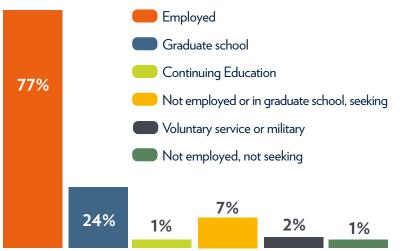
#### A Hope COLLEGE

# **GRADUATE REPORT**

Hope graduates are educated to think about important issues with clarity, wisdom and a deep understanding of the Christian faith. They make an impact at organizations, companies and graduate schools around the country and abroad. This summary of the annual Graduate Report gives a six-month snapshot of the Class of 2023.

## Class of 2023 Snapshot



Note: Percentages exceed 100% because survey responders could select multiple responses

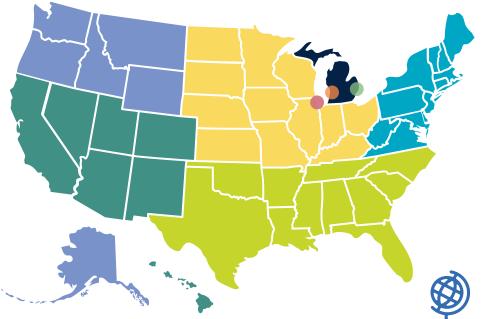
# Class of 2023 Top Majors

Business Psychology Engineering Nursing Exercise Science Communication Biology Education Social Work Political Science

85%

of the class of 2023 graduates who are employed full time, are employed in their field of study

# Class of 2023 Employment & Graduate School by Region



% Employed | % Graduate School

West Michigan	52% 23%
Chicagoland	8%   5%
Southeast Michigan	8%   26%
Other Michigan	3%   5%
Other Midwest	10%   <mark>21%</mark>
Southwest US	4%   5%
Southeast US	4%   10%
Northwest US	2%   2%
Northeast US	5% 3%
International	2% 0%

**Note:** Percentages may not add to 100%, because some respondents selected "Other."

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## Class of 2023 Overview



**92%** of those who were in graduate school were accepted to their first-or-

second school choice





are likely or very likely to refer someone else to Hope College for their education



**91%** were involved and active in extracurricular activities and organizations



89%

connected with a staff or faculty member about their vocational future



**93%** shared they felt that their professors cared about them as a person



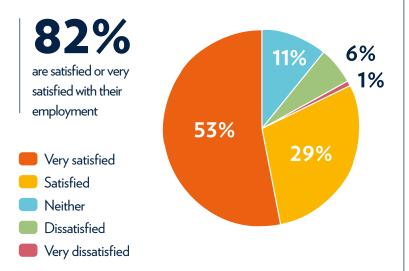
About the Graduate Report

This study is administered annually by the Frost Center for Data and Research, Alumni and Family Engagement, the Boerigter Center for Calling and Career, and Admissions. Alumni are contacted 5-6 months after graduation by email, mail and telephone. This year we had a knowledge rate of 82%, with 292 survey responses; 131 from LinkedIn; and 41 from the National Student Clearing House. For additional requests or data from previous years, please contact the Frost Center for Data and Research at 616.395.7556 or frostcenter@hope.edu.

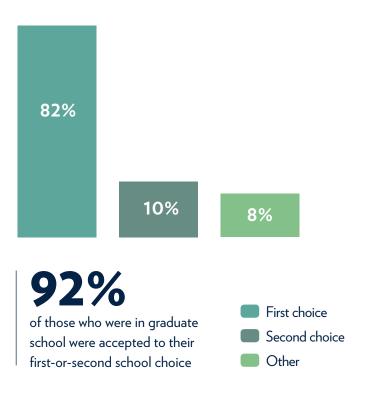
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## Class of 2023 Employment Satisfaction



## Class of 2023 Graduate Schools



#### **Recent Employers**

Accenture Amazon Apple **Bethany Christian Services** Chicago Public Schools Corewell Health Deloitte Dow Chemical Company Duke University Health System General Motors Company Gentex Corporation **Guinness World Records** Helen DeVos Children's Hospital Holland Public Schools Kraft Heinz Meijer Inc. Michigan State University MillerKnoll Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago Northwestern Medicine Pfizer Steelcase Stryker Corporation U.S. Department of State United States Senate University of Michigan Vanderbilt University Medical Center Whirlpool Corporation

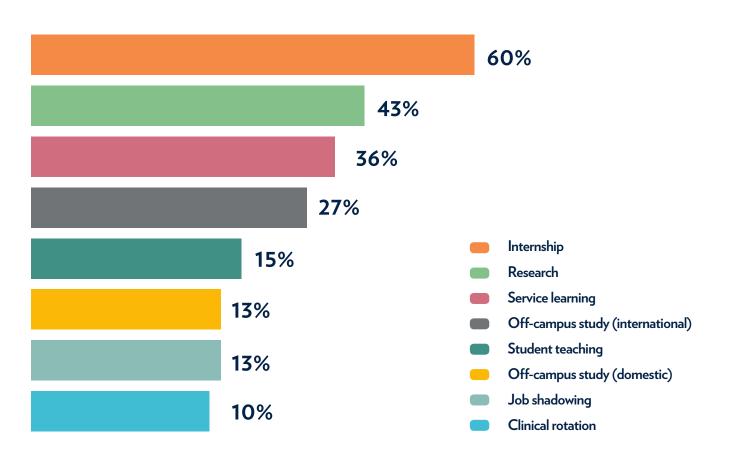
## **Recent Graduate Schools**

Arizona State University **Baylor University** Case Western Reserve University **Clemson University** Columbia University **Cornell University** Duke Divinity School Georgetown University Harvard University Kansas State University Michigan State University Northwestern University Peabody Institute of the Johns Hopkins University Purdue University The Ohio State University Thomas M. Cooley Law School University of Illinois Chicago School of Law University of Michigan University of Virginia University of Wisconsin-Madison Washington University Western Michigan University



## **Class of 2023 Experiential Learning**

Percent of graduates who engaged in each type of experiential learning



## Hope College Campus Resources

#### **Boerigter Center For Calling and Career**

The principal goal of the Boerigter Center is to teach students how to engage in lifelong practices of career development.

- Discern: Identify strengths and interests, absorb the liberal arts and deepen sense of vocation and core character.
- Prepare: Explore paths, expand intellect, develop skills and extend perspectives through experiences on campus and around the world.
- Pursue: Strategize for life after college, activate networks and achieve next steps.

#### **Alumni Association**

In partnership with the Boerigter Center for Calling and Career, the Alumni Association hosts an online career center where you can work on your résumé, join and use The Hope College Connection, volunteer, find job postings, connect with social media and sign up for events. Connect at hope.edu/alumni.

#### Handshake

Students and alumni can browse thousands of job and internship postings on Hope's online job board, Handshake. Start searching at hope.edu/handshake.