

# 2015 Master's Degree Graduates Six Months after Graduation First Destination EMPLOYMENT BY SECTOR

## Academic (K-Higher Education)

- Environmental Leadership Training Initiative at Yale University, Program Associate, New Haven, CT
- University of Maryland, MARRISA Project Assistant, Washington, D.C.
- Yale Center for Environmental Law and Policy, Analyst, New Haven, CT
- Yale Environmental Performance Index, Research Fellow, New Haven, CT
- Yale Environmental Performance Index, Research Fellow, New Haven, CT
- Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, Assistant Editor, New Haven, CT
- Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, Case Study Integration Manager, New Haven, CT
- Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, Research Assistant, New Haven, CT
- Yale University, Assistant Forest Manager, New Haven, CT
- Yale University, Fox International Fellow, New Haven, CT
- Yale University, Metrics and Program Manager, New Haven, CT
- Yale University, Senior Financial Analyst, New Haven, CT

## Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed

- Aurelia Consulting, Owner, Chandigarh, India
- Coral Vita, Co-Founder, San Diego, CA
- Coral Vita, Co-Founder, Washington, D.C.
- Poda Foods, CEO, Portland, OR
- Poda Foods, Chief Operating Officer, Portland, OR
- Potrero Group, Independent Consultant, San Francisco, CA
- Urban Green Council, Consultant and Project, New York, NY
- Walden Hill, Founder and CEO, New Haven, CT

## Governmental, Tribal, Multi-National & Public Sector

- California Department of Pesticide Regulation, Environmental Scientist, Sacramento, CA
- California State Water Resources Control Board, Environmental Scientist, Sacramento, CA
- City of Bridgeport, Assistant Special Project Manager, Bridgeport, CT
- City of Cambridge Water Department, Watershed Protection Supervisor, Cambridge, MA
- City of New Haven, Project Manager, New Haven, CT
- Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Energy Industry Analyst, Washington, D.C.
- Government of Bhutan, Senior Plant Protection Officer, Thimphu, Bhutan
- Ministry of National Development Planning for Republic of Indonesia, Planner, Jakarta, Indonesia

- Ministry of Natural Gas Development, Senior Policy Specialist, Victoria, British Columbia
- National Environmental Ministry, Advisor to Secretariat, Argentina
- National Parks Service, Natural Resource Specialist and Presidential Management Fellow, Anchorage, AK
- New Haven Department of Transportation, Traffic and Parking, Intern Project Manager for Go New Haven Go, New Haven, CT
- NOAA Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship & US Department of Energy, Fellow/ Offshore Wind and Ocean Renewable Energy Environmental Science and Policy Specialist, Washington, D.C.
- NYC Economic Development Corporation, Project Manager, New York, NY
- Office of Senator Ron Wyden, NOAA Sea Grant Knauss Marine Policy Fellow, Washington, D.C.
- Office of U.S. Senator Ron Wyden, Sea Grant Fellow, Washington, D.C.
- Peru Ministry of Environment, Fulbright-Clinton Public Policy Fellow, Lima, Peru
- The National Climate Change and Wildlife Science Center (USGS), Biologist & Presidential Management Fellow, Washington, D.C.
- The World Bank Group – International Finance Corporation, Greenhouse Gases Analyst, Washington, D.C.
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Environmental Protection Specialist, San Francisco, CA
- USDA Caribbean Climate Hub, Strategic Analyst, San Juan, Puerto Rico

## **NGOs/Not-For-Profit**

- C40, Network Manager, New York, New York
- Clearwater, International Coordinator, Lago Agrio, Ecuador
- Coalition for Green Capital, Program Director, New York, NY
- Coalition for Green Capital, Program Director, New York, NY
- Earthjustice, Litigation Assistant, New York, NY
- Gruber Fellow in Global Justice & Women's Rights & Climate Change Program Coordinator, Fundacion Gaia Pacha, Bolivia
- Heritage Outdoors, Assistant Director, Washington, D.C.
- ideas42, Associate, New York, NY
- International Council on Clean Transportation, Clean Air Intern, Washington, D.C.
- Looking Upwards, Assistant Director, Portsmouth, RI
- NatureBridge, Summer Programs Manager, San Francisco, CA
- New York City Environmental Justice Alliance, Research Analyst, New York, NY
- Sonoma Land Trust, Strategic Initiatives Analyst, Santa Rosa, CA
- Sustainable Northwest and Willowa Resources (half time with each) Forest Program Coordinator and Program Assistant Portland, OR
- The Pinchot Institute for Conservation, Research Fellow for Western Land Conservation, Portland, OR
- The Trust for Public Land, Northwest Parks for People Program Manager, Seattle, WA
- TomKat Charitable Trust, Strategic Initiatives Associate, San Francisco, CA
- Ucross High Plains Stewardship Initiative at Yale University, Project Coordinator, New Haven, CT

- UN Development Program, Consultant, Researcher, New York, NY
- University of Hawaii William S. Richardson School of Law, Project Manager, Honolulu, HI
- Urban Resources Initiative, GreenSkills Manager, New Haven, CT
- World Bank, Wildlife Conservation Analyst, Washington, D.C.
- World Business Council for Sustainable Development Manager, North America, New York, NY
- World Business Council for Sustainable Development, Manager, Geneva, Switzerland
- World Resources Institute Research, Analyst II, Washington, D.C.
- World Resources Institute, Civil Society Specialist, Washington, D.C.
- World Wildlife Fund Colombia, Corporate and Financial Sector Specialist, Medellin, Antioquia
- Yale Law School Peter and Patricia Gruber Fellow, The WILD Foundation, New York, NY

### **Private Sector: Consulting**

- Booz Allen Hamilton, Senior Consultant, Arlington, VA
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- Metabolic, Sustainability and Technical Consultant, Amsterdam, North Holland
- PA Consulting Group, Consultant Analyst, New York, NY
- Programa de Inversion Responsable, Institutional Investor Relations Advisor, Lima, Peru
- Ramboll Environ, Senior Associate, Columbus, OH
- Reon Energy, Business Development Consultant, Karachi, Pakistan
- Svadha Wash Private Ltd, Social Impact Strategy Consultant, India
- The Boston Consulting Group, Consultant, Washington, D.C.

### **Private Sector: Business, Industry and Law**

- Aquila Group, Portfolio Manager - Real Assets, Hamburg, Germany
- Baker Botts LLP, Associate, Washington, D.C.
- BTG Pactual, Portfolio Analyst, Atlanta, GA
- ChargePoint, Head of Marketing Partnerships and Sustainability, Campbell, CA
- CodeGreen Solutions, Assistant Project Manager, New York, NY
- Decent Workshop, Digital Marketing and Editorial Manager, Washington, D.C.
- Fahr LLC, Strategic Initiative Associate, San Francisco, CA
- Fosun Group, Investment Analyst, Shanghai, China
- Hudson Valley Property Group, Development Associate, New York, NY
- Kearns & West, Associate, San Francisco, CA
- LMN Architects, Intern Architect, Seattle, WA
- Pacific Gas & Electric, MBA Associate, San Francisco, CA
- PBR Hawaii, Planner, Honolulu, HI
- Ramboll Environ, Senior Associate, Columbus, OH
- SunEdison, MLDP Associate, San Francisco, CA
- Synapse Energy Economics, Associate, Cambridge, MA
- The Herd, Project Manager, Walnut Creek, CA
- TIAA-CREF, Associate - Responsible Investment, New York, NY
- WaterSmart Software, Product Manager, San Francisco, CA

- WaterSmart Software, Southwest Sales Associate, Austin, TX
- West Inc., Jr, Project Manager (Field Coordinator), Houston, TX

### **Further Study**

- Ecosystem Services Researcher, Sao Paulo, Brazil
- New York University School of Law, Law Student, New York, NY
- Stanford University Daily Lab, Doctoral Student, Palo Alto, CA
- University of Massachusetts-Boston, IGERT Fellow and Doctoral Student, Boston, MA
- University of Washington School of Environmental and Forest Sciences, Doctoral Student, Seattle, WA
- Yale Law School, Law Student, New Haven, CT

# Class of 2015 Master's Degree Graduates

## Employment by Sector

### All Master's Degrees – 119 Graduates \*

<b><i>Sector</i></b>	<b><i>Number of Graduates</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Class</i></b>
Academic (K-Higher Education)	11.5	10%
Further Study	12	10%
Government/Public Sector	20	17%
Not-For-Profit/NGO	29	24%
Private	28.5	24%
(Business/Consulting/Law)		
Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed	8	7%
Seeking Employment	10	8%
<i>Total</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>100%</i>

### Master of Environmental Science (MESC) – 26 Graduates

<b><i>Sector</i></b>	<b><i>Number of Graduates</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Class</i></b>
Academic (K-Higher Education)	2	8%
Further Study	7	27%
Government/Public Sector	6	23%
Not-For-Profit/NGO	3	12%
Private (Business/Consulting/	5	19%
Law)		
Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed	0	0%
Seeking Employment	3	11.0%
<i>Total</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>100%</i>

### Environment Management (MEM) – 79 Graduates

<b><i>Sector</i></b>	<b><i>Number of Graduates</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Class</i></b>
Academic (K-Higher Education)	6.5	8%
Further Study	4	5%
Government/Public Sector	14	18%
Not-For-Profit/NGO	21	27%
Private (Business/Consulting/ Law)	21.5	27%
Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed	7	9%
Seeking Employment	5	6%
<i>Total</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>100%</i>

### **Master of Forestry (MF) – 11 Graduates**

<b><i>Sector</i></b>	<b><i>Number of Graduates</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Class</i></b>
Academic (K-Higher Education)	2	18%
Further Study	1	9%
Government/Public Sector	0	0%
Not-For-Profit/NGO	4	37%
Private (Business/Consulting/ Law)	2	18%
Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed	1	9%
Seeking Employment	1	9%
<i>Total</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>100%</i>

### **Master of Forest Science (MFS) – 3 Graduates**

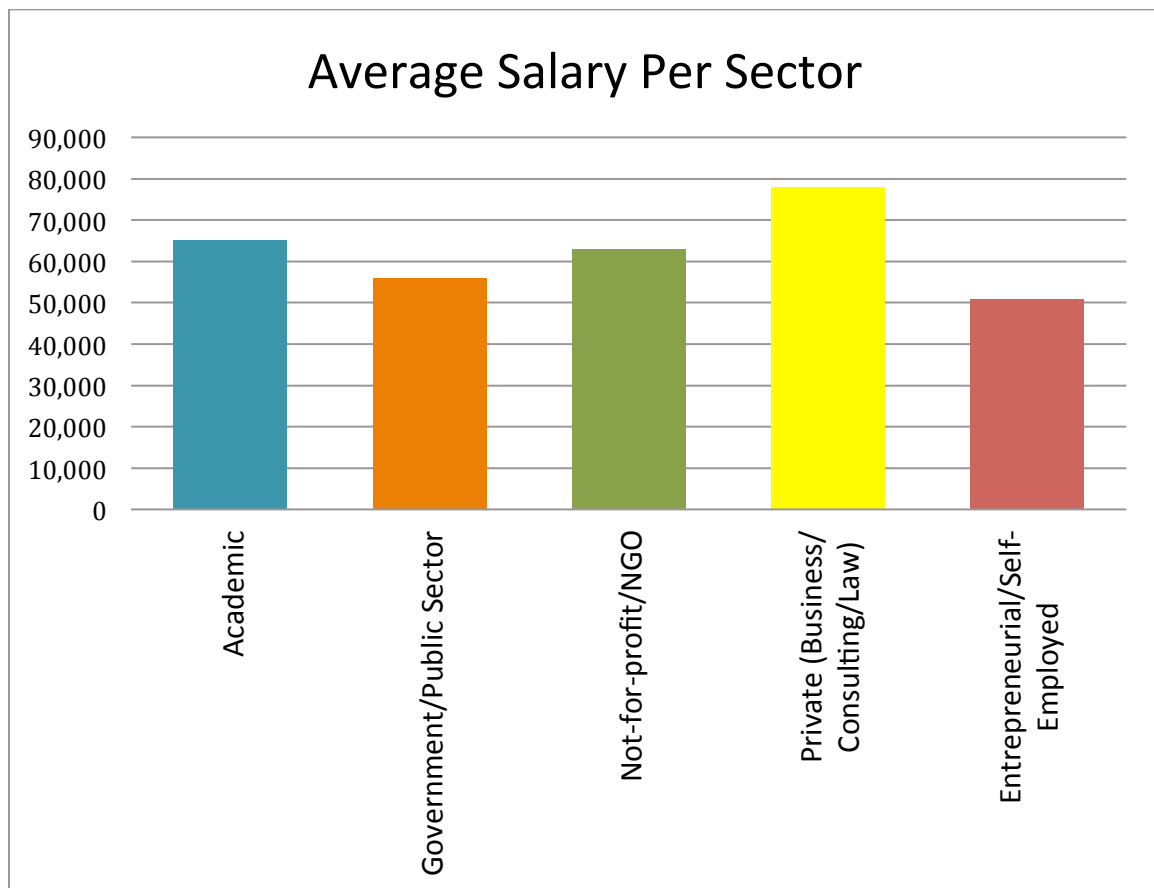
<b><i>Sector</i></b>	<b><i>Number of Graduates</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Class</i></b>
Academic (K-Higher Education)	1	33%
Further Study	0	0%
Government/Public Sector	0	0%
Not-For-Profit/NGO	1	33%
Private (Business/Consulting/ Law)	0	0%
Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed	0	0%
Seeking Employment	1	33%
<i>Total</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>100%</i>

*\*Figures based on 119 survey responses out of a total graduating class of 161. Does not include 2 responses indicating graduates who are not looking for employment.*

# Class of 2015 Master's Degree Graduates Salary Break Down

## Average Salary Range By Sector \*

<b><i>Sector</i></b>	<b><i>Average Range (US\$)</i></b>
Academic	\$60,000 - \$70,000
Government/Public Sector	\$50,000 - \$60,000
Not-for-profit/NGO	\$60,000 - \$70,000
Private (Business/Consulting/Law)	\$70,000 - \$80,000
Entrepreneurial/Self-Employed	\$50,000 - \$60,000

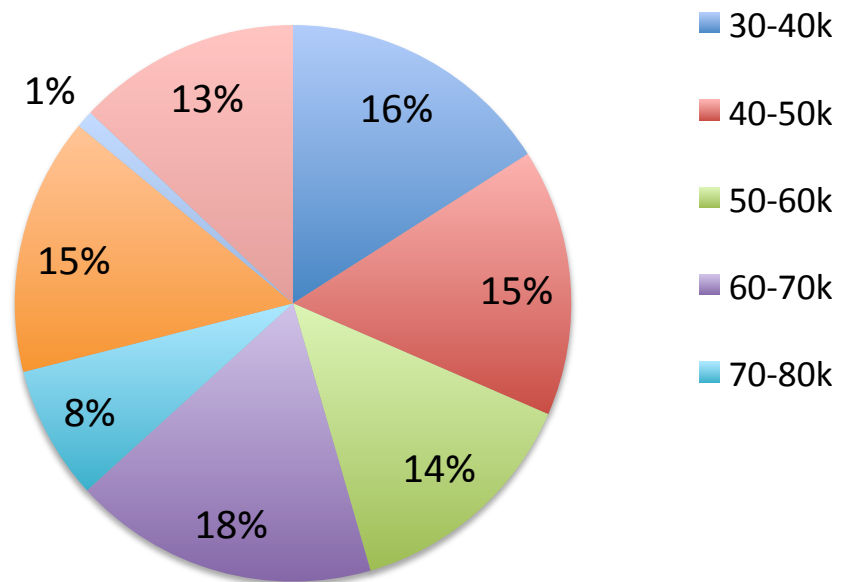


- Salary information is from persons with first-time jobs as well as seasoned professionals
- \* Salary figures are based on information from 88 graduates
- \* All salary figures are in \$ US

### Average Salary Range for All Respondents \*

<b><i>Salary Range</i></b>	<b><i>Number of Graduates</i></b>	<b><i>Percent of Class</i></b>
30k - 40k	14	16%
40k - 50k	14	16%
50k - 60k	12	14%
60k - 70k	16	18%
70k - 80k	7	8%
80k - 90k	13	15%
90k - 100k	1	1%
100k+	11	13%
<b><i>Total</i></b>	<b>88</b>	<b>100%</b>

### Class of 2015 Average Salary Data



\* Salary figures are based on information from 88 graduates