

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY
**UNDERGRADUATE
 OUTCOMES SURVEY**
 SUMMARY MAY/AUGUST 2012



**SAN DIEGO STATE
 UNIVERSITY**

Leadership Starts Here

ABOUT THE SURVEY

Conducted May to July 2012, with graduates for May and August 2012

27%
 RESPONSE RATE



35%



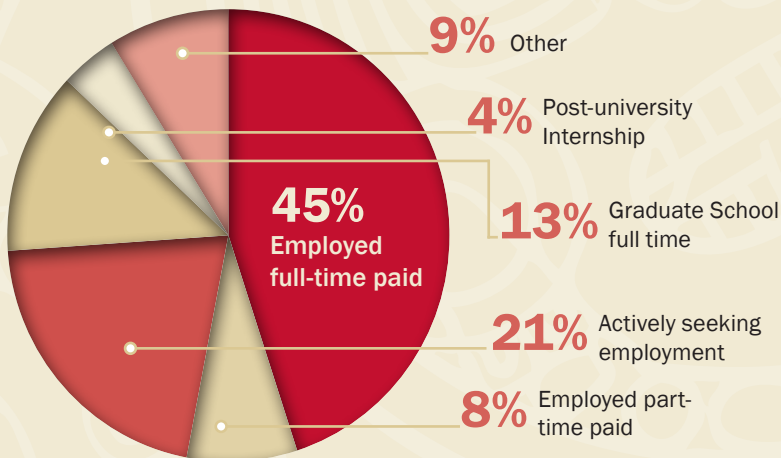
65%

**MEAN REPORTED SALARY
 BACHELOR'S DEGREES**

\$41,215



**AFTER GRADUATION, WHAT WILL
 BE YOUR PRIMARY ACTIVITY?**



**REPORTED ESTIMATED
 DEBT AT GRADUATION**

NO DEBT: 39%

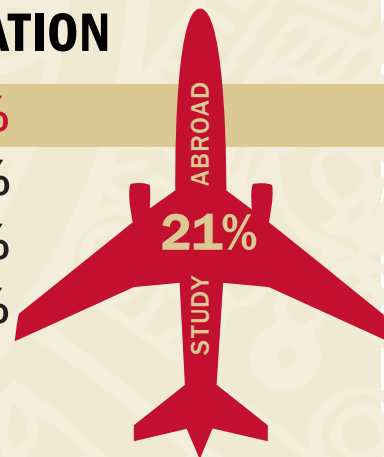
UP TO \$10K: 18%

UP TO \$20K: 13%

UP TO \$30K: 10%

UP TO \$40K: 6%

UP TO \$50K: 4%



OF THESE SDSU STUDENTS:

61% Held a part-time or summer job while attending SDSU

47% Had an on-campus job during the 2011-2012 academic year

43% Completed an internship

FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO SUCCESSFUL JOB SEARCHES

- Network! Communicate with key employer contacts and develop connections.
- Use campus resources. Aztec Career Connection, faculty contacts, academic programs, career fairs.
- Hard work and determination.
- Have an internship and get experience through part-time work.
- Work with professors, faculty and administrators.

**DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS
 A SERVICE OF SDSU CAREER SERVICES:**

For additional information, contact James J. Tarbox, Ph.D., Director, SDSU Career Services: e-mail: jtarbox@mail.sdsu.edu.

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