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| Journal Name: | [**Asian Journal of Education and Social Studies**](https://journalajess.com/index.php/AJESS) |
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| **PART 1: Comments** | | |
|  | **Reviewer’s comment**  **Artificial Intelligence (AI) generated or assisted review comments are strictly prohibited during peer review.** | **Author’s Feedback** (It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here) |
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| **Is the title of the article suitable?**  **(If not please suggest an alternative title)** | Tracer Study of BSBA-Financial Management Graduates from Davao Oriental State University-Cateel Campus for S.Y. 2015–2024 |  |
| **Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.** | The abstract effectively summarizes the study’s objectives, methods, key findings, and implications. However,  you need to briefly clarify the relevance of the results to policy or academic practice. |  |
| **Is the manuscript scientifically, correct? Please write here.** | The manuscript is scientifically sound, with a clear structure, appropriate descriptive design, and validated data collection tools. It effectively uses Human Capital Theory to analyze education-to-employment transitions. While the statistical analysis is appropriate, the study would benefit from a clearer discussion of limitations and future  research directions. |  |
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| **Optional/General** comments | None |  |

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