

# DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS

## December 2014 Graduates

On Friday, December 19, 2014, the Department of Agricultural Economics graduated 35 students with a degree in **Agricultural Economics** and 34 students with a degree in **Agribusiness**. 1 student graduated *Summa Cum Laude* (3.9 and above GPR), 3 students graduated *Magna Cum Laude* (3.7 - 3.899 GPR), and 4 students graduated *Cum Laude* (3.5 - 3.699 GPR) for a **total of 10 students graduating with honors**. A survey taken prior to the graduation ceremony provides some interesting information about this group.

**67 out of 69 Graduates Responded to the Survey**

	AGBU	AGEC		AGBU	AGEC
<b><u>Post Graduation Plans</u></b>			<b><u>Total Job Offers</u></b>		
Employed	11	11	Career Center	5	5
Further Education	4	1	UG Office	1	0
Seeking Options	12	14	Other	22	21
Military	0	0	<b><u>Types of Jobs Taken</u></b>		
			Oil and Gas	2	2
Other	5	4	Ag. Producer	0	2
<b><u>Gender</u></b>			Analyst	1	1
Male	20	25	Consultant	1	0
Female	13	9	Construction	0	0
<b><u>Race</u></b>			Banking/Finance	0	3
White	29	31	Management	1	0
Black or African American	0	0	Marketing	0	0
Hispanic	5	2	Public Service	0	0
Asian	0	0	Real Estate	1	1
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	Sales	3	5
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0	0	Other	3	2
Other	0	1	<b><u>Found Job Through</u></b>		
			Previous Employer	0	0
<b><u>Employment Salary range</u></b>			Family/Personal Contact	5	3
\$15,000-20,000	0	0	Career Center	1	0
21,000-25,000	1	0	Dept. of AGECE	2	2
26,000-30,000	0	1	ACE Day	2	2
31,000-35,000	0	1	Military	0	0
36,000-40,000	1	2	Personal Research/Other	1	6
41,000-45,000	6	2	May's Career Fair	1	1
46,000-50,000	2	1	Non Response	4	1
51,000-55,000	0	0	<b><u>Pursuing More Education</u></b>		
56,000-60,000	0	1			
61,000-65,000	0	2	TAMU:		
66,000-70,000	0	0	Agriculture	0	0
71,000-75,000	1	0	Real Estate	0	1
75,000+	1	0	Other	1	0
Other	0	1	MBA at other school	1	0
Not Reported	0	2	MS at other school	1	0
Straight Commission	0	2	Juris Doctorate	1	0
			Teaching Certificate	0	0

**Interview Process**

Career Center(Registered)                    27            24

**Interviews**

*Range of Interviews per Student (# of students)*

Career Center	1-20	15	19
UG Office	1-10	1	0
ACE Day	1-10	32	21
May's Career Fair	1-10	17	11
Other	1-10	24	26
No Response		0	0