

## Where did the 2006 MUrbanDesign graduates go?

### I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2006 to answer the following questions about MUrbanDesign 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 2006

Of the 13 graduates from this programme, 9 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

	MUrbanDesign		HKU Overall*	
	2006		2006	
	No.	%	No.	%
<b>No. of respondents</b>	9	100%	754	100%
<b>Employed</b>	9	100%	681	90%
<b>Unemployed seeking F/T job</b>	0	0.0%	9	1.2%
<b>Further Studies</b>	0	0.0%	46	6.1%
<b>Emigrated/Returned to home country</b>	0	0.0%	6	0.8%
<b>Not seeking F/T job</b>	0	0.0%	12	1.6%

\* 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	
	2006	
May or before	14%	
June	14%	
July	57%	
August	71%	
September	71%	
October	86%	
November	86%	
December	100%	
January	100%	
February	100%	

No Response = 2

### IV Employment Sectors

The majority of MUrbanDesign graduates were employed in Commerce & Industry, while others were employed in Educational Institutions.

Sector	% of graduates	
	2006	
Commerce & Industry	88%	
Educational Institutions	13%	

No Response = 1

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### V Basic Salary and Gross Income

The remuneration received by MUrbanDesign graduates is shown below.

	Basic Salary		Gross Income	
	MUrbanDesign	HKU Average*	MUrbanDesign	HKU Average*
	2006	2006	2006	2006
<b>Mean</b>	\$19,200	\$19,020	\$19,200	\$19,238
<b>Median</b>	\$15,000	\$18,000	\$15,000	\$18,000
<b>Minimum</b>	\$11,000	\$8,000	\$11,000	\$8,400
<b>Maximum</b>	\$30,000	\$60,000	\$30,000	\$67,500

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

### VI Number of Full-Time Job Offers

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

No. of job offers received	No. of graduates (% of graduates)
One	1 (17%)
Two	2 (33%)
Three	2 (33%)
Four	1 (17%)

No Response = 3

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### VII Names of Employers and Job Titles

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

<u>Employers</u>	<u>Job Titles</u>
<b>Educational Institutions -</b>	
- Nepal Engineering College, Pokhara University	- Lecturer
<b>Commerce and Industry -</b>	
- Aedas Limited	- Architectural Assistant
- Belt Collins International Ltd	- Assistant Planner
- Belt Collins International Ltd	- Assistant Planner and Administration
- Belt Collins International Ltd	- Landscape Designer
- Belt Collins International Ltd	- Project Administrator
- Index Architecture Limited	- Senior Architectural Designer
- Nan Fung Group	- Project Officer

No Response = 1

Note: Some of the 2006 graduates indicated willingness to talk to individual students about their work. Contact numbers can be obtained from counsellors at the 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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