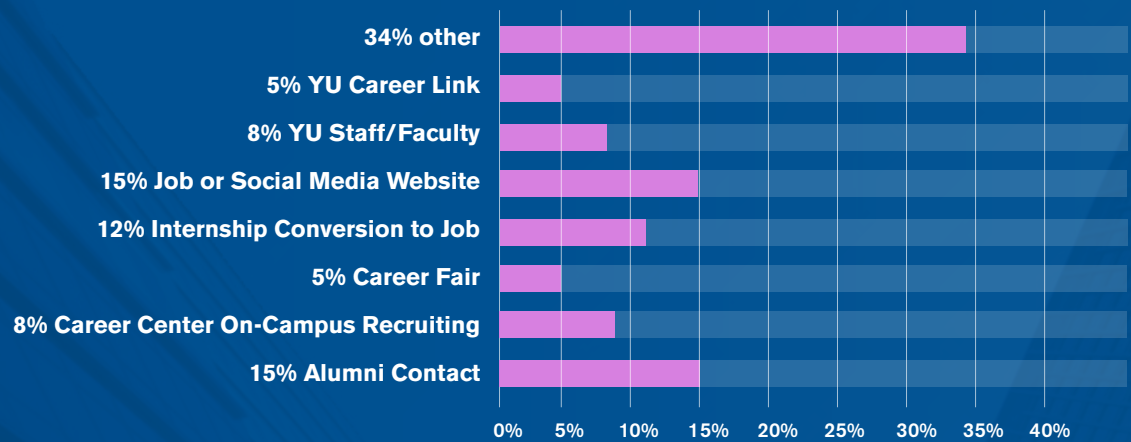
Full-time vs. part-time employment (by percentage of employed graduates: 258 respondents)



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**Top methods graduates used to find jobs (131 respondents; could provide multiple answers)**



Salary Range	Overall	SCW	SYMS	YC
Less than \$20,000	2.0%	----	2.1%	4.0%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	9.9%	31.0%	2.1%	----
\$30,000 to \$39,999	18.8%	41.4%	2.1%	24.0%
\$40,000 to \$49,999	11.9%	10.3%	6.4%	24.0%
\$50,000 to \$59,999	15.8%	6.9%	21.3%	16.0%
\$60,000 to \$69,999	17.8%	6.9%	27.7%	17.8%
\$70,000 to \$79,999	8.9%	----	17.0%	8.9%
\$80,000 and more	14.9%	3.4%	21.3%	16.0%

**Starting salaries (101 respondents)**

**Relevance to career field of interest and major field of study (178 respondents)**

**90.5%**

of graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related to their field of interest

**82.2%**

82.2% of SCW graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related

**95.6%**

95.6% of SYMS graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related

**88.4%**

88.4% of YC graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related

**81.6%**

of graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related to their major(s)

**75.6%**

75.6% of SCW graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related

**89.1%**

89.1% of SYMS graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related

**72.1%**

72.1% of YC graduates reported that their position was either strongly or moderately related



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## Internships and Part-time Jobs (381 respondents)

**74%**  
of graduates

held one or more internships  
or part-time jobs during their  
time at YU



**64.3%** of SCW  
graduates held one  
or more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU



**88.9%** of  
SYMS graduates  
held one or more  
internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU



**67.4%** of YC  
graduates held one  
or more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU

**55.6%**  
of graduates

held two or more internships  
during their time at YU



**44.2%** of SCW  
graduates held two or  
more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU



**70.4%** of SYMS  
graduates held two or  
more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU



**53.3%** of YC  
graduates held two  
or more internships  
or part-time jobs  
during their time  
at YU

**32.6%**  
of graduates

held three or more internships  
during their time at YU



**28.6%** of SCW  
graduates held three  
or more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU

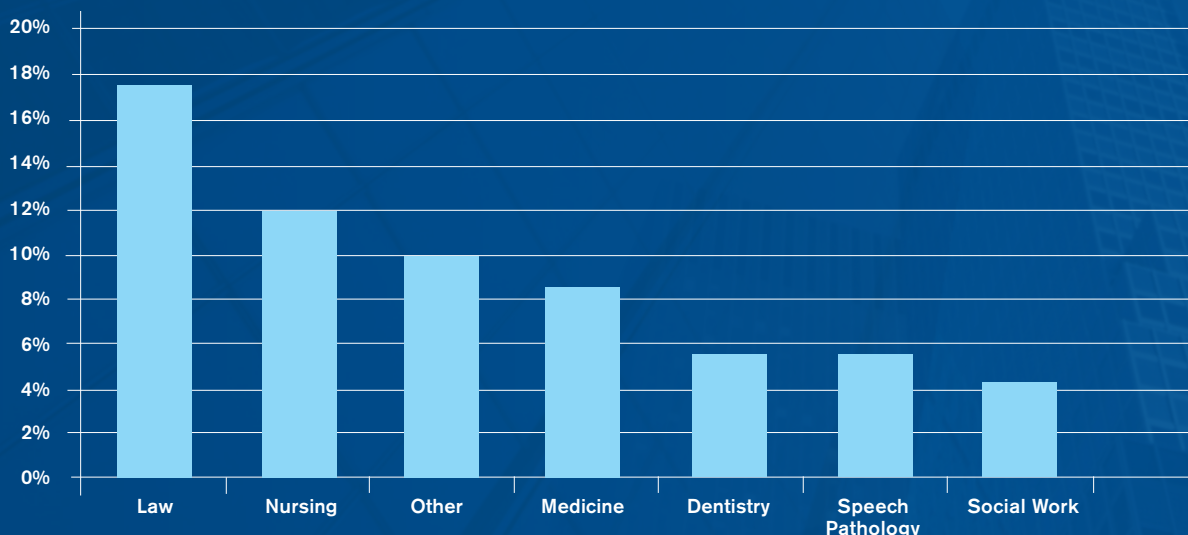


**41.7%** of SYMS  
graduates held three  
or more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU



**27%** of YC  
graduates held three  
or more internships or  
part-time jobs during  
their time at YU

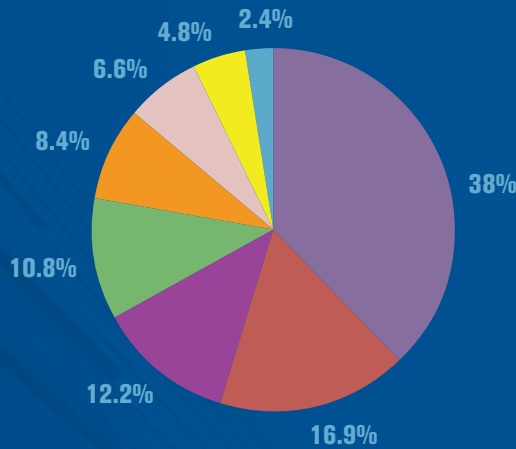
## Top fields of graduate/professional study (by percent of enrolled graduates in them: 166 respondents)



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Degrees sought  
(166 respondents)



Degree Level	Percentage
DDS	4.8%
JD	16.9%
Master's	38%
MD	10.8%
Other	8.4%
Nursing	12.2%
PhD	2.4%
Semicha	6.6%

## CAREER CENTER USAGE STATISTICS

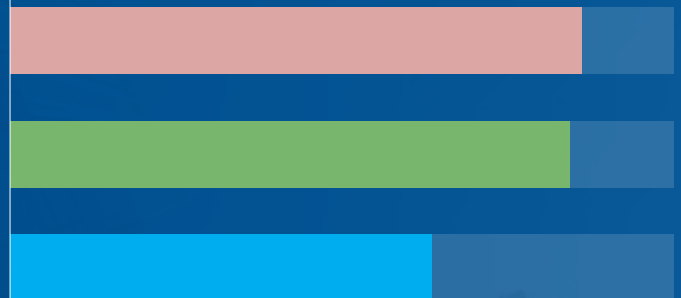
### OVERALL

**81%**  
of graduates  
used the Career  
Center during their  
years at YU

86% of SCW graduates  
used the Career Center

85% of SYMS graduates  
used the Career Center

64% of YC graduates  
used the Career Center



### FIRST-TIME USAGE

Year First Used the Career Center	Overall	SCW	SYMS	YC
First Year on Campus	42.1%	42.2%	52.1%	23.1%
Second Year on Campus	30.8%	24.8%	34.2%	41%
Third Year on Campus	19.9%	26.6%	11%	17.9%
Fourth Year on Campus or Later	7.2%	6.4%	2.7%	17.9%



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# CONCLUSION

The Yeshiva University Class of 2018 undergraduate graduating students demonstrate great promise as evidenced by the 93% post-graduation destinations career outcomes rate. Whether employment or graduate school was their intended goal, Yeshiva University recent graduates have achieved positive career results. Full-time employment increased by 5% from last year, with 92% (N= 206) of those employed holding full-time positions. In the graduate education outcomes data, law led as a top chosen field of study, and 38% of those students seeking graduate education were entering Master's programs.

Overall, 57% of graduates reporting starting salaries indicated they were earning \$50,000 or more. Sixty-five percent of Sy Syms School of Business graduates were at starting salaries earning \$50,000 or more, a notable 9% increase over the prior year.

## EMPLOYER SAMPLING

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## GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL SAMPLING

Albert Einstein College of Medicine Bank Street College Baruch College Boston University Brooklyn Law Cardozo Law School Carnegie Mellon University - Silicon Valley Columbia University Cornell Law CUNY Graduate Center Fordham University Harvard University Hebrew University Herbert Wertheim College of Medicine	Hofstra University Katz School NYIT New York University Pace Pratt Institute Rutgers University Sackler School of Medicine Seton Hall University St. John's University SUNY Stony Brook School of Medicine Technion American Medical School University of Chicago	University of Pennsylvania University of Pittsburgh School of Dental Medicine Wurzweiler School of Social Work Yale University Yeshiva University
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