Young Alumni share career pathways through survey

The College of Engineering's Young Alumni Advisory Board (YAAB) sent a survey to U.S.based young alumni who graduated between 2008 and 2018 asking about their internship and work experience gained during their degrees, their career experiences post-graduation and engagement with the College of Engineering. Alumni who graduated after 2018 were excluded from the survey because they recently received a similar survey from NC State University. Below is a snapshot of some of the respondents' survey results.



64% interned while

students at NC State.





35% were employed full-time by a company they interned with as students, currently or at one point in their careers.



66% of respondents who received their undergraduate degree from NC State have not attended graduate school.



Hybrid work and flex hours are most important in terms of where, when and how often they work.



55% of respondents live outside of North Carolina, with 18% of those who live outside of NC reporting California as their current location.



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- Overall, young alumni indicated good worklife balance and satisfaction in their jobs.
- 85% of respondents said they were somewhat satisfied or extremely satisfied in their current roles.
- 50% of respondents work 40-44 hours per week.



43% reported a starting base salary of \$50-69K. But their current base salaries are higher.



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