



### Third Year Alumni Feedback 2014 2015 Grads

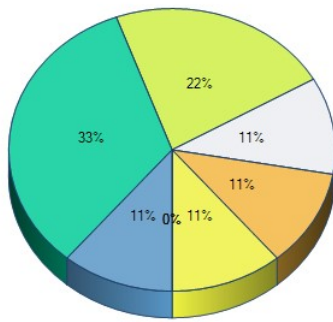
Survey Title: Third-Year Alumni Feedback

#### Responses By Question Analysis:

1. We would like to know about your short-term plans. Please mark each of the following as they relate to you currently:

	Yes	No	Not Applicable	Response Total	Points	Avg
I am currently employed or have a job offer in a field closely related to my degree	88.89% (8)0% (0)	11.11% (1)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	9	0	0
I am currently employed or have a job offer in a field that is not related to my degree	10% (1)0% (0)	80% (8)0% (0)	10% (1)0% (0)	10	0	0
I am searching for employment in a field closely related to my degree	22.22% (2)0% (0)	55.56% (5)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	9	0	0
I am searching for employment in a field not closely related to my degree	11.11% (1)0% (0)	77.78% (7)0% (0)	11.11% (1)0% (0)	9	0	0
I have been accepted into a graduate program to continue my education at Fitchburg State University	0% (0)0% (0)	70% (7)0% (0)	30% (3)0% (0)	10	0	0
I have been accepted into a graduate or doctoral program to continue my education at another institution	33.33% (3)0% (0)	44.44% (4)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	9	0	0
I am not planning to continue my education at this time	33.33% (3)0% (0)	66.67% (6)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	9	0	0
I am a member of the Armed Forces	0% (0)0% (0)	88.89% (8)0% (0)	11.11% (1)0% (0)	9	0	0
<b>Total Respondents</b>				<b>9</b>		

2. How long did it take you to find your first position after graduating?



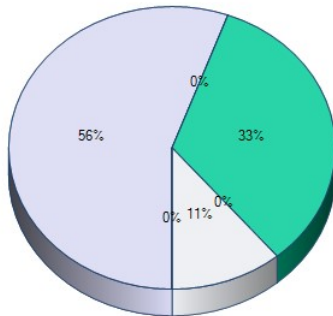
	Response Total	Response Percent
Have not found a position yet	0	0%
Held the position while I completed my degree	1	11%
Secured my position prior to graduation	3	33%
Less than 30 days after graduation	2	22%
1 - 3 months after graduation	1	11%
4-6 months after graduation	1	11%
7 or more months after graduation	1	11%
Did not pursue employment	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

**3.** How many times have you changed employers or been promoted since graduation three years ago?

1. 4
2. 3
3. It took over a year to get a job (not even in my field - but it's at least in a lab) and have been there ever since (almost 2 years)
4. Once
5. I changed from full time to per dime at the same institution in order to pursue graduate studies at Georgetown University.
6. 1
7. Same position
8. Following graduation, I was employed by three employers and was with them until I attended graduate school in Fall 2016.
9. I started nursing at baystate in Springfield and stayed for 1.5 years and found a new job through Yale doing outpatient oncology nursing.

**Total Respondents 9**

**4.** Are you satisfied with the course of your career thus far?



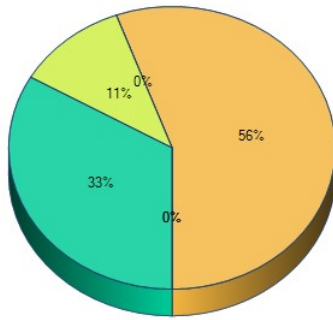
	Response Total	Response Percent
Very Satisfied	5	56%
Satisfied	0	0%
Neutral	3	33%
Dissatisfied	0	0%
Very Dissatisfied	1	11%
Not Working at This Time	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

**5.** Where are you currently employed and what is your job title?

1. AmeriCorps VISTA as a Data Analyst
2. Athena Diagnostics Medical technician 1
3. Peptide scientist at a BioChemical Lab
4. Lexington Public Schools- High School Math and Academic Support Teacher
5. Southcoast Health, staff RN.
6. Staff nurse McLean Hospital
7. Mercy Medical Center Springfield, MA Labor and Delivery Nurse
8. UConn Health, Farmington CT and I am a graduate assistant.
9. Smilow cancer center at Saint Francis hospital in Hartford ct, I am a Yale new haven employee.

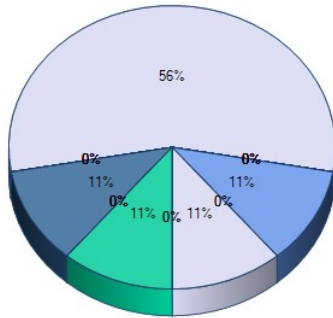
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**6.** In what sector are you employed?



	Response Total	Response Percent
Not employed	0	0%
Self-employed	0	0%
For-profit corporation/company	3	33%
Government or other public institution or agency	1	11%
Military	0	0%
Non-profit organization, institution or NGO	5	56%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

7. Please select the industry that best describes your employer.



	Response Total	Response Percent
N/A - Not working	0	0%
Agriculture	0	0%
Biotech/Pharmaceutical	1	11%
Business Services	0	0%
Communications/Marketing/PR	0	0%
Computer Science/Technology	0	0%
Education: Higher Education	0	0%
Education: PreK - High School	1	11%
Engineering	0	0%
Environment	0	0%
Financial Services	0	0%
Fine/Performing Arts	0	0%
Food Service	0	0%
Healthcare	5	56%
Hospitality/Tourism/Travel	0	0%
Information Technology	0	0%
Law/Legal Services	0	0%
Manufacturing	0	0%
Media/Journalism/Publishing	0	0%
Medicine	0	0%
Military/Defense	0	0%
Politics/Public Policy/Advocacy	0	0%
Retail	0	0%
Social Services	1	11%
Sports/Fitness	0	0%
Technology	0	0%
Other, please specify	1	11%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

Biomedical Research

8. We are always interested in our Alumni's continued interest in their personal and professional development. Which, if any, professional organizations have you joined since completing your program of study?

- AmeriCorps VISTA

- 2. I was a dishwasher/cook/farmer with the same company and still do sidework for them. I worked with mass Audubon for 7 months, and I am currently with Athena diagnostics.
- 3. None
- 4. ANA, NPWH, ACNM.
- 5. 0
- 6. N/a
- 7. AAAS  
Auditory Group
- 8. N/a

**Total Respondents 8**

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**9.** We believe that Fitchburg State Alumni are always expanding their body of knowledge and would like to know what types of professional development activities you have engaged in since completion of your program of study? (i.e. attended conferences or workshops, given presentation at conference or workshops, conducting scholarly research, licensures or certifications completed, etc.)

- 1. Have taken online courses and applied for MIT's Edx MicroMasters program.
- 2. I have attended several non-profit presentations on the topic of environmental studies.
- 3. Attended education conferences and workshops
- 4. Attended NPWH annual premier conference.
- 5. Continuing ed for licensing
- 6. Neonatal resuscitation certification, electronic fetal monitoring certification, advanced cardiac life support certification  
I am heavily involved in research seminars for students interested in biomedical research. I have presented at a conference for the eastern auditory research society. I have also attended conferences around Connecticut concerning aging, stem cell research, and brain/cognitive sciences. I currently conduct scholarly research regarding the auditory system. I also participate in a program called Skype a Scientist, where I skype into classrooms around the world and teach them about what I do for a living, and how I got there.
- 7.
- 8. Many in services, certifications for my nursing job since graduation.

**Total Respondents 8**

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**10.** We like to know where our graduates are in the world. Please provide us with the city and state or country in which you currently reside.

- 1. Attleboro, MA
- 2. Ashby, MA
- 3. Shirley, MA
- 4. Waltham, MA
- 5. Recently moved from MA to Winston-Salem, NC.
- 6. Leominster, MA
- 7. Live in Easthampton MA
- 8. I currently reside in New Britain Connecticut.
- 9. Enfield CT

**Total Respondents 9**

**11.** Rate the quality of the following with respect to the degree you received three years ago:

	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Response Total	Points	Avg
Quality of faculty instruction	77.78% (7)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	9	0	0
Level of individual attention	77.78% (7)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	9	0	0
Quality of academic advisement	25% (2)0% (0)	62.5% (5)0% (0)	12.5% (1)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	8	0	0
Curriculum linked to job related skills and knowledge	33.33% (3)0% (0)	55.56% (5)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	11.11% (1)0% (0)	9	0	0
Preparation to meet the demands of my job	33.33% (3)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	33.33% (3)0% (0)	11.11% (1)0% (0)	9	0	0
Preparation to continue my education	55.56% (5)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	9	0	0
<b>Total Respondents</b>					<b>9</b>		

**12.** Please select your level of agreement with the following statements:

	Very High	High	Average	Low	Very Low	Response Total	Points	Avg
Overall satisfaction with my experience with Fitchburg State University	66.67% (6) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
<b>Total Respondents</b>						<b>9</b>		

**13.** Looking back at your academic career at Fitchburg State University, please select your level of agreement with the following:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Response Total	Points	Avg
The social and interpersonal skills you developed have impacted your life	44.44% (4) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	0% (0) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	9	0	0
You have benefitted from the personal connections you made	44.44% (4) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	9	0	0
You have benefitted from the social networks of which you were/are a part	30% (3) (0)	20% (2) (0)	30% (3) (0)	10% (1) (0)	10% (1) (0)	10	0	0
The benefits of attending were worth the financial cost	22.22% (2) (0)	55.56% (5) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
<b>Total Respondents</b>						<b>9</b>		

**14.** How well did Fitchburg State University prepare you in terms of the following skill sets:

	Very Well	Well	Neutral	Poorly	Very Poorly	Response Total	Points	Avg
Ability to think analytically and logically	33.33% (3) (0)	55.56% (5) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to acquire new skills and knowledge on your own	44.44% (4) (0)	55.56% (5) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to use the knowledge, ideas, or perspectives gained from your major field	33.33% (3) (0)	55.56% (5) (0)	0% (0) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to orally communicate well	55.56% (5) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to judge information/ideas/actions/conclusions based on sources/methods/reasoning	33.33% (3) (0)	66.67% (6) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to write effectively	44.44% (4) (0)	55.56% (5) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to use information technology in intellectual and/or professional pursuits	22.22% (2) (0)	66.67% (6) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to understand and appreciate cultural and ethnic differences between people	22.22% (2) (0)	44.44% (4) (0)	33.33% (3) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to understand international perspectives on economic, political, social, and cultural issues	22.22% (2) (0)	33.33% (3) (0)	44.44% (4) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to gain an understanding of or appreciation for the arts	33.33% (3) (0)	44.44% (4) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to understand and apply quantitative principles and methods	55.56% (5) (0)	44.44% (4) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Ability to understand scientific method	44.44% (4) (0)	55.56% (5) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
<b>Total Respondents</b>						<b>9</b>		

**15.** How well did Fitchburg State University prepare you for the following personal and professional situational skill sets:

	Very Well	Well	Neutral	Poorly	Very Poorly	Response Total	Points	Avg
Your ability to work as a member of a team or group	22.22% (2) (0)	77.78% (7) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Your ability to get along with people of diverse backgrounds and perspectives	22.22% (2) (0)	66.67% (6) (0)	11.11% (1) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0
Your ability to lead others effectively	33.33% (3) (0)	22.22% (2) (0)	44.44% (4) (0)	0% (0) (0)	0% (0) (0)	9	0	0

Your ability to evaluate and choose between alternative courses of action	20% (2)0% (0)	60% (6)0% (0)	20% (2)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	10	0	0
Your awareness of contemporary issues and their cause and consequences	22.22% (2)0% (0)	44.44% (4)0% (0)	22.22% (2)0% (0)	11.11% (1)0% (0)	0% (0)0% (0)	9	0	0
<b>Total Respondents</b>						<b>9</b>		

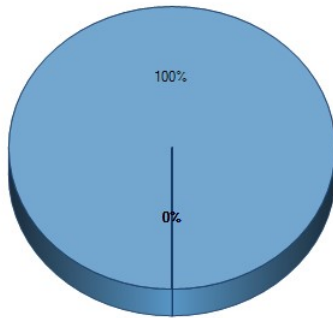
**16.** What did we not ask you about but you feel we should know?

1. Zero preparation for finding a career after college. Reached out to a professor I had for many courses (and had a professional relationship with) and was either not answered at all, or promises of meeting up we're made but not followed through
2. Nothing.
3. Nothing
4. I feel you should know that the nursing department fully prepared me for where I am today and I am forever thankful for that. I also feel the RA program and leadership programs on campus helped me with job interviews and really got me to where I am today. Overall I can't say enough great things about Fitchburg state and I am so happy with the person and RN I became today.

**Total Respondents 4**

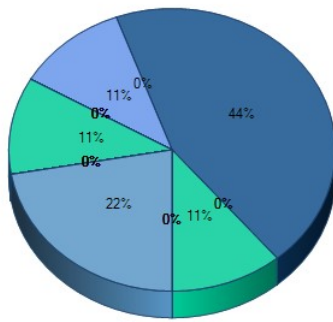
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**17.** Please select the Degree you completed at Fitchburg State University from the list below.



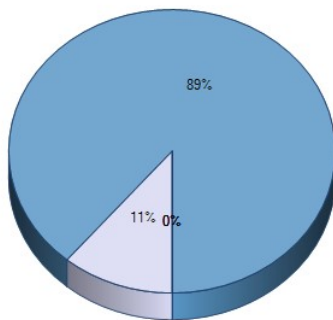
	Response Total	Response Percent
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor of Arts (BA)	0	0%
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bachelor of Science (BS)	9	100%
<input type="checkbox"/> Cerfitcage of Graduate Study (CAGS)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Arts (MA)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Busienns Administration (MBA)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Education (MEd)	0	0%
<input type="checkbox"/> Master of Science (MS)	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>		<b>9</b>

**18.** Please select the major field your studied for your degree:



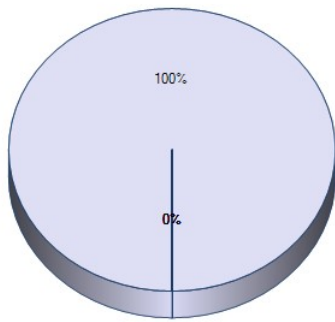
	Response Total	Response Percent
Arts (MA or MEd only)	0	0%
Biology	2	22%
Business Administration	0	0%
Chemistry	0	0%
Communication (MS only)	0	0%
Communications Media	0	0%
Computer Information Systems	0	0%
Computer Science	0	0%
Counseling (MS only)	0	0%
Criminal Justice	0	0%
Early Childhood Education	0	0%
Educational Leadership (CAGS only)	0	0%
Economics	0	0%
Elementary Education	0	0%
English Studies	0	0%
Environmental and Earth Science	1	11%
Game Design	0	0%
Geographic Science and Technology	0	0%
History	0	0%
Human Services	0	0%
Industrial Technology	0	0%
Interdisciplinary Studies	0	0%
LECOM Early Acceptance Programs	0	0%
Mathematics	1	11%
Middle School Education	0	0%
Nursing	4	44%
Occupational/Vocation Education	0	0%
Political Science	0	0%
Psychological Science	1	11%
Sociology	0	0%
Special Education	0	0%
Technology Education (Grades 5-12)	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

19. To which gender identity do you most identify?



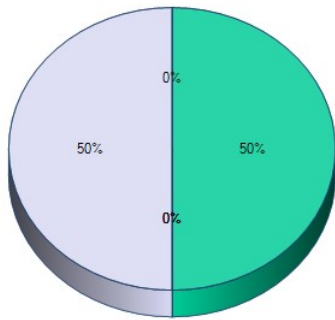
	Response Total	Response Percent
Male	1	11%
Female	8	89%
Transgender Male	0	0%
Transgender Female	0	0%
Do not identify as female, male or transgender	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

20. To which racial heritage do you predominantly identify?



	Response Total	Response Percent
White/Caucasian	9	100%
Asian	0	0%
Hispanic/Latino	0	0%
Black/African American	0	0%
American Indian	0	0%
Other	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>9</b>	

21. How many dependents do you have (not including yourself)?



	Response Total	Response Percent
1	1	50%
2	0	0%
3	1	50%
4	0	0%
5	0	0%
5+	0	0%
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>2</b>	
<b>(skipped this question)</b>	<b>7</b>	