

COLLEGE OF HOTEL ADMINISTRATION SUMMARY: UNLV CAREER OUTCOMES 2008 - 2009

Summary of the Career Outcomes Survey conducted by Career Services within two months after graduation

Top 5 Majors of Respondents

1. Hospitality Management
2. Hotel Administration (Masters & PhD)
3. Meetings & Events Mgmt
4. Hospitality Administration (Masters)
5. Gaming Management

Total Respondents from College of Hotel Administration = 234

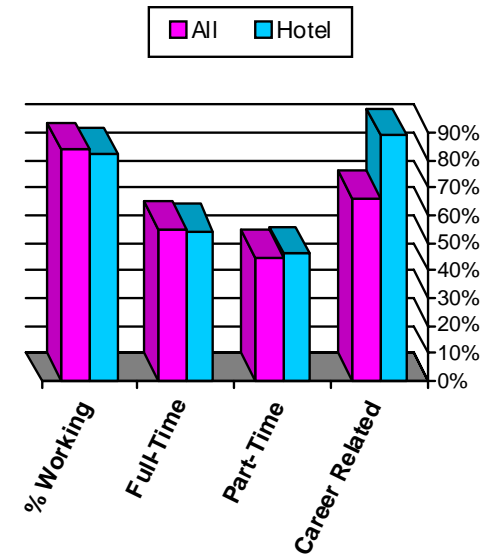
Undergraduates: 224/234 = **96%**
 Graduates: 10/234 = **4%**

 F1 Visas: **48/234 (21%)** = Limited employment opportunities in the US

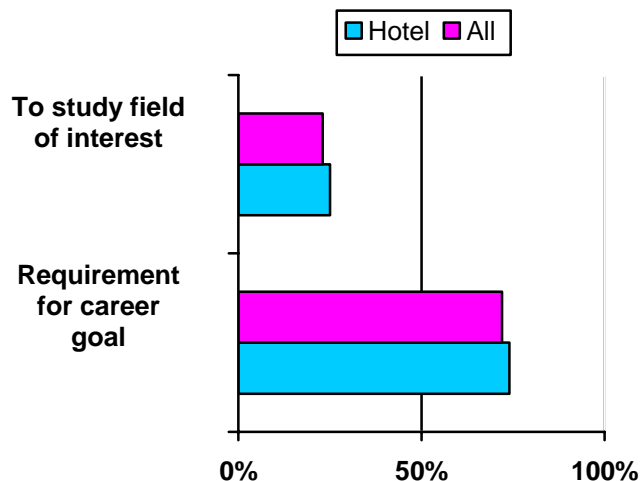
Percentage of Hotel Administration Graduating Class (619) Represented by Survey

All: 234/619 = **38%**
 Undergraduates: 224/567 = **40%**
 Graduates: 10/52 = **19%**

Employment Status While in School



Primary Reason for Pursuing a Degree



CAREER EXPERIENCE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

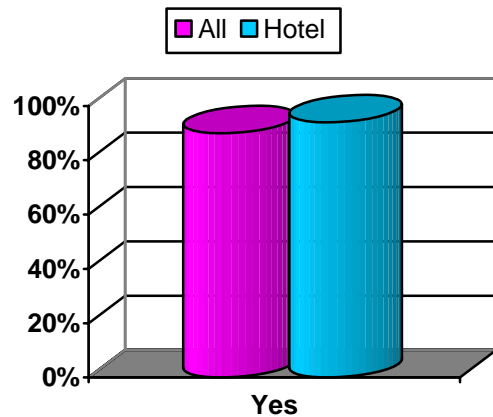
For College of Hotel Administration graduates, **82% of all respondents indicated they worked while attending school**, which was slightly below last year (84%) and the average for all respondents (84%). **Of those who did work, 54% characterized their work as primarily full-time**, higher than last year (50%) and near the average (55%).

Of those who reported working while in school, 89% said their pre-graduation employment was related to their field of study, same as last year and way above the average (66%). Students with career-related experience develop marketable skills and employer contacts leading to greater success in their career searches upon graduation.

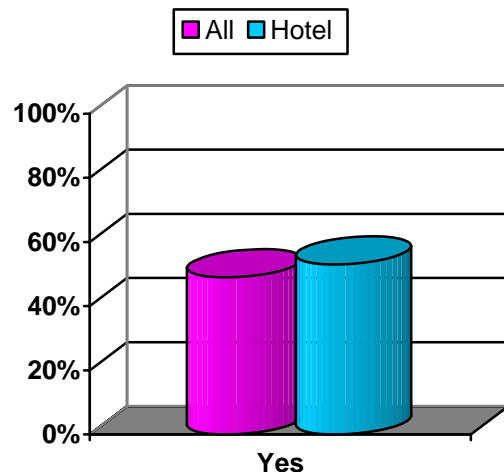
TOP 7 CAREER SERVICES UTILIZED BY HOTEL ADMINISTRATION STUDENTS

- #1 UNLV CareerLink (Online Recruiting System)
- #2 UNLV Career Day (Spring)
- #3 "Backpacks to Briefcases" Career Handbook
- #4 Fall Marketplace
- #5 Internship/Summer Job Fair
- #6 Walk-In Resume Critique
- #7 Met with a Career Counselor

Do you believe your UNLV education has prepared you for your chosen occupation?



Did your recent degree contribute to your employment status?



JOB OUTCOMES

OF THE COLLEGE OF HOTEL ADMINISTRATION RESPONDENTS TO OUR SURVEY, 66% of graduates reported they were currently employed or had accepted a job offer, compared to 64% last year and the average of 68%; 90% of those jobs/offers were related to their field of study, compared to 86% last year and way above the average of 75%. The majority (56%) reported they were continuing their current employment (jobs held while attending school), followed by those hired for a new position (33%), and promotions (11%).

Of the respondents, 94% felt their UNLV education prepared them for their chosen profession, above the average (90%), and 53% felt their recent degree contributed to their employment status, again above the average (49%). Of those reporting they were not currently employed, 68% said they were actively seeking employment (average was 59%), while 8% were enrolled in or seeking Graduate School (average 21%).

For details see the “Career, Salary Offers & Job Status of Respondents by College” chart below. **These outcomes are comparable to last year**, despite the decreased job market for 2008-2009 graduates, which resulted in fewer employer visits to campus as well as job postings seeking UNLV students and alumni.

National employer surveys, such as those conducted by the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE), continue to cite On-Campus Recruiting (OCR) as one of the most effective methods for quality staffing. Overall, OCR for 2008-2009 saw a 45% decrease in the number of employers visiting campus. **Of the OCR interview schedules held that screened for certain majors, 33% included College of Hotel Administration majors (who made up 12% of the graduating class).**

Responding students from this college identified our online recruiting system, UNLV CareerLink, as the number one most useful Career Services’ program they used, followed by our annual Career Day, and our career handbook “Backpacks to Briefcases”. **Our Career Counselors recommend students and alumni utilize all available tools in their job searches**, including online postings, Resume Books, and On-Campus Recruiting which are part of UNLV CareerLink, which is available to all registered students, as well as graduates who are members of the UNLV Alumni Association. Career Services hosted three career fairs during the year, as well as two targeted mixers; all had very good turnouts by students/alumni and employers.

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<http://hire.unlv.edu>

Access the 2008–2009 Graduating Students Survey Response Database via the Career Services’ main web page (<http://hire.unlv.edu>). Click “Reports” in upper right. We use the commercial software program “Survey Monkey” to gather data / report responses from our graduates. This system enables filtering by college, major, graduation date, etc., allowing viewing only the responses in which you are interested. The previous year’s database and reports are also available.

CAREER, SALARY OFFERS & JOB STATUS
OF RESPONDENTS BY COLLEGE OF HOTEL ADMINISTRATION

	All	Hotel
Currently Employed	68%	66%
Career-Related Current Employment	75%	90%
Salary Offers - High:	\$125,000	\$120,000
Average:	\$44,000	\$35,800
Low:	\$12,000	\$12,000
Not Employed and Actively Pursuing Graduate Studies	21%	8%

Listing of Job Offers Accepted

Note: Offers reported suggest 76% of College of Hotel Administration graduates stay in Nevada

Company Name	Job Title	City	State	Salary
AFRC - Dragon Hill Lodge	Banquet Assistant Manager	Seoul	S Korea	\$32,000
Ale Morin Makeup Artistry	Make-Up Artist and Coach	Las Vegas	NV	\$45,000
Aramark	Exhibitors Sales Coordinator	Las Vegas	NV	\$30,680
Aramark	Manager Trainee	Los Angeles	CA	\$41,000
Association of National Advertisers	Meeting Planner	New York	NY	\$55,300
Bellagio	Housekeeping Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$33,280
Bellagio	Concierge	Las Vegas	NV	\$35,360
Binions Gambling Hall & Hotel	Dice Dealer	Las Vegas	NV	\$11,960
Blackhawk Grille	Dining Manager	Danville	CA	\$38,000
Blue Plate	Restaurant Manager	Santa Monica	CA	\$40,000
Bouchon @ The Venetian	Admin Assistant/Banquet Server/Hostess	Las Vegas	NV	\$21,840
Buca di Beppo	Assistant General Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$45,000
Bureau of Reclamation/001	Environmental Asst	Boulder City	NV	\$27,000
Caesar's Palace	Hotel Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$40,000
Caesar's Palace Wedding Services	Administrative Assistant	Las Vegas	NV	\$28,000
Cherokee Casino	Beverage Manager	Catoosa	OK	\$50,000
China Grill MGT	Server	Las Vegas	NV	\$12,168
Cut Steakhouse	Server Assistant	Las Vegas	NV	\$13,624
Cyrus Restaurant	Server Assistant	Healdsburg	CA	\$31,200
David's Bridal	Assistant Manager	Henderson	NV	\$41,000

Desert Rose Resort	Conference Sales Coordinator	Las Vegas	NV	\$29,120
Dragonridge Country Club	Member Services	Las Vegas	NV	\$17,680
Dragonridge Country Club	Asst. F & B Manager	Henderson	NV	\$28,000
DZign Events	Design Consultant	Henderson	NV	\$31,200
Eiffel Tower Restaurant/Paris Las Vegas	Server/Captain	Las Vegas	NV	\$65,000
Encore	Cocktail Server	Las Vegas	NV	\$80,000
Encore @ Wynn Resort	Concierge	Las Vegas	NV	\$45,000
Extended Stay Deluxe	Front Desk Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$29,120
Fitzgerald's Hotel and Casino	Poker Dealer	Las Vegas	NV	\$48,000
golden nugget spa	Coordinator	Las Vegas	NV	\$24,960
Hard Rock Hotel & Casino	Lead Cabana Attendant	Las Vegas	NV	\$23,400
Harrah's Entertainment	Media 8 PR Intern	Las Vegas	NV	\$20,800
Harrah's Entertainment	Spa Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$34,000
House of Blues	Bartender	Las Vegas	NV	\$13,000
Intercontinental Hotels and Resorts	Executive Assistant Manager	Budapest	Hungary	\$120,000
J. Alexander's	CIT Program	Unreported		\$41,000
J. Alexander's	Coach	Chicago	IL	\$44,000
JCC of So NV	Family Program Director	Las Vegas	NV	\$29,500
JW Marriott Las Vegas	Front Desk	Las Vegas	NV	\$30,493
Korean Air	Ramp Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$22,880
Loew's Lake Las Vegas Resort	Account Receivable	Henderson	NV	\$26,000
Lotus of Siam	Cashier/Hostess	Las Vegas	NV	\$14,560
Luxor	Director of Beverage	Las Vegas	NV	\$87,000
M Resort / Cantor Gaming	Race and Sports Administration Clerk	Las Vegas	NV	\$27,040
Mandalay Bay	Lifeguard	Las Vegas	NV	\$18,720
Maralogo Village Resort	Meeting Services Coordinator	Henderson	NV	\$30,000
Marriott	Bartender	Las Vegas	NV	\$21,632
Marriott International	Front Desk Agent	Las Vegas	NV	\$21,424
Marriott's Grand Chateau	Rooms Controller	Las Vegas	NV	\$30,160
MGM Grand	Server Assistant	Las Vegas	NV	\$25,355
MGM Grand	Special Events Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$29,640
MGM Grand	concierge	Las Vegas	NV	\$33,280
MGM Grand	Inventory Information Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$36,400
MGM Mirage	Arena Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$27,851
MGM Mirage	Reservations	Las Vegas	NV	\$31,200
MGM Mirage	Butler	Las Vegas	NV	\$50,000
Mirage Hotel and casino	Theatre Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$40,000
Montelago Village Resort	Front Desk Rep	Henderson	NV	\$29,120
Peninsula Beverly Hills	Front Desk Agent	Beverly Hills	CA	\$32,760
Pluto's Fresh Food Restaurant	General Manager	San Francisco	CA	\$55,000

PMG at Luxor	Server Assistant	Las Vegas	NV	\$20,800
(Private Catering Co)	Banquet Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$62,400
Residence by Marriott	Front Desk Agent	Las Vegas	NV	\$20,675
Royal Productions	Muscle Warrior	Las Vegas	NV	\$36,400
Sodexo	Operations Manager	Washington	DC	\$39,000
Soleil Management	Reservations Agent	Las Vegas	NV	\$23,920
Starbucks Coffee	Shift Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$23,192
Starbucks Coffee	Supervisor	Las Vegas	NV	\$29,598
Starwood	District Manager	St Louis	MO	\$45,000
Starwood Hotels Westin Buckhead	Management Training Program	Atlanta	GA	\$35,000
Station Casinos	Race & Sports Book Writer	Las Vegas	NV	\$28,080
Staybridge Suites	Sales Coordinator	Las Vegas	NV	\$22,880
Tao Night Club	Server/Busser	Las Vegas	NV	\$46,800
Top San Francisco	Associate	San Francisco	CA	\$28,000
Travelocity	Vice President	San Francisco	CA	\$120,000
Treasure Island	Front Desk Rep	Las Vegas	NV	\$34,570
Tuscany Casino	Dealer	Las Vegas	NV	\$14,040
UNLV Graduate College	Admissions & Records Assistant II	Las Vegas	NV	\$32,770
Venetian Hotel & Casino	Front Desk Agent	Las Vegas	NV	\$35,880
Venetian Hotel & Casino	Guest Services Assistant Mgr	Las Vegas	NV	\$52,000
Walt Disney World	Hospitality	Orlando	FL	\$14,040
Walt Disney World	Management Intern	Orlando	FL	\$31,980
Washington Mutual	Operational Risk Analyst	Seattle	WA	\$45,000
Westin Hotel Casino	Bartender	Las Vegas	NV	\$48,000
White Chocolate Grill	Front of House Manager	Scottsdale	AZ	\$36,000
White Chocolate Grille	Restaurant Manager	Scottsdale	AZ	\$36,000
Wynn Las Vegas	Fountain Worker	Las Vegas	NV	\$27,186
Wynn Las Vegas	Hostess	Las Vegas	NV	\$32,490
Wynn Las Vegas	Assistant Front Desk Manager	Las Vegas	NV	\$36,000
Wynn Las Vegas	Table Games Analyst	Las Vegas	NV	\$40,000
Wynn Las Vegas & Encore	Convention Services Mgr	Las Vegas	NV	\$45,000

ANALYSIS OF COLLEGE OF HOTEL ADMINISTRATION F-1 VISA HOLDERS: PERCENT EMPLOYED AND CAREER EMPLOYMENT POST-GRADUATION

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	All	Hotel Administration (All)	Without F-1	F-1 Only
Currently Employed	68%	66%	74%	36%
Career-Related Current Employment	75%	90%	90%	88%
Salary Offers - High: Average: Low:	\$125,000 \$44,000 \$12,000	\$120,000 \$35,800 \$12,000	\$120,000 \$36,500 \$12,000	\$35,800 \$24,400 \$14,600
Not Employed and Actively Pursuing Graduate Studies	21%	8%	8%	10%