

POLITICAL SCIENCE
Graduate Survey Results

Overview of Data

Each year the Office of Career & Professional Development surveys new graduates about their post-graduation pursuits to learn whether they have secured employment, are attending graduate school, or are full-time volunteering. Graduate data is gathered through online surveys, college records, and LinkedIn. Tables below include information for the classes of 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017.

Political Science Graduate Survey Data

The below results are specific to graduates who indicated they were political science majors when replying to the surveys. (Note: the numbers might not add up because not all respondents completed all survey questions)

Grad Year	# of Graduates	# Grads with Data	# Employed	# Attending Grad School	Average Salary
2017	12	11	4	4	\$35,001-\$45,000
2016	16	15	10	5	\$25,001-\$35,000
2015	15	11	5	6	N/A
2014	15	12	6	5	\$30,001-\$40,000
2013	13	14	9	5	\$20,001-\$30,000
2012	13	6	5	1	\$10,001-\$20,000
2011	16	6	3	2	\$25,001-\$35,000

Political Science Employment Data

Below is a sample of employers and position titles as reported by SNC graduates.

Job Title	Employer	Location of Employers
Finance and Development Associate	Americans for Tax Reform	Washington, D.C.
Education and Research Assistant	AmeriCorps	Florida
Public Policy Associate	APSE	Maryland
Economic & Workforce Development Coordinator	De Pere Chamber of Commerce	Wisconsin
Online Marketing Account Manager	E-Power Marketing Inc.	Wisconsin
Democracy Fellow	FairVote	Maryland
Field Organizer	Feingold Senate Committee	Wisconsin
Administrative Assistant	Fluid Systems Components	Wisconsin
Legal Administrative Assistant	Hager, Dewick, & Zuengler, S.C.	Wisconsin
	Jacksonville Jaguars	Florida
Assistant to Chief of Staff	Judicial Watch, Inc.	Washington, D.C.
Front-End Supervisor and Bookkeeper	Larry's Markets	Wisconsin
Paralegal	Ludwig & Robinson PLLC	Washington, D.C.
Communications Intern	Milwaukee Admirals	Wisconsin
Servicing Representative	Oasis Legal Finance, LLC	Illinois
Peace Corps Volunteer	Peace Corps	



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Account Manager/Customer Service	Schneider National	Wisconsin
2 nd Lieutenant	United States Army	Texas
Special Assistant	U.S. Department of Treasury	Washington, D.C.
Department of Legal Services Assistant	Wisconsin Department of Justice	Wisconsin
Resource Development	YMCA Northeastern Indiana	Indiana

Political Science Graduate School Data

Below is a sample of graduate schools and programs as reported by SNC graduates.

Programs	Universities
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	American University
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	Georgetown University Law Center
Master of Fine Arts (M.F.A)	Loyola University of Chicago
Child & Adolescence Counselor	Marquette University
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	Marquette University
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	Michigan State
Liberal Studies	St. Norbert College
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	St. Thomas University
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	The John Marshall Law School
American Politics	University of Arizona
Political Science/ Juris Doctor (J.D.)	University of Connecticut
Public Policy	University of Minnesota
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	University of St. Thomas Law School
Master of Library and Information Sciences	University of Washington
Upper Education Administration	Upper Iowa University
International Public Affairs	UW Madison
Juris Doctor (J.D.)	Valparaiso University School of Law
J.D. Program	Washington University Law School

All Majors Graduate Survey Data

The results below are reflective of all graduates who completed the Graduate Survey
(Note: the percentages might not add up to 100% as Military and Other categories are not included)

Grad Year	# of Grads	# of Responses	Response Rate	Working Full-Time	Working Part-Time	Seeking Employment	Full-Time Volunteer	Average Salary	Attending Grad School
2017	429	250	58.3%	78.6%		2.1%	2.4%	\$35,001-\$45,000	15.6%
2016	506	298	59.0%	77.0%		5.2%	1.0%	\$35,001-\$45,000	13.3%
2015	505	262	51.9%	75.9%		4.0%	3.2%	\$35,001-\$45,000	14.3%
2014	506	275	54.4%	70.6%		6.5%	2.9%	\$30,001-\$40,000	10.9%
2013	439	249	57.2%	81.1%		5.2%	1.2%	\$30,001-\$40,000	12.1%
2012	404	271	67.0%	78.2%		7.0%	1.5%	\$30,001-\$40,000	12.5%
2011	460	204	44.3%	59.3%	19.2%	3.0%	3.0%	\$30,001-\$40,000	13.7%

For questions or more detailed information please contact The Office of Career & Professional Development.

Political Science Internships

Up to 60% of employers offer full-time jobs to their interns. Internships are just about the best thing you can do for your career. Learn more at: www.snc.edu/go/studentinternships. The list below provides information on where several SNC political science students have interned in the past.

- Brown County Human Services Department
- Brown County Jail
- Brown County Parks Department
- Brown County Public Works
- Citizen's for August
- City of Green Bay
- Common Cause
- Congressman Jim Sensenbrenner
- Congressman Steve Kagen
- Dupree & Kimbrough, LLP
- Leadership Conference of Civil Rights, Washington, D.C.
- Progressives United PAC
- Project Vote Smart
- Russ Feingold Campaign
- Senator Russ Feingold Senate Campaign
- State of Wisconsin Public Defenders Office
- State Public Defender
- The Sampler



Career & Professional Development Resources

Every student, freshman through senior, should be working with the Office of Career & Professional Development. You can turn to Career & Professional Development for help and information about:

- Choosing a major
- Exploring your interests, values, skills, and personality
- Resume/cover letter writing
- Interview preparation
- Internship search and registration
- Job search strategies
- Networking connections
- Graduate school research and applications
- Post-graduate volunteer opportunities
- Individual career counseling

For additional information on the Political Science program at St. Norbert College: <http://www.snc.edu/politicalscience/>