



## LKY SCHOOL 2020 EMPLOYMENT OUTCOMES



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### Report Highlights

This report highlights the career journeys of our 2020 graduates. The results are based on email surveys and desktop research by our Career Services team, which were carried out in December 2020.

The LKY School saw 148 graduates in 2020, with employment information on 146 graduates (99% of the cohort). Of these 146 graduates, 90% reported having found employment within 6 months post-graduation, across 25 countries; 21% reported that they have found new jobs in Singapore and 38% indicated that they have secured a new job outside of Singapore.

Our 2020 graduates have found work in the following sectors: Government (48%), for profit organisation (28%), Not for profit organisation (15%) and Multilateral organisation (9%).

### LKY School 2020 Graduate Employment Outcomes Report



Out of 146 graduates

Reported Employment Info on 146 graduates

25
Countries of employment



38% Secured a new job Elsewhere



48% Government

28% For profit organisation



15% Not for profit organisation



9% Multilateral organisation



# Career Outcomes Survey 2020

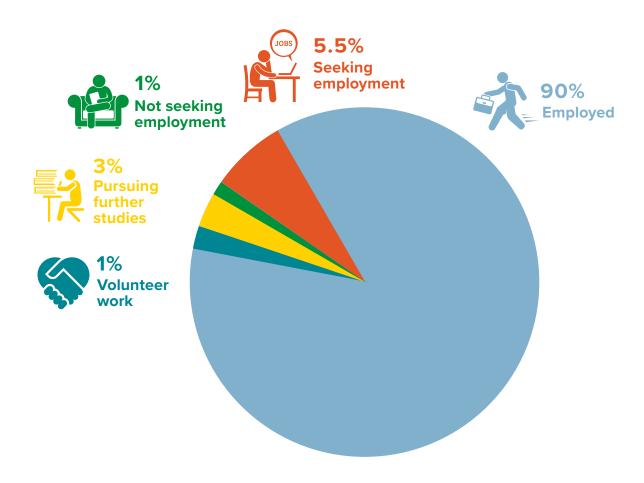


## Class of 2020: **An Overview**



Based on the combined responses from graduates within the MIA, MPP and MPA degree programmes, 90% of them reported that they were employed. Of the respondents, 5.5% reported that they were seeking employment, 1% were not seeking employment, 3% were pursuing further studies and 1% percent were doing volunteer work.

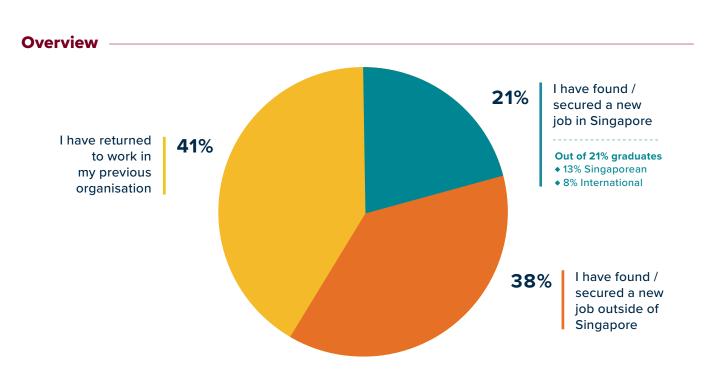
#### **CLASS OF 2020**

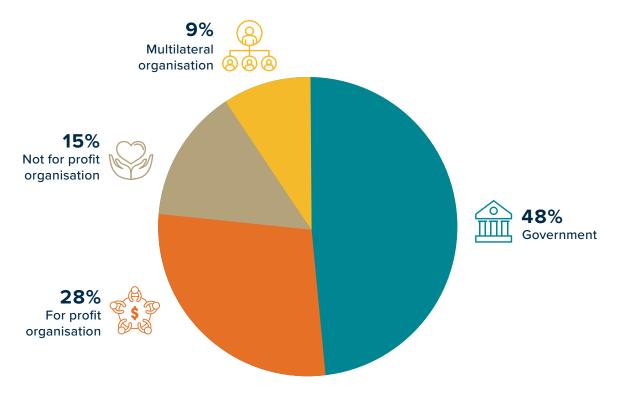


## Class of 2020: **Employed Graduates**

#### **By Sector**

The combined responses from graduates within the MIA, MPP and MPA degree programmes indicated that 48% of respondents were working in government followed 28% were working for profit organisation.





## Master in Public Policy

#### **70 GRADUATES**

Average work experience: 2 to 5 years



## Master in **Public Policy**



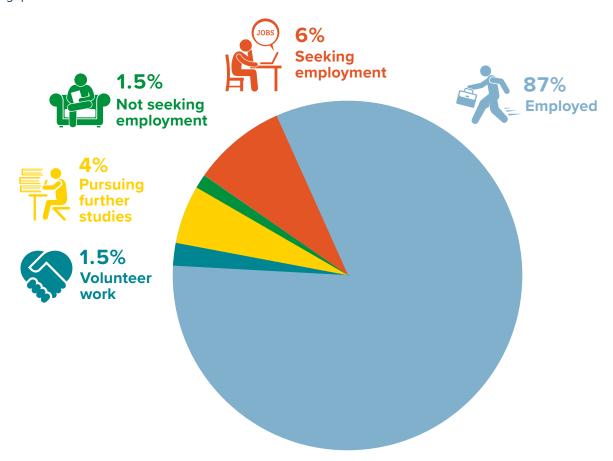
#### **Overview**

In the two-year Master in Public Policy (MPP) course, students focus on research and analysis, so that they can be effective in implementing, evaluating, and managing policies and programmes.

The MPP curriculum draws from economics, political science, and public management. A key component of the course is the Policy Analysis Exercise, where students undertake a public policy or management study for a client in the public, private, or not-for- profit sector. Their role is to conduct primary research and carry out in-depth analysis relating to an actual problem faced by their client, in order to offer policy recommendations.

#### **MPP 2020**

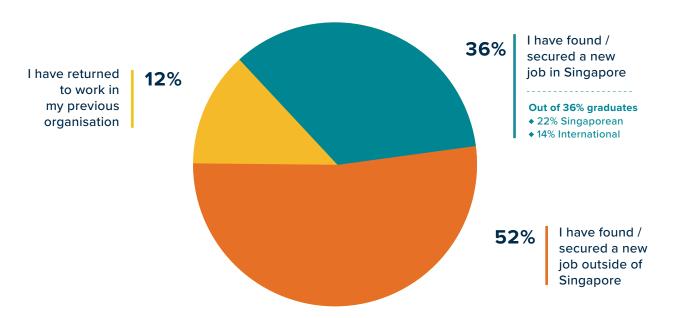
Information is available for 68 graduates (97% of the cohort). Of the 68 graduates, 87% reported that they found employment. Of those who responded that they found employment, 18% indicated that they had returned to work for their previous employer, 22% reported that they found a new job in Singapore and 31% reported that they found a new job outside of Singapore.

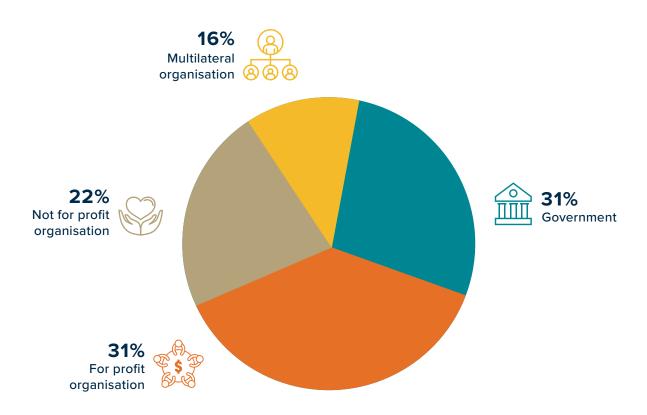


## MPP 2020: **Employed Graduates**

#### **By Sector**

#### Overview





#### Where are they now?



## Master in **Public Policy**

Accountant-General's Department, Singapore

APRIL Group, Indonesia

Amador Research Services, Philippines

Asian Development Bank, Philippines

Asian Development Bank, India

Asian Development Bank, Mongolia

Association of Women for Action and

Research (AWARE), Singapore

ByteDance, Singapore

Baker McKenzie Wong & Leow, Singapore

Capitaland, Singapore

Cassa Depositi e Prestiti, Italy

Centrica Energy Trading, Singapore

Centre for Policy Dialogue, Bangladesh

Central Square Foundation, India

Doyobi Pte Ltd, Singapore

eHelp Association, Hong Kong

**Enterprise Singapore** 

Equity Lab NGO, Mongolia

Facebook, Ireland

Glyph, Singapore

GIZ. Indonesia

**Invest India** 

International Organization for Migration,

Malaysia

International Labour Organization, Thailand

JK Lakshmipat University, India

JP Morgan Asset Management, Singapore

Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy,

Singapore

LIRNEasia, Sri Lanka

McCall MacBain Foundation, Canada

Ministry of Finance, Singapore

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Myanmar

Ministry of Home Affairs, Singapore

Ministry of Social and Family Development,

Singapore

Ministry of Trade and Industry, Singapore

Monetary Authority of Singapore

MP Consulting Group, China

**National University of Singapore** 

Office of a Member of Parliament, Japan

Office of the President of the

Republic of Philippines

Office of the Vice President of Ecuador

Philippine Business for Education

PricewaterhouseCoopers, Singapore

Reserve Bank of Australia

Rise Impact, Thailand

Singapore Airlines Ltd

The Education University of Hong Kong

The Citic Group, China

Third Bridge Group Limited, Hong Kong

Trilateral Cooperation Secretariat, China

UNICEF, Thailand

Vietnam Maritime University

World Health Organization, Myanmar

XPENG Motors, China

# Master in Public Administration

#### **55 GRADUATES**

Average work experience: 6 to 8 years



### Master in **Public Administration**



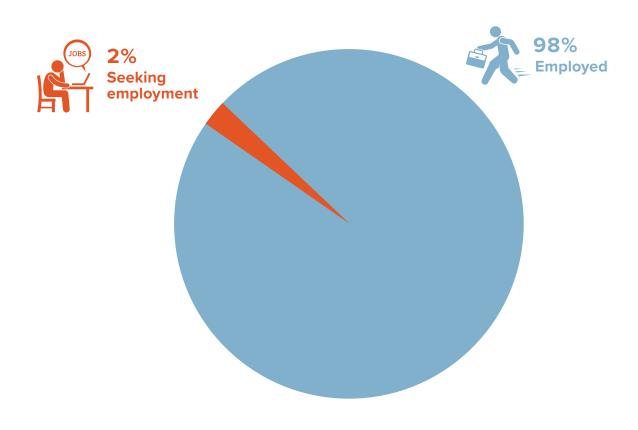
#### **Overview**

The one-year full-time Master in Public Administration (MPA) programme prepares students for senior management roles in the public sector. It provides an intensive, interdisciplinary course of study for professionals who wish to work on increasingly complex issues shaping national, regional and global policies and projects.

Over the course of the programme, students will be exposed to useful skills and knowledge used by researchers, public managers, leaders as well as policy practitioners. They can look forward to developing their national and international network and boost their leadership and management capabilities.

#### **MPA 2020**

Information is available for 55 graduates (100% of the cohort). Of the 55 graduates, 98% reported that they were employed.

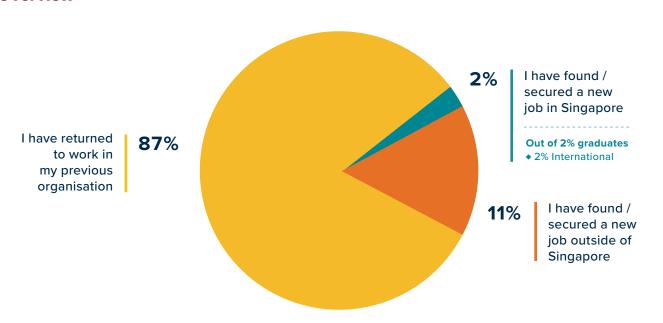


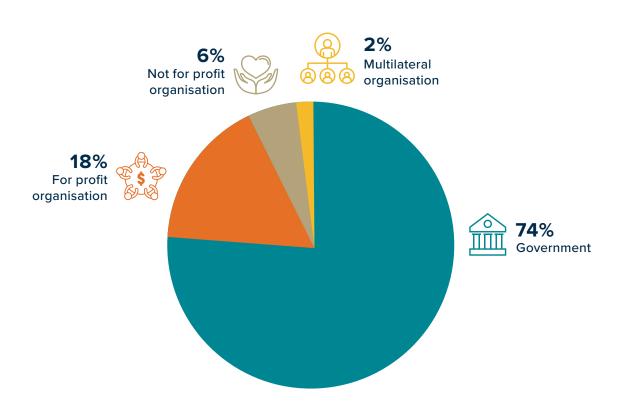
## MPA 2020: **Employed Graduates**



#### **By Sector**

#### Overview





#### Where are they now?



#### Master in Public Administration

Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Bank of Thailand

Credit Guarantee Corporation of Cambodia

Central Board of Indirect Taxes & Customs, India

China Banking and Insurance Regulatory Commission

China National Center for Food Safety

Daughters of Tomorrow, Singapore

Department of Revenue, India

Facebook, Singapore

Foreign Affairs Office of Shanghai Municipality, China

Income Tax Department, India

Indian Railways

I-PAC (Indian Political Action Committee)

**Japan International Cooperation Agency** 

Land Transport Authority of Singapore

Magasid Capital, Turkey

Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and

Public Distribution, India

Ministry of Commerce, China

Ministry of Culture, Community and Youth,

Singapore

Ministry of Defence, Singapore

Ministry of Education, Singapore

Ministry of Foreign Affairs of China

Ministry of Finance, India

Ministry of Finance, Malaysia

Ministry of Finance, Singapore

Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, Japan

Ministry of Health, India

Ministry of Health, Singapore

Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia

Ministry of Manpower, Singapore

Ministry of Social and Family Development,

Singapore

Ministry of Works and Human Settlement,

Bhutan

Naga Ed, India

National Audit Office of China

Niru & Co LLC, Singapore

Penang Court, Palace of Justice, Malaysia

Philippine Business for Education

Quest Ventures Impact, Singapore

Republic Polytechnic, Singapore

Sanmat, India

Senata Electoral Tribunal, the Philippines

Speyside-Group, Indonesia

Sunrise Group, Singapore

Temasek, Singapore

Tokyo Gas, Vietnam

United Nations Development Program in the

Kyrgyz Republic, Accelerator Lab

# Master in International Affairs

#### **23 GRADUATES**

Average work experience: Up to 2 years



#### Master in International Affairs



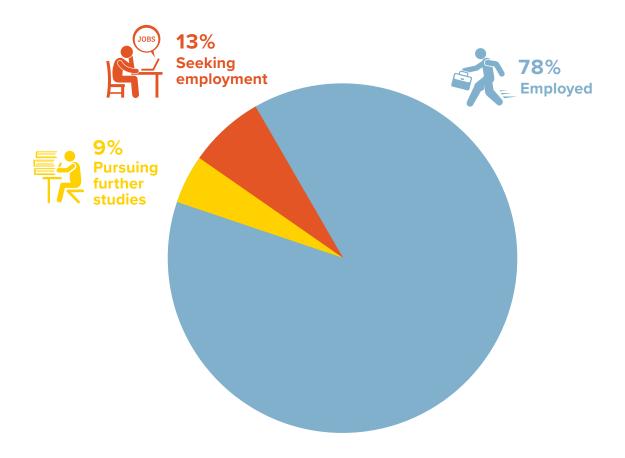
#### **Overview**

The two-year Master in International Affairs programme provides students with a strong foundation in both theoretical frameworks and practical knowledge of multi-disciplinary subfields of international relations, together with an immersive experience in Asia.

The programme offers various specialisations, including international security, regional studies and international economics and development. Students who enrol in the programme will be exposed to hands-on activities to apply key theories and also gain a deep understanding of worldly affairs and current issues in the fields of diplomacy, security, as well as public and foreign service.

#### **MIA 2020**

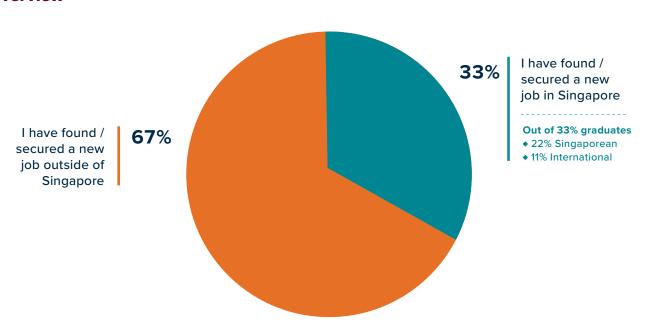
Information is available for 23 graduates (100% of the cohort). Of the 23 graduates, 78% reported that they found employment. 13% indicated that they were seeking employment. 9% reported that they were pursuing further studies.

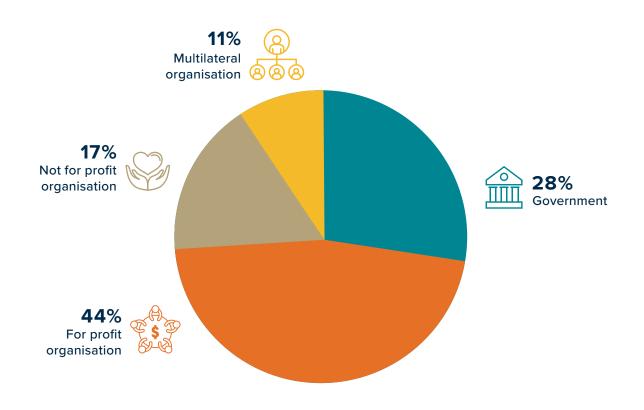


## MIA 2020: **Employed Graduates**

#### **By Sector**

#### **Overview**









#### Master in International Affairs

Aon, China

ByteDance, China

ByteDance, Singapore

**Enterprise Singapore** 

European Food Safety Authority, Italy

Fantasia Holdings Group Company Limited, China

Global Health Strategies, United States

Institute of South Asian Studies, National University of Singapore

I-PAC (Indian Political Action Committee)

Meituan, China

Ministry of Defence, Singapore

Ministry of Education, Singapore

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Singapore

National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER), India

United Nations Development Programme, United States

South China Morning Post, Hong Kong

Shanghai Jiao Tong Univerisity, China

## Class of 2020 around the world



#### Where are they from:

- 🔼 Australia
- Bangladesh
- Bhutan
- Cambodia
- Canada
- China
- Ecuador
- Mong Kong
- India

- Indonesia
- srael
- Italy
- Japan
- Kyrgyzstan
- Malaysia
- Mongolia
- Myanmar Myanmar
- Pakistan

- Philippines
- Singapore
- Sri Lanka
- Taiwan
- Thailand
- # United Kingdom
- United States
- Vietnam

#### Where are they now:

- Australia
- Bangladesh
- Bhutan
- Cambodia
- Canada
- China
- Ecuador
- Hong Kong
- India

- Indonesia
- Ireland
- Italy
- Japan
- Kyrgyzstan
- Malaysia
- Mongolia
- Myanmar Myanmar

- Pakistan
- Philippines
- Singapore
- Sri Lanka
- Thailand
- Turkey
- United States
- Vietnam

## Be an LKY School Partner

If you are looking for high-calibre talent to fill your organisation's internship or full-time employment needs, our Career Services team can work with you to develop a campus recruitment strategy to raise the profile of your organisation at the LKY School and find the right talent.

#### Reach out to Asia's Policy Talents

Our graduates are passionate, policy-savvy individuals, offering global perspectives and solutions to drive your organisation forward. Some of them are young professionals with between two and five years of work experience in the public, private, or not-for-profit sectors. Others may be midcareerists who have held a supervisory role and have at least six years of work experience.

#### **Our Internship Programme**

We encourage our students to explore internships with the public, not-for-profit and multilateral sectors (such as international organisations, development banks and UN agencies).

Under the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy Internship Programme (LIP), students may apply for funding to carry out unpaid internships at public, not-for-profit, and multilateral organisations.

Participating organisations from the mentioned sectors would usually provide an 8-week internship during the school's summer vacation (i.e. May to July). If your organisation is keen to explore internship collaborations under the LIP, please contact Career Services.

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All our services mentioned above are complimentary as we aim to make hiring easy and effective for you. You may choose from an array of recruitment initiatives, such as campus interviews, industry panels, recruitment talks, networking events and viewing student resumes.

For more information on the complimentary career services that we offer to employers, click here.

#### **Join Our Career Events**

Raise your organisation's profile and attract the right talent by participating in a host of career events throughout the year. These include career fair, recruitment talks, webinars, and networking events.

These events offer a platform to get to know our students and alumni, in person or virtually so that you can assess if they are the right fit for your organisation.

Employers who have participated in our past career events include Asian Investment Infrastructure Bank (AIIB), Asian Development Bank, INTERPOL, Expedia, PwC, Prudential, Kroll, and KPMG.

#### **Job & Internship Postings**

Post your job and internship opportunities with us through the following platforms:

#### 1. LKY School Job & Internship Portal

Simply send us your job description using our online form. (Click <u>here</u> to access the online form. Your job or internship posting will then be posted on this <u>portal</u>.

#### 2. NUS Talent Connect Portal

You may also register at NUS Talent Connect to hire from the wider NUS community. The postings submitted on NUS Talent Connect can be viewed by students (including undergraduates) from other schools within NUS, in addition to students from LKY School. Click <a href="here">here</a> to download the self-help guide.

#### 3. LKY School Social Media

To gain access to our LKY School students and alumni network, please contact Career Services.

