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This year, as the COVID-19 pandemic upended the plans of new graduates all over the world, the Class of 2020 appear to be navigating these unforeseen challenges with typical resilience and grace, making the most of the unique cross-cultural education they gained at NYU Shanghai. The **2020 Life Beyond Century Avenue** report finds our graduates embarking upon diverse fields of endeavor across 18 countries and regions. We are confident that they will continue to make significant contributions to their communities in this unprecedented age.

Tong Shijun
Chancellor of
NYU Shanghai

Jeffrey S. Lehman
Vice Chancellor of
NYU Shanghai

CLASS PROFILE



239

Graduates ¹



144

Chinese Students



95

International Students

62%

Female

38%

Male



18

Nationalities

13

Languages Spoken

99%

are fluent in two or more languages

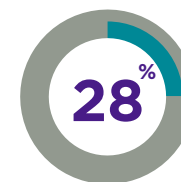
¹ This number is smaller than usual because a significant number of seniors, especially international students, decided to take their final semester off due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Distribution of Majors



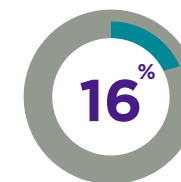
STEM

- ▶ Biology
- ▶ Chemistry
- ▶ Computer Science
- ▶ Computer Systems Engineering
- ▶ Data Science
- ▶ Honors Mathematics
- ▶ Interactive Media and Business
- ▶ Interactive Media Arts
- ▶ Mathematics
- ▶ Neural Science
- ▶ Physics



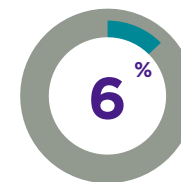
Business

- ▶ Business and Finance
- ▶ Business and Marketing



Social Science

- ▶ Economics
- ▶ Social Science



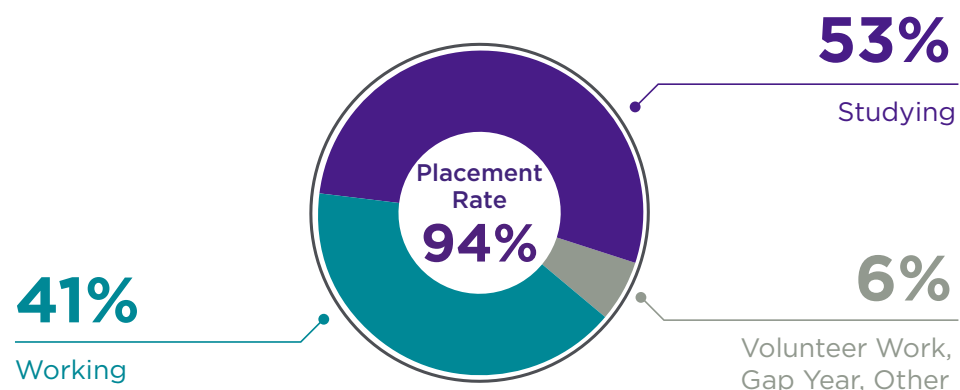
Humanities

- ▶ Global China Studies
- ▶ Humanities

74%

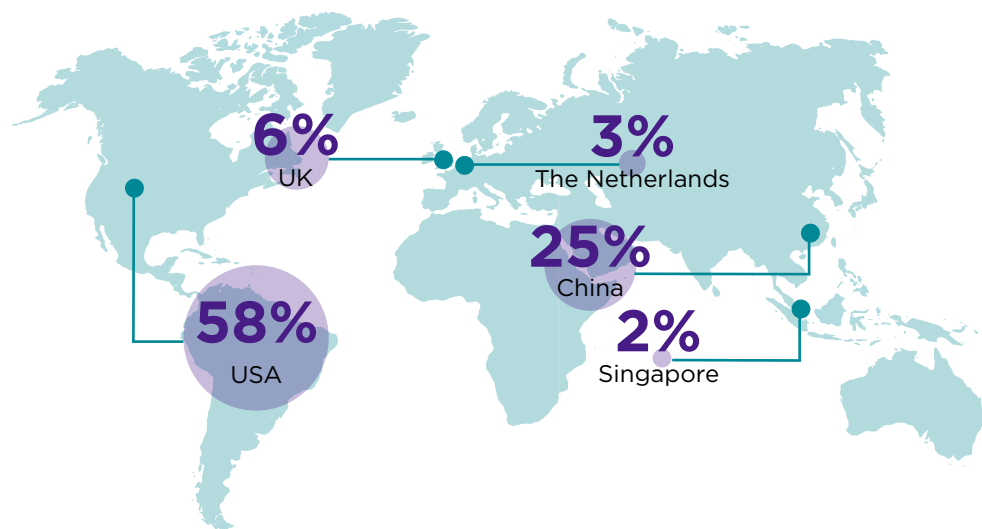
completed a second major or a minor

FIRST DESTINATIONS²



Where is the Class of 2020?

17 countries and regions | **61%** do not reside in their home country post-graduation



² This report includes NYU Shanghai graduates from January 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020. Figures in this report are based on the 84% of graduates for whom the University has reasonable and verifiable information about their post-graduation activities, including information gathered from survey responses as well from external sources.

Statistics are rounded to the nearest whole number. Therefore, totals do not always equal 100%.

EMPLOYMENT

By Industry



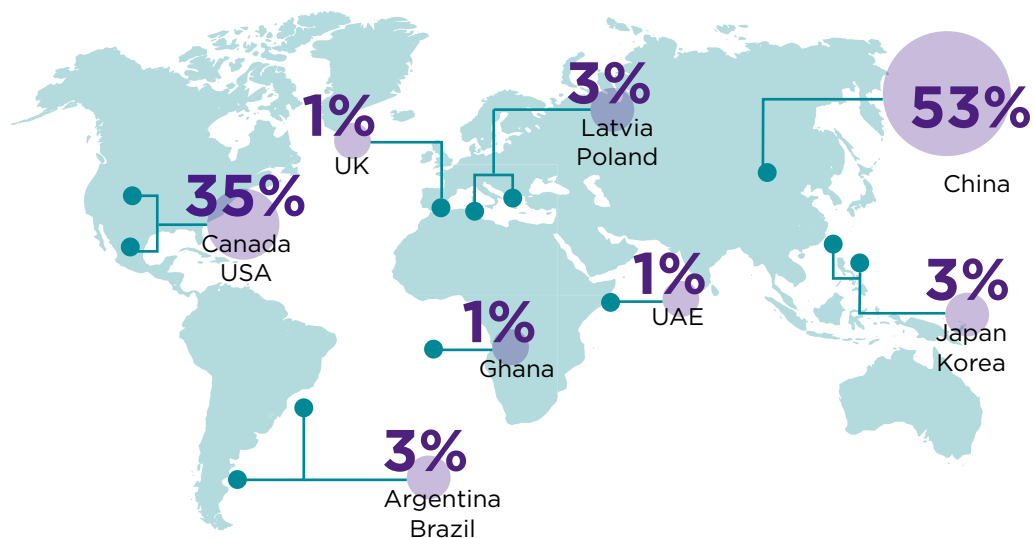
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average number of job offers received

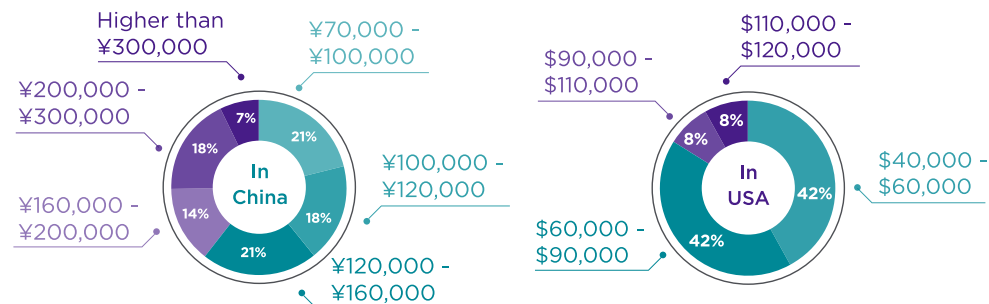
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countries and regions where graduates hold jobs

Top Countries And Regions



Average Annual Salary



Notable Companies and Organizations by Industry

Hardware/Internet/IT/Software

Alibaba Group Hangzhou, China	ByteDance Shanghai, China
Discover Information Technology Shanghai, China	Facebook London, UK; New York City, USA
Foxconn Los Angeles, USA	IBM New York City, USA
NetEase Inc Shanghai, China	Lilith Games Shanghai, China
	Wonders Information Shanghai, China

Accounting/Banking/Financial Services

Bank of China Shanghai, China	Blackrock Tokyo, Japan	Citibank UAE
Industrial & Commercial Bank of China Shanghai, China	Deloitte Shanghai, China	S&P Global Shanghai, China
Morgan Stanley New York City, USA; Shanghai, China	UBS Hongkong, China	

Consumer Goods/Fashion/Retail

Dyson Supersonic Shanghai, China	L'Oréal New York City, USA; Shanghai, China	Macy's New York City, USA
Mars Shanghai, China	Starface World Buenos Aires, Argentina	Tsingtao Brewery Shanghai, China

Education/Research

NYU New York City, USA	NYU Shanghai Shanghai, China
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Healthcare/International Organization/Social Services

Ask Health Shanghai, China	United Nations Development Programme New York City, USA
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Entertainment/Hospitality/Tourism

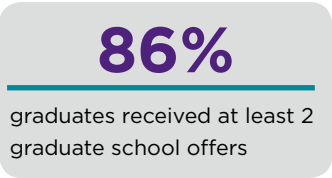
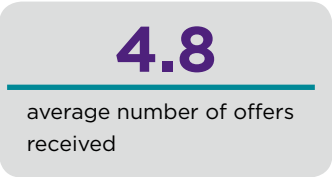
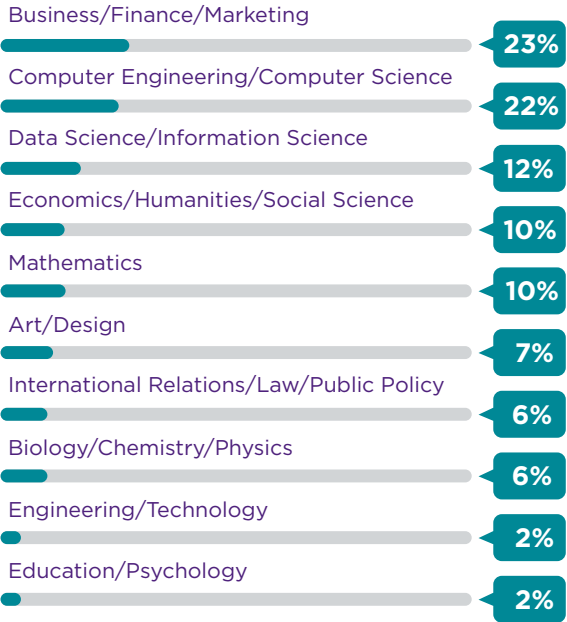
Disney Resort Shanghai, China	Wild China Shanghai, China
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Management Consulting

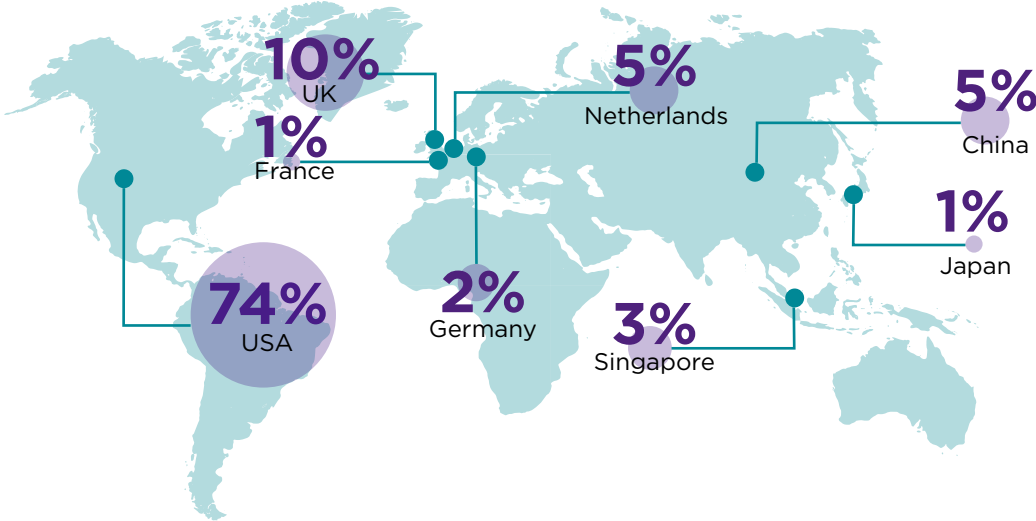
Accenture Seattle, USA	PwC San Francisco, USA; Shanghai, China
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GRADUATE SCHOOL

• Graduate School Areas of Study



• Where is the Class of 2020?



• Notable Schools and Programs

PhD/JD		
Boston University	University of California, Berkeley	The Chinese University of Hong Kong
Economics	Chemistry; Industrial Engineering & Operations Research	Law
University of Colorado Boulder	Columbia University	Georgia Institute of Technology
Physics	Applied Mathematics	Quantitative BioSciences
New York University	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill	University of Washington
Computer Science	Mathematics	Applied Mathematics
Master's		
ArtCenter College of Design	Boston University	Cambridge University
Media Design Practices	Global Marketing Management	Mathematical Statistics Finance and Economics
University of California, San Diego	University of California, Irvine	Carnegie Mellon University
Business Analytics; Computer Science Electrical Computer Engineering	Computer Science	Computational Data Science Computer Science Educational Technology and Applied Learning Science Entertainment Technology Human-Computer Interaction Machine Learning Public Policy and Management
University of Chicago	University College London	
Analytics; Public Policy; Social Sciences	Social Policy and Social Research	

Columbia University Accounting and Fundamental Analysis Applied Mathematics; Biostatistics Computer Science; Data Science Operations Research	Cornell University Computer Science; Information Science Operations Research and Information Engineering	Delft University of Technology Computer Science
Duke University Experimental & Documentary Arts	University of Edinburgh Environment, Culture and Society	Erasmus University Rotterdam Finance and Investments
Georgia Institute of Technology Computer Science	University of Groningen Evolutionary Biology	Harvard University Human Computer Interaction
HEC Paris - Yale Joint Program Management & Global Business and Society	University of Hong Kong English Literary Studies	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign Computer Science; Information Science
Imperial College London Financial Technology	Johns Hopkins University Finance	London School of Economics and Political Science Economics; Finance
Maastricht University Developmental Psychology	Massachusetts Institute of Technology Finance	National University of Singapo Business Analytics; Computing
New York University Accounting Data Science Fashion & Luxury Interactive Media Arts Mathematics in Finance	New York University and NYU Shanghai Joint Program Data Analytics & Business Computing	Northeastern University Game Technology and Design
University of Pennsylvania Computer and Information Science	Parsons School of Design Communication Design	University of Oxford Comparative Literature and Critical Translation
University of Southern California Animation and Digital Arts	University of Tokyo Systems Innovation	
Tsinghua University Economics and Business; Global Affairs	University of Tübingen Astrophysics	Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam International Crimes, Conflict and Criminology
University of Washington Computational Finance and Risk Management	Washington University in St. Louis Quantitative Finance	WHU-Otto Beisheim School of Management Finance

GLOBAL AWARDS

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graduates awarded prestigious global scholarships and fellowships



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Schwarzman Scholars



2

Fulbright Scholars



1

Clarendon Scholar



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Erasmus Mundus
Scholar

“... Worries are never useful. We should act instead of worry. Which direction will the world and our future follow? This is up to you. It will depend on the choices of young people. It will depend on young people’s actions. ...The graduates of NYU Shanghai, I believe we all can see that you have already made your choice through your actions.”

Jack Ma

Founder and Partner of Alibaba Group
Keynote speaker of Class Of 2020 Commencement



I'm thankful for the study away opportunities NYU Shanghai has offered. My experience interacting with Korean classmates and friends gave me a new perspective on East Asian issues, one which is hard to find in academic studies of international relations.



Vittoria Vitucci (USA)

Major in Social Science
Fulbright Scholar
English Teaching Assistant, South Korea

NYU Shanghai helped me become more empathetic. I am now more aware of the assumptions I may have when I interact with a person from a different cultural background and try to be more open-minded, and now I know how to better address different people's expectations and also get things done in a diverse environment.

Wang Zixin (China)

Data Science & Economics Double Major
Schwarzman Scholar
M.M.S³ in Global Affairs at Tsinghua University, China



³Master of Management Science

I'd credit my Fulbright scholarship in large part to the collaborative research experience and professional opportunities I gained at NYU Shanghai. To begin a research project with the head of department when I was just a sophomore is unheard of in many universities. Now I am determined to work toward reforming the criminal justice system. It's a calling that was ultimately found through coursework and research with my professor at NYU Shanghai.



Madison Pelletier (USA)

Major in Social Science and Minor in Political Science
Fulbright Scholar
M.A. in International Crimes, Conflict and Criminology at
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Netherlands

I decided to attend NYU Shanghai because of the liberal arts educational model it offers. The liberal arts model allowed me to explore more than just the humanities, but to weave other disciplines into my course of study. Currently, my interest crosses translation with history, gender studies, media and technology. I would not have been able to bring so much intellectual breadth to my studies had I chosen the more conventional models of education offered by other universities in China.

Ma Haitian (China)

Major in Humanities
Clarendon Scholar
M.A. in Comparative Literature and Critical Translation at
University of Oxford, UK



ABOUT NYU SHANGHAI

Founded in 2012 by New York University and East China Normal University with the support of the city of Shanghai and the district of Pudong, NYU Shanghai is China's first Sino-US research university and the third degree-granting campus of the NYU Global Network.

Based in the dynamic city of Shanghai, China and international in outlook, NYU Shanghai seeks to cultivate globally-minded graduates and citizens through innovative teaching, world class research, and a commitment to public service. Every undergraduate student pursues a course of study that will equip them with the broad knowledge base and the tools they will need to become creative thinkers and active learners throughout their lives.

NYU Shanghai's student body currently consists of 2,000 undergraduate and graduate students, half of whom are from China. Students from the United States and some 70 other countries represent the other half.

A close-up photograph of a hand holding a purple graduation tassel. The tassel is made of many fine purple threads and has a gold-colored metal ring near the top. Attached to the ring is a gold-colored charm with the year '2020' in a bold, sans-serif font. The background is a dark, textured surface, possibly a graduation cap.

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