



**UNIVERSITY SATISFACTION,
EMPLOYMENT OUTCOMES,
AND ACADEMIC EXPERIENCES**

OF

CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY GRADUATES:

**AN ANALYSIS OF THE ILLINOIS BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION
POST BACCALAUREATE SURVEY
ONE YEAR, FIVE YEARS AND NINE YEARS OUT**

Report Brief of the Office of Institutional Effectiveness and Research (2014)

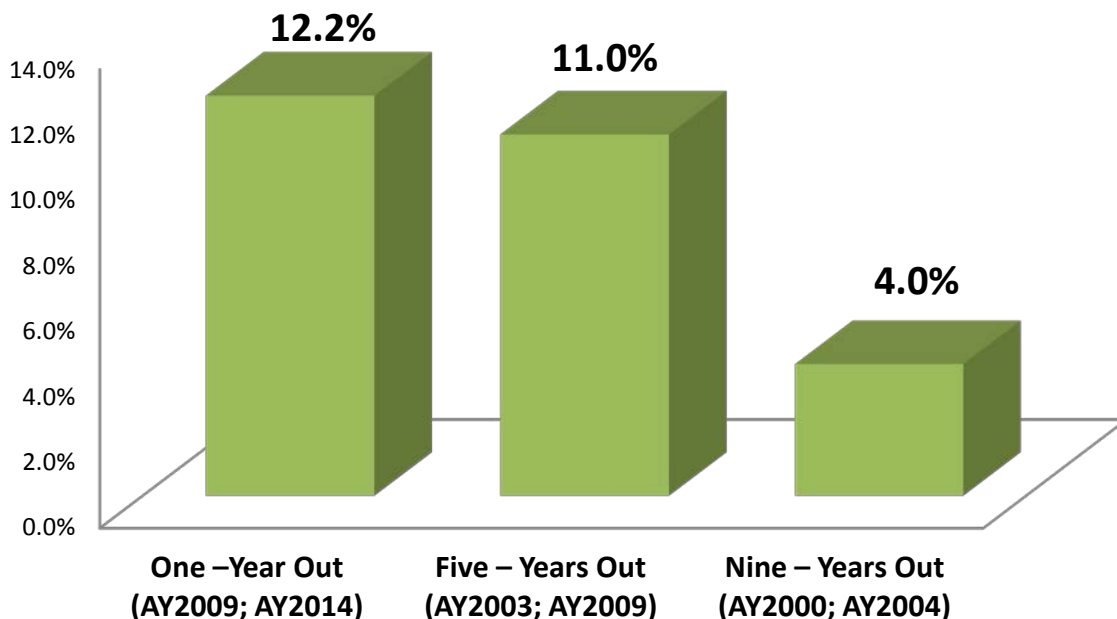
About the Post Baccalaureate One Year, Five Years, and Nine Years Out Surveys

The post baccalaureate survey provides demographic data, academic data, and general information on graduate outcomes related to employment, degree advancement and academic life at Chicago State University (CSU) one year, five years and nine years out. A mandated survey of the Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE) for all public universities, the survey instrument consists of a twenty-one to twenty-four common questions including an additional open-ended question(s) tailored to each respective public institution for gathering additional information on graduate thoughts about their academic and employment experiences.

This report provides a general overview of the survey findings and highlights the experiences of graduates including their overall satisfaction with CSU and current employment.

Survey Response Rate

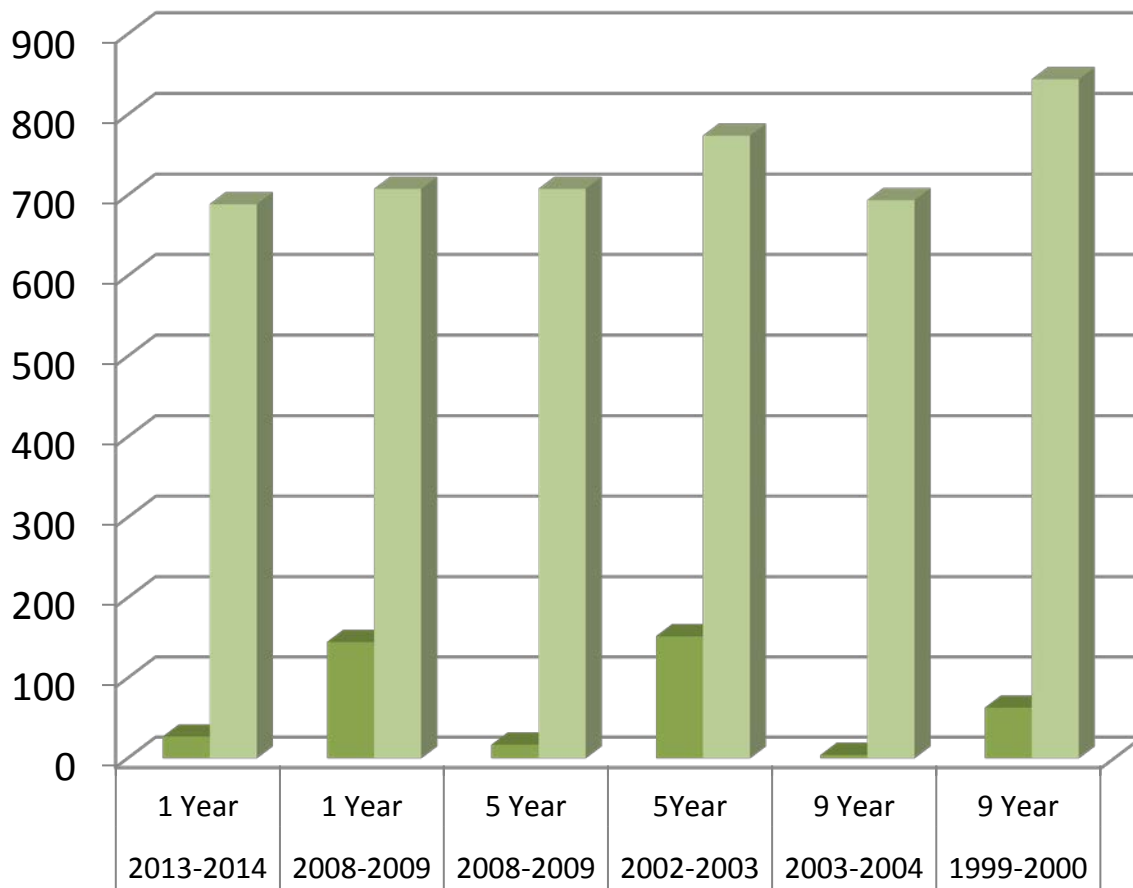
One –Year Out (AY2009; AY2014)	Five – Years Out (AY2003; AY2009)	Nine – Years Out (AY2000; AY2004)	Average Rate
12.2%	11.0%	4.0%	9.1%



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Headcount of Survey Respondents

Survey Year	Survey Type	Number of Respondents	Number of Graduates	Response Rate
2013-2014	1 Year	27	689	4%
2008-2009	1 Year	145	708	20%
2008-2009	5 Year	17	708	2%
2002-2003	5Year	152	774	20%
2003-2004	9 Year	4	694	1%
1999-2000	9 Year	63	844	7%



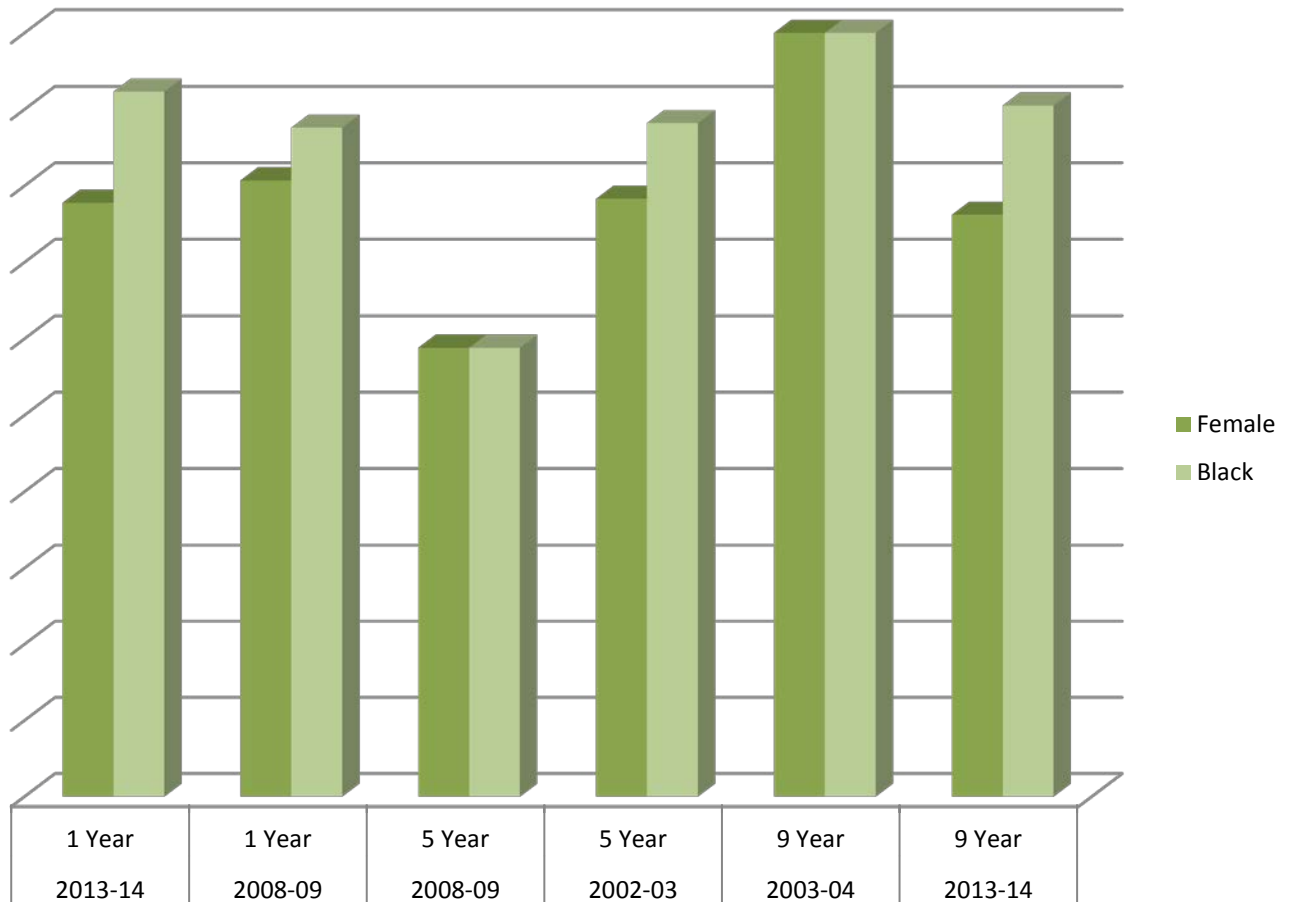
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Respondent Profile

Graduates from all surveys were typically female, Black (Non-Hispanic) and majoring in the liberal arts or humanities.

Survey Respondent Student Profile by Gender and Race

Survey Year	Female	Black
AY 2000 (Nine Years)	76.2%	90.5%
AY 2004 (Nine Years)	100%	100%
AY 2003 (Five Years)	78.3%	88.2%
AY 2009 (Five Years)	58.8%	58.8%
AY 2009 (One Year)	80.7%	87.6%
AY 2014 (One Year)	77.8%	92.3%
AVERAGE	78.9%	89.3%



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Survey Respondent Profile by Major Category

Survey Year	Business	Social/Behavioral Sciences	Education	Health/Nursing	Liberal Arts Humanities
AY 2000 (Nine Years)	11.1%	12.7%	14.3%	6.4%	39.7%
AY 2004 (Nine Years)	0.0%	25.0%	0.0%	0.0	75.0%
AY 2003 (Five Years)	15.8%	20.4%	10.5%	6.6%	36.8%
AY 2009 (Five Years)	5.9%	17.7%	18.0%	29.4%	23.52%
AY 2009 (One Year)	8.3%	19.3%	6.9%	9.6%	33.7%
AY 2014 (One Year)	0.0%	24.0%	4%	0.0%	40%
AVERAGE	11.8	17.2%	10.9%	8.1%	35.7%

2014-15 Survey Respondents

Employment Status

In all three surveys, the majority of the respondents reported that they were employed Full Time

Employment Status	Yes, full-time	Yes, part-time	No, but am seeking employment	No, and am not seeking employment
AY2014 (1 Year Survey)	68%	8%	20%	4%
AY2009 (5 Year Survey)	86.67%	0	6.67%	6.67%
AY2004 (9 Year Survey)	75%	25%	0	0

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Area of Employment

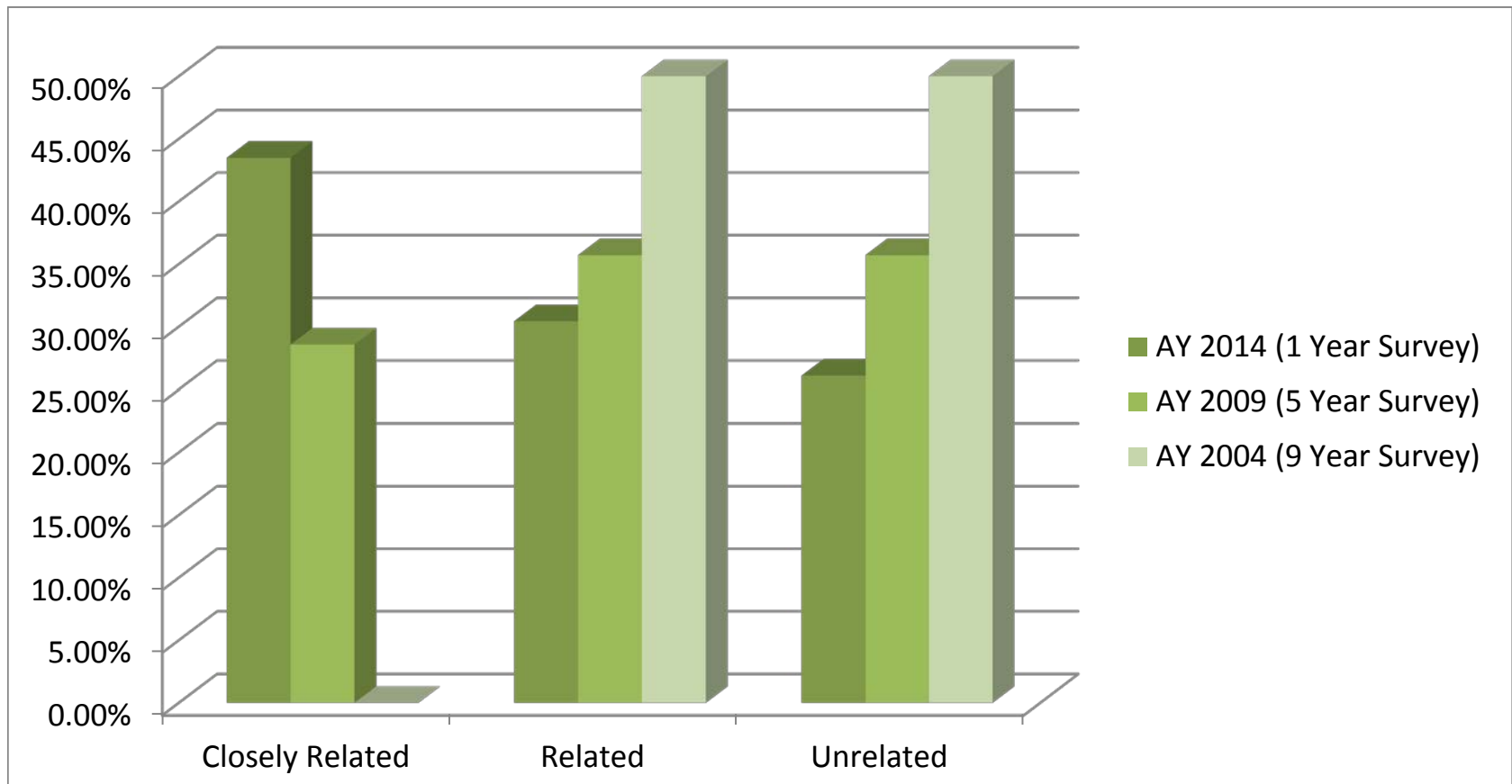
Area of Employment	Self-employed or private practice:	Business	Professional firm	College or University	Education	Health	Government	Non-Profit	Other
Current Employment (1 Year Survey)	8.7%	13.0%	8.7%	8.7%	8.7%	17.4%	4.4%	21.7%	8.7%
Current Employment (5 Year Survey)		6.7%	13.3%	20.0%	6.7%	13.3%	26.7%	6.7%	6.7%
Current Employment (9 Year Survey)							75.0%	25.0%	

The largest majority of CSU graduates work in Government in some form or fashion. Non-Profit entities are the second largest area of employment for the CSU graduates that responded to the Bachelor surveys.

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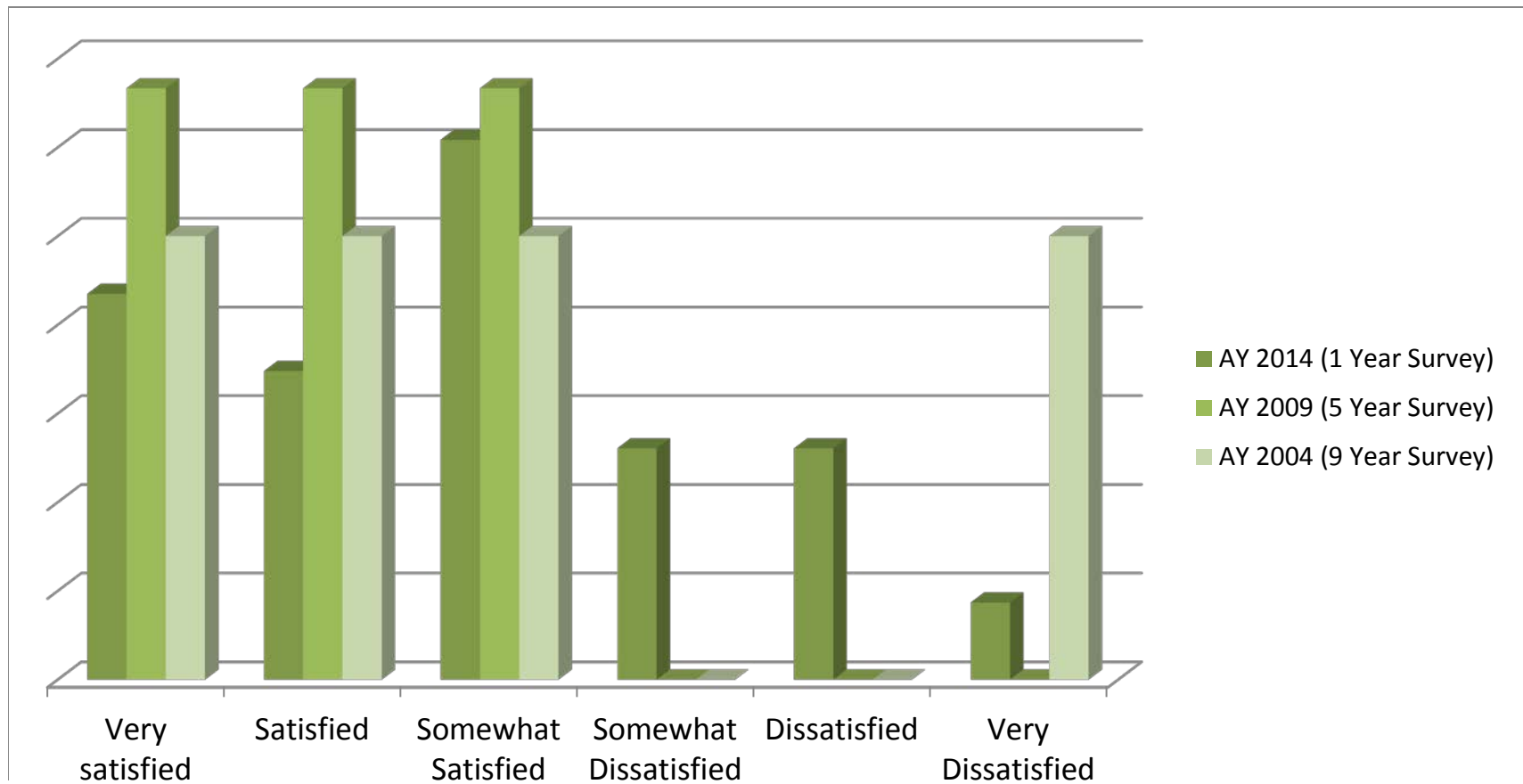
Job related to Major

Job Relation to Major	Closely Related	Related	Unrelated
AY 2014 (1 Year Survey)	43.48%	30.43%	26.09%
AY 2009 (5 Year Survey)	28.57%	35.71%	35.71%
AY 2004 (9 Year Survey)	0	50.00%	50.00%



Job Satisfaction

Job Satisfaction	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied
AY 2014 (1 Year Survey)	21.74%	17.39%	30.43%	13.04%	13.04%	4.35%
AY 2009 (5 Year Survey)	33.33%	33.33%	33.33%	0	0	0
AY 2004 (9 Year Survey)	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%	0	0	25.00%



Pursuit of an Additional Degree

Pursuit of an Additional Degree	Yes	No
AY 2014 (1 Year Survey)	65.22%	34.28%
AY 2009 (5 Year Survey)	63.34%	36.36%
AY 2004 (9 Year Survey)	75.00%	25.00%

