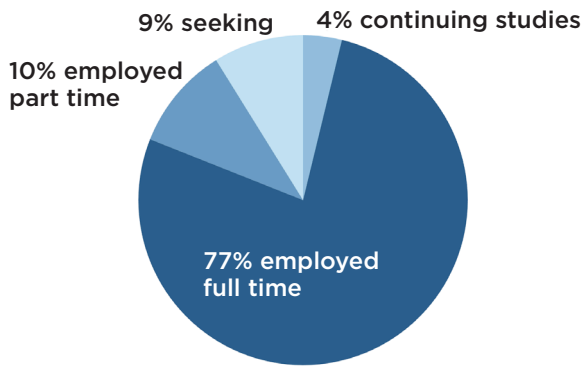


# Illini Success 2016-2017

## Masters of Science in Library and Information Science First Destination Report

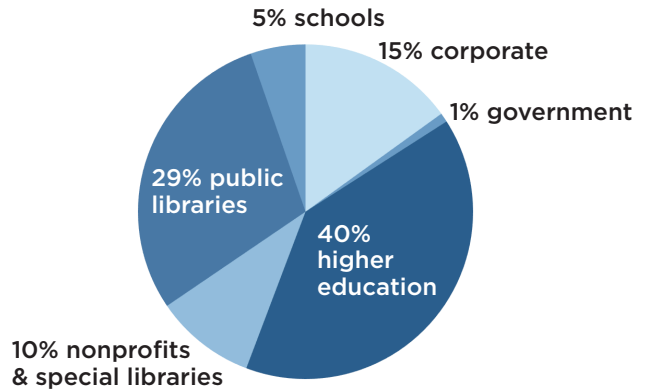
This report focuses on the 2016-2017 LIS masters degree graduates from the School of Information Sciences, sharing what they are doing with their Illinois degrees. The report includes those who graduated in August 2016, December 2016, and May 2017. The data came from several verifiable sources. The vast majority of data came from the campus-wide survey, which invited graduates to provide information about their post-graduation status at regular intervals for six months following their graduation. In addition to the survey, data were also gathered from college reports and a limited use of graduates' LinkedIn profiles. The graduating class consisted of 262 LIS master's students.

### Respondents' primary status (n=158)

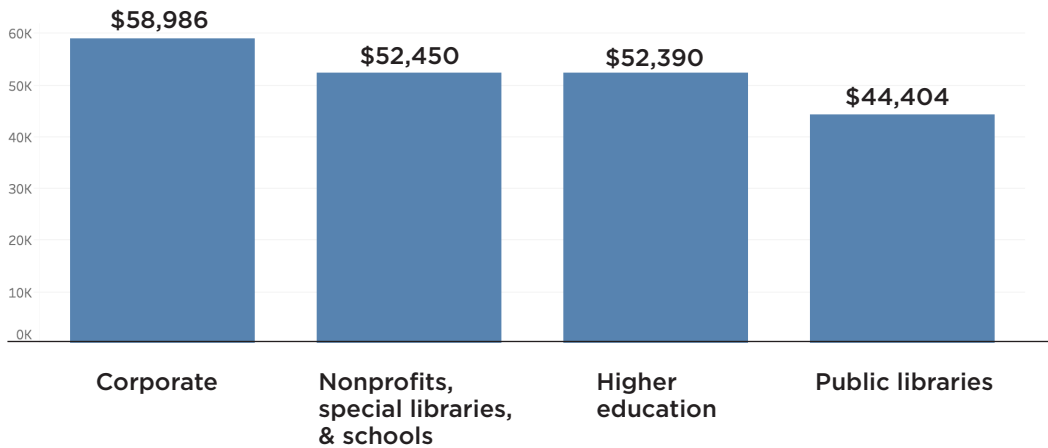


**91% of LIS respondents indicate having secured a first destination**

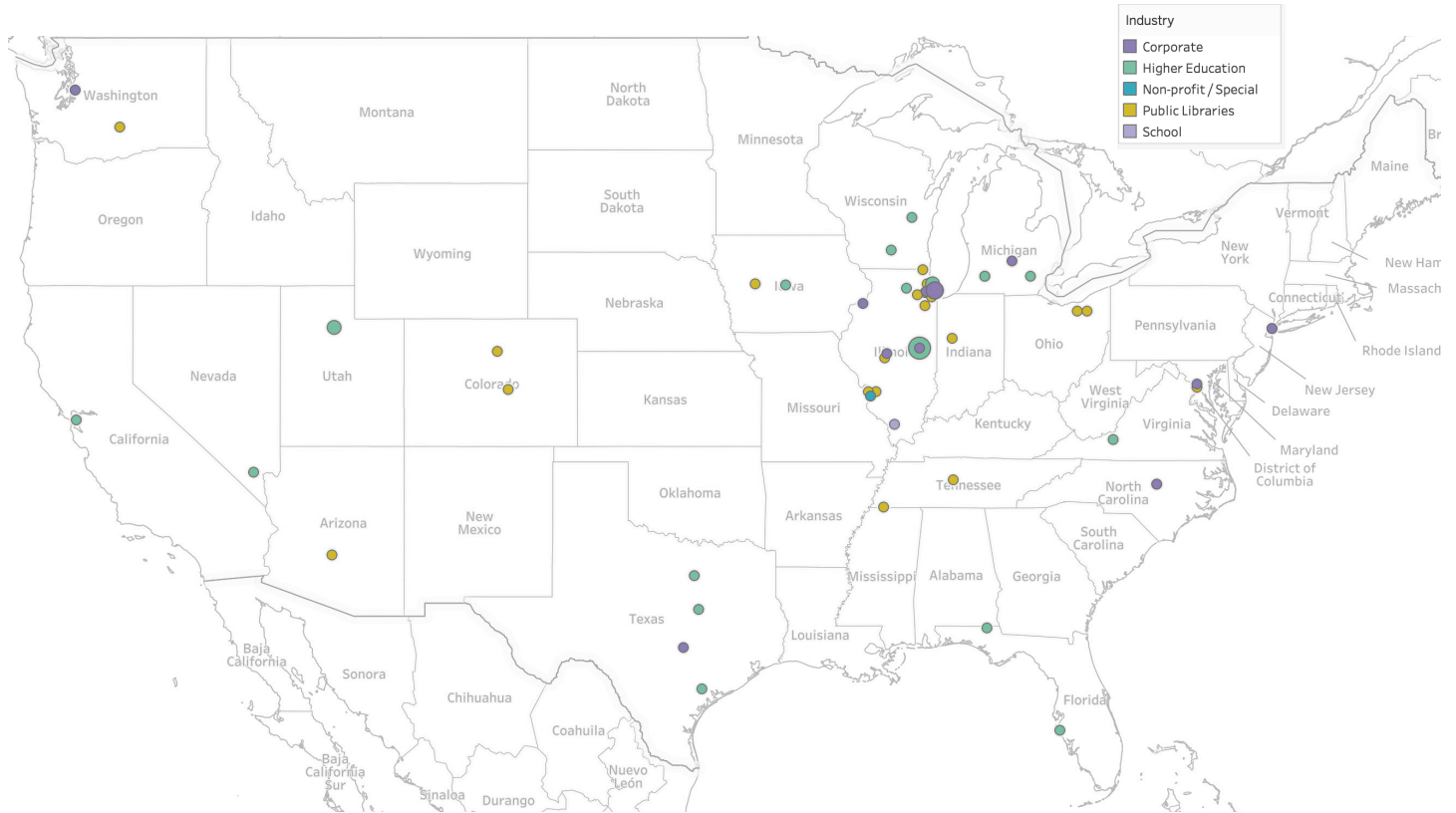
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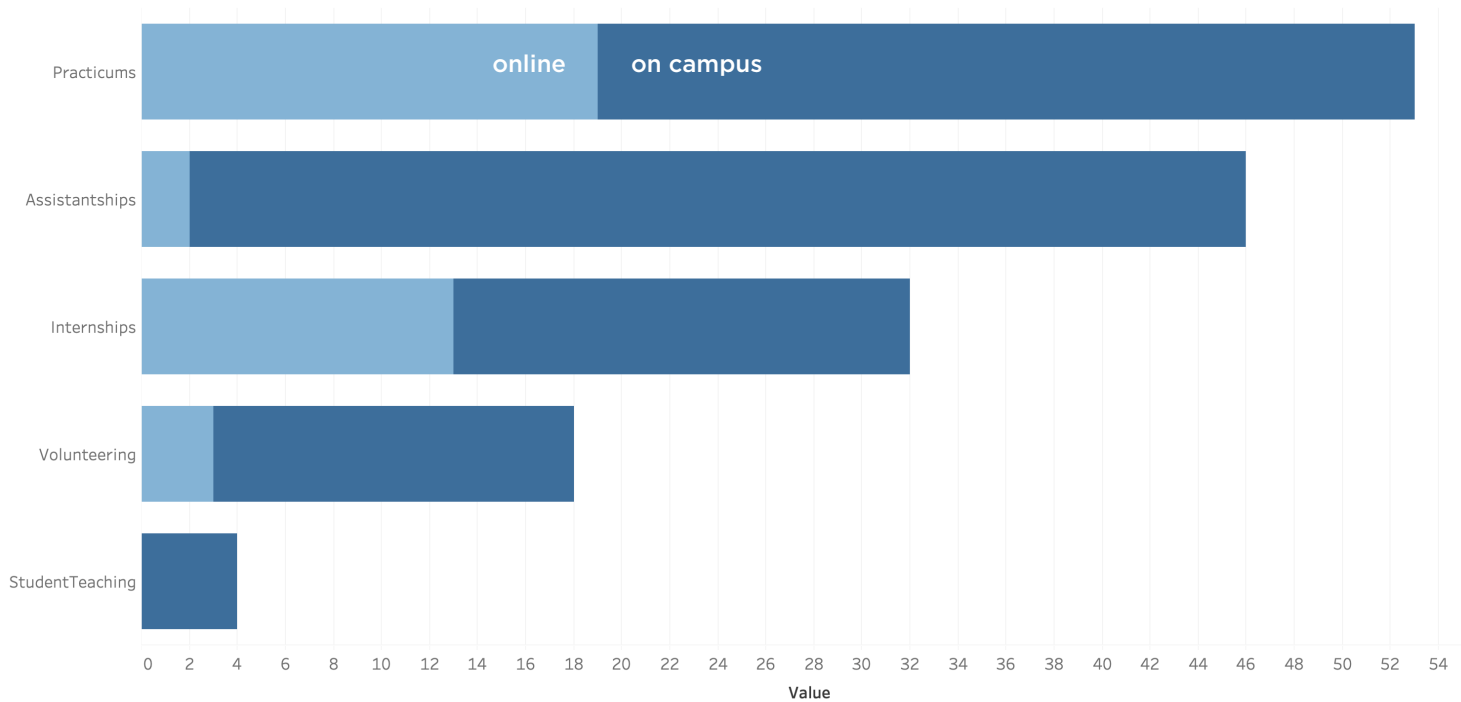
### Average annual income by industry (n=85)



## Employment in towns of 10,000+



## Respondents' participation in experiential learning: online vs. on campus



## Select LIS employers extending full-time job offers

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### Corporate

Accenture  
Bain & Company  
BP  
Capgemini  
Capital One  
Deere & Company  
Ex Libris (ProQuest)  
IBM Global Business Services  
LAC Group  
Northern Trust Corporation  
NoveList (Ebsco)  
Wiley

Tufts University, Hirsh Health Sciences  
Library  
University of Arizona  
University of California, Berkeley  
University of Illinois at Chicago  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign\*  
University of Michigan  
University of Utah\*  
University of Wisconsin-Madison  
University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh  
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State  
University  
Western Michigan University, Stryker  
School of Medicine

### Public Libraries

Arlington Heights Memorial Library  
Aurora Public Library District  
Boulder Public Library  
Chicago Public Library\*  
Crystal Lake Public Library  
Fondulac District Library  
Hudson Library & Historical Society  
Kenosha Public Library  
Kirkwood Public Library  
Lincoln Library\*  
Mahomet Public Library  
Naperville Public Library  
Pikes Peak Library District  
St. Louis County Library  
Tempe Public Library  
Tippecanoe County Public Library  
Vernon Area Public Library District  
Williamson County Public Library  
Winnetka-Northfield Public Library  
District  
White Oak Library District  
Yakima Valley Libraries

### Higher Education

Aurora University  
Baylor University  
Columbia University  
DePaul University\*  
Illinois Institute of Technology  
Iowa State University  
Meadville Lombard Theological School  
North Carolina State University  
Northwestern University\*  
Seattle University

### Nonprofits, Schools & Special Libraries

Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library  
American Library Association  
Chicago History Museum  
Denver Botanical Gardens  
Museum of Modern Art  
Noble Network of Charter Schools  
RAILS  
StoryCorps

\* hired multiple graduates

## Selected full-time job titles by industry

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### Corporate

Cognitive Analytics Consultant  
Conflicts Research Analyst  
Information Management Analyst  
Data Engineer  
Librarian  
Metadata Librarian  
Multimedia Design Manager  
Information Specialist II

Diversity Resident Librarian  
Electronic Resources Librarian  
Information Services Librarian  
Media Archivist  
Metadata Librarian  
Government Documents and Instruction  
Librarian  
Library Fellow  
Project Archivist  
Instruction and Outreach Librarian  
Public Services Librarian  
Rare Books Librarian  
Research and Instruction Librarian  
Resident Librarian  
Senior Social Media & Data Analyst  
Social Sciences Librarian  
Medical Informationists  
Research and Instruction Librarian  
Teaching & Learning Librarian  
University Archivist

### Nonprofits, Schools & Special Libraries

Cataloging & Database Coordinator  
Archivist  
Iconographer  
Librarian/Information Specialist  
Project Archivist  
Program Officer for Professional  
Development  
Library Media Specialist  
Manager of Student Information  
Research and Evaluation Specialist  
Senior Cataloguer

### Higher Education

Academic Technologies and Outreach  
Services Librarian / Assistant Professor  
Admissions Records Management  
Coordinator  
Assistant Dean  
Bioarchaeology Curation Specialist  
Chemical Information Librarian  
Data Services Librarian  
Digital Preservation Librarian  
Digital Services Librarian

### Public Libraries

Adult Services Librarian  
Emerging Technology Services Supervisor  
Instruction and Technology Librarian  
Reference Librarian  
Teen Services Outreach Librarian  
Technical Services Librarian