

2021 ANNUAL REPORT

Harris Poll Employers Study

WGU's mission is to change lives for the better by creating pathways to opportunity. One of the ways WGU measures progress and accomplishment of that goal is to survey the employers of WGU alumni each year to gauge how well WGU's programs are preparing students for the workforce.

The Harris Poll 2021 Employers Survey was conducted by phone from Oct. 8 to Nov. 8, 2021 among 300 employers of WGU graduates.

94%

of employers rate the job performance of WGU graduates as "excellent" or "very good."

98%

said WGU graduates meet or exceed expectations. (92% said exceed.)

97%

said WGU graduates were prepared for their jobs.

90%

of employers rate WGU graduates as performing "excellent" or "very good" on technical skills related to their chosen field of work.

95%

said they would hire another WGU graduate.

94%

rate the "soft skills" of WGU grads as **equal to or better** than graduates from other institutions.

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