This report represents data from 1,683 (80%) members of the Class of 2018. 2,112 undergraduate students graduated in Fall 2017, Winter 2018, Spring 2018, and Summer 2018, according to the University Registrar.

### WHERE IS THE CLASS OF 2018 NOW?
Within six months of graduation:
- 72% were employed
- 23% were enrolled in graduate or professional school, or participating in a fellowship
- 1% were engaged in military service, volunteer work, or other career-related activities
- 3% were actively job searching
- 1% were actively applying to graduate or professional school

### CLASS OF 2018 EMPLOYMENT
1,214 (72%) recent graduates were employed six months after graduation. Industry information was available for 1,158 of these graduates.

#### SALARY INFORMATION
Starting salary information was available for 518 of the recent graduates who were employed full-time six months after graduation. The average salary overall was $59,104. Salary data is influenced by the industry a student selects.

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<th>SCHOOL/COLLEGE</th>
<th>NUMBER OF RECENT GRADUATES</th>
<th>AVERAGE SALARY</th>
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<td>Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences</td>
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<td>McCormick School of Engineering and Applied Science</td>
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**WHERE ARE THEY WORKING?**

- **48% IL**
- **12% CA**
- **16% CT, NJ, NY**
- **3% South/Southeast AL, FL, GA, KY, NC, TN**
- **2% South Central AR, OK, TX**
- **2% outside the U.S.**
- **2% Northwest ID, OR, WA**
- **2% Southwest AZ, CO, NM, UT**
- **5% Midwest IA, IN, MI, MN, MO, NE, OH, SD, WI**
- **2% New England MA**
- **6% Mid-Atlantic MD, PA, VA, Washington D.C.**

Locations were available for 1,108 employed recent graduates.

**EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES, INTERNSHIPS, RESEARCH, AND DEEP INVOLVEMENT**

**EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES**
As part of the 2018 Post-Graduation Survey (one source of information for this study), recent graduates were given a list of 21 experiential learning opportunities and asked to check all those in which they had participated as undergraduates. 707 recent graduates responded to this question.

- **90%** reported that they had engaged in one or more experiential learning opportunities.

**INTERNSHIPS**
- **76%** reported that they had participated in one or more internship experiences.

**RESEARCH**
- **58%** reported that they had participated in one or more research experiences.

**DEEP INVOLVEMENT**
- **91%** reported that they had been “deeply” involved in one or more student organizations, clubs, or varsity athletics.

If you have questions about this study, please contact the Executive Director of Northwestern Career Advancement, Dr. Mark Presnell, at mark.presnell@northwestern.edu.

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