

Business and Information Technologies Graduates – Summer 2015 – Fall 2018

During summer 2015 to fall 2018, there were 291 Business and Information Technologies Division's student graduates with degrees (Associate in Arts [Transfer] and Associate in Applied Science [Workforce]), long certificates and short certificates. There were 195 degrees, 55 long certificates, and 41 short certificates. The Associate in Arts and Associate in Applied Science degreed students attended the following colleges:

College / University	# of Students	Percentage
Alabama A & M University	8	4.10%
Alabama State University	2	1.03%
Arizona State University	1	0.51%
Athens State University	4	2.05%
Auburn University	2	1%
Auburn University - Montgomery	1	0.51%
Faulkner University	2	1.03%
Huntingdon College	4	2.05%
Jacksonville State University	8	4.10%
Kennesaw State University	1	0.51%
Lawson State Community College	4	2.05%
Middle Georgia State University	1	0.51%
Miles College	3	1.54%
Mississippi State University	1	0.51%
Samford University	4	2.05%
Strayer University	1	0.51%
Troy University	2	1%
University of Alabama	12	6.15%
University of Alabama - Birmingham	82	42.05%
University of Alabama - Huntsville	1	0.51%
University of Montevallo	3	1.54%
University of North Alabama	1	0.51%
University of West Georgia	1	0.51%
University of Wisconsin	1	0.51%
Western Governors University	1	0.51%
Workforce - Non Area of Study	9	4.62%
Workforce - Area of Study	21	10.77%
No Data	14	7.18%
	195	100.00%

FACTS:

- Forty-two percent (82 Graduates) of the 2015-2019 graduates transferred to the University of Alabama—Birmingham. The students earned both AA and AAS degrees.
- The largest degree program, as of 2015 is the Business Administration Associates in Arts Degree.
- The majority of the graduates now transfer to colleges and universities--some while working in their fields.
- Twenty-one of the 195 students with both AA and AAS degrees (Mostly AAS) went directly into the workforce.
- Nine of the 195 students went into the workforce not working in their area of study. As one can see, the Business and information Technologies students are trained with skills to migrate both in and out of the state of Alabama.
- Four students made a decision to obtain two degrees from Lawson State Community College.

Retention Rate of Business and Information Technologies Students (Degrees)

Retention (in the program)

Fall 2017 to Fall 2018

ACT	18.52%
BUS	27.12%
BAD	44.44%
BED	44.44%
CIB	35.71%
CIS	50.59%
OAD	30.00%
MDS	48.72%

