

Institutional Research Newsletter

Dickinson College



Internships

Graduating seniors reported participating in internships at the following sites during their undergraduate careers:

- 20th Century Fox
- Berenberg Bank
- Condé Nast
- Department of Homeland Security
- National Institute of Health
- Naval History and Heritage Command
- New Jersey Superior Court
- Penguin U.S.A.
- Sotheby's Inc.
- The American Museum of Natural History
- The William J. Clinton Foundation
- U.S. House Energy and Commerce Committee
- Women Action and the Media

Retention

80% of the students who entered Dickinson as freshmen in the Fall of 2009 graduated within four years (466 out of 581).

Top 10 Majors

1. intl. business & mgmt.
2. biology
3. political science
4. psychology
5. economics
6. English
7. international studies
8. history
9. American studies
10. art & art history
10. Spanish (tie)

Graduating Seniors Report Class of 2013

- The Class of 2013 is composed of 526 graduates
- 33% of the Class of 2013 graduated with Latin Honors (n=174): 4% *summa cum laude*, 11% *magna cum laude*, and 19% *cum laude*
- 38 students (7% of the class) graduated with departmental honors (honors theses)
- 79% of graduates were awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree (n=414); 21% were awarded a Bachelor of Science degree (n=112)
- 58% of the Class of 2013 are women (n=307) and 42% are men (n=219)
- 12% of the graduating class are students of color (n=63) (excluding international students) There are 17 African Americans, 14 Asian Americans, 27 Hispanic Americans, 4 multi-ethnic, and 1 Native Hawaiian
- Members of the Class of 2013 reside in 31 states and the District of Columbia. 21% are from in-state. After Pennsylvania, most come from New Jersey (13%), New York (11%), and Maryland (10%)
- 36 graduates are citizens from 21 foreign countries
- 13 graduating seniors are direct legacies (whose parents are alums). Another 53 are related to other Dickinson graduates such as siblings, aunts, uncles, grandparents, etc.

Majors and Minors

- 82% (n=431) of graduating seniors graduated with one major; 17% were double majors (n=92)
- 6% of graduating seniors majored in the Arts (n=34)
- 21% of graduating seniors majored in the sciences (n=112)
- 46% of graduating seniors majored in an "interdisciplinary" field (n=244)
- 28% of graduating seniors majored in an "international" area (n=146)
- 31% of the class graduated with a declared minor (n=164). The most popular minors were: economics, Spanish, creative writing, French, art & art history, political science, mathematics, anthropology, English, education, history, and religion

The information reported in this newsletter came from the Graduating Seniors Report read at the May 17, 2013 faculty meeting. This information is not confidential and may be shared publicly. Additional results will follow from the College Senior Survey.

Graduates Studied in 25 Countries:

Argentina	India
Australia	Israel
Bolivia	Italy
Brazil	Japan
Cameroon	Kenya
Chile	Korea
China	Russia
Costa Rica	South Africa
Denmark	Spain
France	Tanzania
Germany	Turks and Caicos
Greece	United Kingdom
Iceland	

Engaging the World

- 60% of this graduating class studied off campus at some point during their undergraduate years (n=313)
- 56% of this graduating class studied abroad during their undergraduate years, either in a January globally-integrated program, a summer, semester, or full year program (n=293)
- 35% of men (76/219) and 71% of women (217/307) studied abroad
- 51% of students of color (32/63) studied abroad
- 51% of science majors studied abroad (55/108)
- 20 students participated in off campus study programs in the United States, such as the Washington Center Internship Program
- 3 graduating seniors have been awarded Fulbrights this year; 2 informed the college they have accepted positions as teachers with Teach for America, and 3 received their commission into the US Army as 2nd Lieutenants through our ROTC program
- One senior has won a Rotary International Global Grant, which supports large international activities with sustainable, measurable outcomes.
- Another senior is one of 30 young scholars to receive the Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans.
- One senior has accepted a year-long position with City Year Miami, which is a member of the AmeriCorps national service network that works with students who are struggling academically, provides support during and after school, and engages in community and school improvements.