

2008-2009 GRADUATION

<u>&</u> PLACEMENT SURVEY



A major role of Bronx Community College is preparing their students for success in the labor market after graduation. Each year, the survey describes the educational and employment status of graduates following graduation. The response rate for the 2009 survey is 50% (based upon 835 students who graduated between August 2008 and June 2009

- Six months after graduation, 62% were employed, 20% were actively seeking employment and 6% not seeking employment.
- Of those employed, nine of ten graduates (93%) were working in New York City
- Of those employed, 35% started working at their current job after graduation.
- 50% were enrolled in an education or training program with 77% doing so on a full time basis.
- Of those enrolled in an education or training program following graduation, nearly all graduates (85%) were pursing Bachelor degrees, most of whom are at CUNY institutions (48% Lehman College, 12% CCNY and 6% John Jay and Hunter College.
- Over half (60%) of BCC graduates surveyed felt that Bronx Community College significantly prepared them for what they are currently doing and under one-third (36%) felt that they were moderately prepared.