## Where did the 2015 BEd graduates go?



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#### I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2015 to answer the following questions about BEd graduates:-

- How many were employed six months after graduation?
- Among those who pursued further studies, what programmes were they enrolled in?
- Among those who were employed full-time, how long did it take them to get their first job offer?
- In which sectors were they employed?
- How much salary did they receive?
- How many job offers did they receive?
- Who were their employers and what were their job titles?

### II. Employment Situations in 2015

Of the 32 graduates from this programme, 32 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

	BEd				HKU Overall*			
	2015		2014		2015		2014	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
No. of respondents	32	100%	29	100%	3042	100%	2839	100%
Employed	28	88%	26	90%	2416	79%	2246	79%
Unemployed seeking F/T job	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	15	0.5%	9	0.3%
Further Studies	2	6.3%	0	0.0%	558	18%	533	19%
Emigrated/Returned to home country	0	0.0%	1	3.4%	14	0.5%	20	0.7%
Not seeking F/T job	2	6.3%	2	6.9%	39	1.3%	31	1.1%

<sup>\*</sup> HKU Overall refers to the figure for the total HKU population and includes M.B., B.S. and B.D.S. graduates.

#### III. Further Studies

Since the number of respondents is smaller than 5, these information are withheld to protect privacy of the respondent(s).

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# IV. Time Taken to Secure Employment

The time taken for graduates to secure employment is shown below.

	% of new graduates who have secured employment			
By the end of	2015	2014		
May or before	31%	21%		
June	56%	64%		
July	88%	93%		
August	88%	93%		
September	88%	100%		
October	100%	100%		
November	100%	100%		
December	100%	100%		
January	100%	100%		
February	100%	100%		

No Response = 9

### V. Employment Sectors

The majority of BEd graduates were employed in Educational Institutions, while others were employed in Community, Social & Personal Services, Commerce & Industry and the Civil Service.

Sector	% of graduates			
Sector	2015	2014		
Educational Institutions	62%	59%		
Community, Social & Personal Services	14%	14%		
Commerce & Industry	14%	27%		
Civil Service	9.5%	0.0%		

No Response = 4







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## VI. Basic Salary and Gross Income

The remuneration received by BEd graduates is shown below.

	Basic Salary				Gross Income			
	BEd		HKU Average*		BEd		HKU Average*	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Mean	\$18,053	\$18,456	\$20,996	\$20,291	\$18,303	\$18,963	\$21,730	\$21,265
Median	\$15,000	\$18,000	\$17,500	\$17,200	\$16,250	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$18,000
Minimum	\$8,000	\$10,000	\$4,900	\$5,000	\$8,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
Maximum	\$28,000	\$27,000	\$100,000	\$63,000	\$28,000	\$27,000	\$100,000	\$105,000

<sup>\*</sup> HKU Average refers to the figure for the total HKU population and includes M.B.,B.S. and B.D.S. graduates.

### VII. Number of Full-Time Job Offers

The number of job offers received by BEd graduates is shown in the following table.

No. of job offers received	No. of graduates (% of graduates)
One	9 (56%)
Two	4 (25%)
Three	3 (19%)

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## VIII. Names of Employers and Job Titles

The job titles of BEd graduates in full-time employment and the names of their employers are listed below.

<b>Employers</b>	Job Titles
Civil Service -	
- HKSAR - Information Services Department	- Assistant Information Officer
- HKSAR - Legislative Council	- Assistant of Legislative Council Member
Educational Institutions -	
- CCC Kwei Wah Shan College	- Assistant Teacher
- Christian Alliance P.C. Lau Memorial International School	- Teacher
- Delia Memorial School (Hip Wo)	- Teacher
- Good Hope School	- Liberal Studies Teaching Assistant
- HHCKLA Buddhist Leung Chik Wai College	- Teacher
- HKMLC Queen Maud Secondary School	- Full Time IH & LS Teacher
- Korean International School (Primary / Korean Section)	- Teacher of English
- Ning Po No.2 College	- Teacher
- Orchlon International School	- Academic Counsellor
- Tang King Po School	- Teaching Assistant
- The University of Hong Kong	- Research Assistant
- Organization's name not reported	- Teacher
- Organization's name not reported	- Teacher
Community, Social and Personal Services -	C 1 TH ' .
- Autism Recovery Network	- Speech Therapist
- Colorectal and Laparoscopic Surgery Centre Limited	- Secretary
- West Kowloon Cultural District Authority	- Auditor
Commerce and Industry -	
- DFS Group Limited	- Intern
- Johnson & Johnson (HK) Ltd	- Communication Executive
- O! Evelyn (HK) Ltd.	- Marketing & PR Executive
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No Response = 4

Note:

Some of the 2015 graduates indicated willingness to talk to individual students about their work. Contact numbers can be obtained from career advisors at the Careers & Placement, CEDARS.

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**IX.** Similar information on graduates from other disciplines is available for reference in the Careers Library. Please contact CEDARS for further details.

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