# UCUES Student Response Summary Reports - 2012 System-Wide

## PLANS & ASPIRATIONS

### Post-graduation plan

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## Highest degree desire to earn eventually

| Highest degree desire to earn eventually | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | #   | %    | Total |
|----------------------------------------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|
| Bachelor's degree (BA, BS, etc.)       | 6,578 | 12.6 | 720 | 1.4 | 5,251 | 10.0 | 3,832 | 7.3 | 7,978 | 15.2 | 2,778 | 5.3 | 2,479 | 4.7 | 4,699 | 9.0 | 9,019 | 17.2 | 1,827 | 3.5 | 7,234 | 13.8 | 52,395 | 100 |
| Teaching credential                    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Business master's (MBA)               |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Other professional master's (MEd, MPP, MPH, MFA, MLIS, MSN, M.Arch, etc.) |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Academic master's (MA, MS, etc.)      |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Law degree (LLB or JD)                |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Medical doctorate other than MD (DO, DDS, DVM, etc.) |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Medical doctor (MD)                   |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Doctorate (PhD, EdD, etc)             |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Multiple doctoral degrees (MD/PhD)    |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| I don't know yet                      |      |      |     |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |
| Total                                 | 52,395 | 100  |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |

What is the HIGHEST academic degree or credential that you plan to eventually earn?
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