The majority (82%) of Legal Studies BA degree graduates had plans to pursue graduate education.
UCSC Legal Studies BA Graduates
Types of Academic Degrees

The majority (71%) of graduates with a Legal Studies Major plan to obtain a JD.

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
**UCSC Legal Studies BA Graduates**

Most Popular Field of Future Academic Study

Legal Studies BA graduates were interested in a few advanced degree fields, the most popular being related to Legal Professions & Studies (56%).

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
21% of graduates with a BA degree in Legal Studies reported being employed within 6 months of graduation.
UCSC Legal Studies BA Graduates
Employed vs Seeking Employment

Legal Studies Major

SocSci Division (excluding Legal Studies Major)

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
Of those employed, BA Legal Studies graduates reported working in the Business or Government sector within 6 months of graduation.
UCSC Legal Studies BA Graduates
Employers & Job Titles

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey
Fifty percent of graduates with a BA degree in Legal Studies reported earning $47,500 annually or higher within 6 months of graduation.
Legal Studies BA graduates reported that they plan to work in San Francisco Bay Area or in other areas of Northern California.
UCSC Legal Studies BA Graduates
When did they start looking for a job? (employed & seeking employment)

63% of Legal 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, 50% of graduates with a BA degree in Legal Studies received multiple job offers.
70% of graduates reported that they found their internship by networking with UCSC or personal contacts.

Most (81%) graduates with a Legal Studies Major had at least 1 or more internships during their studies at UCSC.

Data from 2014-2015 Graduating Class
UCSC First Destination Survey