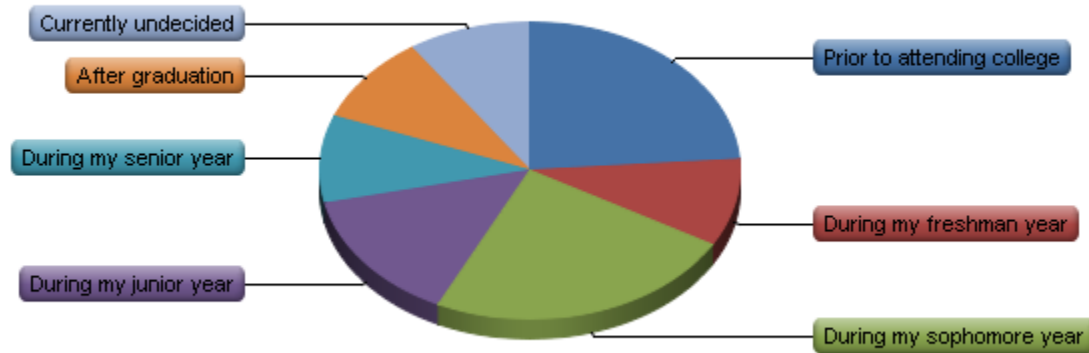


# Political Science

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## 1. When did you choose which career path to pursue?



Answer	Response	%
Prior to attending college	5	24%
During my freshman year	2	10%
During my sophomore year	5	24%
During my junior year	3	14%
During my senior year	2	10%
After graduation	2	10%
Currently undecided	2	10%
Total	21	100%

## 2. What is your current status?

Employment/Volunteer	Full-time Employment	10	Part-time employment	5	Military Service	0	Volunteer position (eg Peace Corps, AmeriCorps)	0	Not employed/seeking employment	0	Not employed/not seeking employment	0
Continuing Education	Graduate/Professional school full-time	5	Graduate/Professional school part-time	1	Waiting to hear	0	Plan to enroll later	4		0		1

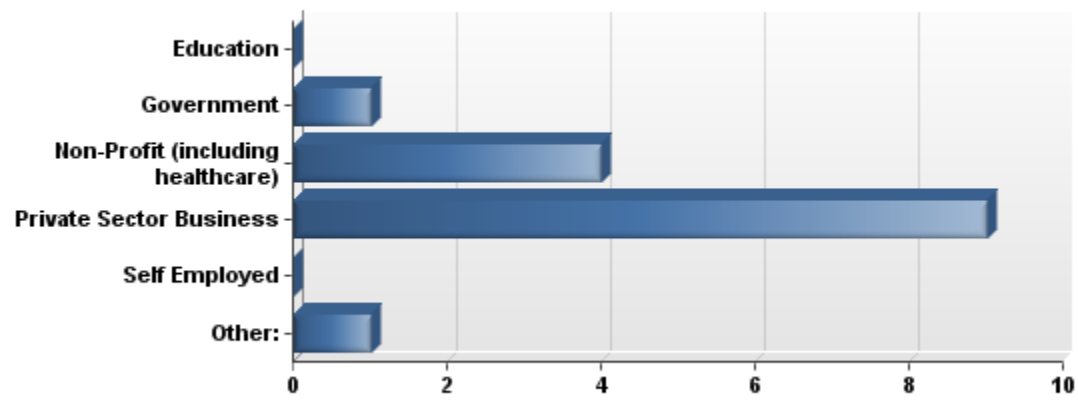
Statistic	Employment/Volunteer	Continuing Education
Total Responses	15	11

### 3. Employment/Volunteer Information

Employer/Organization Name	City	State	Position/Program
Applebees	Fargo	ND	Server/Bartender
Common Cause	Minneapolis	MN	Volunteer
Erbert & Gerbert	Fargo	ND	Shift Supervisor
Eventide	Moorhead	MN	Receptionist
Feathermoor	Shenzhen	China	Freelance English Editor
Gary-Rindal Parish	Fertile	MN	Office Administrator
Innovation Interactive	New York	NY	Social Marketing Coordinator
Madlom Law Office	Fargo	ND	Paralegal
Minnesota DFL	St. Paul	MN	Field Organizer
Minnesota DFL Party	Saint Paul	MN	
Multiband Corporation	Fargo	ND	Outbound Sales Rep
Park Region Mutual Telephone Co	Fergus Falls	MN	Sports Broadcaster
Small Screen Producer	Houston	TX	Project Coordinator
U.S. Bank	St. Paul	MN	Teller
US Bank	Fargo	ND	Customer Service

Statistic	Value
Total Responses	15

## 4. What is the type of organization?



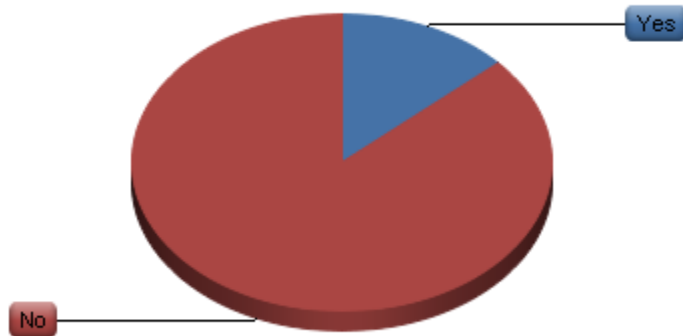
Answer	Response	%
Education	0	0%
Government	1	7%
Non-Profit (including healthcare)	4	27%
Private Sector Business	9	60%
Self Employed	0	0%
Other:	1	7%
Total	15	100%

## 5. Which search methods generated the most job leads for you? (choose up to 3)

Answer	Response	%
Career Center (i.e. campus interview, job listing)	1	8%
Classified ad	5	42%
Coop/Intern/previous exp w/employer	2	17%
Direct application to employer	4	33%
Internet resources	6	50%
MN Education Job Fair	0	0%
MN Private College Job Fair	0	0%
Networking (i.e. family & friends)	5	42%
Public or private employment agency	0	0%
Tri-College Career Fair	1	8%
Other	0	0%

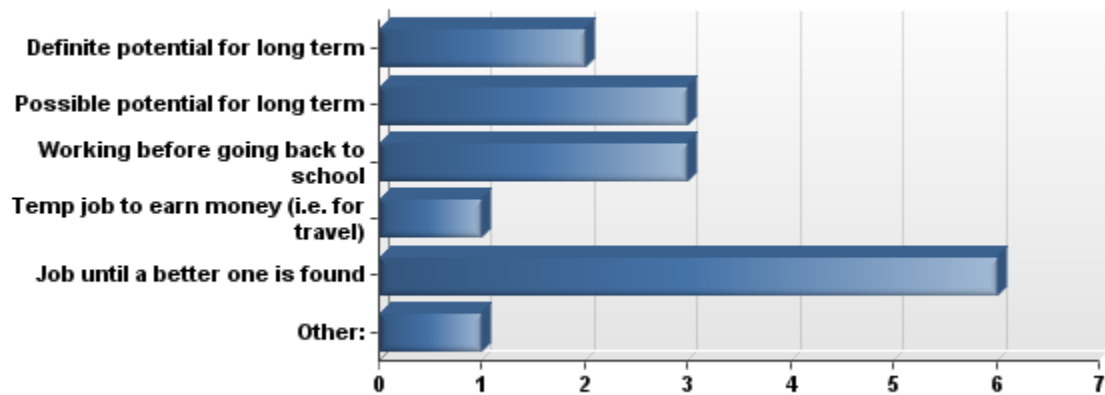
Statistic	Value
Total Responses	12

6. Were you employed in your current position/company during college?



Answer	Response	%
Yes	2	13%
No	13	87%
Total	15	100%

## 7. Which BEST describes how you regard your current job?



Answer	Response	%
Definite potential for long term	2	13%
Possible potential for long term	3	19%
Working before going back to school	3	19%
Temp job to earn money (i.e. for travel)	1	6%
Job until a better one is found	6	38%
Other:	1	6%
Total	16	100%





Other:

in school

## 8. What is the highest degree you plan to earn during your lifetime?

Answer	Response	%
BA/BS	4	19%
MA	5	24%
PhD	3	14%
JD	6	29%
MD	1	5%
DDS	0	0%
Undecided	2	10%
Other	0	0%
Total	21	100%

## 9. Which BEST describes your current position?

Answer		Response	%
Degree in my field is required for my job		2	13%
Degree is required, but not related to major		3	19%
Degree is not required, but helped get the job		7	44%
Degree made no difference in getting job		4	25%
Total		16	100%

## 10. What is your pre-tax annual salary? (this information is kept strictly confidential)

Answer		Response	%
Monthly stipend (i.e. Americorps)		2	17%
Less than \$10,000		1	8%
\$10,000 - 12,500		2	17%
\$12,501 - 15,000		0	0%
\$15,001 - 17,500		0	0%
\$17,501 - 20,000		0	0%
\$20,001 - 22,500		4	33%
\$22,501 - 25,000		2	17%
\$25,001 - 27,500		0	0%
\$27,501 - 30,000		0	0%
\$30,001 - 32,500		0	0%
\$32,501 - 35,000		0	0%
\$35,001 - 37,500		0	0%
\$37,501 - 40,000		1	8%
\$40,000 - 42,500		0	0%
\$42,501 - 45,000		0	0%
\$45,501 - 47,500		0	0%
\$47,500 - \$50,000		0	0%
\$50,001 - \$52,500		0	0%
\$52,501 - \$55,000		0	0%
\$55,001 - 57,500		0	0%
\$57,501 - 60,000		0	0%

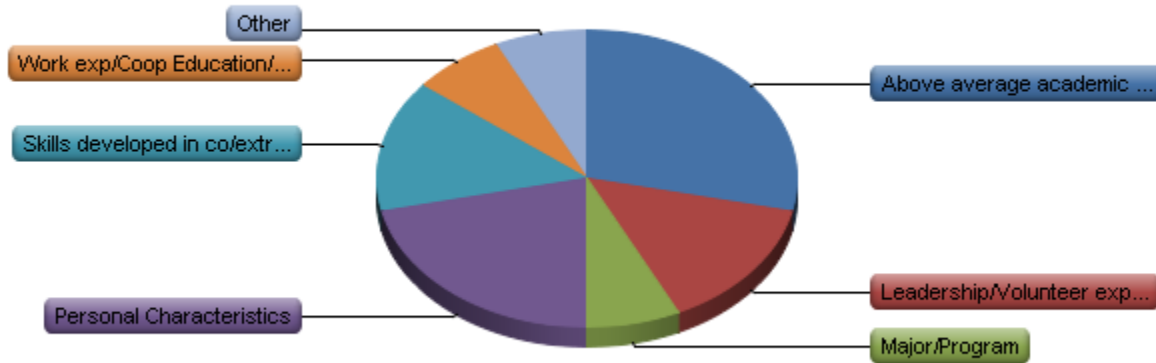
\$60,000+		0	0%
Total		12	100%

## 11. Continuing Education Information

Degree/Certification Sought	Start Date	Field of Study	University/Institution Name	City	State
Doctorate	September 2010	Philosophy	University of Oregon	Eugene	OR
JD	August 2010	Law	Roger Williams University School of Law	Bristol	RI
JD	Fall 2010	Law	University of Denver Sturm College of Law	Denver	CO
Masters	08/10	International Law, Global Security	Georgetown University	Washington	DC
Masters	09/10	International Security	University of Denver	Denver	CO
MD	August 2010	Medicine	University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences	Grand Forks	ND

Statistic	Value
Total Responses	6

## 12. What three factors were most important in obtaining your acceptance into grad school?



Answer	Response	%
Above average academic performance	4	80%
Leadership/Volunteer experience	2	40%
Major/Program	1	20%
Personal Characteristics	3	60%
Skills developed in co/extra curricular activity	2	40%
Work exp/Coop Education/Internships	1	20%
Other	1	20%

Statistic	Value
Total Responses	5