

Career and Technical Education Follow-Up Study

Danville Area Community College 2015 Summer – 2016 Spring Graduates

All responses are strictly confidential and will be reported in groups only

Responses: 99 of 413 (24%)

1. What was your main reason for attending DACC? (select only one)

- 75 1. Obtain skills needed for entry into a new or different job
- 8 2. Improve skills needed in my present job
- 5 3. Explore courses to decide on a career
- 5 4. Take courses for transfer to another college or university
- 6 5. Take courses for personal interest or self-development

2. What is your educational status today? (select only one)

- 63 1. Have not been enrolled in a college or university since leaving DACC
- 1 2. Have been enrolled in another college or university since DACC, but not currently enrolled
- 30 3. Currently enrolled in a field of study related to the program
- 5 4. Currently enrolled in a field of study unrelated to the program

3. What is your employment status today? (select only one) If you are not employed, skip to question 10

- 59 1. Employed full-time (30 or more hours per week)
- 26 2. Employed part-time (less than 30 hours per week)
- 0 3. Full-time military service
- 8 4. Unemployed, seeking employment
- 4 5. Unemployed, not seeking employment for the following reason (select only one):
 - 6 Full-time student
 - 0 Full-time homemaker
 - 1 Health disability
 - 1 Family responsibilities preventing you
 - Other _____

4. How closely is your job related to your program of study? (select only one)

- 71 1. Related
- 18 2. Unrelated, because of (select only one):
 - 0 Preferred to work in another field
 - 2 Found a better paying job in another field
 - 6 Could not find a job in this field
 - 0 Worked previously in this field, but changed
 - 0 Preferred not to move to a new location
 - 6 Temporary job while in transition (in college, between jobs, or summer employment)
 - 2 Took job in order to get preferred working hours
 - 1 Did not complete the program, or pass licensing test
 - 0 Health problems prevented me from working in this field
 - 1 Other _____

5. Working hours per week? (do not include over-time)

Average number of working hours per week? _____

6. What is your present hourly salary before deductions? (include commissions, but not over-time pay)

\$ _____ Per hour

7. In general, how satisfied are you with your present job? (select only one)

- 46 1. Very satisfied
- 33 2. Somewhat satisfied
- 5 3. Somewhat dissatisfied
- 4 4. Very dissatisfied

8. When did you begin working in your present job? (select only one)

- 13 1. Before entering the program
- 26 2. While enrolled in the program
- 49 3. After leaving the program

9. What is the location of your primary place of employment? (select only one)

- 44 1. Within the Danville Area Community College district
- 34 2. Outside of the Danville Area Community College district, but within Illinois
- 8 3. Out of State **8 Indiana**

10. Please rate the following items as they pertain to skills courses in your program of study

				4-Very satisfied	3-Somewhat satisfied	2Somewhat dissatisfied	1-Very dissatisfied
a.	Content of courses in this program	ave. 3.40	satisfied 89%	57	30	4	7
b.	Lectures, labs, group and individual projects	3.40	85%	61	22	8	7
c.	Equipment, facilities and materials	3.37	87%	56	29	6	7
d.	Job preparation	3.24	82%	53	27	7	11
e.	Preparation for further education	3.32	85%	51	31	10	5
f.	Information on employment opportunities	3.21	78%	52	24	10	11

11. Please rate the following items as they pertain to skills courses NOT in your program of study

				4-Very satisfied	3-Somewhat satisfied	2Somewhat dissatisfied	1-Very dissatisfied
a.	Content of courses in this program	ave. 3.18	satisfied 81%	28	22	7	5
b.	Lectures, labs, group and individual projects	3.29	84%	33	19	5	5
c.	Equipment, facilities and materials	3.31	82%	37	14	4	7
d.	Job preparation	3.02	76%	23	24	8	7
e.	Preparation for further education	3.11	76%	28	19	9	6

12. Please rate your satisfaction with each DACC office or service below, or check those that you did not use

				4-Very satisfied	3Somewhat satisfied	2Somewhat dissatisfied	1-Very dissatisfied	Did Not Use Services
a.	Financial Aid Services	ave. 3.37	satisfied 84%	46	15	5	7	25
b.	Academic Advising	3.21	80%	40	20	6	9	22
c.	Career Planning	3.09	77%	28	16	3	10	40
d.	College Planning	3.05	78%	15	14	3	5	60
e.	Counseling Services	3.00	73%	27	17	5	11	37
f.	Tutoring Services	3.14	76%	21	11	5	5	55
g.	Library/Audio Visual	3.44	93%	23	15	1	2	56
h.	Student Activities	3.30	85%	17	11	3	2	64

13. Please provide the following information if you are employed:

1. Primary Job Title:
2. Employer Name:
3. City: State:
4. Your Job Duties:

5. If you have any comments about DACC please us the space below: