The majority (84%) of Latin American & Latino Studies BA degree graduates had plans to pursue graduate education.
The majority (86%) of graduates with a Latin American & Latino Studies Major plan to obtain either a masters degree or PhD.
Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates were interested in a variety of advanced degree fields, the most popular being related to Education (30%) and Social Sciences (25%).
Over half (55%) of graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies reported being employed within 6 months of graduation.
More graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies were employed than seeking employment 6 months after graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
Of those employed, 63% of BA Latin American & Latino Studies graduates reported working in the Education sector within 6 months of graduation.
UCSC Latin American & Latino Studies BA Graduates
Employers & Job Titles

Aspire Public Schools
UC Santa Cruz
UC Berkeley BACR
Americorps
Self Employed
Northrup Grumman

STARS Apprentice
After School Educator Volunteer
Activity Leader
Tutor Instructional Aide Caregiver
Project Coordinator Analyst
College Advisor

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
Fifty percent of graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies reported earning $2,616 annually or higher within 6 months of graduation.
UCSC Latin American & Latino Studies BA Graduates
Geographic Destinations

60% of Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates reported that they plan to work locally in the Santa Cruz or San Francisco Bay Area.

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
UCSC Latin American & Latino Studies BA Graduates
When did they start looking for a job? (employed & seeking employment)

58% of Latin American & Latino Studies BA graduates began looking for a job at least 3 or more months before graduation.

Start the search early! Of those graduates who were employed full-time, all started searching for a job at least 3 or more months before graduation.

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
Of those employed, 30% of graduates with a BA degree in Latin American & Latino Studies received more than one job offer.
60% of graduates reported that they found their internship through UCSC resources – either by using Slugquest, on-campus interviews, or networking with UCSC contacts.

71% of graduates with a Latin American & Latino Studies Major had at least 1 or more internships during their studies at UCSC.