

Job Placement Rates for Graduates

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GRADUATE JOB PLACEMENT DATA

	2015-16 Grads		2016-17 Grads		2017-18 Grads	
	#	%	#	%	#	%
BACHELOR OF THEOLOGY	6		8		5	
Graduate School	2	33%	5	63%	1	20%
Church Ministry	2	33%	3	38%	3	60%
Para-Church Ministry	3	50%			1	20%
Secular Position/Bi-vocational Ministry	--		3	38%	--	
Total number of responding students known to be placed	6	100%	8	100%	5	100%
<i>Did not respond to request/unknown</i>	0		0		1	20%
BACHELOR OF ARTS (RESIDENTIAL CAMPUS)	91		93		71	
Church Ministry: Full-Time	36	39%	46	50%	27	38%
Church Ministry: Part-Time	2	2%	2	2%	2	3%
Para-Church Ministry: Full-Time	18	20%	10	11%	16	23%
Para-Church Ministry: Part-Time	--		1	1%	1	1%
Secular/Bi-vocational ministry: Full-Time	20	22%	16	17%	16	22%
Secular/Bi-vocational ministry: Part-Time	--		3	3%	--	
Additional Bachelor's Degree	2	2%	5	5%	--	
Graduate School	3	33%	13	14%	4	6%
Not employed	--			--	--	
Not seeking employment	--	0%	2	2%	--	0%
Total number of responding students known to be placed	80	100%	85	98%	64	100%
<i>Did not respond to request/unknown</i>	11	12%	6	6%	7	10%
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN BIBLICAL STUDIES (ONLINE CAMPUS)	5		5		8	
Church Ministry: Full-Time	3	60%	2	40%	3	38%
Para-Church Ministry: Full-Time	--		2	40%	2	25%
Secular/Bi-Vocational ministry: Full-Time	1	20%	1	20%	3	38%
Graduate School	2	40%	1	20%	--	
Total number of responding students known to be placed	5	100%	5	100%	8	100%
<i>Did not respond to request/unknown</i>						
BACHELOR OF BIBLE AND INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES (DUAL DEGREE)	3		8		8	
Church Ministry: Full-Time	1	33%	--		--	
Para-Church Ministry: Full-Time	1	33%	1	13%	2	25%
Secular/Bi-vocational ministry: Full-Time	1	33%	5	62%	4	50%
Additional Bachelor's Degree	--		1	13%	--	
Graduate School	--		--		1	13%
Total number of responding students known to be placed	3	100%	7	100%	6	100%
<i>Did not respond to request/unknown</i>			1	13%	2	25%

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREES	38		33		16	
Church Ministry: Full-Time	3	8%	2	6%	2	13%
Para-Church Ministry: Full-Time	2	5%	2	6%	2	13%
Para-Church Ministry: Part-Time					1	6%
Secular/Bi-vocational ministry: Full-Time	9	24%	7	21%	2	13%
Secular/Bi-vocational ministry: Part-Time	3	8%				
Not employed						
Still seeking employment						
Not seeking employment			2	6%		
Graduate School	2	5%				
Completing Bachelor's Degree	13	34%	11	33%	1	6%
Total number of students responding known to be placed	31	100%	22	100%	7	100%
<i>Did not respond to request/Unknown</i>	7	18%	11	33%	9	56%

Data is collected at graduation, 6 months (2016-17, May 2018 grads), and 18 months (2015-16 grads) via student report.

Results of Graduating Student Survey regarding job placement upon completion of degree:

GRADUATES	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
<i>What will be your status upon completing this degree from Ozark? (Select all that apply)</i>					
Employed full-time	26.47%	37.09%	41.38%	29.34%	28.71%
Employed part-time	21.57%	17.22%	33.62%	20.36%	17.82%
Postgraduate internship	3.92%	7.95%	6.90%	7.19%	3.96%
Still seeking employment	22.55%	16.56%	37.93%	31.14%	27.72%
Not seeking employment	5.88%	1.32%	0.86%	1.80%	0.99%
Additional Education	19.61%	19.87%	26.59%	17.37%	20.79%
<i>What type of ministry/Christian service will you have upon the completion of your degree?</i>					
Vocational – Paid	57.84%	46.98%	48.59%	60.90%	52.2%
Volunteer – Unpaid	38.24%	48.99%	43.67%	36.84%	44.32%
None	3.92%	4.03%	7.74%	2.26%	3.41%

2018-19 Graduates	Residential Bachelor Degrees	Online Bachelor Degree	Bi-Vocational Bachelor (Dual) Degree	Associate of Arts Degrees
<i>What will be your status upon completing this degree from Ozark? (Select all that apply)</i>				
Employed full-time	29.17%	75.00%	45.45%	0.00%
Employed part-time	18.06%	0.00%	9.09%	28.57%
Postgraduate internship	5.56%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Still seeking employment	29.17%	25.00%	27.27%	21.43%
Not seeking employment	1.39%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Additional Education	16.67%	0.00%	18.18%	50.00%
<i>If selected full or part-time employment and this is a permanent position/career path for you after graduation, is this position related to the degree you have earned?</i>				
Yes	60.61%	66.67%	66.67%	0
No	39.39%	33.33%	33.33%	100%

2018-19 Graduates	Residential Bachelor Degrees	Online Bachelor Degree	Bi-Vocational Bachelor (Dual) Degree	Associate of Arts Degrees
<i>What type of ministry/Christian service will you have upon the completion of your degree?</i>				
Vocational – Paid	60.94%	50.00%	44.44%	9.09%
Volunteer or Internship – Unpaid	35.94%	50.00%	44.44%	90.91%
None	3.13%	0.00%	11.11%	0.00%
<i>What type of vocational ministry? (select category closest to your future ministry)</i>				
Children’s Ministry	2.56%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Student/Youth Ministry	41.03%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%
College Age/Next Gen/Campus Ministry	2.56%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Preaching	2.56%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Missions/Intercultural ministry	0%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Music/Worship	10.26%	0.00%	0.00%	100%
Worship Production	2.56%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Administration/Business	2.56%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Community/Biblical Justice	7.69%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Counseling	10.26%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Discipleship/Small Group/Christian Formation	5.13%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Other	12.82%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%
<i>What type of volunteer ministry? (select category closest to your future ministry)</i>				
Children’s Ministry	0%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%
Student/Youth Ministry	31.82%	100.00%	33.33%	20.00%
College Age/Campus Ministry	13.64%	0.00%	0.00%	10.00%
Preaching	0%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Missions/Intercultural ministry	9.09%	0.00%	0.00%	10.00%
Music/Worship	0%	0.00%	0.00%	10.00%
Worship Production	0%	0.00%	33.33%	0.00%
Administration/Business	0%	0.00%	0.00%	10.00%
Community/Biblical Justice	9.09%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Counseling	13.64%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Discipleship/Small Group/Christian Formation	9.09%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Other	13.64%	0.00%	33.33%	20.00%
<i>If you are serving in a volunteer (unpaid) ministry, will your spouse be in a paid vocational ministry position?</i>				
Yes	18.18%	0.00%	28.57%	0.00%
No	31.82%	50.00%	14.29%	20.00%
Not applicable (no spouse)	50.00%	50.00%	57.14%	80.00%