The majority (70%) of Anthropology BA degree graduates had plans to pursue graduate education.
The vast majority (92%) of graduates with an Anthropology BA plan to obtain either a Masters degree or PhD.
Anthropology BA graduates were interested in pursuing advanced degrees in a variety of fields, the most popular of which were related to Social Sciences (28%).
UCSC Anthropology BA Graduates
Employment Plans

46% of graduates with a BA degree in Anthropology reported being employed within 6 months of graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
UCSC Anthropology BA Graduates
Employed vs Seeking Employment

Among those who are not going to graduate school after graduation….

More graduates with a BA degree in Anthropology were employed than seeking employment 6 months after graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
Of those employed, 61% of BA Anthropology graduates reported working in either the Business or Education sector within 6 months of graduation.
UCSC Anthropology BA Graduates
Employers & Job Titles

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
Fifty percent of graduates with a BA degree in Anthropology reported earning $31,320 annually or higher within 6 months of graduation.
42% of Anthropology BA graduates hoped to have a career in Education & Training after completing their education.
Nearly two out of every three (65%) Anthropology BA graduates reported that they plan to work locally in the Santa Cruz or San Francisco Bay Area.
UCSC Anthropology BA Graduates
When did they start looking for a job? (employed & seeking employment)

Half (49%) of Anthropology BA graduates began looking for a job at least 3 months before graduation.

Start the search early! Of those graduates who were employed full-time, 86% started searching for a job at least 3 months before graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
Of those employed, 47% of graduates with a BA degree in Anthropology received multiple job offers.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
Almost half (47%) of graduates reported that they found their internship either by using SlugQuest, by on-campus interviews, or networking with UCSC contacts.

Over two-thirds (68%) of graduates with an Anthropology BA had 1 or more internships during their studies at UCSC.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey