## BMS: Career Outcomes

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Numbers reflect status of former students at the time the data were gathered in summer/fall 2012. Current employment may now be different.

Data include information from:
- 1997-2001: all graduates (18)
- 2002-06: 51 of 56 graduates
- 2007-2011: 88 of 99 graduates

Definitions
- **Academic**: academic research and teaching appointments, including tenure-track and non-tenure track
- **Industry**: research in an industrial, for-profit setting
- **Gov't**: research in government agencies (e.g. NIH, NSF, etc.)
- **Sci-Rel**: related to science, but not traditional research, e.g. science policy, scientific patent attorney, science writer
- **Non-Sci**: careers unrelated to science
- **Postdoc**: in a postdoctoral research position at time surveyed
- **Clinical**: employed in a medical career field, i.e. in clinical practice (presumes professional degree was also obtained)
- **Med Std**: a medical student or resident

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