

FDS 2024

Start of Block: Intro

FDS_Intro
Santa Clara University
First Destination Survey

Complete this survey to share your post-graduation plans.

Responses will only be shared in aggregate form and will not be used to solicit donations.

Questions?

Contact Dylan Houle, Executive Director of the Career Center, at dhoule@scu.edu

End of Block: Intro

Start of Block: START



PreparedForLife **Rate how well your SCU education has prepared you for life after college.**

- Excellent preparation (5)
- Very good preparation (4)
- Good preparation (3)
- Fair preparation (2)
- Poor preparation (1)

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FDS_Outcomes **What are you primarily doing after graduation?**

- Employment in a permanent or salaried position (1)
- Entrepreneurship (starting my own business) (2)
- Employment in freelance or contract work (3)
- Postgraduate internship or fellowship (4)
- Continuing Education (i.e., graduate school, fellowships) (5)
- Volunteering or Service Program (6)
- Military (7)
- Seeking full-time employment (8)
- Not seeking full-time employment (9)

Display This Question:

If What are you primarily doing after graduation? = Employment in a permanent or salaried position

JobStatus_Logic **Have you accepted a job offer or are you currently employed?**

- I have accepted a job offer (1)
- I am currently employed (2)
- I am still looking (3)

End of Block: START

Start of Block: Working

EmpNameAsEntered **Tell us about the work you'll be doing.
Who is your employer?**

Empl_Sector **What best describes your employer?**

- For-profit (3)
 - Not-for-profit (2)
 - Government / Public sector (1)
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Empl_Industry **What industry is your employer in?**

▼ Accounting (1) ... Wholesale Trade (75)

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JobLoc_USI **Where is this position located?**

- United States (1)
- International (2)

Display This Question:

If Where is this position located? = United States

JobCity **What city is this position located in?**

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If Where is this position located? = United States

JobState **What state is this position located in?**

Display This Question:

If Where is this position located? = International

JobIntlCountry **What country is this position located in?**

▼ Afghanistan (1) ... Zimbabwe (195)

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JobTitleAsEntered **What is your position title?**

JobFunction **What is your job function?**

▼ Accounting (1) ... Other (37)

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JobDuringSchool **Were you already working in this position during school?**

- Yes (1)
 - No (0)
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InternEmployer **Is this an internship?**

- Yes (1)
 - No (0)
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JobSearch **How did you get this job?**

- Internship / Co-op with company (1)
 - SCU Career Center (including Handshake) (2)
 - SCU alumni (3)
 - SCU staff, faculty, or coaches (4)
 - Online job board (e.g., LinkedIn, Indeed, etc.) - *please enter:* (5)

 - Personal / professional network (6)
 - Other - *please explain:* (11)

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JobHoursPerWeek **How many hours per week are you working?**

- Over 30 Hours a week (Full Time) (1)
- Under 30 Hours a week (Part Time) (0)

Display This Question:

If How many hours per week are you working? = Over 30 Hours a week (Full Time)



JobBaseSalary **Base Salary**

This should be your base salary before any bonuses or other compensation.

▼ Less than \$36,000/year (less than \$17.30/hour) (35) ... I prefer not to answer (-97)

Display This Question:

If How many hours per week are you working? = Over 30 Hours a week (Full Time)

And Base Salary This should be your base salary before any bonuses or other compensation. = More than \$110,000/year

Or Base Salary This should be your base salary before any bonuses or other compensation. = Less than \$36,000/year (less than \$17.30/hour)



JobEABS **What is your exact annual base salary?**

Numbers only. Do not include symbols or commas.

Display This Question:

If How many hours per week are you working? = Over 30 Hours a week (Full Time)



JobBonus **Signing Bonus**

This should not include a yearly recurring bonus, relocation, stock options or reimbursement.

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If How many hours per week are you working? = Over 30 Hours a week (Full Time)



JobOtherComp **Other guaranteed compensation**

This should not include a signing bonus, relocation, stock options or reimbursement.

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JobOffer **When did you get this offer?**

	Month	Year
Please Select: (1)	▼ January (1 ... December (12)	▼ 2021 (1 ... 2024 (4)

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JobStart **When is/was your start date?**

	Month	Year
Please Select: (1)	▼ January (1 ... December (12)	▼ 2021 (1 ... 2024 (4)

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JobExpectations To what extent does this position meet your expectations for a first job out of Santa Clara?

- Far exceeds expectations (5)
 - Exceeds expectations (4)
 - Equals expectations (3)
 - Short of expectations (2)
 - Far short of expectations (1)
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JobDegreeUseful To what extent does your degree relate to the work you will do in this position?

- Not at all relevant (1)
 - Slightly relevant (2)
 - Moderately relevant (3)
 - Very relevant (4)
 - Extremely relevant (5)
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JobSatisfaction **How satisfied are you with this position?**

- Very satisfied (6)
- Mostly satisfied (5)
- Somewhat satisfied (4)
- Somewhat dissatisfied (3)
- Mostly dissatisfied (2)
- Very dissatisfied (1)

End of Block: Working

Start of Block: Volunteering

VolunteerProgram **Tell us about the volunteering you'll be doing.
For which organization are you volunteering?**

- AmeriCorps (1)
 - Catholic Worker (2)
 - Jesuit Volunteer Corps (3)
 - Peace Corps (4)
 - Teach for America (5)
 - Other - please specify: (6)
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Volunteer_USI **Where is this position located?**

- United States (1)
- International (2)

Display This Question:

If Where is this position located? = United States

VolunteerCity **What city is this position located in?**

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If Where is this position located? = United States

VolunteerState **What state is this position located in?**

Display This Question:

If Where is this position located? = International

VolunteerIntlCountry **What country is this position located in?**

▼ Afghanistan (1) ... Zimbabwe (195)

VolunteerTitle **What is your position title?**



VolunteerSearch **How did you get this position?**

- Interned with organization (1)
 - SCU Career Center (including Handshake) (2)
 - SCU alumni (including Bronco Exchange) (3)
 - SCU staff, faculty, or coaches (4)
 - Online (e.g., LinkedIn, Indeed, etc.) (5)
 - Personal / professional network (6)
 - Other - *please explain:* (11)
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End of Block: Volunteering

Start of Block: Continuing Education

ApplyGradSchool **Tell us about your continuing education.**

Select the option that best describes your continuing education application status.

- I have been admitted by at least one graduate program. (1)
- I have applied and the admission decision is pending. (2)
- I plan to apply in the near future. (3)
- I have applied and have not been admitted by any graduate program. (4)

Display This Question:

*If Tell us about your continuing education. Select the option that best describes your continuing ed...
= I have been admitted by at least one graduate program.*



FellowshipType **Did you receive any of the following? (Select all that apply)**

- Teaching Assistantship (1)
- Research Assistantship (2)
- Fellowship (3)
- Tuition Scholarship (4)
- Athletic Scholarship (5)
- None of the above (0)

Display This Question:

If Did you receive any of the following? (Select all that apply) = Fellowship



FellowshipType_Ind **Please tell us more about the fellowship you received. (Select only one)**

- Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship in the Humanities (1)
 - Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Fellowship (2)
 - Davies-Jackson Scholarship (3)
 - Fulbright Fellowship (4)
 - Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Scholarship (5)
 - James Madison Fellowship (6)
 - Marshall Fellowship (7)
 - National Science Foundation (8)
 - Rhodes Fellowship (9)
 - The Truman Scholarship (10)
 - William E. Simon Fellowship (11)
 - Lex Pre-Law Fellowship (12)
 - Other named fellowship (please specify) (13)
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ContEdu_Prepared **How prepared do you feel for graduate school?**

- Very unprepared (6)
- Mostly unprepared (5)
- Somewhat unprepared (4)
- Somewhat prepared (3)
- Mostly prepared (2)
- Very prepared (1)

End of Block: Continuing Education

Start of Block: Military

MilitaryBranch **Tell us about your military service.**
Which service branch are you joining?

- Air Force (1)
 - Army (2)
 - Coast Guard (3)
 - Navy (4)
 - Marine Corps (5)
 - Space Force (6)
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MilitaryRank **What is your rank?**

- Enlisted (1)
- Warrant Officer (2)
- Officer (3)

End of Block: Military

Start of Block: Not Seeking



NotJobSeeking_Status **Tell us why you're not seeking.
What are you doing while you are not actively seeking a job?**

- Taking time off (1)
 - Traveling (2)
 - Preparing for graduate school (3)
 - Attending a trade, technical, or skill-based program (4)
 - Unpaid internship (5)
 - Other - *please explain:* (95)
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End of Block: Not Seeking

Start of Block: FDS Grad Items

SCU_Mission_Grd **Santa Clara University strives to “educate citizens and leaders of competence, conscience, and compassion and cultivate knowledge and faith to build a more humane, just, and sustainable world.”**

Reflecting on your time at Santa Clara and since, how well have we achieved our goal for you, personally?

- Significantly fell short of my expectations (1)
- Did not meet my expectations (2)
- Met my minimal expectations (3)
- Met my overall expectations (4)
- Exceeded my expectations (5)
- Significantly exceeded my expectations (6)
- Greatly exceeded my expectations (7)

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Growth_Grd Compared to when you first entered Santa Clara University, how would you now describe your:

	Much weaker (-2) (1)	Weaker (-1) (2)	Little or no change (0) (3)	Stronger (1) (4)	Much stronger (2) (5)
Commitment to your spiritual life (1)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Ability to get along with people of different races/cultures (2)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Understanding of the problems facing your community (3)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Understanding of global issues (4)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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SCUCollegeChoice_Grd

If you could make your college choice over, would you still choose to enroll at Santa Clara?

- Definitely yes (4)
- Probably yes (3)
- Probably not (2)
- Definitely not (1)

End of Block: FDS Grad Items

Start of Block: Additional Questions



Activities

Please answer a few additional questions.

While at Santa Clara, did you participate in any of the following activities? Select all that apply.

- Paid internships (1)
- Unpaid internships (2)
- Co-ops (3)
- Field experiences (including practicums) (4)
- Research or independent study (5)
- Service learning or community engagement (e.g. ELSJ) (6)
- Student leadership (7)
- Clubs / organizations (8)
- Study abroad (9)
- None of the above (0)

Display This Question:

*If Please answer a few additional questions. While at Santa Clara, did you participate in any of the...
= Paid internships*

*Or Please answer a few additional questions. While at Santa Clara, did you participate in any of the...
= Unpaid internships*

*Or Please answer a few additional questions. While at Santa Clara, did you participate in any of the...
= Co-ops*

InternshipsCount **You indicated that you participated in a paid internship, unpaid internship, or co-op.**

How many internships and co-ops did you complete?

1 (1)

2 (2)

3 or more (3)

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Comments **Your feedback is important to us.** Please use this space to share any comments or suggestions regarding your time at Santa Clara University.

End of Block: Additional Questions
