

Where did the 2007 Doctor of Philosophy (Faculty of Education) graduates go?

I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2007 to answer the following questions about Doctor of Philosophy (Faculty of Education) 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 2007

Of the 11 graduates from this programme, 6 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

	PhD (Faculty of Education)		HKU Overall*	
	2007		2007	
	No.	%	No.	%
No. of respondents	6	100%	315	100%
Employed	4	67%	262	83%
Unemployed seeking F/T job	0	0.0%	1	0.3%
Further Studies	0	0.0%	35	11%
Emigrated/Returned to home country	1	17%	8	2.5%
Not seeking F/T job	1	17%	9	2.9%

* HKU Overall refers to the figure for the HKU Research Postgraduate Programme graduates.

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- III Time Taken to Secure Employment**
- IV Employment Sectors**
- V Basic Salary and Gross Income**
- VI Number of Full-Time Job Offers**
- VII 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).

Note: Some of the 2007 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.
Please contact CEDARS for further details.

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