

# FOLLOW-UP STUDY OF 2009 GRADUATES IN TEACHING

Career Services Office, University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

This report provides data on the employment or continued educational status of UW-SP graduates of December 2008, May 2009 and August 2009. Research was completed within a year of graduation, with the report compiled for release in the spring of 2010. Statistical information is provided, as is a detailed listing of job titles, employers and locations for graduates. Note that the report represents individuals receiving their baccalaureate degree, not individuals who already have a degree and are adding teaching certification.

The Career Services staff makes numerous attempts to collect data from each graduate. Information in this report represents contact with 94% of the graduates or their families (200 of 212 graduates).

Readers using this information to make career decisions should always consult a career counselor, faculty member and/or other educational professionals.

#### STATISTICAL REPORT CATEGORIES

Each graduate is counted only once, despite the fact that many complete multiple majors simultaneously. We generally list the person according to the major that appears first in the graduation printout from the Registration & Records Office. These occurrences are noted in our statistics with an asterisk and footnote.

Our categories and their explanations follow:

- Total Number of Graduates and Total Number Seeking: These categories
  distinguish between the total number of people graduating and the number who
  are entering the workforce/pursuing additional schooling. Percentages are
  calculated based on the number of graduates seeking employment or further
  schooling, not on the total number of graduates.
- <u>Employed In Field:</u> This category refers to individuals who report that their work is
  in an educational setting related to their academic study, or who we feel are
  working in an educational position that utilizes their college degree.

The report distinguishes between those employed full-time and those employed part-time in educational capacities. Full-time includes graduates employed 75% or more. Part-time includes individuals employed as teachers with less than a 75% contract, as well as individuals working as substitute teachers, coaches or educational aides.

- <u>Employed Out of Field:</u> This category refers to individuals reporting work that is
  not in a teaching setting. This includes both employment unrelated to the
  graduate's degree, as well as that which is related, but is not in an educational
  setting (ex: Natural Science major working as a Park Ranger).
- <u>Further Schooling:</u> This category includes individuals who are continuing their education in graduate or professional programs, as well as those who are returning to school for an additional major or selected course work.
- <u>Available</u>: This refers to individuals who are actively seeking employment but have not yet accepted a position.
- <u>Total Placed</u>: This is the number of individuals who have secured some type of employment or are continuing their education.
- <u>Not Seeking:</u> These are individuals reporting that they are neither entering the workforce nor pursuing further schooling. (Number not included in percentage calculations.)
- <u>No Report:</u> This category includes graduates whom we were unable to reach, or who were unwilling to provide the requested information. (Number not included in percentage calculations.)

#### **DETAILED REPORT CATEGORIES**

Information is organized alphabetically according to academic major with individual names omitted to maintain confidentiality. All types of employment are listed together (encompassing the statistical report categories of "employed in field" and "employed out of field"), followed by the list of further schooling reported. We list as much information as we acquire, and in some cases this is less than complete. Unless we were able to survey the graduate directly, we may have had difficulty obtaining all the details we request (specific job title, name and location of the employer and whether the position is full-time or part-time).

Many graduates pursue teaching certification in several fields by completing multiple academic majors or minors. This opens employment options in areas other than those in the academic major under which they are listed in our report. This helps to explain, for example, how a Foreign Languages major may report being employed as an English teacher.

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# CAREER SERVICES OFFICE University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point

## ANNUAL TEACHING STATISTICAL REPORT

Class of 2009 (December 2008, May and August 2009)

|                             | Total #    | Total # | Employed In Field                          | Employed      | Further     |           | Total          | Not     | No     |
|-----------------------------|------------|---------|--|---------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|---------|--------|
| Major                       | Grads      | Seeking | Full-time Part-time Total                  | Out Of Field  | Schooling   | Available | Placed         | Seeking | Report |
|                             |            |         |  |               |             |           |                |         |        |
| Early Childhood Education   | 19**       | 19      | <b>10</b> 53% <b>4</b> 21% <b>14</b> 74%   | <b>4</b> 21%  | <b>0</b> 0% | 1         | <b>18</b> 95%  | 0       | 0      |
| Elementary Education        | 89         | 82      | <b>35</b> 43% <b>28</b> 34% <b>63</b> 77%  | <b>8</b> 10%  | <b>0</b> 0% | 11        | <b>71</b> 87%  | 2       | 5      |
| TOTAL ELEMENTARY            | 108        | 101     | <b>45</b> 44% <b>32</b> 32% <b>77</b> 76%  | <b>12</b> 12% | 0 0%        | 12        | <b>89</b> 88%  | 2       | 5      |
| -                           |            |         |  |               |             |           |                |         |        |
| Biology                     | 3          | 3       | <b>1</b> 33% <b>1</b> 33% <b>2</b> 66%     | <b>0</b> 0%   | <b>0</b> 0% | 1         | <b>2</b> 66%   | 0       | 0      |
| <u>English</u>              | 15**       | 14      | <b>7</b> 50% <b>7</b> 50% <b>14</b> 100%   | <b>0</b> 0%   | <b>0</b> 0% | 0         | <b>14</b> 100% | 1       | 0      |
| Exceptional Education       | 14**       | 13      | <b>6</b> 46% <b>2</b> 15% <b>8</b> 61%     | 1 8%          | <b>0</b> 0% | 4         | <b>9</b> 69%   | 0       | 1      |
| Family and Consumer Science | <u>e</u> 6 | 6       | <b>3</b> 50% <b>1</b> 17% <b>4</b> 67%     | <b>1</b> 17%  | <b>0</b> 0% | 1         | <b>5</b> 83%   | 0       | 0      |
| Foreign Languages           | 6**        | 5       | <b>3</b> 60% <b>2</b> 40% <b>5</b> 100%    | <b>0</b> 0%   | <b>0</b> 0% | 0         | <b>5</b> 100%  | 0       | 1      |
| <u>Mathematics</u>          | 2          | 2       | <b>2</b> 100% <b>0</b> 0% <b>2</b> 100%    | <b>0</b> 0%   | <b>0</b> 0% | 0         | <b>2</b> 100%  | 0       | 0      |
| <u>Music</u>                | 20         | 20      | <b>6</b> 30% <b>4</b> 20% <b>10</b> 50%    | <b>2</b> 10%  | <b>1</b> 5% | 7         | <b>13</b> 65%  | 0       | 0      |
| Natural Science             | 6          | 4       | <b>1</b> 25% <b>2</b> 50% <b>3</b> 75%     | 1 25%         | <b>0</b> 0% | 0         | <b>4</b> 100%  | 0       | 2      |
| Physical Education          | 18         | 16      | <b>10</b> 62% <b>3</b> 19% <b>13</b> 81%   | <b>0</b> 0%   | <b>0</b> 0% | 3         | <b>13</b> 81%  | 0       | 2      |
| Social Science              | 14         | 13      | <b>4</b> 31% <b>8</b> 62% <b>12</b> 92%    | 1 8%          | <b>0</b> 0% | 0         | <b>13</b> 100% | 0       | 1      |
| TOTAL SECONDARY             | 104        | 96      | <b>43</b> 45% <b>30</b> 31% <b>73</b> 76%  | 6 6%          | <b>1</b> 1% | 16        | <b>80</b> 83%  | 1       | 7      |
| GRAND TOTAL                 | 212        | 197     | <b>88</b> 45% <b>62</b> 31% <b>150</b> 76% | <b>18</b> 9%  | <b>1</b> 1% | 28        | <b>169</b> 86% | 3       | 12     |

Due to double majors, there were more graduates in this major than indicated. Double majors are normally counted and listed according to the major appearing first on the graduation printout from the Registration & Records Office. In addition to the teaching majors appearing above, Elementary Education contains twelve Exceptional Education majors, two Spanish majors and two Early Childhood Education majors; Foreign Language contains two English majors; Social Science contains thirteen History majors. Eight non-teaching multiple majors are also included in this report: one Psychology major in Early Childhood Education; one Spanish major, one French major and one Philosophy major in Elementary Education; one Spanish major in Exceptional Education; one International Studies major and one French major in Foreign Languages and one Resource Management major in Natural Science.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

Percentages are calculated based on the total number of graduates seeking employment, not the total number of graduates.

In the Communicative Disorders field (Speech-Language Pathology), a Master's degree is required for certification in Wisconsin. Seventeen MS degrees were conferred and 100% of the recipients were employed in the field.

#### CAREER SERVICES OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - STEVENS POINT

# **REPORT ON THE EDUCATION GRADUATES OF 2009**

Listing of employment and further schooling by majors, as reported by the Education graduates

#### **BIOLOGY**

#### **Employment Reported:**

Biology Teacher, Lake Geneva School District, Lake Geneva, WI

Substitute Teacher, Employer and city unknown, WI

# COMMUNICATIVE DISORDERS (MS) Employment Reported:

Speech-Language Pathologist, Aegis Therapies-Golden LivingCenter, Muscoda, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Therapies Plus, LLC, Wisconsin Rapids, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Therapies Plus, LLC, Marshfield, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Kaukauna Area School District, Kaukauna, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Merrill Area School District, Merrill, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Neenah School District, Neenah, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Rusk County Memorial Hospital, Ladysmith, WI Speech Language Pathologist, Marrill Area School District, Marrill, WI

Speech-Language Pathologist, Rusk County Memorial Hospital, Ladysm Speech-Language Pathologist, Merrill Area School District, Merrill, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Vallhaven Care Center, Neenah, WI

Speech-Language Pathologist, Community Unit School District 95, Lake Zurich, IL Speech-Language Pathologist, Marshfield School District, Marshfield, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Athens S. D.-Marathon Cty. Special Ed., Athens, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Lake Mills Area School District, Lake Mills, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Oshkosh Area School District, Oshkosh, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Waupun School District, Waupun, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Marinette School District-CESA 8, Marinette, WI Speech-Language Pathologist, Employer and location unknown

# **EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION**

# **Employment Reported:**

First Grade Teacher, Fond du Lac School District, Fond du Lac, WI Child Care Attendant, Stevens Point Area YMCA, Stevens Point, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Appleton Area School District, Appleton, WI Client Service Supervisor, Citizens Bank, Tomahawk, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids School District, Wisconsin Rapids, WI First Grade Teacher, Tomorrow River School District, Amherst, WI Therapist/Counselor, WI Early Autism Project/Boys & Girls Club, Madison/Baraboo, WI Lead Teacher, Dane County Parent Council, Inc.-Head Start, Madison, WI 4-Year Kindergarten Teacher, Tiny Tiger Intergenerational Center, Marshfield, WI

Early Childhood Teacher, Spencer S. D.-Marathon County Special Ed., Spencer, WI First Grade Teacher, Grantsburg School District, Grantsburg, WI 4-Year Kindergarten Teacher, Marshfield School District, Marshfield, WI Supervisor, Team Schierl Companies, Auburndale, WI Teacher, Fox Cities Learning Center, Little Chute, WI 4-Year Kindergarten Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Teacher, School district and city unknown, CO Customer Service Specialist, ShopKo Stores Operating Co., LLC, Stevens Point, WI Kindergarten Teacher, Nekoosa School District, Nekoosa, WI

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#### **ELEMENTARY EDUCATION**

## **Employment Reported:**

1<sup>st</sup> Grade Teacher, Private school, Uijongbu, Republic of Korea K-5 Special Education Teacher, Southern Door County School District, Brussels, WI ESL Teacher, Green Bay Area School District, Green Bay, WI Teacher, Milwaukee Institute of Academic Achievement, Inc., Milwaukee, WI 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Bilingual Teacher, Milwaukee School District, Milwaukee, WI Substitute Teacher, Manitowoc School District, Manitowoc, WI Position and employer unknown. Rice Lake, WI Shift Leader, SentryWorld, Stevens Point, WI Substitute Teacher, Middleton-Cross Plains/Sun Prairie Area S. D., Middleton, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Merrill Area School District, Merrill, WI Intern, Campus Crusade for Christ International, Stevens Point, WI Head Teacher-Wood County Head Start, Inc., Marshfield School District, Marshfield, WI Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Secondary Education LD Teacher, Auburndale School District, Auburndale, WI Pharmacy Technician, Aurora Health Care, Stevens Point, WI Substitute Teacher, Wausau School District, Wausau, WI Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area/Mosinee School Districts, Stevens Point, WI Middle School Severe CD Teacher, Kaukauna Area School District, Kaukauna, WI Substitute Teacher, Eddyville-Blakesburg Community School District, Eddyville, IA Middle School Special Education Teacher, Platteville School District, Platteville, WI Server, Employer and location unknown Elementary ELL Teacher, Beaver Dam School District, Beaver Dam, WI 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Teacher, Milwaukee School District, Milwaukee, WI Special Education-Autism Teacher, The Bridge Center, Marshfield, WI Technology Instructor/Technician, Woodruff J1 School District, Arbor Vitae, WI Substitute Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids/Auburndale School Districts, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Language Arts Teacher, Grand Island Central School District, Grand Island, NE Special Education Teacher, Pulaski Community School District, Pulaski, WI Substitute Teacher, Racine School District, Racine, WI Sales Associate, Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., Plover, WI 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teacher, West Allis School District, West Allis, WI ESL Teacher, Marshfield School District, Marshfield, WI Substitute Teacher, Waupun School District, Waupun, WI Substitute Teacher, Antigo/Elcho School Districts, Antigo, WI Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Bilingual Teacher, Green Bay Area School District, Green Bay, WI

Position unknown, CarQuest Corporation, Marshfield, WI Substitute Teacher, Owen-Withee/Marshfield School Districts, Owen, WI Substitute Teacher, Various school districts, Mosinee, WI EBD Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids School District, Wisconsin Rapids, WI Tutor, YMCA of the Fox Cities, Appleton, WI Volunteer, Wisconsin Rapids School District/AmeriCorps, Wisconsin Rapids, WI 4-Year Kindergarten Teacher, Clubhouse for Kids II, Middleton, WI Substitute Teacher, District and location unknown Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids/Pittsville S. D., WI Rapids, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Owen-Withee School District, Owen, WI Reading/Title 1 Math Teacher, Granton Area School District, Granton, WI Substitute Teacher, Rhinelander/Tomahawk/Merrill Area S. D., Rhinelander, WI 2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grade Title 1 Math Teacher, Oconto School District, Oconto, WI 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher, Stevens Point Area Catholic Schools, Stevens Point, WI Teacher, Beaver Dam School District, Beaver Dam, WI Middle School Teacher, Quality Schools International, Almaty, Kazakhstan Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Substitute Teacher, Beaver Dam School District, Beaver Dam, WI LD Teacher, Auburndale School District, Auburndale, WI Substitute Teacher, D C Everest Area School District, Weston, WI 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher, West De Pere School District, West De Pere, WI 1st-6th Grade Special Education Teacher, Chequamegon School District, Park Falls, WI Volunteer Teacher, WorldTeach, Majuro, Marshall Islands Paraprofessional/Girls Basketball Coach, Hamilton School District, Sussex, WI 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Algebra/3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grade Gifted/Talented Teacher, Oregon S. D., Oregon, WI Middle/High School EBD Teacher, Algoma School District, Algoma, WI Driver/Maintenance Technician, Community Industries Corp., Stevens Point, WI Multi-Category K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher, Poynette School District, Poynette, WI 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher, Milwaukee School District, Milwaukee, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Crandon School District, Crandon, WI LD Teacher, Campbellsport School District, Campbellsport, WI 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Teacher, Nacogdoches Independent School District, Nacogdoches, TX Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Clinton Community School District, Clinton, WI After School Childcare Teacher, Manitowoc School District, Manitowoc, WI Substitute Teacher, Marshfield School District, Marshfield, WI

#### **ENGLISH**

# **Employment Reported:**

High School English Teacher, New London School District, New London, WI Substitute Teacher, Pittsville/Marshfield/Auburndale School Districts, Pittsville, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Wausau School District, Wausau, WI Substitute Teacher, Clark County School District, Las Vegas, NV CD Teacher, Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose School District, Buffalo, MN Middle School Teacher, Westfield School District, Westfield, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Burlington Area School District, Burlington, WI English Teacher; Cashton School District; Cashton, WI

11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> Grade English Teacher, Fort Atkinson School District, Fort Atkinson, WI English Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Elementary Music Teacher, Mayville School District, Mayville, WI High School English Teacher, Marshfield School District, Marshfield, WI English Teacher, Reedsburg School District, Reedsburg, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, De Pere School District, De Pere, WI

#### **EXCEPTIONAL EDUCATION**

# **Employment Reported:**

SLD Teacher, Janesville School District, Janesville, WI Cross-Categorical Exceptional Education Teacher, Sauk Prairie S. D., Sauk City, WI Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area/Wisconsin Rapids School Districts, Stevens Pt., WI Cross-Categorical 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Special Education Teacher, Medford Area S. D., Medford, WI Special Education Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids School District, Wisconsin Rapids, WI LD Teacher, Antigo School District, Antigo, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Wrightstown Community S. D., Wrightstown, WI Nanny, Private family, Amherst, WI Youth Counselor, Homme Youth & Family Programs, Wittenberg, WI

#### **FAMILY AND CONSUMER SCIENCE**

#### Employment Reported:

Middle School FACS Teacher, Beaver Dam School District, Beaver Dam, WI Nanny, Private family, Stevens Point, WI Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI FACS Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids School District, Wisconsin Rapids, WI FACS Teacher, Kewaunee School District, Kewaunee, WI

# FOREIGN LANGUAGES Employment Reported:

High School Spanish Teacher, D C Everest School District, Weston, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Spanish Summer School Teacher, Tigerton School District, Tigerton, WI

English/Spanish Teacher, Dodgeville School District, Dodgeville, WI ESL/English Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI

# **MATHEMATICS**

# **Employment Reported:**

Mathematics Teacher, Brodhead School District, Brodhead, WI

High School Mathematics Teacher, School district and city unknown, WI

#### **MUSIC**

#### Employment Reported:

General Music Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Substitute Teacher, D C Everest Area/Tomorrow River School Districts, Weston, WI Substitute Teacher, Chippewa Falls Area/Eau Claire Area S. D., Chippewa Falls, WI Choral Director, Chippewa Area Catholic Schools, Chippewa Falls, WI Preschool Teacher, St. Matthew Evangelical and Trinity Lutheran Churches, Marathon, WI Music Teacher, Milwaukee School District, Milwaukee, WI

Middle School Music Teacher, Kansas City S.D-Teach for America., Kansas City, MO Server, Bambino's Pizza & Grill, Tomahawk, WI Owner, Photographic Memories, LLC, Stevens Point, WI Band Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids School District, Wisconsin Rapids, WI Instrumental Music Director, Montello School District, Montello, WI Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area/Mosinee School Districts, Stevens Point, WI

# Further Schooling Reported:

Masters/Instrumental Performance-Bassoon, Univ. of MN-Twin Cities, Minneapolis, MN

# **NATURAL SCIENCE**

# **Employment Reported:**

High School Science Teacher, Hortonville School District, Hortonville, WI Substitute Teacher, Wisconsin Rapids/Nekoosa School Districts, Wisconsin Rapids, WI Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Iola-Scandinavia School District, Iola, WI Associate Park Ranger, US National Park Service, Location unknown

# PHYSICAL EDUCATION Employment Reported:

Adapted/Kindergarten Physical Education Teacher, Antigo School District, Antigo, WI Physical Education/Health Teacher, Cambria-Friesland School District, Cambria, WI Physical Education Teacher, Nekoosa School District, Nekoosa, WI Middle School Physical Education Teacher, Coleman School District, Coleman, WI K-6 Physical Education Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Pt., WI Preschool/Kindergarten Physical Ed. Teacher, Kids Express Learning Ctr., Madison, WI Elementary School Physical Education Teacher, Peshtigo School District, Peshtigo, WI

K-12 Physical Education Teacher, Phelps School District, Phelps, WI K-5 Physical Education Teacher, Menomonie Area School District, Menomonie, WI High School Physical Education Teacher, Merrill Area School District, Merrill, WI Physical Education Teacher, Franklin School District, Franklin, WI Substitute Teacher, Merrill Area/Elcho/Antigo School Districts, Merrill, WI Adapted/High School Physical Ed. Teacher/Coach, Marshall S. D., Marshall, WI

# **SOCIAL SCIENCE**

#### Employment Reported:

Social Studies Teacher, Pewaukee School District, Pewaukee, WI
Substitute Teacher, Racine School District, Racine, WI
Customer Service Representative, Clearwaters Hotel & Convention Ctr., Marshfield, WI
Substitute Teacher, Port Edwards/Wisconsin Rapids School Districts, Port Edwards, WI
Long-Term Substitute Teacher, Manitowoc School District, Manitowoc, WI
Substitute Teacher, Various school districts, Wittenberg, WI
Social Studies Teacher, Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary School, Maplewood, MN

Substitute Teacher, Stevens Point Area School District, Stevens Point, WI Substitute Teacher, Various school districts, Amherst, WI Substitute Teacher, Wausau School District, Wausau, WI Substitute Teacher, Mosinee/Wausau/Stevens Pt. Area School Districts, Mosinee, WI Substitute Teacher, Sauk Prairie School District, Sauk City, WI Social Studies Teacher, Aldine Independent School District, Houston, TX

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