

## **Qualification in Career Guidance/Development Student Destination Figures 2015**

## Trends from 2014 to 2015

Ninety two students completed the qualification in 2014 and 138 completed in 2015. This represents an increase in student numbers of 50%. Of these 138 students 46 of them studied at either Edinburgh Napier University (ENU) or the University of the West of Scotland (UWS) and the majority found work with Skills Development Scotland (SDS). Some students having being employed by SDS whilst they undertook the qualification on a part-time basis.

Overall the number of students finding employment increased by 1% to 91%. The number actively seeking work decreased by 1% to 5 % but the number of students not actively seeking work increased by 2% to 4 %. Reasons are looking after a disabled child; perhaps not suited to the role, undertaking Master's degree and marriage.

The number of students finding work in secondary education remained the same at 15% and those finding work in FE/6<sup>th</sup> Form Colleges also remained constant at 7%.

There was a notable decrease of 9% for those finding work in HE institutions with 13% of 2015 cohort finding work here. There was also a decrease from 7% to 3% for those students finding employment with the National Careers Service.

There was a 2% increase for students finding work in other adult guidance agencies and a 1% increase for employment in other voluntary sector guidance. Private sector guidance remained the same at 3%

Eight percent of the 2015 cohort found work in non-career guidance roles compared to 10% the previous year. The percentage of those in FE/6<sup>th</sup> Form roles remained the same at 1% and for those in HE roles there was an increase of 1% to 2%. Other public sector roles decreased from 4% to 2% and one person became self-employed in a non-career guidance role.

The percentage of students progressing to Master's qualifications decreased from 6% to 3%.

The tables below provide the details and also the 2013 percentage figures.

	COV	CCCU	ENU	HUDD	NTU	UWS	LSBU	TOTAL	%	%	%
									2015	2014	2013
Number of students successfully completing in the last academic year	20	8	30	18	13	29	20	138			
Number of students in employment	20	8	30	13	10	27	18	126	91	90	90
Number of students actively seeking work				2	1	2	2	7	5	6	9
Number of students not actively seeking work				3	2			5	4	2	1

There were 92 students in 2014 and 94 in 2013.

## Destinations

Career Guidance posts in:	COV	CCCU	ENU	HUDD	NTU	UWS	LSBU	TOTAL	%	%	%
									2015	2014	2013
Local Authority/ (England)										1	4
Skills Development Scotland			22			23		45	33	13	15
Secondary Education	8	6		2	2		2	20	15	15	12
FE and/or Sixth Form Colleges		1		1	3	1	4	10	7	7	16
Higher Education	9	1	1	3	4		3	18	13	22	18
National Careers Service (England)	1			1			2	4	3	7	4
Other Adult Guidance	1		1				3	5	4	2	6
Other voluntary sector guidance			3				2	5	4	3	4
Private sector					1	1	2	4	3	3	3
International										3	3
Other (Please state) NIACE researcher						1		1	1		

Non-Career Guidance posts in:	COV	CCCU	ENU	HUDD	NTU	UWS	LSBU	TOTAL			
Secondary Education										1	
FE and/or Sixth Form Colleges				2				2	1	1	
Higher Education				3				3	2	1	
Voluntary Sector				1				1	1	1	
Other Public Sector	1		1		1			3	2	4	2
Private Sector			2					2	1	2	1
Self-employed						1		1	1		
Return to Study											
Careers related – e.g. Masters (also working)				3	1			4	3	6	
Non Careers related										1	1
Seeking Employment				2	1	2	2	7	5	5	9
Not Seeking Employment				3	1			4	3	2	1
TOTAL	20	8	30	18	13	29	20	138			

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