The majority (85%) of Latin American & Latino Studies BA degree graduates had plans to pursue graduate education.
The majority (77%) of graduates with a Latin American & Latino Studies Major plan to obtain either a Masters degree or PhD.
Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates were interested in pursuing advanced degrees in a variety of fields, the most popular of which were related to Education (25%), Legal Professions and Studies (20%), and Social Sciences (20%).
Over half (51%) of graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies reported being employed within 6 months of graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
More graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies were employed than seeking employment 6 months after graduation.
Of those employed, 60% of Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates reported working in the Education sector within 6 months of graduation.
UCSC Latin American & Latino Studies 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 Latin American & Latino Studies reported earning $29,232 annually or higher within 6 months of graduation.
42% of Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates hoped to have a career in Education & Training after completing their education.
More than half (57%) of Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates reported that they plan to work locally in the Santa Cruz or San Francisco Bay Area.
UCSC Latin American & Latino Studies BA Graduates
When did they start looking for a job? (employed & seeking employment)

About half (48%) of Latin American & Latino Studies 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, 71% started searching for a job at least 3 months before graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
UCSC Latin American & Latino Studies BA Graduates
How many job offers did they receive?

Of those employed, one-third (33%) of graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies received more than one job offer.

Data from 2014-2015 and 2015-2016 Graduating Classes
UCSC First Destination Survey
56% of graduates reported that they found their internship via UCSC resources – through SlugQuest, on-campus interviews, UCSC Career Center Fair, or networking with UCSC contacts.

67% of graduates with a Latin American & Latino Studies BA had 1 or more internships during their studies at UCSC.

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