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# BACCALAUREATE FOLLOW-UP STUDY: A COMPARISON OF THE CLASSES OF 2015 AND 2014

## HIGHLIGHTS

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Introduction



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Do graduates get jobs?

Do graduates pursue further education?

Do graduates work while pursuing additional education?

What are the starting salaries of graduates?

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Table 2. Comparison of Salary Outcomes for the Classes of 2014 and 2015

Type of Graduate	Class of 2014 Median	Class of 2015 Median	Median Difference in \$ (2015 - 2014)
All Graduates	\$36,300	\$39,100	\$2,800
Black/African American Graduates	\$33,200	\$35,600	\$2,400
Difference from All Graduates	(\$3,100)	(\$3,500)	(\$400)
Hispanic	\$36,900	\$39,000	\$2,100
Difference from All Graduates	\$600	(\$100)	(\$700)
White	\$36,800	\$40,100	\$3,300
Difference from All Graduates	\$500	\$1,000	\$500
Male	\$39,100	\$42,500	\$3,400
Female	\$34,700	\$37,000	\$2,300
Difference (Female - Male)	(\$4,400)	(\$5,500)	(\$1,100)

Sources: Board of Governors staff analysis of data from the Florida Education & Training Placement Information Program and the State University Data System. Class of 2014 N=32,163. Class of 2015 N=34,798.

Notes: Class of 2014 includes graduates whose degrees were granted in the Summer and Fall terms of 2013 and the Spring of 2014. Class of 2015 includes graduates whose degrees were granted in the Summer and Fall terms of 2014 and the Spring of 2015. Wages reflect annualized quarterly wages reported in the 4th quarter after the degree was granted. Full-time employment status was based on employment status during the fourth quarter following graduation. Includes degree recipients who were only working full-time and those who worked full-time while enrolled in additional education.

## Conclusion

