

Post-Graduation Report
Career Services at Virginia Tech
Median salaries of employed Virginia Tech grads
 First job after undergraduate degree

	Graduates of academic year:													
	2009-2010		2008-2009		2007-2008		2006-2007		2005-2006		2004-2005		2003-2004	
	N (%) *	Median	N	Median	N	Median	N	Median	N	Median	N	Median	N	Median
Total University	1192 (75%)	\$47,000	1303	\$47,000	1613	\$48,000	1635	\$45,000	1195	\$45,000	1187	\$41,000	1039	\$39,000
Agriculture and Life Sciences	74 (64%)	\$30,500	96	\$32,000	92	\$34,500	82	\$32,000	65	\$32,000	54	\$30,580	40	\$30,000
Architecture and Urban Studies	73 (75%)	\$42,500	70	\$42,750	134	\$42,500	119	\$40,000	88	\$38,000	89	\$35,000	71	\$32,000
Business, Pamplin	350 (79%)	\$44,750	350	\$46,000	393	\$49,000	425	\$45,000	320	\$45,000	369	\$41,000	323	\$39,325
Engineering	414 (85%)	\$58,500	436	\$58,000	580	\$56,632	555	\$53,373	459	\$52,000	386	\$50,000	357	\$48,000
Liberal Arts and Human Sciences	151 (59%)	\$34,000	218	\$36,000	249	\$36,000	263	\$35,175	155	\$35,000	171	\$33,000	162	\$30,000
Natural Resources & Environment	21 (67%)	\$34,000	34	\$31,500	40	\$40,000	38	\$30,500	23	\$30,000	31	\$31,000	20	\$27,662
Science	109 (67%)	\$38,000	99	\$38,117	125	\$35,000	153	\$35,000	85	\$35,000	87	\$31,000	66	\$31,000

* **Not all employed grads report salary.** Percentage of employed who did report salary is listed for 09-10 parenthetically after N reporting (75% for total univ.) 15% to 41% (variance by college) of 09-10 employed respondents who reported being employed did not report their salaries.

Source: Post-Graduation Report by Career Services © www.career.vt.edu. Full report online.

- We survey each graduating class of bachelor's and associate's degree graduates.
- We ask post-graduation plans/status: employed, continuing education, etc.
- The survey closes six months after commencement.
- For employed grads, we ask salary, job title, and employer. (Not all provide this information.)
- Median is the mid-point salary; half the salaries are lower, half the salaries are higher.
Per professional advice, we do not report average/mean because it can be skewed by outliers.
- Full report online displays 25th and 75th percentiles for university, colleges, and majors with sufficient response N.
- **To see salaries by major (w/ sufficient response N):** <http://www.career.vt.edu/PostGraduationReport/> See **DETAIL** reports > salaries