

University of Memphis Graduates Summer 2018-Spring 2023: Median Salary, Average Debt, and Time to Completion

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Baccalaureate	B.S. in Biomedical Engineering	Biomedical Engineering	225	31.1%	3.6	4.5	110	\$65,634	61	\$20,809
		Mathematical Sciences	19	15.8%	2.5	4.1	14	\$61,104	*	*
		Physics	6	.	2.7	4.3	6	\$63,360	6	\$27,000
	B.S. in Chemistry	Chemistry	6	83.3%	3.7	4.0	*	*	*	*
	B.S. in Civil Engineering	Civil Engineering	155	12.9%	3.5	4.9	102	\$70,200	44	\$26,703
		Mathematical Sciences	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Computer Engineering	97	16.5%	3.7	5.2	43	\$67,312	30	\$26,548
	B.S. in Computer Engineering	Mathematical Sciences	10	50.0%	3.5	5.5	4	\$69,476	4	\$4,500
		Health Studies	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Health and Human Performance	40	47.5%	3.8	4.6	13	\$38,261	19	\$27,000
	B.S. in Education	Human Development and Learning	55	9.1%	3.3	4.1	36	\$53,598	26	\$20,750
		Integrative Studies	374	29.9%	1.9	4.6	209	\$42,663	110	\$27,000
		Physical Ed for Teacher Ed	83	19.3%	3.0	4.6	42	\$59,954	29	\$22,750
	B.S. in Electrical Engineering	Sport and Leisure Management	41	9.8%	3.4	4.1	14	\$39,587	19	\$21,500
		Teaching All Learners	366	11.2%	2.9	3.8	283	\$57,674	96	\$23,397
		Electrical Engineering	122	13.1%	3.6	5.1	50	\$80,142	19	\$24,711
	B.S. in Engineering Technology	Mathematical Sciences	9	22.2%	3.0	4.8	4	\$79,007	*	*
		Physics	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Engineering Technology	217	4.6%	3.5	5.9	133	\$69,120	76	\$31,000

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	B.S. in Mechanical Engineering	Mathematical Sciences	20	25.0%	2.4	4.7	9	\$94,882	6	\$12,000
		Mechanical Engineering	251	9.6%	3.7	4.7	133	\$72,111	61	\$26,000
	B.S. in Nursing	Nursing	1776	4.8%	2.5	4.3	1,377	\$77,203	355	\$23,000
	Bachelor of Arts	Advertising	66	6.1%	2.7	4.0	38	\$39,716	23	\$22,750
		Afrcn and African Amer Studies	56	17.9%	3.0	4.5	13	\$40,353	20	\$28,000
		Anthropology	108	19.4%	3.4	4.9	45	\$45,508	38	\$20,000
		Art	7	14.3%	3.8	5.3	*	*	*	*
		Art History	20	15.0%	4.2	6.6	10	\$31,828	4	\$32,250
		Communication	402	13.2%	3.5	4.8	197	\$40,621	123	\$23,500
		Criminology and Criminal Justice	642	15.4%	3.6	4.5	368	\$44,392	238	\$26,000
		Earth Sciences	72	16.7%	3.1	4.7	18	\$36,085	28	\$23,250
		Economics	50	32.0%	2.7	4.5	12	\$58,780	20	\$20,222
		English	447	26.8%	3.5	4.7	186	\$38,972	128	\$22,251
		Foreign Languages	48	25.0%	3.6	4.9	18	\$34,607	14	\$26,173
		History	313	22.0%	3.4	4.6	124	\$40,804	92	\$24,780
		Hospitality and Resort Mgmt	177	5.6%	3.1	4.6	102	\$37,555	61	\$23,874
		International Studies	61	23.0%	3.1	4.0	18	\$33,451	22	\$20,500
		International and Global Studies	7	57.1%	0.7	3.5	*	*	*	*
		Journalism	253	15.4%	3.7	4.5	125	\$38,515	103	\$26,000
		Philosophy	104	24.0%	3.1	5.2	40	\$41,209	38	\$25,950
		Political Science	315	26.3%	3.4	4.3	125	\$42,582	116	\$20,625
		Psychology	1077	29.4%	3.4	4.4	489	\$37,315	281	\$23,850
		Public Relations	188	12.8%	2.6	4.2	97	\$45,970	56	\$23,625
		Social Work	361	34.6%	2.4	4.4	177	\$42,762	113	\$27,000
		Sociology	193	24.9%	3.0	4.9	85	\$42,549	65	\$25,250
		World Languages	295	31.2%	2.5	4.4	114	\$40,949	101	\$19,105
	Bachelor of Business Admin	Accounting	735	31.8%	3.1	4.5	406	\$58,226	166	\$22,625
		Business Economics	112	15.2%	2.9	3.7	56	\$49,846	33	\$23,320

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		Finance	554	17.7%	3.0	4.6	298	\$56,829	125	\$26,750
		International Business	145	15.2%	3.3	4.8	76	\$54,352	39	\$20,000
		Logistics Supply Chain Mgmt	178	6.2%	2.8	4.8	125	\$61,650	34	\$21,625
		Management	653	9.0%	2.9	4.6	396	\$50,337	170	\$25,833
		Management Information Systems	352	10.8%	2.8	5.4	196	\$54,245	92	\$27,000
		Marketing	19	5.3%	1.2	3.8	10	\$43,075	*	*
		Marketing Management	498	10.0%	3.0	4.3	290	\$49,970	133	\$21,540
	Bachelor of Fine Arts	Architecture Undergraduate	47	40.4%	4.4	5.0	9	\$51,508	13	\$28,892
		Art	300	4.3%	4.1	4.7	136	\$34,408	94	\$23,750
		Interior Architecture	94	23.4%	3.1	4.8	52	\$48,185	22	\$24,984
		Theater	143	4.9%	3.6	3.9	46	\$35,227	61	\$18,272
	Bachelor of Liberal Studies	Interdisciplinary Studies RODP	384	18.8%	2.9	8.6	169	\$50,909	60	\$35,407
		Liberal Studies	96	16.7%	2.0	6.8	45	\$45,286	26	\$27,830
	Bachelor of Music	Music	169	24.9%	4.3	4.8	75	\$46,336	54	\$16,366
		Music Industry	125	6.4%	3.7	4.8	52	\$27,201	65	\$24,750
	Bachelor of Prof Studies	Professional Studies	1591	17.9%	2.9	6.2	889	\$46,963	358	\$26,000
	Bachelor of Science	Biology	500	29.2%	3.4	4.2	250	\$38,025	113	\$22,819
		Chemistry	176	40.3%	3.3	4.3	74	\$43,946	43	\$24,713
		Commercial Aviation	16	.	2.1	4.6	11	\$41,755	8	\$19,894
		Computer Science	345	12.5%	3.6	4.5	182	\$64,834	72	\$23,250
		Health Studies	2218	31.4%	2.4	4.2	1,092	\$38,365	666	\$25,005
		Mathematical Sciences	125	36.8%	3.0	4.9	51	\$53,385	26	\$19,880
		Physics	27	37.0%	3.5	4.1	4	\$60,036	7	\$22,805
		Public Health	6	16.7%	2.3	6.9	5	\$37,273	*	*

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		Sport and Leisure Management	261	27.6%	3.0	3.9	113	\$42,976	72	\$19,849
Baccalaureate			19011	19.8%	3.0	4.7	10,102	\$50,139	5,208	\$24,250
Doctoral	Doctor of Audiology	Audiology	76	1.3%	3.7	3.7	21	\$79,193	51	\$49,840
	Doctor of Education	Counseling	5	.	10.7	11.7	*	*	*	*
		Higher and Adult Education	48	4.2%	6.2	8.6	24	\$103,794	22	\$57,845
		Instr and Curr Leadership	76	6.6%	6.1	8.2	38	\$96,545	41	\$58,256
		Leadership and Policy Studies	57	5.3%	5.4	10.5	45	\$103,531	33	\$51,770
	Doctor of Liberal Studies	Liberal Studies	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Doctor of Musical Arts	Music	46	6.5%	7.0	7.0	7	\$64,218	22	\$53,127
	Doctor of Philosophy	Applied Physics	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Biology	27	3.7%	5.6	5.6	15	\$61,000	5	\$52,670
		Biomedical Engineering	16	6.3%	5.9	5.9	6	\$79,443	*	*
		Business Administration	36	.	5.7	6.2	10	\$88,991	9	\$45,994
		Chemistry	23	.	5.6	5.6	8	\$60,961	6	\$38,030
		Communication	28	.	5.6	6.1	*	*	16	\$67,849
		Communication Sciences and Disorder	17	.	4.9	5.5	*	*	5	\$99,133
		Computer Science	30	.	6.4	6.6	8	\$86,187	*	*
		Counseling Psychology	44	.	4.7	5.7	*	*	35	\$65,667
		Counselor Education and Supervision	27	3.7%	1.8	7.9	15	\$84,300	13	\$50,186
		Earth Sciences	23	8.7%	5.9	7.6	*	*	5	\$19,721

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		Ed Psychology and Research	33	.	6.4	7.8	16	\$92,679	15	\$62,570
		Engineering	76	2.6%	4.8	5.2	16	\$92,008	*	*
		English	69	2.9%	6.9	7.5	20	\$57,429	17	\$45,570
		Epidemiology	22	.	4.5	5.4	12	\$61,000	6	\$18,159
		Health Systems and Policy	9	11.1%	3.8	5.6	*	*	*	*
		History	27	7.4%	10.6	11.1	12	\$59,045	17	\$62,658
		Mathematical Sciences	27	.	6.1	6.2	5	\$78,416	4	\$42,300
		Music	9	.	8.6	9.3	*	*	4	\$35,444
		Nursing	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Philosophy	23	.	6.5	6.5	*	*	5	\$26,738
		Psychology	63	.	6.1	6.2	8	\$49,099	37	\$55,556
		Social and Behavioral Sciences	10	10.0%	4.2	4.5	*	*	*	*
	Doctor of Social Work	Social Work	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Doctoral			952	2.8%	5.7	6.8	310	\$80,851	382	\$53,085
Educational Specialist	Education Specialist	Education	51	2.0%	1.2	3.5	40	\$77,497	35	\$35,939
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Masters	International MBA	Business Administration IMBA	50	18.0%	1.4	1.4	24	\$45,882	20	\$16,897
	M S in Nursing	Nursing	505	3.0%	3.0	3.2	377	\$104,677	342	\$46,605
	M.A. in Liberal Studies	Liberal Studies	53	11.3%	2.6	3.0	12	\$66,889	36	\$41,000
	Master of Architecture	Architecture Graduate	35	2.9%	2.0	2.4	15	\$56,000	7	\$20,972
	Master of Arts	Anthropology	45	15.6%	2.6	2.7	14	\$57,481	26	\$25,912
		Art History	32	34.4%	2.7	2.8	*	*	18	\$29,772
		Communication	33	3.0%	2.2	2.6	15	\$48,170	17	\$30,767
		Criminal Justice	53	1.9%	2.1	2.1	30	\$43,820	27	\$27,229
		Earth Sciences	7	14.3%	4.4	6.1	4	\$77,145	4	\$51,476

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		Economics	27	33.3%	1.3	1.8	12	\$64,840	8	\$30,077
		English	73	23.3%	3.0	4.3	19	\$63,947	40	\$33,000
		History	55	20.0%	2.5	2.9	20	\$56,625	27	\$34,787
		Journalism	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Journalism and Strategic Media	72	5.6%	1.8	2.8	32	\$58,798	37	\$33,533
		Philosophy	15	60.0%	3.1	3.3	*	*	*	*
		Political Science	36	11.1%	1.8	1.8	16	\$53,026	10	\$25,184
		Romance Languages	40	30.0%	2.8	2.9	16	\$52,588	12	\$25,157
		School Psychology	26	76.9%	1.4	1.5	*	*	16	\$17,623
		Sociology	41	19.5%	1.8	1.8	13	\$51,166	19	\$28,914
		Speech Language Pathology	198	1.0%	1.9	2.0	46	\$63,423	128	\$33,681
	Master of Arts in Teaching	Instr and Curr Leadership	420	7.9%	2.5	3.4	351	\$61,522	240	\$28,583
	Master of Business Admin	Business Administration	947	9.1%	2.4	2.8	536	\$93,523	286	\$32,519
	Master of City & Regional Plng	City and Regional Planning	48	.	1.8	2.2	25	\$59,498	11	\$30,500
	Master of Fine Arts	Art	21	.	2.6	2.7	12	\$52,255	8	\$29,378
		Creative Writing	43	20.9%	3.2	3.9	17	\$32,364	19	\$31,522
		Theater	33	.	2.6	2.6	9	\$49,680	18	\$29,000
	Master of Health Admin	Health Administration	127	11.0%	1.7	2.1	47	\$74,540	71	\$30,912
	Master of Music	Music	126	31.0%	2.4	2.4	33	\$56,051	73	\$28,580
	Master of Nonprofit Management	Nonprofit Management	4	.	1.3	2.6	*	*	*	*
	Master of Professional Studies	Professional Studies	89	5.6%	3.1	3.4	36	\$69,297	60	\$46,524
	Master of Public Admin	Public Administration	78	15.4%	2.5	3.0	24	\$54,830	55	\$36,378

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	Master of Science	Accounting	229	2.6%	1.6	1.9	170	\$68,925	90	\$20,500
		Applied Computer Science	1	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Bioinformatics	10	20.0%	1.7	2.2	*	*	*	*
		Biology	28	57.1%	3.1	3.2	4	\$40,015	8	\$16,305
		Biomedical Engineering	40	22.5%	2.0	2.1	18	\$78,119	*	*
		Biostatistics	9	44.4%	2.3	3.1	*	*	*	*
		Business Administration	52	19.2%	3.0	3.0	33	\$73,377	24	\$19,634
		Chemistry	59	78.0%	2.1	2.1	*	*	12	\$28,281
		Civil Engineering	66	24.2%	2.4	3.2	25	\$67,900	7	\$21,260
		Computer Science	94	25.5%	2.4	2.7	32	\$89,319	6	\$13,591
		Counseling	238	9.7%	2.9	3.4	138	\$50,666	134	\$40,357
		Data Science	45	2.2%	1.4	1.6	7	\$83,400	*	*
		Earth Sciences	53	30.2%	2.7	2.7	13	\$52,988	12	\$19,595
		Ed Psychology and Research	27	29.6%	2.4	2.5	14	\$55,678	14	\$35,645
		Electrical and Computer Engr	51	23.5%	2.0	2.4	13	\$80,420	7	\$12,181
		Engineering Management	3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Engineering Technology	11	9.1%	2.4	3.3	6	\$90,781	6	\$30,878
		Health Studies	118	16.9%	1.9	2.1	51	\$50,746	70	\$30,760
		Health and Sport Sciences	2	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Information Systems	548	6.0%	1.7	2.0	96	\$87,490	50	\$27,220
		Instr and Curr Leadership	334	11.1%	2.5	3.3	206	\$63,038	202	\$39,906
		Leadership and Policy Studies	83	10.8%	1.8	4.0	59	\$63,002	43	\$31,722
		Mathematical Sciences	53	49.1%	2.7	3.8	11	\$65,064	11	\$18,509

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University of Memphis Graduates Summer 2018-Spring 2023: Median Salary, Average Debt, and Time to Completion

** indicates N below 4, Data redacted for confidentiality*

Level	Degree	Major	Number of Graduates	% Who Continued Their Education within One Yr of Graduation	Avg Years to Earn Degree Since Entry into Major	Avg Years to Earn Degree Since First Term Attended	Number with Earnings 1 Year After Graduation	Median Salary 1 Year After Graduation	Number with Debt	Median Debt at Graduation
		Mechanical Engineering	26	23.1%	2.2	2.3	9	\$83,734	4	\$24,693
		Nutrition	147	8.2%	1.7	1.8	71	\$56,529	81	\$31,979
		Physics	42	73.8%	2.0	2.1	*	*	6	\$20,896
		Psychology	86	62.8%	2.5	2.5	15	\$55,680	42	\$27,362
		Sport Commerce	26	19.2%	1.7	1.8	12	\$52,838	13	\$30,750
		Sport and Hospitality Management	147	9.5%	1.5	1.8	53	\$46,440	56	\$26,157
	Master of Social Work	Social Work	359	5.3%	2.0	2.4	217	\$51,509	263	\$39,016
Masters			6551	12.9%	2.3	2.7	3,157	\$65,743	2,913	\$33,000
Professional	Juris Doctor	Law	612	1.5%	2.7	2.7	348	\$67,181	487	\$87,608
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UG Certificate	Certificate <= 1 year	Culinary Essentials	21	4.8%	0.8	3.4	11	\$44,800	17	\$9,500
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