

## Where did the 2005 Bachelor of Social Sciences(Government and Laws) graduates go?

### I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2005 to answer following questions about Bachelor of Social Sciences(Government and Laws) 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 2005

Of the 29 graduates from this programme, 28 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

	BSocSc(Govt&Laws)				HKU Overall*			
	2005		2004		2005		2004	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>No. of respondents</b>	28	100%	24	100%	2273	100%	2361	100%
<b>Employed</b>	2	7.1%	3	13%	1786	79%	1787	76%
<b>Unemployed seeking F/T job</b>	0	0%	0	0%	12	0.5%	15	0.6%
<b>Further Studies</b>	26	93%	21	88%	457	20%	531	22%
<b>Emigrated/Returned to home country</b>	0	0%	0	0%	2	0.1%	7	0.3%
<b>Not seeking F/T job</b>	0	0%	0	0%	16	0.7%	21	0.9%

\* 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. Further Studies

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

Field of Study	Academic Programme			
	Master (Coursework)	Postgraduate Certificate	Bachelor's Degree	Others
Law	-	-	23	-
Social Sciences	1	1	-	-
Urban Planning/Studies	-	-	-	1

Source of Funds	No. of Graduates
Full Scholarship	1
Own Funds	20
Government Grant + Loan	4
Scholarship + Own Funds	1

No Response = 2

### IV. Time Taken to Secure Employment

### V. Employment Sectors

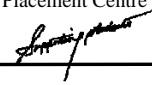
### VI. Basic Salary and Gross Income

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

### VIII. Names of Employers and Job Titles

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

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- IX.** Similar information on graduates from other disciplines is available for reference in the Careers Library.  
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