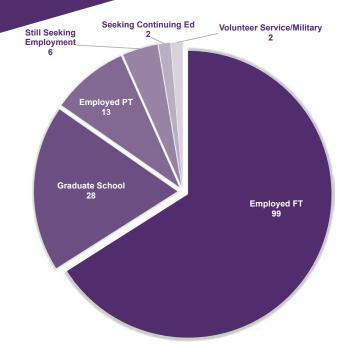
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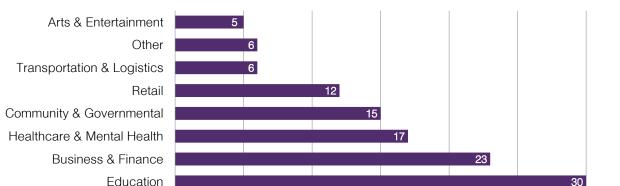




## **CLASS OF 2021**

- 155 graduates completed their degrees from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021
- Knowledge rate for Class of 2021: 97% (150 out of 155)
- Successful placement rate for Class of 2021: 95% (142 out of 150)

95% SUCCESS RATE



10 University of the Ozarks follows the National Association of Colleges and Employers (NACE) standards and protocols for the collection and dissemination of graduating student initial career outcomes information for undergraduates.

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## WHERE 2021 GRADUATES **ARE WORKING**

COUNTRIES:

El Salvador (3)

Costa Rica (1)

Panama (1)

Malaysia (1)

Mexico (1)

Haiti (1)

Belize (1)

The Bahamas (4)

STATES:

Arkansas (61) Texas (15) Oklahoma (9) Florida (2) Indiana (2) Mississippi (2) Arizona (1) lowa (1) Maine (1) Minnesota (1) Missouri (1) New Hampshire (1) New York (1) Oregon (1) Pennsylvania (1) South Carolina (1)

## WHERE 2021 GRADUATES ATTEND GRADUATE SCHOOL

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Arkansas (9) California (1) Florida (2) Georgia (1) lowa (1) Kansas (1) Minnesota (1) Mississippi (2) Missouri (2) North Carolina (2) Oklahoma (2) St. Kitts. (1) Texas (2) West Virginia (1)



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#### '21 BRAXTON LEDING

English and Political Science Major Altus, AR First-Year Law Student University of Arkansas School of Law, Fayetteville, AR

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# CHLOE PEACOCK <sup>'21</sup>

Chloe Peacock, a biology major from Weatherford, Texas, is pursuing her dream of becoming a veterinarian by attending the Ross University School of Veterinary Medicine in the Caribbean island of St. Kitts. "For as long as I can remember, I have wanted to be a veterinarian. As I've gotten older I have been blessed to work in a veterinary clinic while attending Ozarks and I experienced so many incredible things. My education and professors at Ozarks helped me get into veterinarian school and prepared me to succeed here."

# DANIEL CLOUD <sup>'21</sup>

Daniel Cloud, a Russellville, Ark, native who earned a degree in physical education from Ozarks, is coaching high school football and track and teaching 10th and 11th grade U.S. History at Greene County Tech High School in Paragould, Ark. He is also working on a master's degree in education. "Ozarks set me up in a way other schools could not have," Cloud said. "The small atmosphere and the fact that I was a name and not a number allowed me to have a positive experience with my professors. Things like this are why I'm thankful for my time at Ozarks and why Ozarks prepared me for my career."





# DESTINEE MANNING <sup>'21</sup>

Destinee Manning, a chemistry major from Memphis, Tenn., is studying at the University of Mississippi where she received a full scholarship and stipend to pursue a Ph.D. in pharmaceutical science with a concentration in medicinal chemistry. Manning said she hopes to "show others that pursuing a degree in STEM is not impossible and it is okay to strive for things outside the norm. You shouldn't give up on your dreams just because it's hard. African American women have often been considered to be a less-educated group among minorities. I want to help change that, be the one percent in the statistics and show others that they can do it too."

# LAURA GOCHEZ <sup>'21</sup>

Laura Gochez, a business administration and psychology major from El Salvador, returned to her home country following graduation where she works as a human resources generalist for Foster Global SA, an affiliate of the U.S. immigration law firm Foster LLP. "The multidisciplinary program offered at Ozarks helped me to develop a broad range of skills, such as adaptability and analytical thinking, that have facilitated my integration into the workforce," Gochez said. "Thanks to Ozarks, I am a more integrated person, able to solve complex problems and propose innovative solutions by combining my knowledge of different areas of study."





# CORY MAAG <sup>'21</sup>

Cory Maag is an investigator with the United States Department of Labor - Wage and Hour Division. He works to help enforce minimum wage, overtime, record-keeping and child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act, wage garnishment provisions of the Consumer Credit Protection Act, the Family and Medical Leave Act, and a variety of other laws protecting migrant employees in the agriculture industry as well as employees working on government contracts. "Ozarks prepared me for my career by teaching me accounting and financial analysis skills that I apply daily to my investigations," Maag said.

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