1-Year Out Alumni Survey

Northeastern conducts an Alumni Survey one-year post-graduation. The Alumni Survey includes questions on career preparation and employment experiences, advanced degrees, effectiveness of Northeastern instruction, and satisfaction with the University. Select Academic Year, Student Level and College below to filter report.

**FILTERS**

- **Academic Year**
  - 2020

- **Degree**
  - UG

- **College**
  - All Colleges

**NAVIGATION**

- General Questions
- Employment Part 1
- Employment Part 2
- Internships & Continuing Education
- Alumni Association

**Where are alumni completing the survey?**

(Based on Latitude and Longitude from IP address)

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1-Year Out Alumni Survey
Academic Year: 2020; Degree: UG; College: All Colleges

General Questions

What are you primarily doing after graduation?

- Employed full-time (30+ hours/week) 58 (37.2%)
- Continuing education (graduate, professional, or certificate program) 54 (34.6%)
- Seeking employment/internship 23 (14.7%)
- Employed part-time (less than 30 hours/week) 13 (8.3%)
- Not seeking employment/not continuing education at this time 4 (2.6%)
- Other 3 (1.9%)
- Participating in a volunteer program (e.g., Peace Corps, AmeriCorps) 1 (0.6%)

How likely are you to recommend NEIU to another student?

- Very likely 107 (68.6%)
- Somewhat likely 24 (15.4%)
- Neutral 9 (5.8%)
- Somewhat unlikely 7 (4.5%)
- No response 9 (5.8%)

Average rating, on a 5-point scale: 4.6

How satisfied are you with your experience at NEIU overall?

- Very satisfied 97 (62.2%)
- Slightly satisfied 34 (21.8%)
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied 8 (5.1%)
- Slightly dissatisfied 6 (3.8%)
- Not at all satisfied 2 (1.3%)
- No response 9 (5.8%)

Average rating, on a 5-point scale: 4.5

How satisfied are you with your experience as a student in your degree program?

- Very satisfied 97 (62.2%)
- Slightly satisfied 33 (21.2%)
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied 11 (7.1%)
- Slightly dissatisfied 4 (2.6%)
- Not at all satisfied 2 (1.3%)
- No response 9 (5.8%)

Average rating, on a 5-point scale: 4.5

Overall, how satisfied are you with the advising you received?

- Very satisfied 77 (49.4%)
- Slightly satisfied 33 (21.2%)
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied 12 (7.7%)
- Slightly dissatisfied 17 (10.9%)
- Not at all satisfied 7 (4.5%)
- No response 10 (6.4%)

Average rating, on a 5-point scale: 4.1

Indicate the activities in which you participated as a student

- Academic related clubs 44 (28.2%)
- Community based project 16 (10.3%)
- Internship 51 (32.7%)
- NEIU Alumni Association 9 (5.8%)
- On-campus employment 25 (16.0%)
- Research with faculty 35 (22.4%)
- Student Organization 41 (26.3%)
- Student philanthropy 1 (0.6%)
- Tutor or peer advisor 35 (22.4%)

Average rating, on a 5-point scale: 3.2

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#### Employment Questions

**Alumni who are primarily employed after graduation (headcount and percent of total respondents):**

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<td>37.2%</td>
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<td>Not seeking employment/not continuing education at this time</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>2.6%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Other</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>1.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Participating in a volunteer program (e.g., Peace Corps, AmeriCorps)</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>0.6%</td>
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#### Note: Headcounts & percentages below are Alumni who are primarily employed after graduation with further notation when needed

**Are you self-employed?**

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<tr>
<td>Yes, I am self-employed.</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4.2%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No, I am not self-employed.</td>
<td>67</td>
<td>94.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>1.4%</td>
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**How satisfied are you with your current job?**

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<tr>
<th>Satisfaction Level</th>
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<td>Very satisfied</td>
<td>21</td>
<td>29.6%</td>
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<td>Satisfied</td>
<td>22</td>
<td>31.0%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Somewhat satisfied</td>
<td>15</td>
<td>21.1%</td>
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<td>Somewhat unsatisfied</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>2.8%</td>
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<td>4</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>7.0%</td>
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*Average rating, on a 6-point scale: 4.7*

**In general, how well did your degree prepare you for your present job?**

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<th>Preparation Level</th>
<th>Headcount</th>
<th>Percent</th>
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<tr>
<td>Very well</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>19.7%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Well</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>38.0%</td>
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<td>Adequately</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>25.4%</td>
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<td>Inadequately</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>2.8%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Poorly</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>2.8%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Very poorly</td>
<td>2</td>
<td>2.8%</td>
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<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>8.5%</td>
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**Are you employed in the US?**

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<tr>
<th>Employment Status</th>
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<th>Percent</th>
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<tr>
<td>Employed in the US.</td>
<td>71</td>
<td>100.0%</td>
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**Nation of employer**

*(EMPLOYED OUTSIDE OF THE U.S. ONLY)*

**When did you secure your first job following receipt of your degree?**

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<td>Held the same job while enrolled</td>
<td>20</td>
<td>28.2%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Secured job after graduation</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>49.3%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Secured job by time of graduation</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>15.5%</td>
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<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>7.0%</td>
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**How many months after graduation did you secure employment?**

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<tr>
<td>Less than one month</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4.2%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Between one and three months</td>
<td>12</td>
<td>16.9%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Between three and six months</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>12.7%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Between six and nine months</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>11.3%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>More than nine months</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>4.2%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>36</td>
<td>50.7%</td>
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Academic Year: 2020; Degree: UG; College: All Colleges

### Employment Questions

#### Alumni who are primarily employed after graduation (headcount and percent of total respondents):

- Employed full-time (30+ hours/week)  
  - Headcount: 58  
  - Percent: 37.2%
- Continuing education (graduate, professional, or certificate program)  
  - Headcount: 54  
  - Percent: 34.6%
- Seeking employment/internship  
  - Headcount: 23  
  - Percent: 14.7%
- Employed part-time (less than 30 hours/week)  
  - Headcount: 13  
  - Percent: 8.3%
- Not seeking employment/not continuing education at this time  
  - Headcount: 4  
  - Percent: 2.6%
- Other  
  - Headcount: 3  
  - Percent: 1.9%
- Participating in a volunteer program (e.g., Peace Corps, AmeriCorps)  
  - Headcount: 1  
  - Percent: 0.6%

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#### How are you paid for this position?

- Annual salary (e.g., $45,000/year)  
  - Headcount: 20  
  - Percent: 28.2%
- Hourly wage (e.g., $15/hour)  
  - Headcount: 36  
  - Percent: 50.7%
- Other  
  - Headcount: 9  
  - Percent: 12.7%
- No response  
  - Headcount: 6  
  - Percent: 8.5%

#### Please select your annual salary range from the following:  
(PAID ANNUAL SALARY ONLY)

- $95,000 - $99,999  
  - Headcount: 1  
  - Percent: 5.0%
- $70,000 - $74,999  
  - Headcount: 2  
  - Percent: 10.0%
- $65,000 - $69,999  
  - Headcount: 2  
  - Percent: 10.0%
- $60,000 - $64,999  
  - Headcount: 2  
  - Percent: 10.0%
- $55,000 - $59,999  
  - Headcount: 2  
  - Percent: 10.0%
- $45,000 - $49,999  
  - Headcount: 3  
  - Percent: 15.0%
- $40,000 - $44,999  
  - Headcount: 3  
  - Percent: 15.0%
- $35,000 - $39,999  
  - Headcount: 3  
  - Percent: 15.0%
- $30,000 - $34,999  
  - Headcount: 2  
  - Percent: 10.0%

#### Please select your hourly wage from the following ranges:  
(PAID HOURLY SALARY ONLY)

- No response  
  - Headcount: 1  
  - Percent: 2.8%
- $10.00 - $14.99  
  - Headcount: 12  
  - Percent: 33.3%
- $15.00 - $19.99  
  - Headcount: 17  
  - Percent: 47.2%
- $20.00 - $24.99  
  - Headcount: 3  
  - Percent: 8.3%
- $25.00 - $29.99  
  - Headcount: 1  
  - Percent: 2.8%
- $30.00 - $34.99  
  - Headcount: 1  
  - Percent: 2.8%
- $35.00 or more  
  - Headcount: 1  
  - Percent: 2.8%

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Internships Questions

Number of internships while earning your undergraduate degree?

One
Two
Three or more
No response

Did you receive academic credit for your internship experience? Did your internship(s) relate to your full or part-time employment outcome?

Yes
No
No response

Was ANY internship paid or unpaid? IF PAID, what was your internship's wage?

Paid
Unpaid
No response
Less than $10.00
$10.00 - $14.99
$15.00 - $19.99
$20.00 - $24.99
$30.00 - $34.99
$40.00 or more
Stipend
No response

Continuing Education Questions

Alumni who are continuing education after graduation (headcount and percent of total respondents):

Employed full-time (30+ hours/week)
Continuing education (graduate, professional, or certificate program)
Seeking employment/internship
Employed part-time (less than 30 hours/week)
Not seeking employment/not continuing education at this time
Other
Participating in a volunteer program (e.g., Peace Corps, AmeriCorps)

What graduate/professional degree or certification are you pursuing? How well did your NEIU degree prepare you for your additional degree program?

Master's degree
Ph.D./Ed.D.
Other/professional degree
No response

Average rating, on a 4-point scale 3.4

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Alumni Association Questions

### Are you currently an enhanced member of the NEIU Alumni Association?

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<tr>
<td>Yes</td>
<td>33</td>
<td>21.2%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>No</td>
<td>113</td>
<td>72.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>10</td>
<td>6.4%</td>
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### How do you rate the NEIU Alumni Association benefits and discounts?

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<tr>
<td>Extremely good</td>
<td>46</td>
<td>85.2%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Moderately good</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>7.4%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Neither good nor bad</td>
<td>1</td>
<td>1.9%</td>
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<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>3</td>
<td>5.6%</td>
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Average rating, on a 7-point scale 5.8

### Would you consider becoming an enhanced Alumni Association member?

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<td>Yes</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>20.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maybe</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>42.6%</td>
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<td>No</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>20.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>No response</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>16.7%</td>
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### Which type of events would bring you back to visit NEIU?

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<tr>
<td>Cultural programs</td>
<td>62</td>
<td>39.7%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Theater/Music/Dance</td>
<td>58</td>
<td>37.2%</td>
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<td>Professional development workshops</td>
<td>70</td>
<td>44.9%</td>
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<td>Alumni networking</td>
<td>56</td>
<td>35.9%</td>
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<td>Alumni affinity groups</td>
<td>12</td>
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<td>NEIU weekend</td>
<td>42</td>
<td>26.9%</td>
</tr>
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<td>Golden Gala</td>
<td>27</td>
<td>17.3%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chuck Kane Golf Outing</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>2.6%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Social events around the city</td>
<td>71</td>
<td>45.5%</td>
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### How would you like to get involved with NEIU?

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<th>Activity</th>
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<td>Mentor students</td>
<td>65</td>
<td>41.7%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Speak to NEIU students about career</td>
<td>56</td>
<td>35.3%</td>
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<td>Establish a scholarship</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>11.5%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fundraise</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>12.2%</td>
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<td>Participate in advocacy</td>
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<td>20.5%</td>
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<td>Recruit students</td>
<td>37</td>
<td>23.7%</td>
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<td>Provide internships</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>5.8%</td>
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