

Where did the 2001 Postgraduate Certificate in Education graduates go?

I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2001 to answer the following questions about Postgraduate Certificate in Education 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 2001

Of the 214 graduates from this programme, 178 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

| | PCEd | | | | HKU Overall* | | | |
|---|------|------|------|------|--------------|------|------|------|
| | 2001 | | 2000 | | 2001 | | 2000 | |
| | No. | % | No. | % | No. | % | No. | % |
| No. of respondents | 178 | 100% | 147 | 100% | 570 | 100% | 596 | 100% |
| Employed | 170 | 96% | 143 | 97% | 508 | 89% | 542 | 91% |
| Unemployed seeking F/T job | 3 | 1.7% | 3 | 2.0% | 13 | 2.3% | 12 | 2.0% |
| Further Studies | 3 | 1.7% | 0 | 0% | 37 | 6.5% | 25 | 4.2% |
| Emigrated/Returned to home country | 0 | 0% | 0 | 0% | 5 | 0.9% | 8 | 1.3% |
| Not seeking F/T job | 2 | 1.1% | 1 | 0.7% | 7 | 1.2% | 9 | 1.5% |

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III. Further Studies

3 graduates proceeded to postgraduate studies. The tables below show the academic programmes that they pursued and their sources of funds.

| Field of Study | Academic Programme | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| | Ph.D. | Master (Coursework) | Postgraduate Certificate |
| Business Administration/Management | 1 | - | - |
| Computer Science | - | 1 | 1 |

| Source of Funds | No. of Graduates |
|-----------------|------------------|
| Own Funds | 3 |

IV. 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 | |
|---------------|--|------|
| | 2001 | 2000 |
| May or before | 19% | 18% |
| June | 34% | 35% |
| July | 61% | 66% |
| August | 87% | 84% |
| September | 96% | 96% |
| October | 99% | 98% |
| November | 100% | 100% |

No Response = 3

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V. Employment Sectors

The majority of Postgraduate Certificate in Education graduates were employed in Educational Institutions, while others were employed in Commerce & Industry and Community, Social & Personal Services.

| Sector | % of graduates | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|------|
| | 2001 | 2000 |
| Educational Institutions | 95% | 81% |
| Commerce & Industry | 3.1% | 9.4% |
| Community, Social & Personal Services | 1.8% | 3.6% |
| Civil Service | 0% | 5.8% |

No Response = 3

VI. Basic Salary and Gross Income

The remuneration received by Postgraduate Certificate in Education graduates is shown below.

| | Basic Salary | | | | Gross Income | | | |
|----------------|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|--------------|----------|
| | PCEd | | HKU Average* | | PCEd | | HKU Average* | |
| | 2001 | 2000 | 2001 | 2000 | 2001 | 2000 | 2001 | 2000 |
| Mean | \$17,616 | \$17,380 | \$20,283 | \$19,910 | \$17,676 | \$17,675 | \$20,663 | \$20,963 |
| Median | \$17,505 | \$17,100 | \$17,100 | \$17,100 | \$18,000 | \$18,000 | \$17,333 | \$17,145 |
| Minimum | \$9,000 | \$3,000 | \$8,000 | \$3,000 | \$9,000 | \$8,000 | \$8,000 | \$6,000 |
| Maximum | \$24,500 | \$24,000 | \$77,500 | \$73,000 | \$24,500 | \$24,000 | \$97,500 | \$92,000 |

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VII. Number of Full-Time Job Offers

The number of job offers received by Postgraduate Certificate in Education graduates is shown in the following table.

| No. of job offers received | No. of graduates (% of graduates) |
|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| One | 64 (40%) |
| Two | 65 (40%) |
| Three | 21 (13%) |
| Four | 8 (4.9%) |
| Five | 2 (1.2%) |
| Six | 1 (0.6%) |
| Eight or more | 1 (0.6%) |

No Response = 4

VIII. Names of Employers and Job Titles

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

| <u>Employers</u> | <u>Job Titles</u> |
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| Educational Institutions - | |
| - Aldrich Bay Govt. Primary School | - Certificated Master |
| - Baddhist Yip Kei Nam Memorial College | - Teacher |
| - Beacon College | - Graduate Master |
| - Buddhist Chan Shi Wan Primary School (AM) | - Teacher |
| - Buddhist Ho Nam Kam College | - Teacher |
| - Buddhist Hui Tuen College | - Certificated Mistress |
| - Canossa School | - Graduate Master |
| - Caritas St. Joseph Prevocational School | - Graduate Master |
| - Carmel Holy Word Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - CCC Kung Lee College | - Teacher |
| - CCC Rei Wan Primary School | - Certificate Mistress |
| - CCC Yenching College | - Teacher |
| - Cheung Pui Chung Memorial School | - Teacher |
| - Chinese Foundation Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Ching Chung Hau Po Woon Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - Chiu Lut Sau Memorial Secondary School | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - Christian & Missionary Alliance Sun Kei Secondary School | - Certificate Mistress |

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| - CNEC Lee 1 Yao Memorial Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Concordia Lutheran School - North Point | - Teacher |
| - Confucian Middle School | - Graduate Master |
| - Creative Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Dongguan Tong Heung Wui Fong Shu Chuen Primary School (Morning) | - Teacher |
| - Fanling Kau Yan College | - Graduate Master |
| - Fanling Kau Yan College | - Teacher |
| - Fanling Lutheran Secondary School | - Certified Master |
| - Fortress Hill School | - Certificate Master |
| - Fung Kai Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Good Hope School | - Teacher |
| - Good Hope School | - Teacher |
| - Good Hope School | - Teacher |
| - Ha Kwai Chung Government Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Henrirtta Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - HKMLC Queen Maud Secondary School | - Supply Teacher |
| - HKSAR - Education Department | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - HKSAR - Education Department | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - HKSAR - Education Department | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - HKTA Tang Hin Memorial Secondary School | - Certificated Mistress |
| - HKTA The Yuen Yuen Institute No. 3 Sec. School | - Teacher |
| - Ho Ming Primary School | - Certified Mistress |
| - Ho Yu College (Sponsored By Sik Sik Yuen) | - Teacher |
| - Holy Family Canossian College | - Teacher |
| - Holy Trinity College | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Hong Kong Tang King Po College | - Teacher |
| - Hun Sang College | - Graduate Master |
| - Islamic Kasim Tuet Memorial College | - Teacher (GM) |
| - Ju Ching Chu Secondary School | - Certificated Master |
| - Kiangsu-Chekiong College (Kwai Chung) | - Teacher |
| - King's College | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - Korean International School | - EFL Teacher (Korean Section) |
| - Kwun Tong Kung Lok Government Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - L. S. T. Leung Kau Kui College | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Lai King Catholic Secondary School | - Occupation's name not reported |
| - Lau Wing Sang Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Law Ting Pong Secondary School | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Lee Lim Ming College | - Teacher |
| - Leung Lee Sau Memorial Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Li Cheng Uk Government Primary PM School | - Teacher |
| - LLC Sau Tak Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Lok Sin Tong Ku Chiu Man Secondary School | - C. M. Teacher |
| - Lok Sin Tong Leung Kau Kui College | - Teacher |
| - Lok Sin Tong Leung Wong Lai Fong Memorial | - Certificated Teacher |
| - Lok Sin Tong Wong Chung Ming Secondary School (AM) | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Lok Sin Tong Yu Kan Hing School | - Teacher |

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| - Ma On Shan St Joseph Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - Maryknoll Fathers School (Primary Section) | - Teacher |
| - MFBM Chan Lui Chung Tak Memorial College | - Graduate Master/Teacher |
| - MKMCF Ma Chan Duen Hey Memorial College | - Teacher (GM) |
| - Mos St. Joseph's Secondary School | - Graduate Mistress |
| - MOS St. Joseph's Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Mun Sang College (HK Island) | - Teacher |
| - Munsang College HK Island | - Graduate Master |
| - N.T. Heung Yee Kuk Yuen Long District Secondary School | - Temporary Teacher |
| - Nam Wah Catholic Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - Nam Wah Catholic Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - New Method College | - Teacher |
| - Notre Dame College | - Teacher |
| - NTHYK Yuen Long District Secondary School | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - Our Lady's College | - Graduate Mistress |
| - P.L.K. Lee Shing Pik College | - Teacher |
| - PHC Wing Kwong College | - GM |
| - PLK Camoes Tan Siu Lin Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Po Kok Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - Po Leung Kuk Mrs Ma Kam Ming Cheung Fuk Sien College | - Graduated Master |
| - Po Leung Kuk Mr and Mrs Chan Pak Keung Tsing Yi School | - Teacher |
| - Po Leung Kuk No. 1 College | - Teacher |
| - POCA Wong Siu Ching Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Poo Ai School | - Certificate Teacher |
| - Pui Ying College | - Teacher |
| - Queen Elizabeth School Old Students' Association Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Queen's College | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - Queen's College | - Certificate Mistress |
| - S.K.H. Ka Fuk Wing Chun Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Sacred Heart Canossian College | - Teacher |
| - Sacred Heart of Mary Catholic Primary School | - Certificate Master |
| - Sha Tin Government Secondary School | - Supply Teacher |
| - Sha Tin Government Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Sha Tin Tsung Tsin Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - Shatin Tsung Tsin Secondary School | - GM |
| - Shau Kei Wan East Government Secondary School | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - Sheng Kung Hui Tin Wan Chi Nam Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Sheung Kwai Chung Government Secondary School | - AEO |
| - Shue Yan School | - Teacher |
| - SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - SMKCF Ma Ko Pan Memorial College | - Teacher |
| - St Clare's Girls' Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - St. Francis of Assisi's English Primary School | - Teacher (CM) |
| - St. Joan of arc Secondary School | - Teacher |

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| - St. Joseph College (Caritas) | - Teacher |
| - St. Paul's College | - Graduate Mistress |
| - St. Paul's Convent School | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Stfa Yung Yau College | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Sung Kai No. 1 Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - T.W.G.Hs. Leo Tung-hai Lee Primary School | - Certificate Mistress |
| - Tai Oi Secondary School | - Certified Master |
| - Tghslokontiny School | - Teacher |
| - The Chinese Poundation Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - The Chinese University of Hong Kong | - Research Assistant |
| - The Hong Kong Federation of Youth Groups Lee Shau Kee Primary School | - Teacher |
| - The Jockey Club Eduyoung College | - Teacher |
| - The Mission Covenant Church Holm Glad College | - Teacher |
| - Times College | - Teacher |
| - Times College (Kowloon Tong) | - Permitted Teacher |
| - Tin Ka Ping Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Tin Shui Wai Government School | - Assistant Education Officer |
| - Tin Shui Wai Tsui Siu Tong Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Toi Shan Association College | - Certificate Master |
| - Tuen Mun Government Secondary School | - Supply Teacher |
| - Tung Chung Catholic School | - Certificated Mistress |
| - Tung Chung Catholic School | - Teacher |
| - Tung Wa Group of Hospital Yau Tse Tin Memorial School | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Tung Wah Group of Hospital Lee Yen Tin Memorial Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - TWGHs Kwok Yat Wai College | - Graduate Master |
| - TWGHs Li Ka Shing College | - Graduate Master |
| - TWGHs Lui Yun Choy Memorial College | - Graduate Master |
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| - TWGHs Lui Yun Choy Memorial College | - Graduate Master |
| - Vicwood K.T. Chong Primary School | - Teacher |
| - Wa Ying College | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Wong Chung Ming Secondary School | - Teacher |
| - Wong Shiu Chi Secondary School | - GM Teacher |
| - Wong Wan Tin College | - GM Teacher |
| - Y. C. H. Lim Por Yen Secondary School | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Yan Chai Hospital Law Chan Chor Si College | - Teacher |
| - Yan Chai Hospital Wang Wha San Secondary School | - Certificate Master |
| - YLPMSAA Tang Siu Tong Secondary School | - Graduate Mistress |
| - Young Ko Hsiao Lin Secondary School | - Graduate Master |
| - Yuen Long Lutheran Secondary School | - Teacher |
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| Community, Social and Personal Services - | |
| - Excel Education Centre | - Teacher |
| - King's Education | - Teacher |
| - NTK Learning Centre Limited | - Educational Cconsulttant |
| Commerce and Industry - | |
| - ATICO International (HK) Ltd | - Assistant Merchandiser |
| - MVA Hong Kong Ltd | - Occupation's name not reported |
| - Oxford University Press (China) Ltd | - Assistant Editor |
| - Synapse Elid Ltd. | - System Engineer |
| - Organization's name not reported | - Assistant Engineer |
| Others - | |
| - Organization's name not reported | - Primary School Teacher |
| - Organization's name not reported | - Teacher |
| - Organization's name not reported | - Teacher |

Note: Some of the 2001 graduates indicated willingness to talk to individual students about their work. Contact numbers can be obtained from counsellors at the CePc.

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