

## Where did the 2013 BChinMed graduates go?

### I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2013 to answer the following questions about BChinMed graduates :-

- How many were employed six months after graduation?
- 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 2013

Of the 20 graduates from this programme, 19 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

	BChinMed				HKU Overall*			
	2013		2012		2013		2012	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>No. of respondents</b>	19	100%	16	100%	2788	100%	2782	100%
<b>Employed</b>	19	100%	14	88%	2188	78%	2195	79%
<b>Unemployed seeking F/T job</b>	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	7	0.3%	9	0.3%
<b>Further Studies</b>	0	0.0%	2	13%	541	19%	549	20%
<b>Emigrated/Returned to home country</b>	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	21	0.8%	2	0.1%
<b>Not seeking F/T job</b>	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	31	1.1%	27	1.0%

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

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### III Time Taken to Secure Employment

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

By the end of	% of new graduates who have secured employment	
	2013	2012
May or before	14%	0.0%
June	21%	0.0%
July	21%	0.0%
August	50%	57%
September	71%	100%
October	79%	100%
November	100%	100%
December	100%	100%
January	100%	100%
February	100%	100%

No Response = 4

### IV Employment Sectors

The majority of BChinMed graduates were employed in Community, Social & Personal Services, while others were employed in Commerce & Industry.

Sector	% of graduates	
	2013	2012
Community, Social & Personal Services	94%	57%
Commerce & Industry	6.3%	0.0%
Educational Institutions	0.0%	29%
Civil Service	0.0%	14%

No Response = 2

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### V Basic Salary and Gross Income

The remuneration received by BChinMed graduates is shown below.

	Basic Salary				Gross Income			
	BChinMed		HKU Average*		BChinMed		HKU Average*	
	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012
<b>Mean</b>	\$16,583	\$16,814	\$18,778	\$18,662	\$16,722	\$16,814	\$19,547	\$19,598
<b>Median</b>	\$17,000	\$17,000	\$15,000	\$15,000	\$17,500	\$17,000	\$16,000	\$15,833
<b>Minimum</b>	\$9,500	\$15,500	\$5,000	\$2,000	\$9,750	\$15,500	\$5,000	\$6,000
<b>Maximum</b>	\$20,000	\$18,000	\$83,333	\$60,000	\$20,000	\$18,000	\$83,333	\$150,000

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### VI Number of Full-Time Job Offers

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

No. of job offers received	No. of graduates (% of graduates)
One	6 (43%)
Two	4 (29%)
Three	2 (14%)
Four	1 (7.1%)
Seven	1 (7.1%)

No Response = 4

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### VII Names of Employers and Job Titles

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

<u>Employers</u>	<u>Job Titles</u>
<b>Community, Social and Personal Services -</b>	
- Chinese Medicine For All	- Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Hang Lam Hin	- TCM Clinic Assistant
- Haven of Hope – The Chinese University of Hong Kong Chinese Medicine Centre for Training and Research	- Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Hong Kong Christian Family Service Center	- Junior Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Hong Kong Federation of Trade Unions	- Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Kwong Tai Chinese Medical Limited	- Registered Chinese Practitioner
- Raffles Medical Group	- Chinese Medicine Practitioner Assistant
- Socialist Action	- Chairman
- The Hong Kong Tuberculosis, Chest and Heart Diseases Association	- Junior Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Tung Wah Group of Hospitals	- Chinese Medicine Trainee
- Tung Wah Group of Hospitals	- Junior Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Yan Chai Hospital	- Junior Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Yan Chai Hospital	- Junior Chinese Medicine Practitioner
- Yan Chai Hospital	- Junior Chinese Medicine Trainee
- Yan Oi Tong	- Chinese Medicine Practitioner
<b>Commerce and Industry -</b>	
- Evercrown Limited	- Occupation's name not reported

No Response = 2

Note: Some of the 2013 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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**VIII.** Similar information on graduates from other disciplines is available for reference in the Careers Library.  
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