



Graduate & Professional Education Placement for Graduates

The Higher Education Opportunity Act (HEOA) requires institutions to disclose the percentage of recent bachelor's degree recipients who pursued further education at the graduate or professional level. These views are derived from matching the 2014-15 through 2016-17 bachelor's degree graduates with internal data sources and with the use of the National Student Clearinghouse Student Tracker Service (NSCSTS). These graduates were tracked through the spring of 2016 to identify advanced degree placement.

The data below reference the bachelor's degree recipients who enrolled in, or received additional credentials from graduate or professional programs beyond their bachelor's degree. The "Areas of Graduate/Professional Study" depict the broad disciplines of these educational pursuits, but this information is only available for students pursuing graduate study at a campus in the IU system. Disciplines with less than 10 instances and records where a credential or enrollment could not be defined are grouped as 'Unknown.'

IU South Bend

<u>Bachelor's Degree Recipients</u>	2,349
in graduate or professional programs	393
percent pursuing further education	17%

<u>Areas of Graduate/Professional Study</u>	<u>Count</u>	<u>% of Total</u>
Public Administration & Social Services	82	21%
Health Professions & Related Programs	73	19%
Unknown	73	19%
Education	58	15%
Business, Management, and Marketing	40	10%
Liberal Arts and Sciences, General Studies	32	8%
Multi/Interdisciplinary Studies	14	4%
Legal Professions and Studies	11	3%
Visual and Performing Arts	10	3%
Total	393	100%