ABTS ALUMNI SURVEY 2016

DATA

Survey from 67 respondents.
Total alumni requested: 211.
Response rate: 32%

ORDINATION/LICENSURE

64% of respondents have received licensure or ordination as a minister, and 22% have received a different professional credential after graduating.

GENDER

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- Male: 72%
- Female: 28%
ALUMNI EVALUATIONS

The percentage of respondents who indicated that they made Significant Progress or Exceptional Progress in the evaluated areas is as follows.

Skill in Biblical Interpretation: 82%
Competency in Theological Understanding: 76%
Critical Thinking Skills: 78%
Global & Multicultural Perspective: 64%
Personal Spiritual Growth: 79%
Personal Leadership Development: 74%

The percentage of respondents who indicated that they were More Than Satisfied or Very Satisfied in the following areas is as follows.

Quality and Breadth of Curriculum: 72%
Faculty Knowledge of Material: 79%
Faculty Organization of Material: 76%
Faculty Skill in Teaching: 76%
Faculty Advising / Access to Faculty: 66%
Faculty Personal Concern for Students: 66%
Course Availability: 48%
Overall Academic Quality: 73%

The percentage of respondents who indicated that they were More Than Satisfied or Very Satisfied with how ABTS prepared them for ministry is as follows.

Developed Theological Understanding: 73%
Critical Thinking Skill: 65%
Conflict / Crisis Management: 40%
Global Ministry Perspective: 61%
Commitment / Competency Regarding Diversity: 52%
Personal Spiritual Formation: 65%
Personal Leadership Development 67%
Philosophy of Ministry: 69%
Plan / Process for Bringing Change: 55%
Knowledge of Administrative Tasks: 46%
Counseling Skills: 37%
Ministry Care Skills: 61%
Skill in Sermon Preparation / Delivery: 58%
Overall Quality of Ministry Leadership Preparation: 73%
AREA OF RESIDENCY

I AM CURRENTLY LIVING IN WHAT COULD GENERALLY BE TERMED:

- Other: 31%
- Thailand: 17%
- Philippines: 18%
- Singapore: 10%
- Malaysia: 0%
- Papua New Guinea: 0%
- Myanmar: 12%
- India: 3%
- Hong Kong: 9%
AGE DEMOGRAPHIC

- 25-29: 30-34: 0%
- 30-34: 2%
- 30-34: 0%
- 35-39: 2%
- 35-39: 9%
- 40-44: 13%
- 40-44: 13%
- 45-49: 16%
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- 50-54: 21%
- 50-54: 21%
- 55-60: 18%
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- Over 60: 21%
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FURTHER EDUCATION

AT SOME TIME AFTER ATTENDING ABTS I CONTINUED MY EDUCATION:

- **50.7%**: NO, I DID NOT
- **1.5%**: YES, I AM CURRENTLY WORKING TOWARDS A CERTIFICATION IN
- **23.9%**: YES, I AM CURRENTLY WORKING TOWARDS A MASTER'S DEGREE IN
- **9.0%**: YES, I AM CURRENTLY WORKING TOWARDS A DOCTORAL DEGREE IN
- **11.9%**: YES, I HAVE ACHIEVED A MASTER'S DEGREE IN
- **4.5%**: YES, I HAVE ACHIEVED A DOCTORAL DEGREE IN
PRESENT MINISTRY EMPLOYMENT

Pastoral:
- Senior: 31%
- Associate: 5%
- Youth: 0%
- Christian Education: 5%
- Counseling Ministry: 4%
- Cross-Cultural Ministry: 19%
- Pastoral: Associate: 5%
- Pastoral: Christian Education: 5%
- Non-ministry employment: 7%
- Full-time student: 1%
- Para-church/Non-profit Ministry: 6%
- Christian Schools (K-12): 5%
- Christian Higher Education: 2%
- Other: 15%
- Full-time student: 1%
- Other: 15%