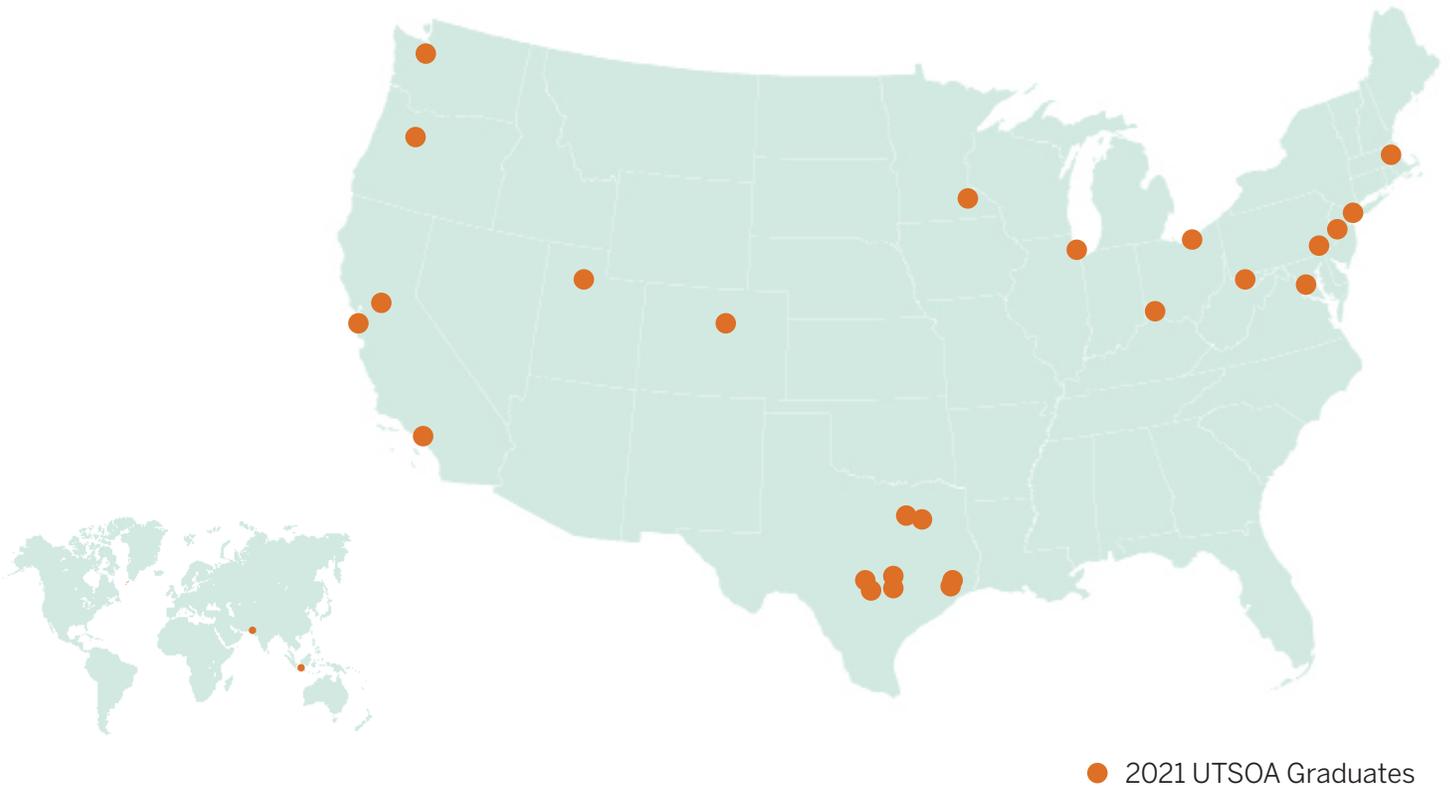


# EMPLOYMENT REPORT

2021



## THE UTSOA INFLUENCE

With nationally ranked programs and a vision that combines intellectual curiosity and ambition with professional practice, it is no wonder that graduates of The University of Texas at Austin School of Architecture are in high demand. In fact, 95% of our surveyed graduating class in 2021 who pursued employment reported finding a job in the months after graduation; 5% opted to pursue graduate studies.

This report compiles the job placement of the 2021 UT Austin School of Architecture alumni six months after graduation. Survey data is assembled into an employment report published annually.

The publication organizes jobs by degree and includes employer name, position title, and location for each graduate, while maintaining individual confidentiality. Firms or organizations that employ multiple graduates from the same program are identified by an asterisk. Graduates who participated in a dual degree program are indicated as well. A salary breakdown is included for programs where adequate data was received. This report also includes information about alumni interest in pursuing licensure or certification within each field. Employment type is broken down into public, private, and non-profit sectors for Community and Regional Planning graduates. Data in this report is based upon a 81% survey response rate.

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## MASTER OF ARCHITECTURE

### EMPLOYER

atelierjones  
Bargmann Hendrie + Archetype  
Bercy Chen Studio LLP  
Bergmeyer Associates Inc.  
Clayton Korte  
Corgan\*  
DIGSAU  
DTJ Design  
GSBS Architects  
Kendall Heaton Associates  
Michael Hsu Office of Architecture  
Miro Rivera Architects  
Murray Legge Architecture  
ODA Architecture  
One Architecture & Design  
ONE Architecture & Urbanism  
Page Southerland Page  
Perkins&Will\*  
Pfluger Architects\*  
Sandvick Architects, Inc.  
Texas Housers  
WDG Architects

### JOB TITLE

Project Architect  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Project Designer  
Project Specialist  
Designer I  
Architectural Designer  
Architect  
Architectural Staff  
Project Designer  
Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Junior Architect  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Designer  
Designer I  
Architectural Staff  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Designer

### LOCATION

Seattle, WA  
Boston, MA  
Austin, TX  
Boston, MA  
Austin, TX  
Dallas, TX  
Philadelphia, PA  
Austin, TX  
Salt Lake City, UT  
Houston, TX  
Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
New York, NY  
New York, NY  
New York, NY  
Denver, CO  
Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
Cleveland, OH  
Austin, TX  
Dallas, TX

\* two or more graduates at this location

## BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURE

### EMPLOYER

Atlantis Architects  
Bercy Chen Studio LLP  
Buro Happold Ltd.  
Burton Baldridge Architects Inc  
CannonDesign  
Corgan\*  
Cornerstone Architects  
Deborah Berke Partners  
Furman + Keil Architects

### JOB TITLE

Architectural Designer  
Real Estate Development Associate  
Graduate Sustainability Engineer  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Project Specialist  
Project Technician  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer

### LOCATION

Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
Boston, MA  
Austin, TX  
Chicago, IL  
Dallas, TX  
Austin, TX  
New York, NY  
Austin, TX

### EMPLOYER

GFF\*  
GRT Architects  
Hacker  
Haddon+Cowan Architects  
Heather Young Architects  
HouseMill Design  
Humphreys & Partners Architects  
HYCArch  
Kirksey Architecture  
Lake|Flato  
Lemmo Architecture and Design  
Leroy Street Studio Architecture  
Lord Aeck Sargent  
Mahlum Architects  
Marmol Radziner  
Mills Group  
Montalba Architects\*  
O'Connell Robertson  
Olson Kundig  
Perkins&Will  
Pluck Architecture  
Positive Energy  
Quorum Architects  
RIOS  
SERA Architects, Inc.  
Snøhetta  
STG Design  
Studio MB  
Studio Vara  
Studio8 Architects  
System D Architecture  
Tsao & McKown Architects  
Urban Foundry Architecture  
WDG Architects  
Wiss, Janney, Elstner Associates, Inc.  
Y Media Labs

\* two or more graduates at this location

### JOB TITLE

Architectural Professional  
Designer  
Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Designer  
Designer  
Junior Project Coordinator  
Junior Designer  
Project Coordinator I  
Designer  
Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Intern  
Technical Staff Level I  
Designer  
Architectural Design Associate  
Designer I  
Architectural Designer  
Junior Architect  
Arch I  
Project Designer  
Performance Consultant  
Architectural Intern  
Architectural Designer  
Visualization Project Assist  
Designer I  
Architectural Designer  
Staff Designer  
Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Project Designer  
Junior Designer  
Architectural Designer  
Architectural Designer I  
Associate II

### LOCATION

Dallas, TX  
Brooklyn, NY  
Portland, OR  
Austin, TX  
Palo Alto, CA  
Austin, TX  
Dallas, TX  
Santa Monica, CA  
Dallas, TX  
Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
New York, NY  
Austin, TX  
Seattle, WA  
Los Angeles, CA  
Morgantown, WV  
Santa Monica, CA  
Austin, TX  
Seattle, WA  
Dallas, TX  
Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
Fort Worth, TX  
Los Angeles, CA  
Portland, OR  
New York, NY  
Austin, TX  
Washington, D.C.  
San Francisco, CA  
Austin, TX  
Austin, TX  
Brooklyn, NY  
Austin, TX  
Dallas, TX  
Austin, TX  
New York, NY

## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN URBAN DESIGN

### EMPLOYER

Lionheart Places

### JOB TITLE

Urban Designer and Planner

### LOCATION

Austin, TX

## MASTER OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY AND REGIONAL PLANNING

EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE	LOCATION
Adams County Government	Planner I	Austin, TX
AECOM*	Transportation Planner	Austin, TX
AECOM	Urban Designer II	Dallas, TX
California Air Resources Board	Climate Investments Specialist	Sacramento, CA
Capital Metro	Transit Oriented Communities Planner	Austin, TX
City of Austin - Watershed Protection Department	Planner	Austin, TX
City of Pearland	Planner I	Pearland, TX
Civic Arts	Program Associate	Austin, TX
Civiltude Engineers & Planners	Junior Planner/GIS Technician	Austin, TX
Cox McLain Environmental Consulting	Architectural Historian	Austin, TX
Federal Emergency Management Agency	Community planner	Seattle, WA
GIZ	Advisor	Jakarta, Indonesia
GrantWorks, Inc.	Planner	Austin, TX
HKS	Planner	Dallas, TX
McKinsey & Company	Associate	Karachi, Pakistan
National Wildlife Federation	One Water and Water Equity Fellow	Austin, TX
S.B. Friedman Development Advisors	Associate	Chicago, IL
Siglo Group	Planner	Austin, TX
Strategic Economics	Associate	Berkeley, CA
Texas Water Development Board*	State Flood Planner	Austin, TX
The University of Texas*	Faculty	Austin, TX

\* two or more graduates at this location

## MASTER OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE

EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE	LOCATION
TBG Partners	Landscape Designer	Austin, TX
Nelson Byrd Woltz Landscape Architects	Designer	New York, NY
Design Workshop	Designer	Austin, TX
dwg.	Landscape Designer	Austin, TX
Coleman and Associates	Landscape Designer	Austin, TX
TBG Partners	Designer	Austin, TX
Design Workshop	Designer	Houston, TX

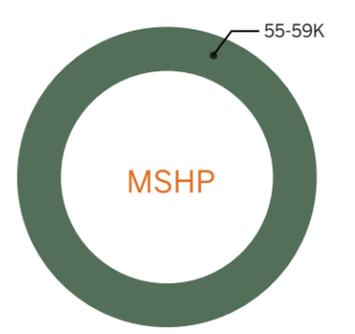
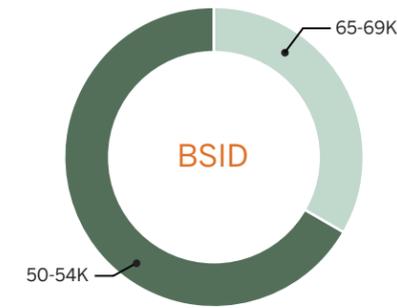
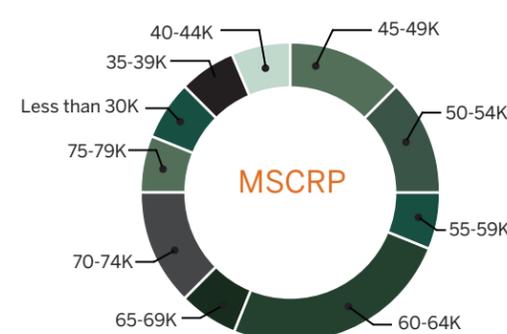
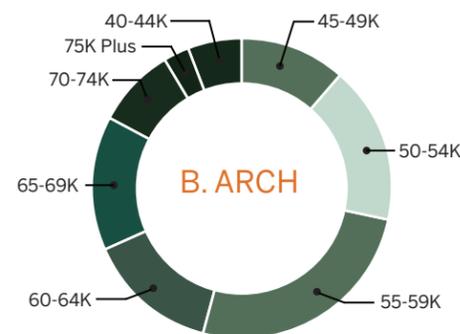
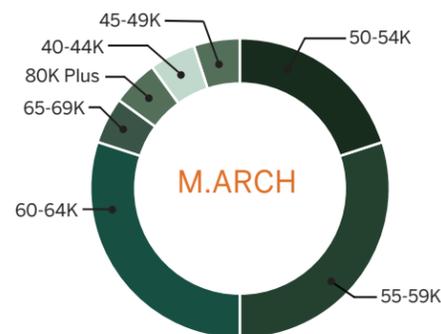
## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INTERIOR DESIGN

EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE	LOCATION
Gensler	Designer	Houston, TX
Interiors by Lauri Griffin	Junior Interior Designer	Dallas, TX
Michael Hsu Office of Architecture	Interior Designer	Austin, TX
Nicole Fuller Interiors	Junior Designer	New York, NY
PDR Work + Place	Design Assistant	Austin, TX

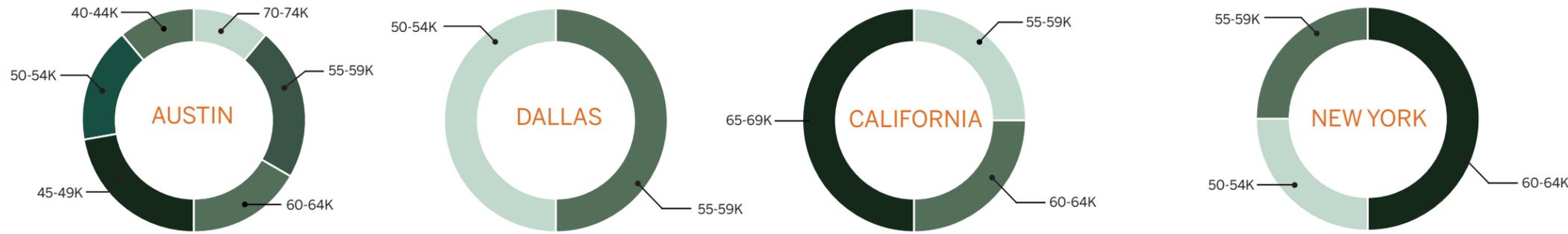
## MASTER OF INTERIOR DESIGN

EMPLOYER	JOB TITLE	LOCATION
Burton Baldridge Architects Inc	Designer	Austin, TX
Common Interests Studio	Designer	Salt Lake City, UT
Gensler	Designer	Los Angeles, CA
Texas State University	Faculty	San Marcos, TX

## SALARY BY DEGREE



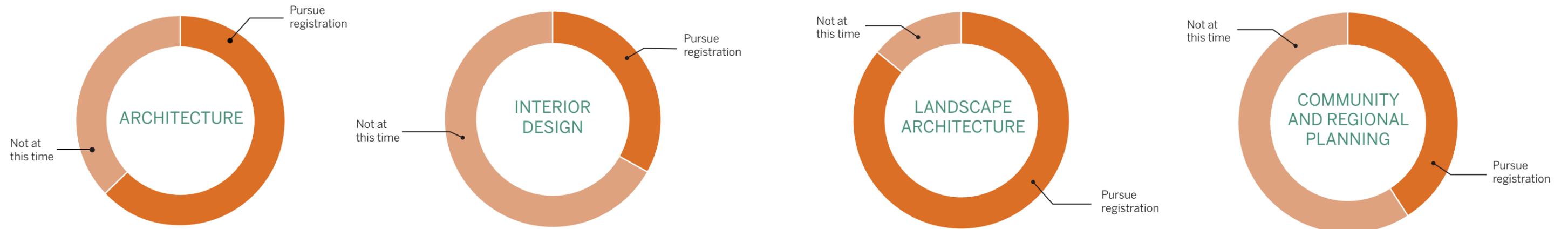
## SALARY BY LOCATION



In 2021, a relevant portion of our graduates from UTSOA programs accepted positions in Texas, New York and California. This report includes the compiled data for all Texas cities, and individual data for the City of Austin, San Francisco/Los Angeles, and New York City.

In order to protect confidentiality, the report excludes cities with small sample sizes. The variety of cities in which UTSOA graduates now reside appear within the employer lists.

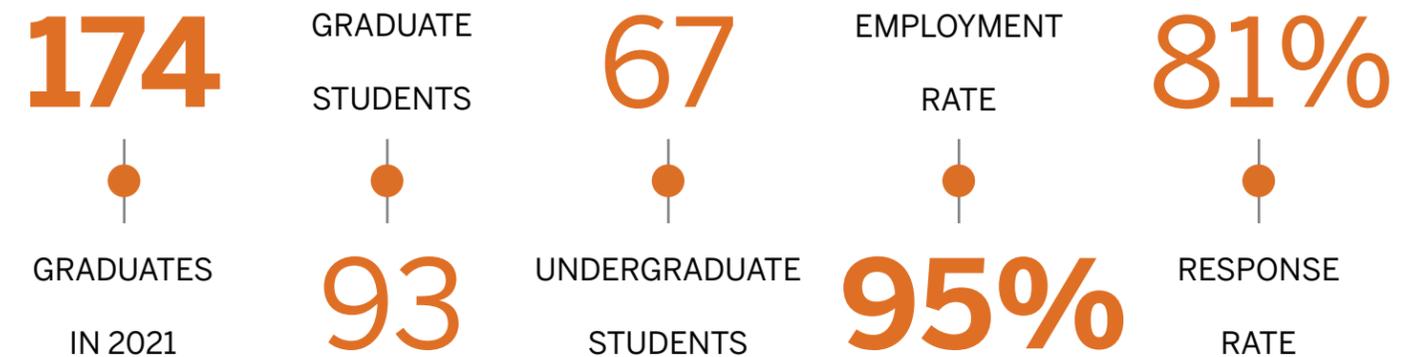
## INTEREST IN PURSUING LICENSURE / CERTIFICATION



## WORK SECTOR



## AT A GLANCE



# ADVICE FROM UTSOA GRADUATES

“Don’t be afraid to be open to job opportunities that come up. I was so sure throughout school that I wanted to work in the public sector, but the private sector has been a fantastic fit for me.”

\_\_\_\_\_ CRP

BSID \_\_\_\_\_

“Apply early and consistently reach out to contacts you have.”

“Current professionals are almost always willing to help graduating students. Don’t be shy in reaching out to professionals in positions and at companies you are interested in!”

\_\_\_\_\_ CRP

MLA \_\_\_\_\_

“Get as much practical experience in your field as possible.”

“Apply early and consistently reach out to contacts you have.”

\_\_\_\_\_ MSUD

M.Arch \_\_\_\_\_

“Be intentional about your post grad plans. Professors, students, alumni all want you to succeed!”

“Take initiative to intern and learn standard softwares (Revit, Autocad, etc.) before graduation! It will make that initial step into the field significantly easier.”

\_\_\_\_\_ B.Arch

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