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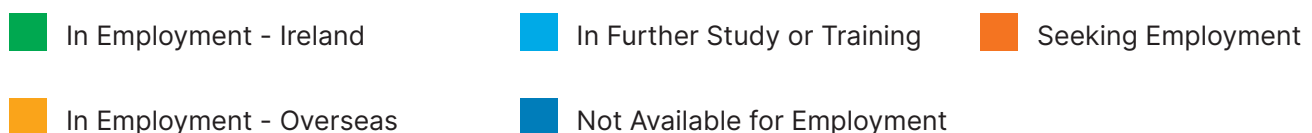
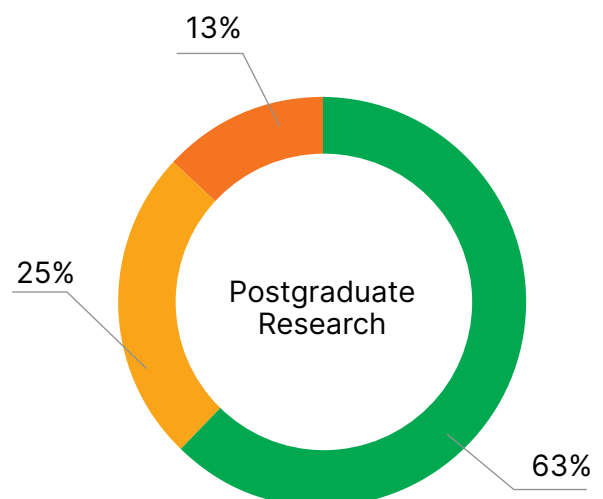
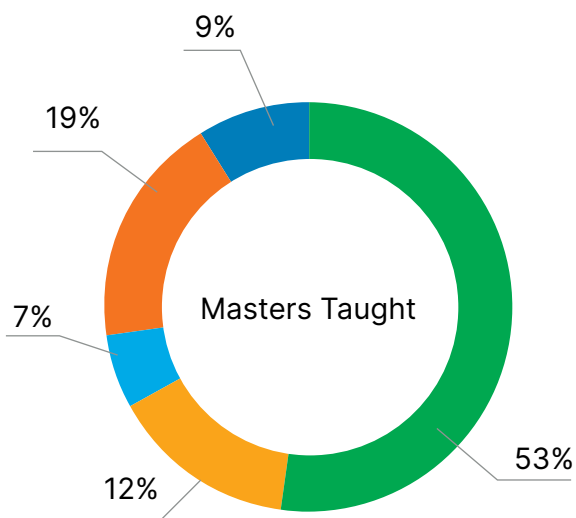
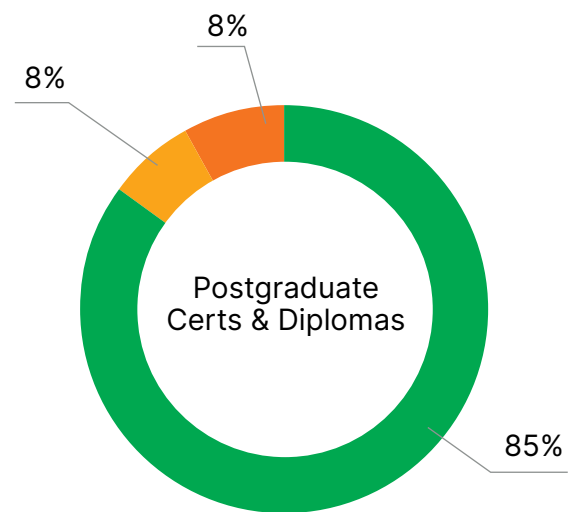
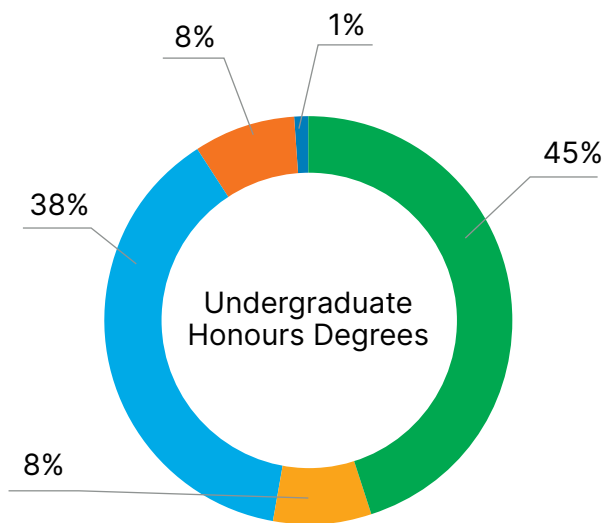
# Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences

Graduate Outcomes Survey  
Graduates of 2020

# Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences

## Award Level Employment

The data below represents the current status of the graduates of 2020 for graduates of Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences.



# Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences

Gender

In Employment



60%



55%

In Further Study or Training



26%



31%

Not Available for Employment



5%



2%

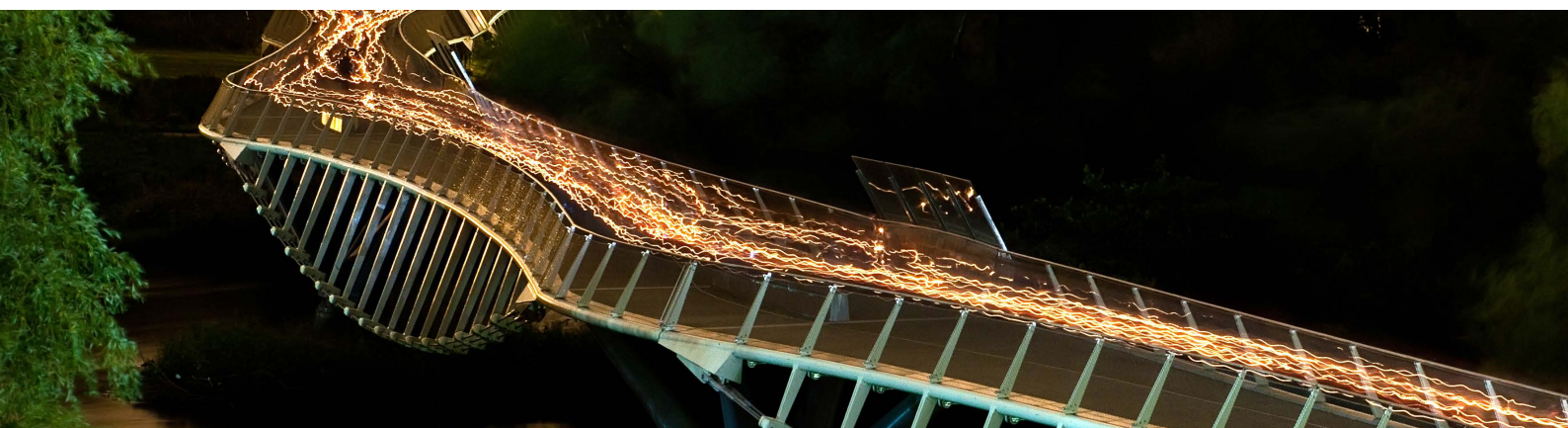
Seeking Employment



8%



12%



# Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences

## Salary

€26,748

Arts, Humanities  
& Social Sciences  
Graduates

The average starting salary for UL Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences graduates is €26,748.

The figure represents the current average based on those who completed the GOS and responded to the salary question. Some key factors continue to influence salary levels of UL graduates. They include discipline, type of job, employment sector, and location of employment.

€23,889

Undergraduate  
Honours Degrees

€32,824

Masters Taught

€39,167

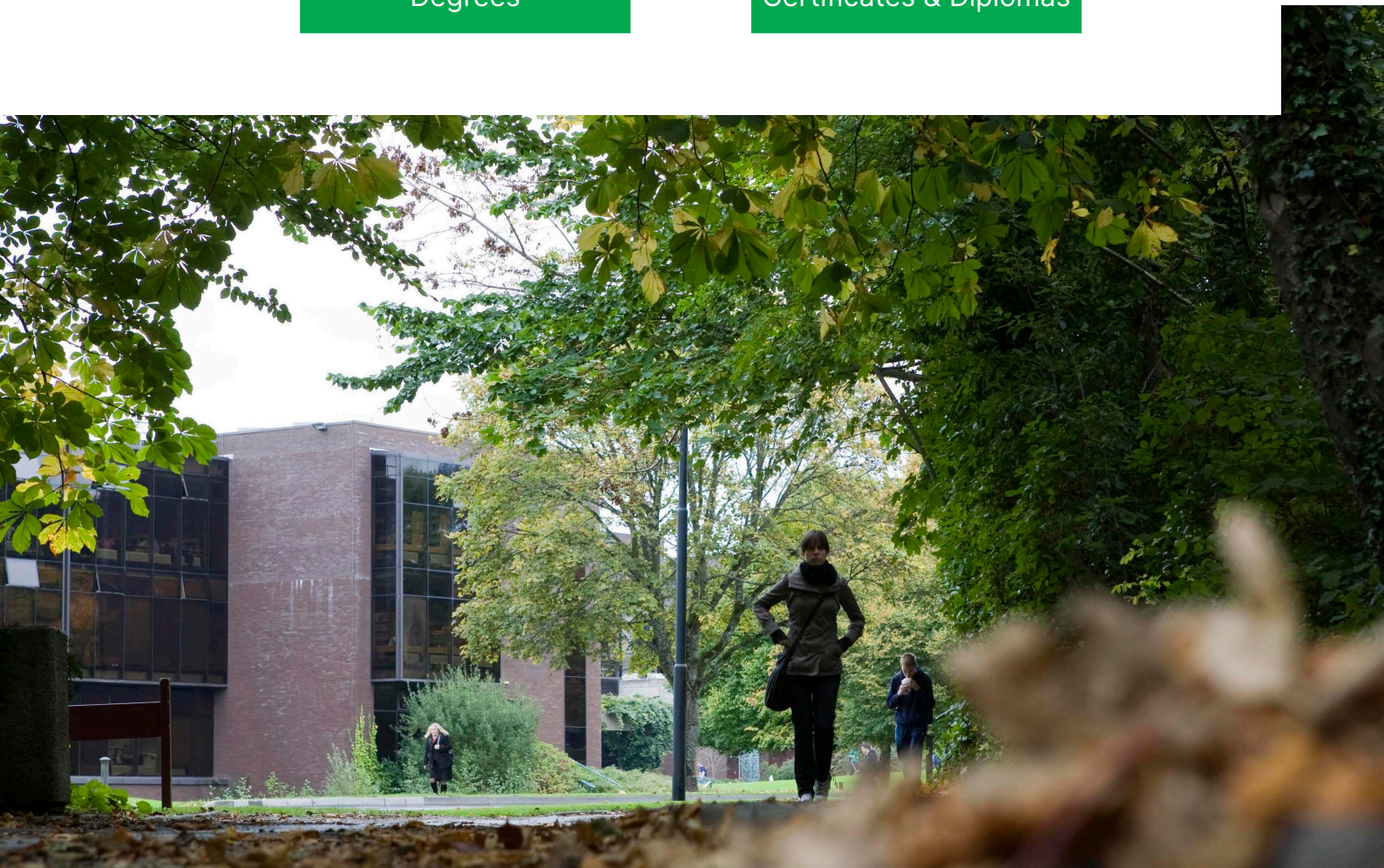
Postgraduate  
Research

€27,500

Other Undergraduate  
Degrees

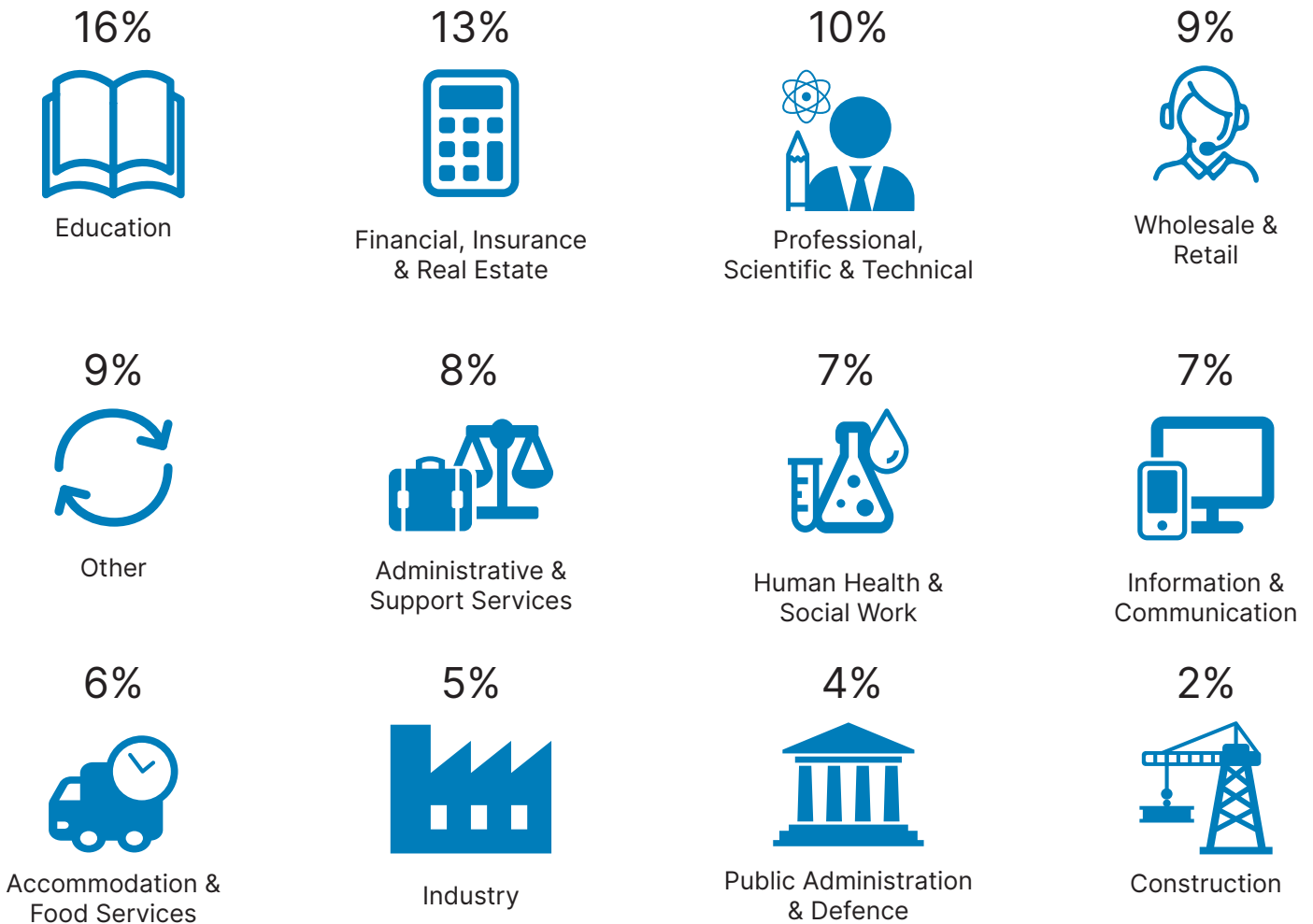
€31,389

Postgraduate  
Certificates & Diplomas



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## Employment Sectors



### Education

- Pre-Primary, Primary, General Secondary, Higher Education, and Other Education
- Educational Support activities

### Professional, Scientific, and Technical Activities Graduates

- Law and Accountancy
- Management Consultancy
- Architectural and Engineering: Technical Testing and Analysis
- Scientific Research and Development
- Advertising and Market Research

### Financial, Insurance & Real Estate

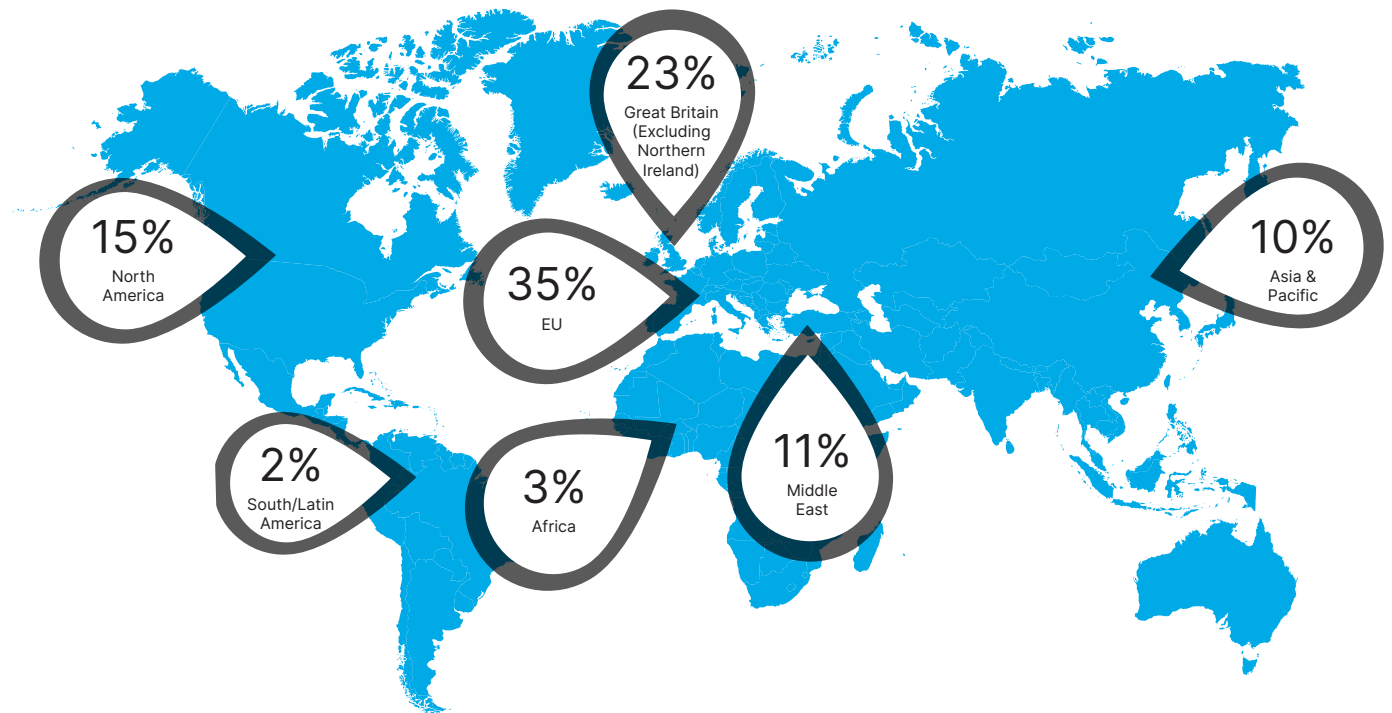
- Financial service activities, except insurance and pension funding
- Insurance, reinsurance and pension funding, except compulsory social security
- Activities auxiliary to financial services and insurance activities

### Wholesale and Retail

- Sale, Maintenance, and repair of motor parts & vehicles
- Wholesale of food, beverages and tobacco
- Wholesale of household goods
- Wholesale of other machinery, equipment and supplies.

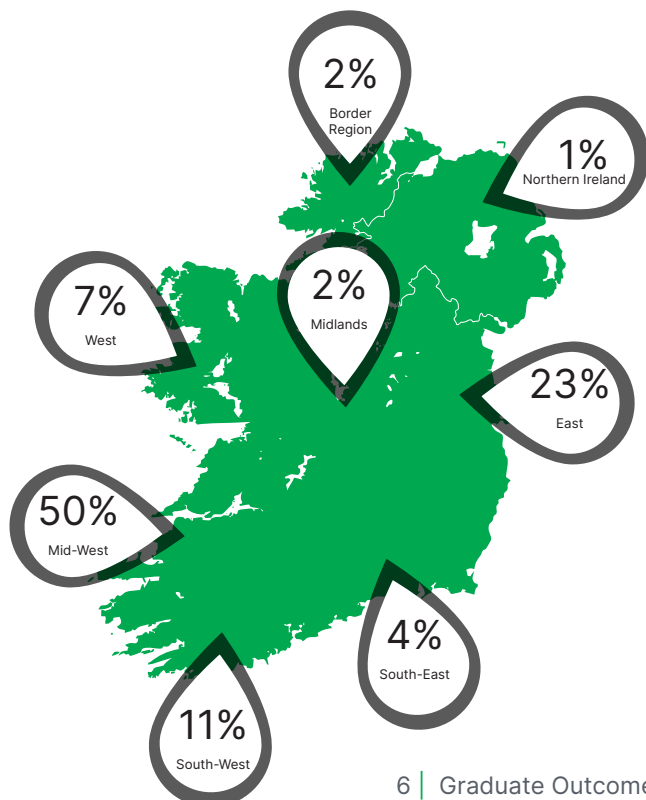
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## Regions of Employment



### Global

The greatest percentage of graduates working overseas went to the EU, at 35%. Of those, the largest percentage was in the Education sector, followed by Financial, Insurance & Real Estate, and then Professional, Scientific & Technical. Great Britain took the second largest number, with Education again foremost, followed by Human Health & Social Work, and Accommodation & Food Services.



### Ireland

Closer to home, the Mid West took the largest percentage of graduates of AHSS, at 50%. Of those, Wholesale & Retail, Financial, Insurance & Real Estate, and Education were the sectors most represented. The East of the country took the next largest, at 23%. Of those, Financial, Insurance & Real Estate was the sector that featured most, followed by Education, and Professional, Scientific, and Technical.

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