

Employment Summary – MPA, 2025

- The employment rate for the MPA program is calculated at 6 months following graduation as required by NASPAA.
- Students employed in a position related to their degree program while in school and continuing in that employment post-graduation are included in employment rates.
- Selected employers and positions highlight the range of career interests.

MPA	2021-22	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
Employed in position related to degree	92%	83%	100%	90%	85%
• Public sector	67%	75%	90%	80%	46%
• Nonprofit sector	8%	8%	0%	10%	8%
• Private sector	17%	0%	0%	0%	8%
					23%
Continuing education	0%	0%	0%	0%	8%
Position unrelated to degree/seeking employment	8%	0%	0%	0%	-
Unknown	-	-	-	-	8%
Number of graduates	12	12	21	10	13

*Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

Public Sector Employer	Position
Western Regional Educator Network Lane ESD and Linn Benton Lincoln ESD, Eugene, OR	Data Coordinator
U.S. Coast Guard, Chicago, IL	Chief of Waterways Management at Marine Safety Unit
Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, Palikir, Pohnpei, FM	Geographic Information Data Specialist
Oregon Representative Nancy Nathanson, Eugene, OR	Legislative Director
City of Olympia, WA	Performance Management Analyst
New York State Division of the Budget, Albany, NY	Budget Examiner
Oregon Representative Maxine Dexter, Salem, OR	Chief of Staff
City of Veneta, OR	Management Analyst
Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation, Detroit, MI	Grant Analyst
City of Philadelphia (PA) City Council	Policy Analyst
Bureau of Land Management, Prineville, OR	Public Affairs Officer
Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua & Siuslaw Indians logo	Tribal Engagement Youth Specialist
Nonprofit Sector Employer	Position
FOOD for Lane County, Eugene, OR	Partner Agency Coordinator
Cascadia Health, Portland, OR	Planning and Operations Administrator
Looking Glass Community Services, Eugene, OR	Development Coordinator
Lane Council of Governments, Eugene, OR	Development Coordinator
PennFuture, Harrisburg, PA	Advocacy Manager
Private Sector Employer	Position
Affordable Housing Consultants, Boston, MA	Research Associate
National Political & Labor Director, Washington, DC	National Political & Labor Director
Sorenson Law Office, Eugene, OR	Legal Assistant
Jensen Strategies, Portland, OR	Project Associate