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INTRODUCTION

The Career Services Center (CSC) of Philadelphia University is pleased to present its Senior Survey for the Class of 2006.

This survey includes students with graduation dates of August 2005, December 2005 and May 2006. Statistics are derived from a survey response pool of **333** from a total graduating class of **499**. Of the **333** graduates, **295 or 89%** have reported post-graduation employment or graduate school acceptance. Employment plans were reported by **242 or 73%** of graduates (up from 71% in 2005). Graduate school plans were reported by **53 or 16%** of graduates (consistent with 2005). The remaining **38 or 11%** indicated they were still seeking employment at the time of this report.

Factors that contribute to this success include the talents of our students, their high-quality academic preparation, faculty and alumni networks, recognition we attain from numerous regional and national employers and the provision of a comprehensive array of experiential education opportunities, career-development services and programs. This success translates into a range of starting salaries from **\$23,000 to \$48,000** with a reported average salary of **\$34,760**. The average starting salary and range for 2006 was consistent with salaries for 2005 graduates.

The Career Services Center assists students with their career and professional development, offering opportunities to prepare for their job search and connect with industry representatives. Programs, services and workshops available to students in the last academic year include:

- Orientation to Career Services and On-Campus Interviewing
- Job Search Skills
- Resume Writing
- Cover Letter Writing
- Interviewing Skills
- ReferenceUSA database tool
- Evaluating Job Offers
- Videotaped Mock Interviews
- Professional Etiquette Dinner
- Graduate School Prep Session
- Corporate Connections Networking Reception
- CareerLink Job Board
- Design Expo
- Career Spotlights
- Career Interest Assessments

School of Architecture

Graduates Responding: 69

Reported Post-Graduate Plans: 61 (88.4%) Graduate School: 1 (1.45%)

ACADEMIC MAJOR	PLACEMENT RATE	AVERAGE SALARY	SALARY RANGE
Architecture	94.11%	\$35,940	\$31,000-\$45,000
Architectural Studies	82%	\$36,625	\$30,000-\$45,000
Interior Design	87.5%	\$32,100	\$30,000-\$35,000

Company/University	Position/Degree	Major	Location
Alexander Perry, Inc.	Junior Project Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Anchor Point	Architect	Architecture	Audubon, NJ
AP3C Architects	Staff Architect	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Architectural Alliance	Intern Architect	Architecture	N. Wilmington, DE
Architectural Management, Inc.	Architectural Intern	Architecture	Medford, NJ
Array: Healthcare Design Solutions	Intern Architect	Architecture	King of Prussia, PA
BartonPartners	Architectural Designer	Architecture	Norristown, PA
Classique! Mohr Interior Designs	Assistant Designer	Interior Design	Carlisle, PA
Converse Winkler Architects	Project Manager	Architecture	Bala Cynwyd, PA
Cubellis Associates	Junior Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
CUH2A	Architect Intern	Architecture	Princeton, NJ
Daroff Design, Inc.	Jr. Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Design & Development	Junior Designer	Interior Design	Holmdel, NJ
Design Studio	Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Design Studio	Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Francis Cauffman Associates	Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Francis Cauffman Associates	Junior Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Francis Cauffman Foley Hoffman	Architect	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Gibson Associates	Intern Architect	Architecture	Jenkintown, PA
Gilbert Architects	Intern Architect	Architecture	Lancaster, PA
Grenald Waldron Associates	Lighting Design Assistant	Interior Design	Narberth, PA
GSI Commerce	Photographer's Assistant	Architectural Studies	King of Prussia, PA
Hillier Architecture	Intern Architect	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
HNTB Architecture	Architect Level 1	Architecture	Los Angeles, CA
IEI Group	Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Ignarri-Lummis Architects & Planners, LLC	CAD Support/Interior Designer	Interior Design	Cherry Hill, NJ
Inter-arch	Designer	Architectural Studies	Mount Laurel, NJ
Irwin & Leighton, Inc.	Designer	Architectural Studies	King of Prussia, PA
J.T. Fishman & Associates	Intern Architect	Architecture	Owings Mills, MD
JBH3 & Associates	Junior Designer	Interior Design	Conshohocken, PA
Jeffrey Grogon Architects	Architectural Designer	Architecture	Conshohocken, NJ
John DiBenedetto Associates	Architect Intern	Architecture	Jenkintown, PA
JST Architects	Architectural Intern	Architecture	Dallas, TX
Keller Williams	Real Estate Agent	Architectural Studies	Doylestown, PA
Marjorie Rothberg Architects	Intern Architect	Architecture	Wilmington, DE
marshallsabatini	Staff Architect	Architecture	Bryn Mawr, PA
Martin Architecture Group	Assistant Project Manager	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Nelson	Project Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Orleans Homes	Architect	Architecture	Bensalem, PA
Otto Design Group	Designer	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Petrangnani Brothers	Sales Executive	Architectural Studies	Kennett Square, PA
Pradd Valladares	Architect Assistant	Architecture	Salvador-Bahia, Brazil

Rhosymedre Design Group	Designer	Interior Design	Middletown, MD
Richard M. Cole & Associates	Draftsman/Intern	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Schrader Group Architecture	Architectural Intern	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
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SEPTA	Architect	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Shearon Environmental Design	Superintendent	Architectural Studies	Philadelphia, PA
Shoemaker Construction Co.	Project Engineer	Architectural Studies	Philadelphia, PA
SOSH Architects	Interior Designer	Interior Design	Atlantic City, NJ
spg3	Architectural Intern	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Tacitus	Senior Visualization Designer	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
Tackett & Company	Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Tao Design	Junior Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
TBS Services	Intern Architect	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
TBS Services	Intern Architect	Architecture	Philadelphia, PA
TBS Services	Architect	Architecture	Glenside, PA
The Norwood Company	Project Engineer	Architectural Studies	Allentown, PA
The Ritchie Organization	Junior Interior Designer	Interior Design	Newton, MA
United States General Services Administration	Federal Representative	Architectural Studies	Philadelphia, PA
University of Pennsylvania	Master of Science	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA
Vivian Golden & Associates	Interior Designer	Interior Design	Philadelphia, PA

School of Business Administration

Graduates Responding: 119

Reported Post-Graduate Plans: 76 (64%)

Graduate School: 22 (18%)

ACADEMIC MAJOR	PLACEMENT RATE	AVERAGE SALARY	SALARY RANGE
Accounting	86%	\$42,666	\$40,000-\$46,000
Fashion Merchandising	75%	\$34,280	\$42,000-\$45,000
Finance	100%	\$42,600	\$34,000-\$48,000
International Business	100%	\$42,500	\$32,500-\$50,000
Management	67%	\$29,666	\$27,000-\$32,000
Mgt. Info. Systems	100%	\$38,000	\$35,000-\$42,000
Marketing	92%	\$37,000	\$30,000-\$51,000

Company Name/University	Position/Degree	Major	Location
Abercrombie & Fitch	Store Manager	Fashion Merchandising	Willow Grove, PA
Abington Bank	Marketing Assistant	Marketing	Jenkintown, PA
Aerosoles	Manager	Fashion Merchandising	King of Prussia, PA
AIU London	MBA	Marketing	London, UK
Ashford Farm	Assistant	International Business	Conshohocken, PA
Attorney's Choice Abstract Co.	Title Clerk	Fashion Merchandising	Merion, PA
Bloomington's	Sales Associate	Fashion Merchandising	Willow Grove, PA
Boscov's	Assistant Buyer Trainee	Fashion Merchandising	Reading, PA
Boscov's	Assistant Visual Manager	Fashion Merchandising	Montgomeryville, PA
Bostock, Inc.	Accountant	Accounting	Warrington, PA
Breznicky Associates P.C.	Accountant	Accounting	Ambler, PA
Burlington Coat Factory	Assistant Buyer	Fashion Merchandising	Burlington, NJ
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Burlington Coat Factory	Assistant Buyer	Fashion Merchandising	Burlington, NJ
Burlington Coat Factory	Assistant Buyer	Fashion Merchandising	Burlington, NJ
Charming Shoppes	Assistant Buyer	Fashion Merchandising	Philadelphia, PA
Charming Shoppes	E-Commerce Merchandise Administrator	Fashion Merchandising	Bensalem, PA
City Controllers Office	Auditor	Accounting	Philadelphia, PA
Commerce Insurance	Customer Service Account Manager	Marketing	Cherry Hill, NJ
Coty Prestige	Account Executive	Marketing	New York, NY
David's Bridal	Visual Merchandising Coordinator	Fashion Merchandising	Conshohocken, PA
Department of Veterans Affairs	Accountant	Accounting	Philadelphia, PA
EDS	Information Associate	MIS	Cherry Hill, NJ
Enterprise Rent-A-Car	Management Trainee	International Business	Flushing, NY
Enterprise Rent-A-Car	Management Trainee	Management	Philadelphia, PA
Estee Lauder	Production Supervisor	MIS	Treose, PA
eXude Benefits	Communication Specialist	Marketing	Philadelphia, PA
Fastenal, Inc.	Outside Sales Rep	Marketing	Philadelphia, PA
GAP	Presentation Director	Fashion Merchandising	Southbury, CT
Glaceau	Sales Manager	Management	Philadelphia, PA
Intermark Media	Campaign Coordinator	Fashion Merchandising	Woodbury, NJ
J McGloughlin	Planner	Fashion Merchandising	New York, NY
Joell Glauser, P.C.	Staff Accountant	Accounting	Treose, PA
Knit Wit	Assistant Boutique Website	Fashion Merchandising	Philadelphia, PA
Kohl's	Manager in Training	Fashion Merchandising	Bensalem, PA
Kuhlman Stores	Sales Representative	Fashion Merchandising	New York, NY

Kwik Goal LTD	Sales and Service Associate	Management	Quakertown, PA
Larson Allen	Staff Accountant	Accounting	Blue Bell, PA
Lilly Pulitzer	Production Associate	Fashion Merchandising	King of Prussia, PA
Limited Brands	Assistant Manager	Fashion Merchandising	Freehold, NJ
Linens-N-Things	Assistant Buyer	Fashion Merchandising	Clifton, NJ
Morgan, Lewis & Bockius	Data Analyst	Marketing	Philadelphia, PA
Mothers Work	Assistant Buyer	Fashion Merchandising	Philadelphia, PA
Nine West	Assistant Manager	Fashion Merchandising	Mt. Laurel, NJ
NY Life Insurance Company	Assistant Accountant	Finance	New York, NY
PA College of Optometry	Senior Staff Accountant	Accounting	Elkins Park, PA
Philadelphia Eagles	Event Services Coordinator	MIS	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia Insurance Companies	Underwriter Trainee	Finance	Bala Cynwyd, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Ecommerce	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Fashion Merchandising	Philadelphia, PA
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Philadelphia University	MBA	Fashion Merchandising	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Finance	Philadelphia, PA
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Philadelphia University	MBA	Finance	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Management	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Pre-MBA	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Pre-MBA	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Pre-MBA	Philadelphia, PA
PricewaterhouseCoopers	Associate	Accounting	Philadelphia, PA
PricewaterhouseCoopers	Auditor	Finance	Philadelphia, PA
QVC, Inc.	Product Engineer	Fashion Merchandising	West Chester, PA
QVC, Inc.	QA Apparel	Fashion Merchandising	West Chester, PA
QVC, Inc.	Planner Trainee	Fashion Merchandising	West Chester, PA
Rohm & Haas	Financial Analyst	Accounting	Philadelphia, PA
Rosenberg, Pastor & Haig	Staff Accountant	Accounting	Bensalem, PA
Ruiz-Mesa Insurance	Insurance Agent	Fashion Merchandising	Vineland, NJ
SEI Investments	Operations Administrator	Marketing	Oaks, PA
SEI Investments	Fund Account Analyst	MIS	Oaks, PA
Smart & Associates	Staff Auditor	Accounting	Devon, PA
Spiegel Brand, Inc	Merchandise Trainee	Fashion Merchandising	New York, NY
Storehouse Furniture	Design Consultant	Management	Philadelphia, PA
T. Rowe Price	IRA Service Associate	Finance	Baltimore, MD
Tafford Manufacturing	Merchandise Assistant	Fashion Merchandising	North Wales, PA
Target	Executive Team Leader	Fashion Merchandising	Plymouth Meeting, PA
Target	Executive Team Leader	Fashion Merchandising	Springfield, PA
Target	Executive Team Leader	Fashion Merchandising	Springfield, PA
Target	Executive Team Leader	Marketing	Philadelphia, PA
TH Properties	Finance Associate	Finance	Harleysville, PA
The Little Shoe Box	Store Manager	Fashion Merchandising	Towson, MD
The Vanguard Group	Accelerated Financial Professional Program	International Business	Malvern, PA

Tom James
U.S. Air Force
University of North Texas
University of Sciences

Ventiv Pharmaceuticals
Victoria's Secret
Zodiac Esco

Marketing Assistant
Air Force Officer
MFA
Admissions Counselor
Pharmaceutical Sales
Representative
Co-Manager
Contracts Administrator

Marketing
Management
Fashion Merchandising
Marketing

Marketing
Fashion Merchandising
International Business

Conshohocken, PA

Denton, TX
Philadelphia, PA

Hackensack, NJ
Ardmore, PA
Logan Township, NJ

School of Design & Media

Graduates Responding: 65 Reported Post-Graduate Plans: 43 (66%) Graduate School: 3 (5%)

ACADEMIC MAJOR	PLACEMENT RATE	AVERAGE SALARY	SALARY RANGE
Digital Design	70%	\$40,285	\$35,000-\$45,000
Graphic Design	53%	\$31,600	\$25,000-\$40,000
Industrial Design	94%	\$31,200	\$25,000-\$36,000

Company/University	Position/Degree	Major	Location
Advertising Agency	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
Agency.com	Associate Designer	Digital Design	New York, NY
Agency.com	Associate Designer	Digital Design	New York, NY
Amuneal	Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Amuneal	Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Big Books Directories	Designer	Graphic Design	King of Prussia, PA
Body Glove	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Redondo Beach, CA
Brandimation	Freelance Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Burnlounge Inc.	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	New York, NY
Cal Ostlund Inc.	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Kenilworth, NJ
Cloud Gehshon Associates	Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Code & Theory	Jr. Interactive Designer	Digital Design	New York, NY
Connor Communications	Junior Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Montclair, NJ
DesignDesign	Independent Contractor	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Fairfield University	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Fairfield, CT
FMC Technologies	Marketing Assistant	Graphic Design	Chalfont, PA
Freelance	Freelance Designer	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
H2Gen Innovations, Inc.	Freelance Designer	Industrial Design	Alexandria, VA
Jesse James & Company	Freelance Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Jewelry Design	Freelance Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA
Lasko Products	Model Maker	Industrial Design	West Chester, PA
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Michael Graves Design Group	Junior Designer	Industrial Design	Princeton, NJ
Miskeen Originals	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Camden, NJ
NBC Universal	Web Designer	Digital Design	Bala Cynwyd, PA
New Balance	Junior Designer	Industrial Design	Boston, MA
NYC Moves Magazine	Junior Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	New York, NY
PAR Technology Inc.	Graphic & Multimedia Designer	Graphic Design	Hew Hartford, NY
Paradigm Visions	Graphic Designer	Digital Design	Newtown, PA
Philadelphia City Paper	Production Artist	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
Play Philadelphia	Designer	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
PMVB, Inc.	Marketing Coordinator	Industrial Design	Stroudsburg, PA
Profit Point	Graphic Designer	Graphic Design	Havertown, PA
Quickshutter Productions	Freelance Designer	Digital Design	Glenolden, PA
Sago Graphics	Graphic Production Coordinator Marketing Communications	Graphic Design	Palm, PA
Sparks	Designer	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
Tague Lumber	Estimator/Outside Sales Rep	Digital Design	Phoenixville, PA
Westinghouse	Staff Artist	Graphic Design	Philadelphia, PA
Zelkowitz Design	Designer	Industrial Design	Philadelphia, PA

Temple University School of Medicine
The Credo Group
Thomas Jefferson
Villanova University
Villanova University

MD
Jr. Business Analyst
MS in OT
MA
MA

Pre-Med
CIS
Psychology
Psychology
Psychology

Philadelphia, PA
Warminster, PA
Philadelphia, PA
Villanova, PA
Villanova, PA

School of Engineering & Textiles

Graduates Responding: 75 Reported Post-Graduate Plans: 50 (66.66%) Graduate School: 2 (2.6%)

ACADEMIC MAJOR	PLACEMENT RATE	AVERAGE SALARY	SALARY RANGE
Fashion Design	67%	\$33,200	\$25,000-\$40,000
Fashion Industry Mgmt.	71%	\$32,900	\$28,000-\$40,000
Textile Design	85%	\$35,000	\$23,000-\$45,000
Textile Technology	50%	N/A	N/A

Company/University	Position/Degree	Major	Location
A Wish Come True	Designer	Fashion Design	Bristol, PA
Anne Fontaine	Retail Key Holder	FIM	Short Hills, NJ
Boscov's	Assistant Buyer	FIM	Reading, PA
Boscov's	Merchandise Trainee	FIM	Reading, PA
Buckle	Management Trainee	FIM	King of Prussia, PA
Burlington Coat Factory	Assistant Buyer	FIM	Burlington, NJ
Cato Corporation	Technical Specialist	Fashion Design	Charlotte, NC
Charming Shoppes, Inc.	CAD/PD Intern	Fashion Design	Bensalem, PA
Children's Apparel Network	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Craftex Mills	Intern	Textile Design	Blue Bell, PA
Defense Logistics Agency	Quality Assurance Specialist	Fashion Design	Philadelphia, PA
Dillard's	Assistant Childrenswear Designer	Fashion Design	Little Rock, AR
Donna Karan International	Merchandise Coordinator	FIM	New York, NY
Echo Design	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Elie Tahari	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Elie Tahari	Jr. Technical Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
F8	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	London, UK
Forevermi/Rogers FMI	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Frank Agostino	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	Bryn Mawr, PA
Frank Agostino	Design Assistant	Fashion Design	Bryn Mawr, PA
Gloria Vanderbilt Denim Division of Jones Apparel Group	Fabric Assistant	Textile Design	New York, NY
Hartstrings, LLC	Assistant Designer	Textile Design	Strafford, PA
J&R Roofing Company	Payroll Administrator	Fashion Design	Jessup, MD
Jacqueline's Interior Design Studio	Interior Design Assistant	Fashion Design	Cherry Hill, NJ
Jones Apparel Group	Fabric Assistant	Textile Design	New York, NY
Jones New York	Assistant Design Coordinator	Fashion Design	Bristol, PA
Jones New York	Designer	Textile Design	New York, NY
Liz Claiborne, Inc.	Design Intern	Fashion Design	North Bergen, NJ
Loris Diran Couture	Patternmaker/Sample Maker Intern	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Mothers Work	Intern	Fashion Design	Philadelphia, PA
Mothers Work	Technical Design Apprentice	Fashion Design	Philadelphia, PA
Mothers Work	Designer - Pea in the Pod	Fashion Design	Philadelphia, PA
Mothers Work	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	Philadelphia, PA
Nannette	Design & Production Assistant	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Nike	Global Materials	Fashion Design	Beaverton, Oregon
Philadelphia University	MBA	FIM	Philadelphia, PA
Philadelphia University	MBA	FIM	Philadelphia, PA
Plays in the Park	Costume Designer	Fashion Design	Edison, NJ
Ralph Lauren	Design Assistant	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Ralph Lauren Childrenswear	Assistant Designer for Girls Wovens	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Scarlett/Bill Blass	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Secant Medical	R&D Engineer	Technology	Perkasie, PA

SouthPole	Design Assistant	Fashion Design	Fort Lee, NJ
Talbots-Kids	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	New York, NY
Under Armour, Inc.	Women's Apparel Safety	FIM	Baltimore, MD
Unger Fabrik	Assistant Designer	Fashion Design	Los Angeles, CA
Urban Outfitters, Inc.	Merchandise Assistant	FIM	Philadelphia, PA
Vantage Apparel	Technical Designer	FIM	Avenel, NJ
Vince	Account Executive	FIM	New York, NY
Wearbest	CAD Designer	Textile Design	Garfield, NJ
Woolrich	Design Assistant	Fashion Design	Woolrich, PA
Zerolito-Gerhard & Due Process			
Stables Trading Co.	Director, Apparel & Textiles	Fashion Design	Colts Neck, NJ

Graduate Schools Offering Admission

AIU London
Brooklyn College
Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine
Philadelphia University
Temple University School of Medicine
Thomas Jefferson University
University of Pennsylvania
Villanova University