



## WHAT IS seekUT?

seekUT is a free online, interactive tool that presents data on the employment outcomes of University of Texas graduates over time. It also offers special reports for medical and dental students. Students and families can use seekUT to help inform decisions about their education and to plan for their financial future.

## WHAT WILL I FIND?

### AFFORDABILITY

Median student loan debt at graduation for those who took out loans, the percent of students who borrowed, and the estimated monthly loan payment compared to median monthly earnings

### EARNINGS

Median earnings from graduates working in Texas one, five, and ten years after graduation

#### Coming Soon

New partnership with U.S. Census Bureau will provide earnings for graduates working across the country

### EMPLOYMENT

Industries that are employing UT graduates in Texas along with predicted job openings

Data available for nearly **400 degree majors** at the bachelor's, master's, doctoral, and professional levels at **12 UT institutions**

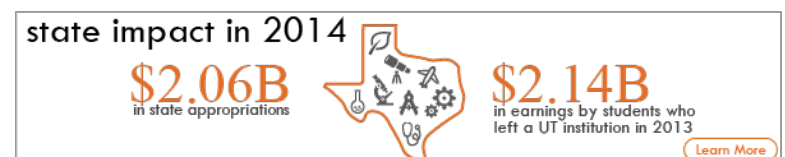
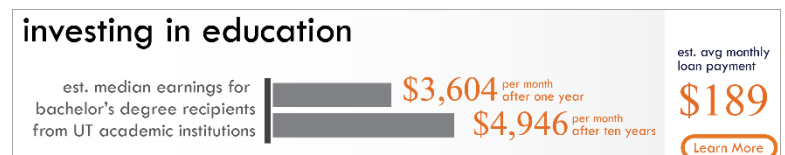


Based on **220,000 UT Graduates** working full-time in Texas

## Beyond a Data Tool for Students: Using Wage Data to Inform Policy & Support Accountability and Transparency

### The UT System Dashboard (<http://data.utsystem.edu>)

- is a business intelligence system that includes publicly accessible web-based applications for extracting and analyzing institutional data
- provides current data, trends over time, and comparative benchmarking across a variety of metrics
- supports better data-informed decision- and policy-making
- measures UT System's productivity, efficiency, and impact, and demonstrates accountability to stakeholders

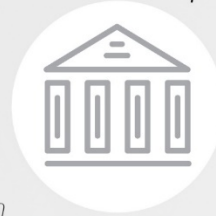


## Partnering with the U.S. Census Bureau

- First of its kind agreement ([more](#))
- 10-year collaboration joins UT System's higher education expertise and student data with Census' workforce data and expertise
- Post-collegiate outcomes for UT graduates from the Census Bureau's Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics (LEHD) program
- Data will augment existing online tools—seekUT and UT System Dashboard—and will inform policy decisions
- Answer important research questions:
  - What occupations or industries tend to have the most earning potential for UT graduates—both immediately after graduation and over time?
  - What are current employment rates for UT graduates by institution, degree level, and degree program?
  - What economic impact do UT graduates have on the U.S. economy?
  - What are the earnings of UT graduates by institution, degree level, and degree program, and state or region of employment?

# COMPLETION MATTERS

presented by UT System



Based on  
**326,000 UNDERGRADUATES**  
that exited a UT System academic campus  
between 2001-2012



## COMPLETERS

(earned a Bachelor's degree)

## NON-COMPLETERS

(did not earn a Bachelor's degree)

After working one full year in Texas,  
**COMPLETERS EARNED 45% MORE**  
than Non-Completers after leaving college.



## IN THE TENTH YEAR AFTER LEAVING COLLEGE,

**COMPLETERS**  
earned, on average,  
**\$72,821**



**NON-COMPLETERS**  
earned, on average,  
**\$55,065**

Over the course of 10 years, these differences add up to an average of

**\$150,000**

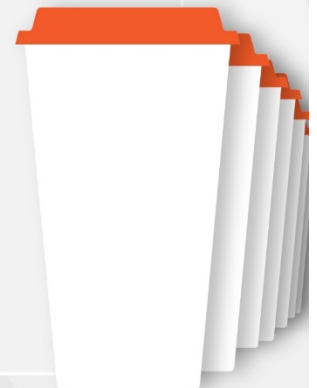
in cumulative earnings.

**That goes a long way towards buying a house.**

**Or 5 new cars.**

**Or 30 amazing vacations.**

**Or 30,000 lattes.**



Completing a UT degree pays off.



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