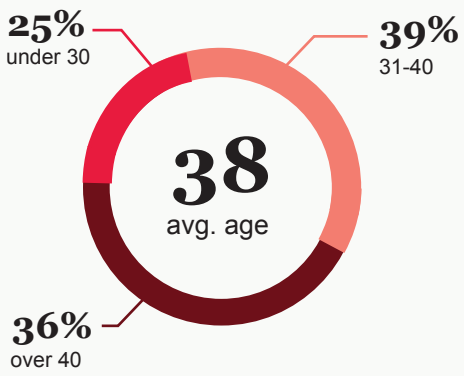
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GRADUATE DEGREE

Thesis & Capstone tracks

first degree awarded 1980

STUDENT AGE



98 degree candidates

average class size **28**

★★★★½

4.7/5

avg. faculty rating

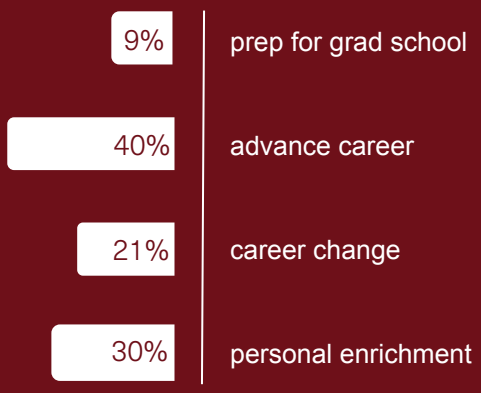
LOCATION WHILE EARNING THE DEGREE

17% Live in Massachusetts

61% Live outside Massachusetts

22% Live outside the United States

REASONS FOR PURSUING THE DEGREE



1-2

# of courses most students take each term

78%

of students are employed full-time while earning this degree

AND THE BEST PART WAS...

"I was thoroughly intimidated to return to school after twenty years. My first two HES courses, though they confirmed my expectation of Harvard's academic rigor, also gave me the support and confidence to continue. My professors encouraged and inspired me to explore beyond a singular objective and to enjoy the process. They also helped me to raise my expectations of myself."

-Jenna de Vries Morton, Government ALM degree candidate

data pertain to academic year 2024-2025

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GRADUATE DEGREE

STACKABLE CERTIFICATES

- American Literature and Culture Graduate Certificate
- International Relations Graduate Certificate
- International Security Graduate Certificate
- Nuclear Deterrence Graduate Certificate
- Social Justice Graduate Certificate

average years of students' full-time work experience **15**

67% have professional experience in the field

LENGTH OF PROGRAM



most: 2-4 years
accelerated: 2 courses fall and spring, 1 in January and 1 in summer

active / veteran military students

17%

100%

of recent graduates would recommend the program

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GRADUATES HAVE GONE ON TO CONTINUE THEIR STUDIES AT

- Pace University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Dartmouth College
- Georgetown University

WHERE SOME GRADUATES WORK

- **Apple**
- **Santander**
- **Ernst & Young**
- **McKinsey & Company**

SELECT JOB TITLES HELD BY OUR GRADUATES

- Foreign Affairs Officer
- Risk Analyst
- Lead Public Policy Strategist
- Policy Advisor

GRADUATION RATE



80%

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