

## Where did the 2005 Physics graduates go?

### I. Introduction

The information in this paper is extracted from the Graduate Employment Survey of 2005 to answer the following questions about Bachelor of Science in Physics graduates :-

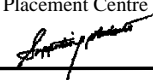
- How many were employed six months after graduation?
- Among those who pursued further studies, what programmes were they enrolled in?
- Among those who were employed full-time, how long did it take them to get their first job offer?
- In which sectors were they employed?
- How much salary did they receive?
- How many job offers did they receive?
- Who were their employers and what were their job titles?

### II. Employment Situations in 2005

Of the 11 graduates from this programme, 10 responded to the survey. Their employment situations are listed below.

	Physics				HKU Overall*			
	2005		2004		2005		2004	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>No. of respondents</b>	10	100%	16	100%	2273	100%	2361	100%
<b>Employed</b>	4	40%	10	63%	1786	79%	1787	76%
<b>Unemployed seeking F/T job</b>	0	0%	2	13%	12	0.5%	15	0.6%
<b>Further Studies</b>	6	60%	4	25%	457	20%	531	22%
<b>Emigrated/Returned to home country</b>	0	0%	0	0%	2	0.1%	7	0.3%
<b>Not seeking F/T job</b>	0	0%	0	0%	16	0.7%	21	0.9%

\* HKU Overall refers to the figure for the total HKU population and includes M.B.,B.S. and B.D.S. graduates.



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### III. Further Studies

6 graduates proceeded to postgraduate studies. The tables below show the academic programmes they pursued and their sources of funds.

Field of Study	Academic Programme		
	M.Phil.	Master (Coursework)	Postgraduate Certificate
Education	-	-	1
Science	4	1	-

Source of Funds	No. of Graduates
Own Funds	2
Teaching Assistantship/Studentship	4

### IV. Time Taken to Secure Employment

### V. Employment Sectors

### VI. Basic Salary and Gross Income

### VII. Number of Full-Time Job Offers

### VIII. Names of Employers and Job Titles

The information for the above sections is not disclosed due to privacy reason.



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- IX.** Similar information on graduates from other disciplines is available for reference in the Careers Library.  
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