

USC MARSHALL SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

MSF
Class of 2018
Employment
Report



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| Class Size | 77 |
| Students Seeking Jobs | 68% |
| Accepted an Offer | 98% |
| Employment at graduation | 58% |
| Employment 6 months after graduation | 98% |
| Not Seeking | 17% |
| No recent information available | 16% |
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| Average Base Salary | \$67,444.67 |
| Median Base Salary | \$68,000.00 |

FUNCTION (of accepted offers)

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|------------------------------------|------|
| Accounting/Auditing | 11% |
| Consulting | 9% |
| Commercial Banking | 4% |
| Corporate Finance | 9% |
| Investment Banking | 21% |
| Investment Management | 4% |
| Marketing and Business Development | 9% |
| Real Estate Finance | 6% |
| Research | 15% |
| Sales & Trading | 4% |
| Operations | 4% |
| Other | 4% |
| | 100% |



“My classmates in the program are from a lot of different countries, a lot of different majors, and a lot of different universities and I really like that diversity. Being able to mold all of our skills when working on projects together gives me a lot of insight into people’s backgrounds. I think this will be really useful for me when I’m working in the future.”

- AARTHI KODIYALAM
ENCORE CAPITAL GROUP

INDUSTRY (of accepted offers)

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| Auditing/Advisory | 6% |
| Asset Management/Diversified Financial Services | 14% |
| Commercial Banking | 6% |
| Consulting | 6% |
| Entertainment and Media | 12% |
| Healthcare | 4% |
| Investment Banking | 24% |
| Private Equity / Venture Capital | 6% |
| Real Estate | 10% |
| Technology | 4% |
| Other | 6% |
| | 100% |



Organizations that have hired USC MS Finance students

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| Acacia Mortgage Corp | EY |
| All Point Financial | Founder Securities |
| Alliance Healthcare | Houlihan Lokey |
| B. Riley FBR | HSBC |
| Bain & Co. | Keck Medicine USC |
| Barclays | King Saud University |
| BitMart | KPMG LLP |
| Bloomberg | Lionsgate |
| Boxbot | Michael Page |
| Brener International Group | Movable Ink |
| Cascadia | MUFG Union Bank, N.A. |
| China Agricultural Bank | NMS Capital |
| China Merchant Securities | Novogradac & Company, LLP |
| China Minsheng Investment Capital | NPV Advisors |
| China Securities Co. | Plug & Play |
| Citi | PowerChina Huadong Eng Corp |
| Citigroup | ProducePay |
| Country Garden | PwC |
| Crestridge Consulting | Reynolds Advisory Partners |
| D.A. Davidson & Co | Schlumberger |
| Disney | Shenwan Hongyuan Securities |
| Disney ABC Television Group | Target Enterprises |
| East West Bank | The Spartan Group |
| Encore Capital Group | |
| Evercore | |

Cities where the Class of 2018 found employment

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|---------------|-----------------|
| Beijing | Pasadena |
| Burbank | Portland |
| Hangzhou | Riyadh |
| Houston | San Diego |
| Irvine | San Francisco |
| Long Beach | Santa Monica |
| Los Angeles | Shanghai |
| Monterey Park | Sherman Oaks |
| New York | Tokyo |
| Newport Beach | Yunnan Province |

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