

# Survey of Graduates

STATUS OF THE GRADUATES	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
	Number			Percent		
Employed full-time	569	492	518	48.7%	45.9%	46.0%
Job full-time/education part-time	108	145	125	9.2%	13.5%	11.1%
Employed part-time	119	126	106	10.2%	11.7%	9.4%
Unavailable for employment	34	25	20	2.9%	2.3%	1.8%
Unemployed and searching	56	19	55	4.8%	1.8%	4.9%
Education full-time	139	137	112	11.9%	12.8%	9.9%
Education full-time/job part-time	144	129	190	12.3%	12.0%	16.9%
<b>TOTAL RESPONSES</b>	<b>1,169</b>	<b>1,073</b>	<b>1,126</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

ATTENDING SCHOOL FULL-TIME	1999	2000	2001	1999	2000	2001
	Number			Percent		
Boston University	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Brown University	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Bryant College	8	13	14	2.8%	4.9%	4.6%
Community College of R. I.	23	17	26	8.2%	6.4%	8.6%
Johnson & Wales University	7	8	10	2.5%	3.0%	3.3%
New England Institute of Technology	1	4	1	0.4%	1.5%	0.3%
Northeastern University	0	2	5	0.0%	0.8%	1.7%
Providence College	4	2	2	1.4%	0.8%	0.7%
Rhode Island College	107	111	126	37.9%	41.7%	41.7%
Rhode Island School of Design	1	0	0	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Roger Williams University	14	15	13	5.0%	5.6%	4.3%
Salve Regina University	2	3	2	0.7%	1.1%	0.7%
University of Mass./Dartmouth	2	6	3	0.7%	2.3%	1.0%
University of Rhode Island	77	49	55	27.3%	18.4%	18.2%
Other In-State	2	4	2	0.7%	1.5%	0.7%
Other Out-of-State	33	25	36	11.7%	9.4%	11.9%
Other (School not disclosed)	1	7	7	0.4%	2.6%	2.3%
<b>TOTAL RESPONSES</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

A systematic study of the graduates of 2001 was conducted to determine their status six to nine months after graduation. Using both mail and telephone as data collection vehicles, the Office of Institutional Research and Planning achieved a stellar response rate of 81.7 percent (1,126 of 1,379 graduates).

The information collected from the graduates is available by each program of study. Only an overall summary is reported here. Looking at the seven choices, 83.4 percent of the 2001 graduates are employed in some capacity (83.1 percent for 2000). Also, nearly 40 percent of the graduates are continuing their education (38 percent for 2000). Ninety-three percent of the graduates reported they were either employed, continuing their education, or a combination of both.

Graduate Response Rate	
1999	82.3%
2000	80.5%
2001	81.7%