



THE ST. AUGUSTINE CAMPUS

Graduate Tracer Survey 2021/2022 Highlights

The charts below represent an excerpt from the Graduate Tracer Survey (GTS) 2021/22. The GTS is an annual survey conducted by the Campus Office of Planning and Institutional Research on first degree graduates one year after graduating from The UWI. The study analyses the feedback received on the experience of the graduate in relation to their employment outcomes and their UWI programme and attempts to observe trends on the Institution’s capacity to prepare the distinctive UWI graduate. The survey was responded to by 33% of graduates from the undergraduate class.

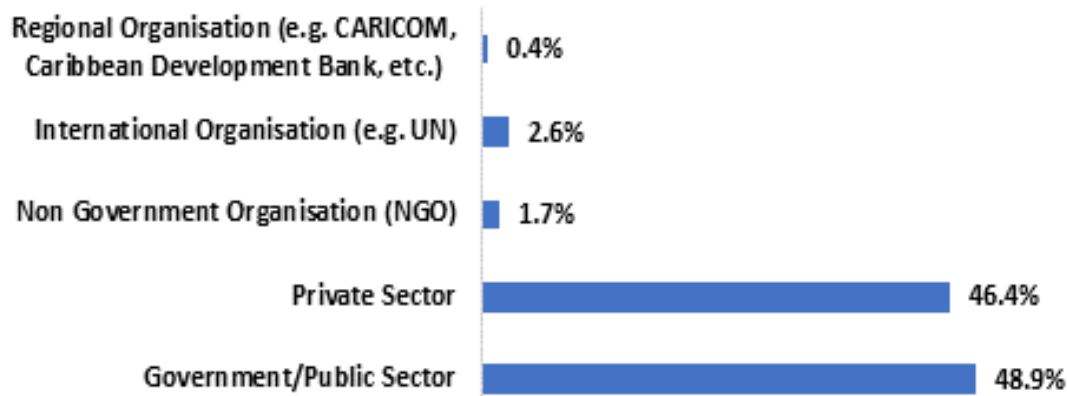
For the 2021/2022 period, survey findings showed that graduate employment was 61.8%, although this was an increase from the survey of 2020/2021, where the employment was 57.1%, there is a decline from 65% when compared to survey of 2019/2020. An estimated 32.3% of the respondents reported being unemployed, with the main reason for unemployment continuing to be limited job opportunities and the pursuit of further studies.

Approximately 49% of the graduates surveyed reported that they were employed in the public sector. The main areas of employment activity are in the fields of Education, Financial and Insurance activities and Healthcare and Social Services in 2021/2022. Most of the respondents (44.7%) were employed in the job category of Professional and/or Research Staff. An estimated eighty five percent (85%) of respondents earned a monthly salary less than \$10,000 and approximately 15% earned \$10,000 and above, with average time taken to find employment being approximately six months.

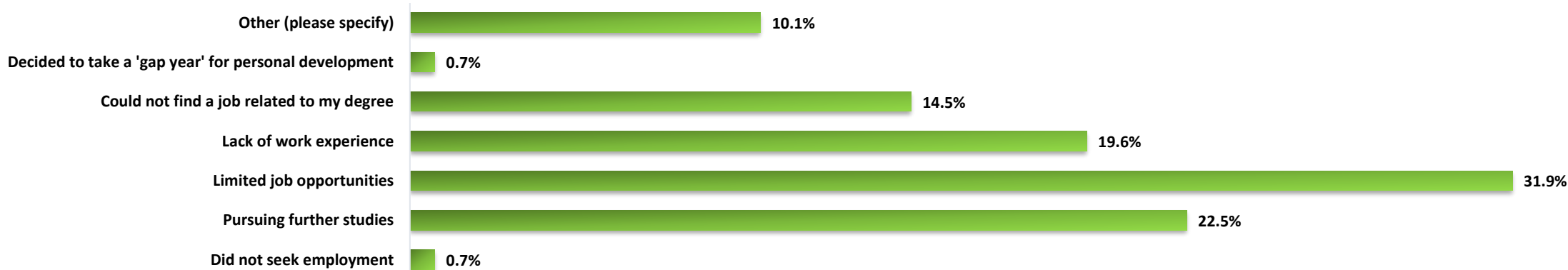
Graduates Employment Status



Graduates Sector of Employment

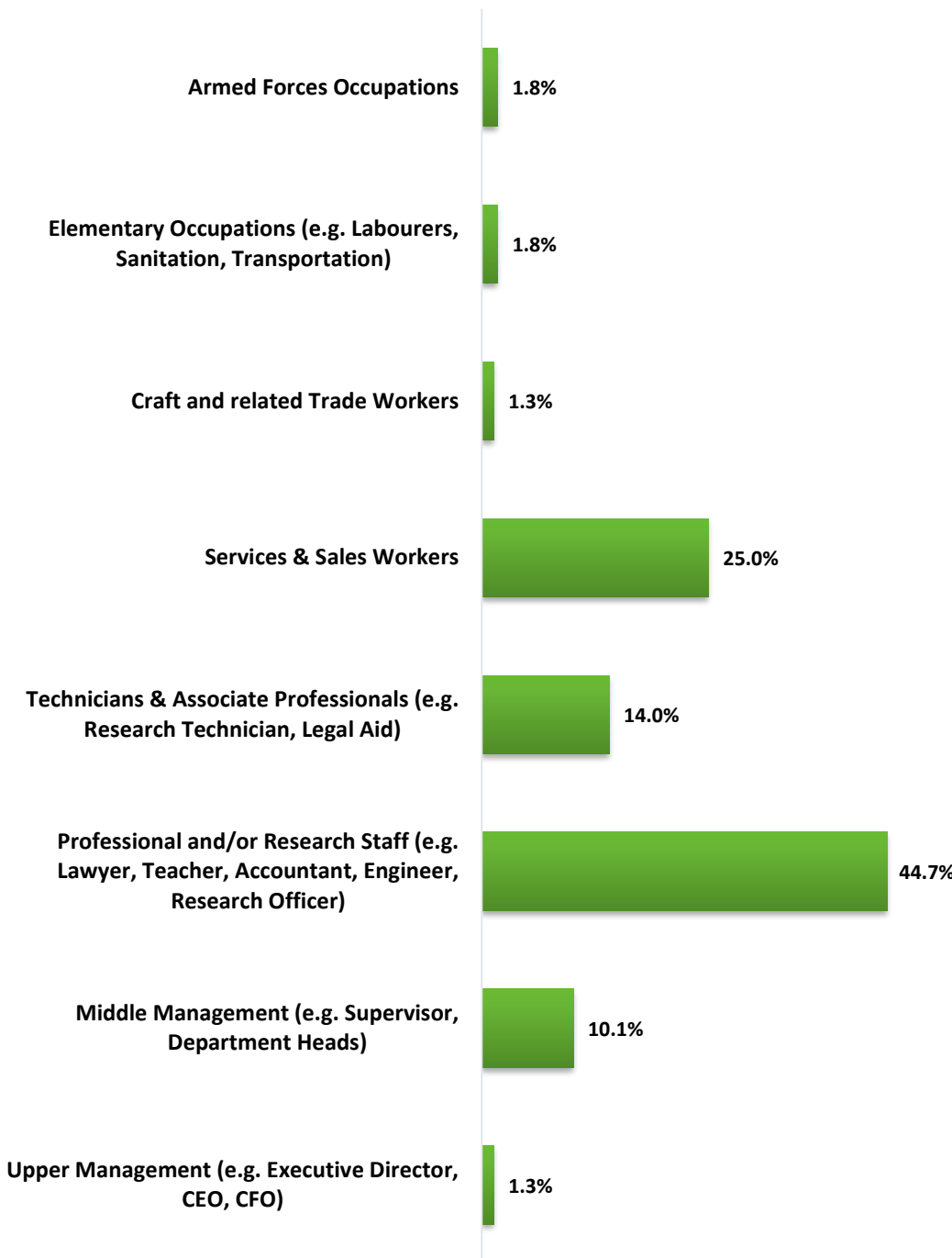


Graduates Reason for Unemployment

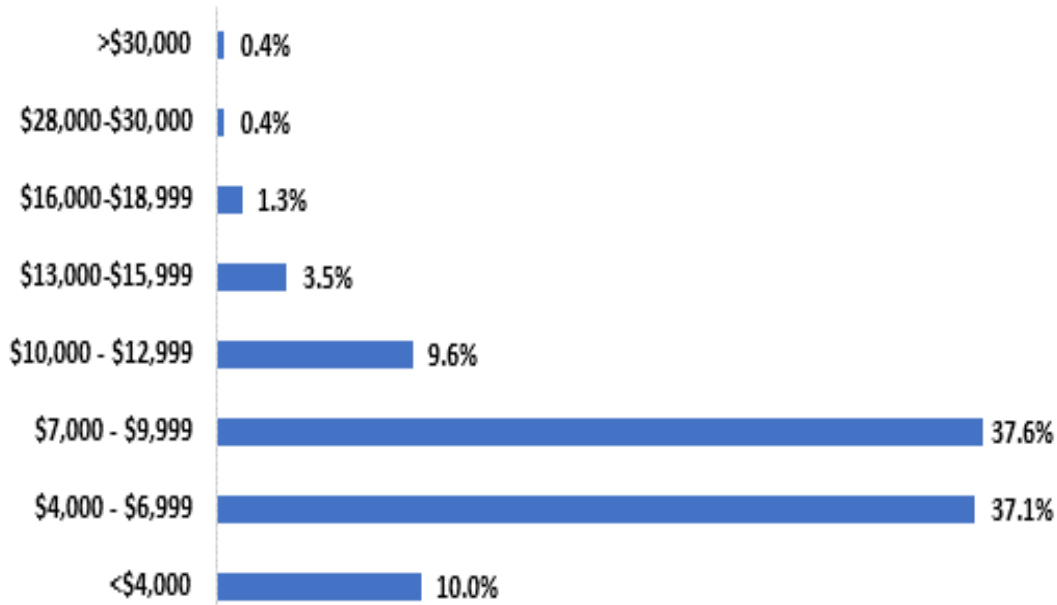


Area of Economic Activity	Percentage
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	1.70%
Administrative and Support Service Activities	8.51%
Manufacturing	3.83%
Energy and Energy based	4.26%
Electricity Gas, Water and Waste Management	0.43%
Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities	1.28%
Construction	1.70%
Wholesale and Retail Trade	4.26%
Transportation and storage	1.70%
Accommodation and food services activities	0.85%
Information and Communication	3.83%
Financial and insurance activities	14.04%
Real estate activities	0.43%
Professional, scientific and technical activities	4.68%
Public administration and defense; compulsory social security	7.66%
Education	17.02%
Healthcare and Social Services	11.49%
Arts, entertainment and recreation	0.85%
Other service activities	11.06%
Activities of extraterritorial organisations and bodies	0.43%

Graduates Job Category



Graduates Monthly Income



Average Time Taken to Find Employment

