Key Points

• 62% of graduates take a postdoctoral positions after graduation.
• 66% of graduates completing postdoctoral training do so at a top-50 Blue Ridge research institution.
• 99% of graduates complete their postdoctoral training within 10 years.
• A greater % of graduates from engineering programs move to industry when compared to the basic science programs.
• 1 year after graduation:
  - 62% of graduates remain on the west coast.
  - 32% of graduates choose to stay at OHSU for a postdoc.
  - 0% are unemployed except by choice.
• Within 5 years of graduation, 59% of graduates remain in academia and over half of those graduates hold tenure-track positions.
• OHSU graduates hold tenure track positions at 55 universities across the world including Cornell, Duke, Harvard, Northwestern, UCSF, and UW.
• 113 companies employ 21% of graduates after 5 years, including 4 companies started by OHSU graduates.
• Our methodology yields 90% of graduate position data.

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