DOCTORAL DESTINATIONS: Department of Food, Agricultural and Resource Economics (FARE)

Over a 20-year period (1999-2019), approximately 4,000 students graduated from the Ontario Agricultural College’s (OAC) graduate programs. The OAC Doctoral Destinations Project documents their career status as of 2019. PhD graduates from the University of Guelph’s Department of Food, Agricultural and Resource Economics have careers in diverse fields. A PhD is valuable and sought by domestic and international employers in all sectors.

Demographics of FARE PhD graduates from 1999-2019.

- **Gender**: 26% Female, 74% Male
- **International vs. Domestic PhDs**: 50% International, 50% Domestic

*Due to limitations of available historical data, we regret that non-binary gender classifications are not reported.*

Sample employers of FARE PhD graduates.


Shown by proportion across all cohorts.

- College/University Faculty: 40%
- Management & Administration: 14%
- Agriculture: 10%
- Research & Development: 8%
- Financial & Law Services: 8%
- Consulting/Independent Business: 8%

Employment sector distribution for FARE PhD graduates.