

April 2012 Actuarial Undergrad Confidential Scantron Survey: Results

1	This term is	W12 95	Sum12	F12	W13	Sum13	F13	W14
2	This ACT course is	240	245 47	247	348	349	370 47	Othr
3	Credit towards ACIA/FCIA (but probably not ASA/FSA) for 70%/75% in the university courses will be enough for me, without taking more ASA/FSA exams	NO 37	NO 10	No 8	50-50 15	Yes 9	YES 5	YES 10
4	If I get 70%/75% in the university courses, I'll still try the SoA/CAS exam N times.	N=0 12	N=1 29	N=2 20	N=3 11	N=4 4	N=5 4	N>5 13
5	Highest SoA/CAS exam passed so far	0 39	P 15	FM 32	M-LC 6	M-FE 2	Mboth 0	C 0
		0	<1	1-3	3-6	6-12	12-24	>24
6	Months of paid work done	46	1	12	3	11	7	14
7	Includes months of paid office work done	55	5	9	8	10	4	3
8	Includes months of actuarial paid work	82	2	5	1	3	0	1
9	% of paid work done in Canada/US	49	4	3	1	1	3	33
		NO	NO	no	50-50	yes	YES	YES
10	I'll apply for Professional Experience Year	27	7	6	18	12	0	23
11	I'll try for non-PEY pre-graduation work	15	2	3	21	10	4	37
12	International acceptability of my qualifications is important to me for the next 6 years (Q13: for more distant future)	5 (5)	1 (1)	2 (1)	10 (14)	22 (20)	10 (10)	45 (42)
14	I'm a Canadian Citizen (Q15:have PR)	49(82)	1(0)	0(1)	0(0)	0(0)	0(0)	44(11)
16	I'll likely have PR within 6 years from now	60	1	2	11	4	3	11
17	I'll likely move to the US within 6 years	25	8	8	35	5	4	8
18	I would have liked to go to Rotman	45	6	11	13	7	4	8
19	I applied to a university with co-op	42	7	12	0	5	4	23
20	I wish Toronto Act Sci had co-op	4	1	1	6	12	4	67
21	U of T ACT courses have too much work	8	2	11	27	17	8	21
22	I know Excel well	13	6	10	25	21	8	11
23	I'm OK giving a speech in English	5	3	6	17	19	15	30
24	English is my first language	73	1	1	2	1	2	14
25	(If NO) OK giving a speech in my language	5	1	2	11	13	13	34
26	We need course(s) in public speaking	10	7	3	18	17	11	28
27	We need course(s) in client interaction	6	4	3	14	20	15	32
28	We need course(s) in interview skills	4	8	2	10	18	11	40
29	Lectures before noon are fine	11	3	7	11	17	14	32
30	I'd like an unpaid research project at U of T	10	4	3	17	17	19	24
31	I'll probably apply to graduate school	19	10	13	23	10	7	13
32	An actuarial employer will want me	7	2	8	29	15	8	26
33	An acceptable non-actuarial will want me	2	1	4	27	17	11	31
34	My first choice of job location is Toronto	7	4	5	16	10	11	39
35	I'm willing to move to Vancouver to work	18	2	7	18	16	6	26
36	I'm willing to move to London ON to work	25	10	8	14	11	8	17
37	I'm willing to move to New York or LA	14	4	3	21	12	12	27
38	I'm willing to move to Iowa City or Detroit	31	11	14	13	7	4	13
39	I'm willing to Hong Kong (Q40: mainland)	25(29)	5(7)	4(6)	13(12)	12(12)	5(9)	29(18)
41	I'm willing to move to Europe or Australia	19	7	6	17	11	6	24
42	My first job after grad'n will likely be in	Canada 71	USA 4	H-Kong 10	China 1	Taiwn 2	Astrlia 0	Othr 3
43	Current grade point average (pick highest)	<50.0 1	<60.0 0	<65.0 8	<70.0 22	<80.0 36	<90.0 16	<99 7

Student Number: _____

INSTRUCTIONS AND VOLUNTARY NATURE:

It is fully your choice whether you answer any or all of the questions on either side of this survey. But filling out the overleaf information on your Scantron will help the University of Toronto Actuarial Science instructors plan the programme. The current tight job market, the 2012 Canadian Institute of Actuaries accreditation of universities and the 2013 commencement of the Society of Actuaries general insurance track are factors influencing the programme. This is an early version of the survey, is totally the responsibility of Keith Sharp and has not been given to Department of Statistics senior personnel for approval. The 'NO-YES' answer scale denotes increasing strength/probability.

PRIVACY

You are encouraged but not required to give your student ID on the Scantron and on this form above; its omission somewhat reduces the value of this information. Likely Keith Sharp will post an anonymous summary of the aggregate survey results for this class, certainly not a summary by ID, name, email or other identifier.

OPTIONAL WAIVERS BY STUDENT

I'd like to give this email address, likely valid long-term, to stay in touch with the Act Sci instructors, CAREFUL BLOCK CAPITALS PLEASE: _____ (here you are agreeing to use of the email address by instructors, who will probably send you email after graduation to ask about your employment situation. Instructors promise not to share it with marketers or with U of T or other fund raisers).
If you wish to emphasise disagreement , please circle "I'M NOT GIVING AN EMAIL ADDRESS, SORRY"

I give permission for the above email address to be listed for view on a restricted web site by other Toronto Act Sci students and alumni (only) (please give signature and date here if you give permission)

Signature: _____

Date: _____

If you wish to emphasise disagreement, please circle "I DO NOT PERMIT LISTING OF MY E-MAIL ADDRESS"

I give permission for my name (Family name, comma, personal names): _____ to be listed on a restricted web site for view by other Toronto Act Sci students and alumni (only) (please give signature and date here if you give permission)

Signature: _____

Date: _____

If you wish to emphasise disagreement , please circle "I DO NOT GIVE PERMISSION TO LIST MY NAME"

ANY OTHER COMMENTS YOU WANT TO ADD:

On location of employment:

On immigration status:

On the Fall 2012 (not guaranteed ongoing) CIA accreditation of U of T:

On pre-graduation work experience:

Other comments, e.g on graduate work etc:

MANY THANKS FOR YOUR INPUT IN HELPING THE INSTRUCTORS HELP YOU