Central Ohio Technical College

Graduate Survey

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BUSINESS MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGY BMT.AAB

Number of graduates47*Number of respondents24*Response rate51%

* One BMTOF.AAB graduate/respondent included within BMT.AAB

Current primary employment status	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Employed full-time	13	57%
Employed part-time	3	13%
Not employed, but looking for work	6	26%
Not employed and not looking for work	1	4%

COTC degree/certificate related to

current job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	9	75%
No	3	25%

Experience at COTC has prepared me

to be successful in my current			
job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents	
Very well-prepared	5	42%	
Well prepared	7	58%	
Not well-prepared	0	0%	

Plans for additional education or

training	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes – Currently taking classes	3	17%
Yes – In less than six months from now	1	5.5%
Yes – Six months to one year from now	1	5.5%
Yes – More than one year from now	4	22%
No – I have no plan for more education	9	50%

General education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Communication	13	5	0
Logical thinking	10	5	3
Problem solving	10	8	0
Test hypotheses	11	5	2
Diversity awareness	14	3	1

Reported Salary/Wage Range

\$19,032 - \$46509

Technical education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level	
Apply conceptual learning skills in today's business environment	13	4	1	
Analyze financial performance of an organization	10	3	5	
Evaluate organizational decisions with consideration of the political, legal, and ethical aspects of business	12	5	1	
Assess strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats of the business environment	14	4	5	

Respondent Job Title	Employer	NAICS Description
Dress Specialist	David's Bridal	Women's Clothing Stores
Office Clerk	Donley Ford	New Car Dealers
MSR 1	Directions Credit Union	Credit Unions
Retail Team Member	Target	Department Stores
Customer Service Representative	Park national bank	Commercial Banking
Fiscal Coordinator	КРН	Administration of Public
		Health Programs
Patient Finance Specialist	Mount Carmel health	General Medical and
	sisters	Surgical Hospitals
Chief Financial Officer	Ferrell-Arnette Financial	Investment Advice
	Institution	
Technical Support	Apple	Computer Stores
Supervisor	The Ohio State University	Colleges, Universities, and
	Newark	Professional Schools
Crew member	Wendy's	Limited-Service Restaurants

Respondent City	Respondent State	Respondent County
Lancaster	Ohio	Fairfield
Columbus	Ohio	Delaware
Mount Vernon	Ohio	Knox
Bellville	Ohio	Richland
Newark	Ohio	Licking
Centerburg	Ohio	Кпох
Newark	Ohio	Licking
Mount Vernon	Ohio	Кпох
Columbus	Ohio	Franklin
Newark	Ohio	Licking
Mount Vernon	Ohio	Кпох
Newark	Ohio	Licking
Reynoldsburg	Ohio	Licking
West Lafayette	Ohio	Coshocton

Land O Lakes	Florida	Pasco	
Bellville	Ohio	Knox	
Frazeysburg	Ohio	Knox	
Newark	Ohio	Licking	

Recommend COTC to friend or family	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	15	83%
No	3	17%

Having a hard time finding a job

I plan on returning to COTC's police academy when I am twenty. I currently run a financial company that is helping me save up for this at a pretty rapid pace. I feel I was well prepared for the daily challenges and unexpected events that happen in my industry. The education in the legal, financial, and ethical aspects I received was excellent. Well done guys!

My professors were professional and knowledgeable in their field of study. I miss my professor's. I had an experience with a professor that had issues with keeping her liberal political views private. She made it very clear that she strongly dislikes and blames our current sitting president for all of the hostility in our country. I do not think it is appropriate for professors to express where they stand politically. The administration should address professors feeling way to comfortable expressing their liberal views because there are many political views among students and professors should not assume that we are all liberal. If this was a class that involved political viewpoints that I would accept but even then, a professor should restrain. This class had nothing to do with politics it was a team building class.

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT - HUMAN RESOURCES CERTIFICATE BMHRC.1YRNumber of graduates17Number of respondents9Response rate53%

Current primary employment status	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Employed full-time	5	56%
Employed part-time	0	0%
Not employed, but looking for work	0	0%
Not employed and not looking for work	4	44%

COTC degree/certificate related to

current job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	1	33.3%
No	2	66.6%

Experience at COTC has prepared me

to be successful in my current

job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Very well-prepared	2	66.7%
Well-prepared	1	33.3%
Not well-prepared	0	0%

Plans for additional education or

training	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes – Currently taking classes	0	0%
Yes – In less than six months from now	2	29%
Yes – Six months to one year from now	0	0%
Yes – More than one year from now	1	14%
No – I have no plan for more education	4	57%

General education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Communication	7	0	0
Logical thinking	5	1	1
Problem solving	4	3	0
Test hypotheses	2	4	1
Diversity awareness	6	0	1

Reported Salary/Wage Range

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Technical education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Apply conceptual learning skills	5	1	1
in today's business environment			
Analyze financial performance	3	3	1
of an organization	3	5	T
Evaluate organizational			
decisions with consideration of	4	3	0
the political, legal, and ethical	4	5	0
aspects of business			
Assess strengths, weaknesses,			
opportunities, and threats of the	4	3	0
business environment			

Respondent Job Title	Employer	NAICS Description
Manufacturing Document Control	American Regent	Pharmaceutical
Specialist		preparations
		manufacturing
Customer Service Representative	Teleperformance	Telemarketing Bureaus and
		Other Contact Centers
Technical Support	Apple	Computer Stores

Respondent City	Respondent State	Respondent County
Lancaster	Ohio	Fairfield
Coshocton	Ohio	Coshocton
Columbus	Ohio	Franklin
Columbus	Ohio	Franklin
Land O Lakes	Florida	Pasco
Bellville	Ohio	Кпох
Frazeysburg	Ohio	Knox

Recommend COTC to friend or family	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	6	86%
No	1	14%

Having a hard time finding a job.

Great professor Bonnie & Cindy are amazing.

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT - MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATE BMHRC.1YRNumber of graduates13Number of respondents5Response rate38%

Current primary employment status	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Employed full-time	2	40%
Employed part-time	0	0%
Not employed, but looking for work	3	60%
Not employed and not looking for work	0	0%

COTC degree/certificate related to

current job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	1	100%
No	0	0%

Experience at COTC has prepared me

to be successful in my current

job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Very well-prepared	0	0%
Well-prepared	1	100%
Not well-prepared	0	0%

Plans for additional education or

training	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes – Currently taking classes	0	0%
Yes – In less than six months from now	0	0%
Yes – Six months to one year from now	1	25%
Yes – More than one year from now	1	25%
No – I have no plan for more education	2	50%

General education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Communication	4	0	0
Logical thinking	2	2	0
Problem solving	2	2	0
Test hypotheses	3	1	0
Diversity awareness	3	0	1

Reported Salary/Wage Range

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Technical education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Apply conceptual learning skills in today's business environment	2	1	1
Analyze financial performance of an organization	2	1	1
Evaluate organizational decisions with consideration of the political, legal, and ethical aspects of business	2	2	0
Assess strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats of the business environment	2	2	0

Respondent Job Title	Employer	NAICS Description
Manufacturing Document Control	American Regent	Pharmaceutical
Specialist		preparations
		manufacturing
Pro Service Associate	Lowe's	Home Centers

Respondent City	Respondent State	Respondent County
Lancaster	Ohio	Fairfield
Mount Vernon	Ohio	Knox
Bellville	Ohio	Knox
Frazeysburg	Ohio	Knox

Recommend COTC to friend or family	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	3	75%
No	1	25%

Having a hard time finding a job

I encourage people I work with to attend COTC.

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT – OFFICE ADMINISTRATION CERTIFICATE BMHRC.1YRNumber of graduates28Number of respondents6Response rate21%

Current primary employment status	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Employed full-time	4	67%
Employed part-time	0	0%
Not employed, but looking for work	0	0%
Not employed and not looking for work	2	33%

COTC degree/certificate related to

current job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	2	100%
No	0	0%

Experience at COTC has prepared me

to be successful in my current

job/position	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Very well-prepared	2	100%
Well-prepared	0	0%
Not well-prepared	0	0%

Plans for additional education or

training	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes – Currently taking classes	0	0%
Yes – In less than six months from now	1	25%
Yes – Six months to one year from now	1	25%
Yes – More than one year from now	1	25%
No – I have no plan for more education	1	25%

General education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Communication	4	0	0
Logical thinking	4	0	0
Problem solving	3	1	0
Test hypotheses	2	2	0
Diversity awareness	3	0	1

Reported Salary/Wage Range

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Technical education outcomes	High skill level	Medium skill level	Low skill level
Apply conceptual learning skills in today's business environment	3	0	1
Analyze financial performance of an organization	3	1	0
Evaluate organizational decisions with consideration of the political, legal, and ethical aspects of business	3	1	0
Assess strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats of the business environment	4	0	0

Respondent Job Title	Employer	NAICS Description
Manufacturing Document Control Specialist	American Regent	Pharmaceutical preparations manufacturing
Customer Service Representative	Teleperformance	Telemarketing Bureaus and Other Contact Centers
Chief Financial Officer	Ferrell-Arnette Financial Institution	Investment Advice

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Columbus	Ohio	Franklin
Mount Vernon	Ohio	Кпох
Bellville	Ohio	Knox
Frazeysburg	Ohio	Knox

Recommend COTC to friend or family	Count of respondents	Percentage of respondents
Yes	4	100%
No	0	0%

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