

CLASS OF 2017

QUEENS
UNIVERSITY
of
CHARLOTTE

QUEENS GRADUATES / LEADING THE WAY

FIRST DESTINATION REPORT

OUTSTANDING GRADUATES. OUTSTANDING OUTCOMES.

97%



GRADUATES
who are employed,
in graduate school, completing an internship
or working for a service organization.

*Graduates who found a position
within nine months of graduation.*

94%

*Graduates who felt prepared
for their career.*

94%

*Graduates who accepted a position
related to their career goal.*

84%

Successful Graduates. Successful Employees.



100% completed at
least one internship



71% earned two degrees
or had either a double
major or a minor



100% completed a
community-based
learning experience

Data are gathered from post-graduation surveys. Internet sources such as LinkedIn, faculty and staff. The knowledge rate is calculated using data from these various sources. The Class of 2017 has a 93% knowledge rate. These statistics reflect traditional undergraduates. Transfer students with a certain number of credit hours are not required to complete an internship.

Top Organizations Employing Queens Graduates

- ▶ Ally Financial
- ▶ AmeriCorps VISTA
- ▶ Atrium Health
- ▶ Bechtler Museum of Modern Art
- ▶ Belk Corporation
- ▶ Boston Children's Hospital/Harvard University
- ▶ Carolina Panthers
- ▶ Catawba Lands Conservancy
- ▶ Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools
- ▶ Continental Tires
- ▶ Deloitte
- ▶ Duke University Hospital
- ▶ Ford Motor Company
- ▶ Fulbright Teaching Program
- ▶ Google Marketing Solutions
- ▶ The Hershey Company
- ▶ London Stock Exchange
- ▶ Lowe's Companies, Inc.
- ▶ Novant Health
- ▶ Office of the Georgia Attorney General
- ▶ PNC
- ▶ Red Ventures
- ▶ Siemens Energy
- ▶ UNC Healthcare
- ▶ Vanguard
- ▶ Walt Disney World
- ▶ WCNC-TV (NBC Charlotte)
- ▶ Wells Fargo
- ▶ Yelp
- ▶ YMCA

Top Schools Recruiting Our Graduates

- ▶ Boston College
- ▶ Clemson University
- ▶ Elon University School of Law
- ▶ Georgetown University
- ▶ Princeton University
- ▶ Queens University of Charlotte
- ▶ Rice University
- ▶ Texas A&M University
- ▶ University of Cambridge
- ▶ University of Georgia
- ▶ University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- ▶ University of South Carolina
- ▶ University of Tennessee
- ▶ Vanderbilt University
- ▶ Wake Forest University

Academic Internships

- ▶ Ally Financial
- ▶ Atrium Health
- ▶ Bank of America
- ▶ BASF Corporation
- ▶ Bechtler Museum of Modern Art
- ▶ Blumenthal Performing Arts
- ▶ Carolina Panthers
- ▶ Carolina Raptor Center
- ▶ Charlotte Center City Partners
- ▶ Charlotte Hornets
- ▶ Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools
- ▶ Charlotte Observer
- ▶ City of Charlotte Office of International Relations
- ▶ Coca-Cola Consolidated
- ▶ Compass Group USA
- ▶ Discovery Place
- ▶ Duke Energy
- ▶ Electrolux North America
- ▶ Ford Motor Company
- ▶ Habitat for Humanity Charlotte
- ▶ Johnson & Johnson
- ▶ McColl Center for Art + Innovation
- ▶ Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation
- ▶ Merrill Lynch
- ▶ NC State Bureau of Investigation
- ▶ Novant Health
- ▶ OrthoCarolina
- ▶ PBS Television
- ▶ Red Ventures
- ▶ Ryan Seacrest Foundation at Levine Children's Hospital
- ▶ Samaritan's Feet
- ▶ Siemens Energy
- ▶ SPX Corporation
- ▶ U.S. Department of Commerce
- ▶ UTC Aerospace Systems
- ▶ Wells Fargo
- ▶ YMCA

“Queens is remarkable at preparing students for the professional realm. I continue to be impressed with their level of curiosity, engagement and preparedness.”

—Kimberly Blue, Sr. HR Business Partner,
ESPN

FORMER STUDENTS. CURRENT SUCCESS STORIES.



LYDIA DRAKEFORD '17

**Business Administration Major, McColl School of Business
Associate Account Strategist, Google Marketing Solutions**

"The professors and Career Center staff truly gave me the support and confidence throughout my years on campus to go after internships and really build my personal brand."



NICK MCCAUSLIN '17

**Environmental Studies Major, College of Arts and Sciences
JD Candidate at Wake Forest University School of Law**

"Queens' liberal arts education provided me with the skills needed to be successful in law school and broadened my perspectives of the world. I was also able to pursue my scientific interests while taking classes in other departments to craft a truly interdisciplinary experience."



CLAIRE LECHTENBERG '17

**Communication Major, Knight School of Communication and
English Creative Writing Major, College of Arts and Sciences
Marketing Coordinator at YWCA Central Carolinas**

"Each day, I incorporate the skills that I learned and enhanced during my time at Queens. Whether it's content writing, public speaking, editing or photography, I know that I'm qualified for the position that I hold today and that's thanks to the knowledge, support and passion of the professors and staff of the Queens community."



COREY A. BROWN '17

**Biochemistry Major, College of Arts and Sciences
Masters of Engineering Candidate at University of Toronto
MD Candidate at Meharry Medical College**

"Queens provided me with immense opportunities to be successful as a student-athlete. I was able to grow as I pursued my academic and athletic goals. I'm so glad I started my journey at Queens."



MIKAILAH WALLACE '17

**Elementary Education Major, Cato School of Education
1st Grade Teacher at Nations Ford Elementary**

"Through the guidance of my professors and the staff at Queens, I maximized my college experience with impactful learning opportunities. I was able to observe numerous schools during my four years at Queens and see the realities that teachers face before I entered my own classroom."



WILL ROBERSON '17

**Sport Management Major, Blair College of Health
Ticket Sales & Operations, Carolina Panthers**

"One of the things I loved most about attending Queens was the ability to truly get involved around campus, all while focusing on my future career. I was able to be a part of a conference championship team, network and learn from incredible professors, serve in numerous clubs and organizations, and ultimately complete a number of internships which led to job offers after graduation."