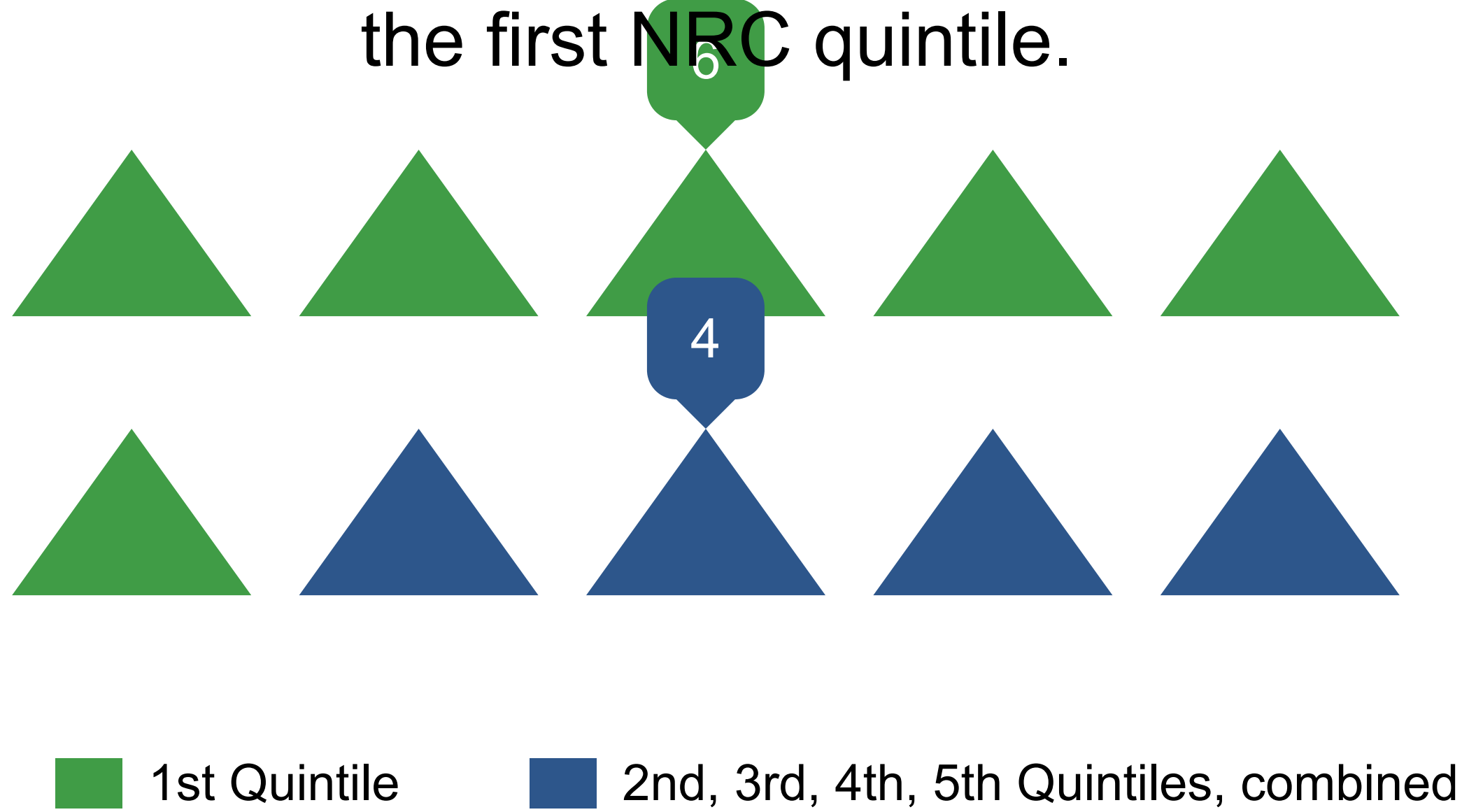


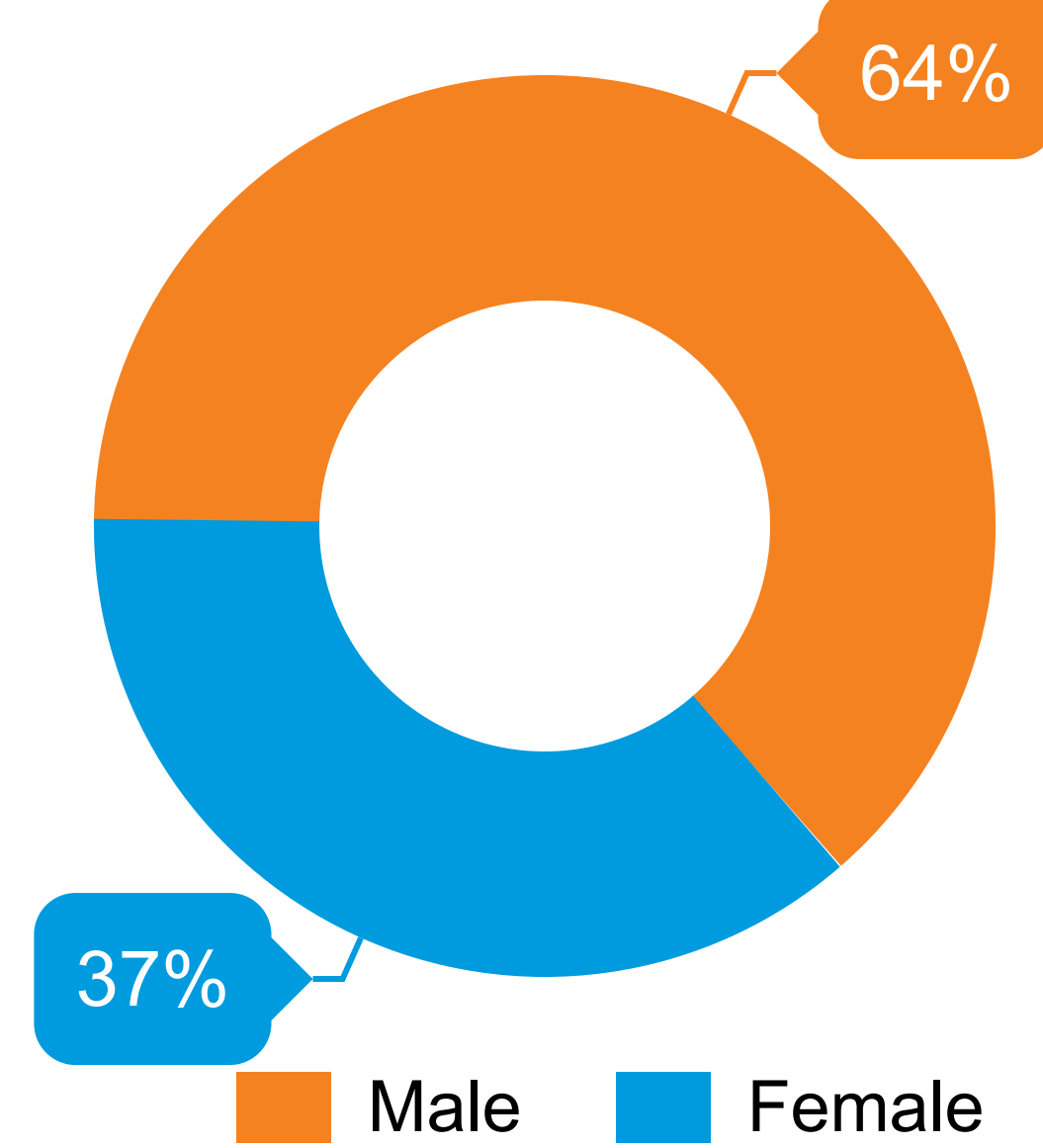
The Rise of the Post-Doc:

2 in 10 candidates on the market placed in **Post-Docs**, the largest category of all non-Tenure-Track Placements, indicating an increased proportion of candidates taking Post-Docs for first-time placements.

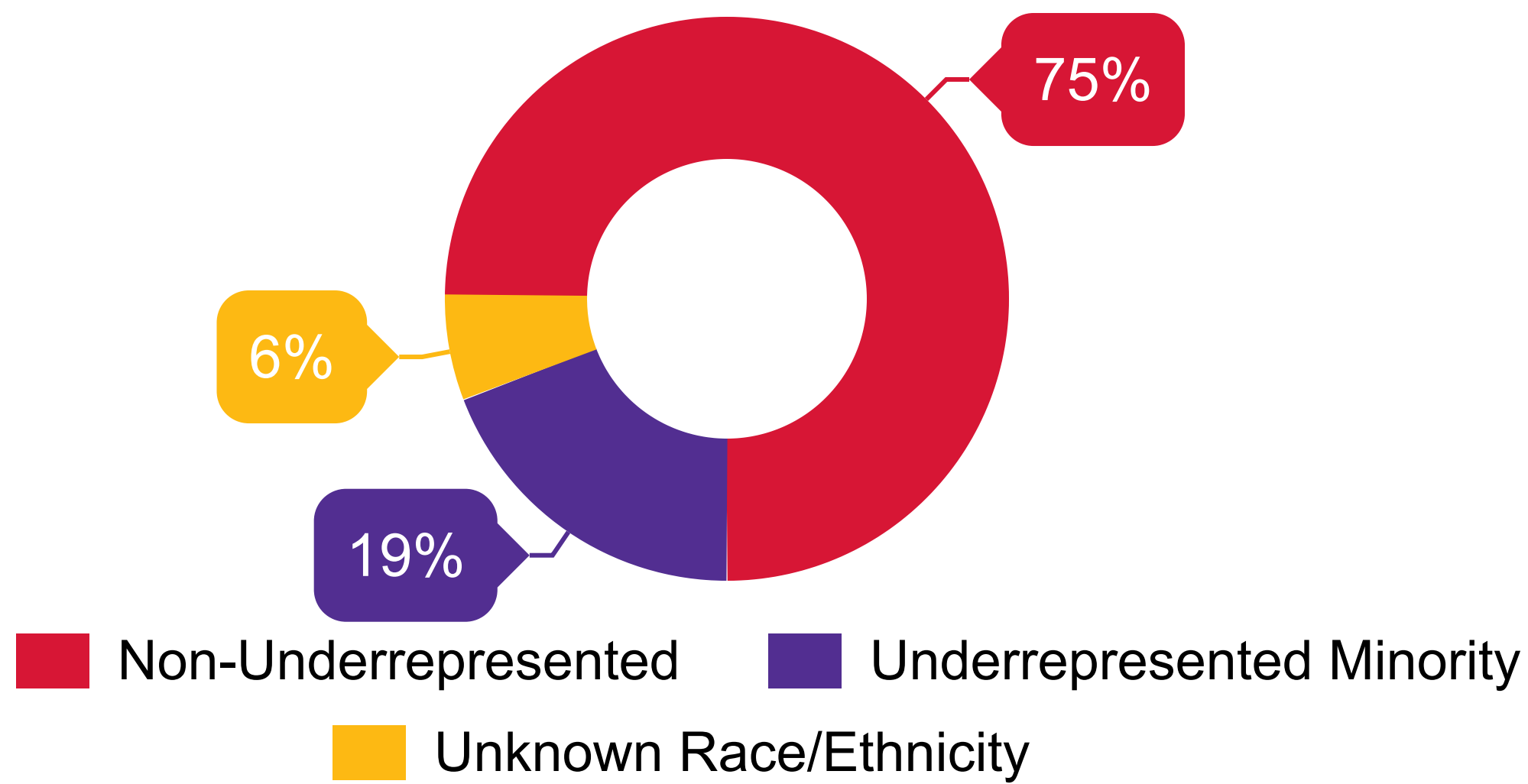
6 in 10 post-docs come from institutions ranked in the first NRC quintile.



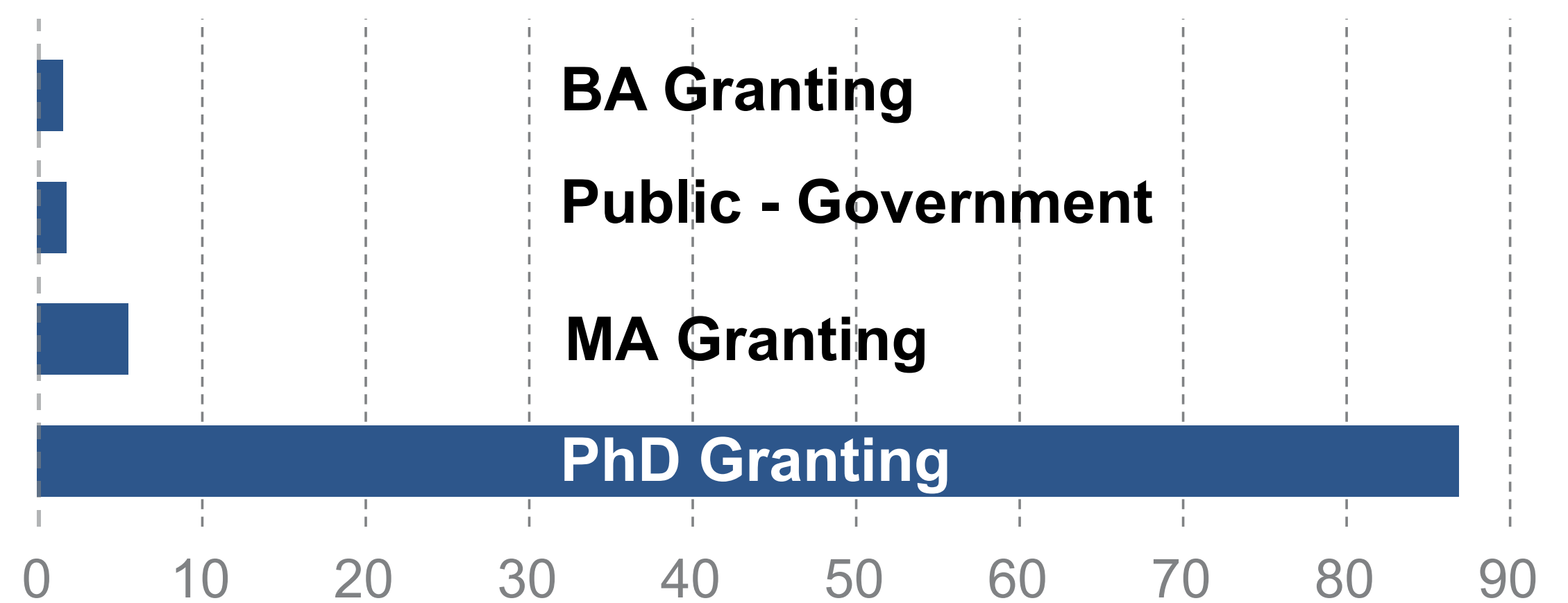
64% of candidates placed in Post-Doc positions were male.



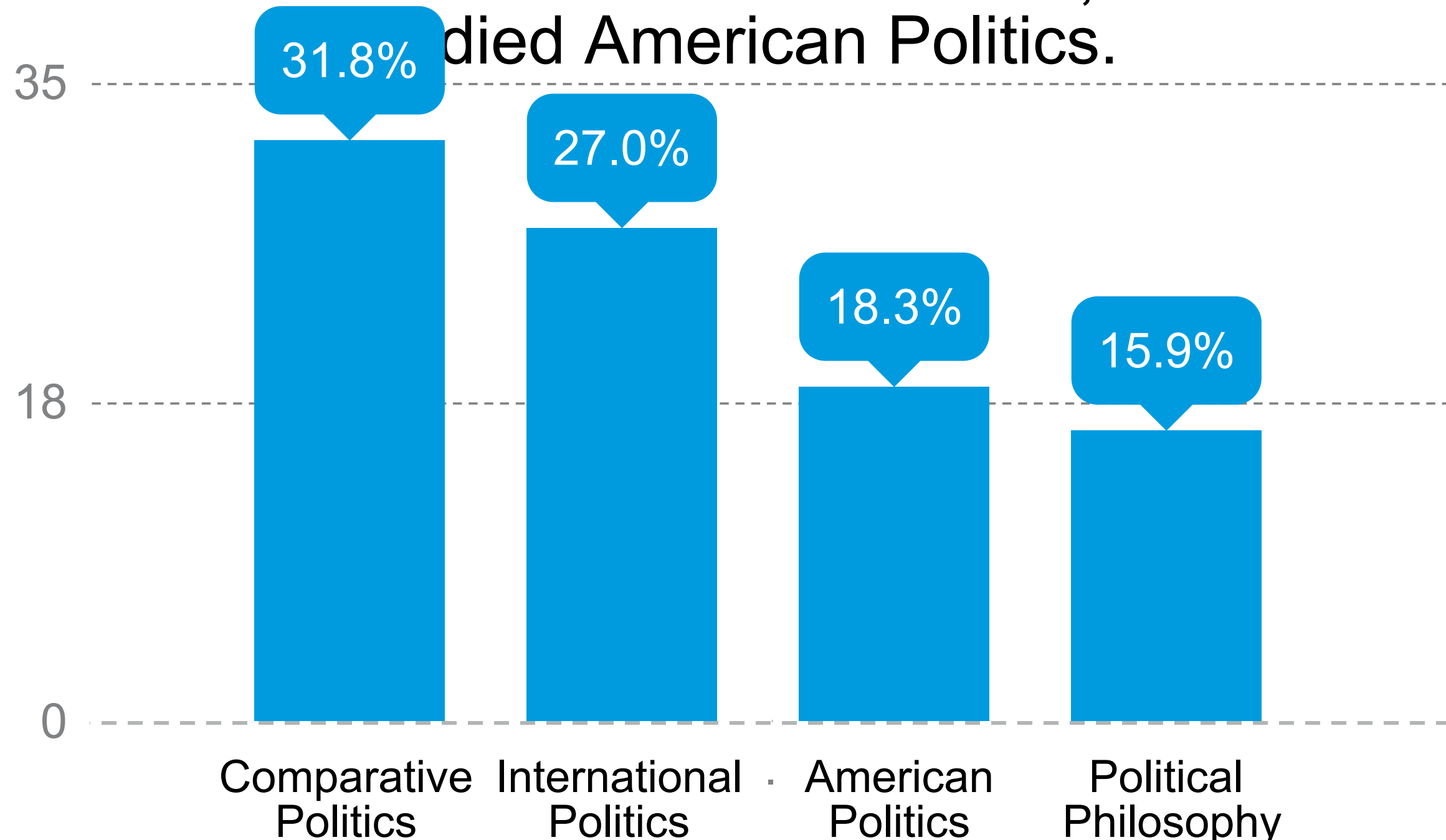
75% of candidates who took Post-Doc positions were from *non-underrepresented* race and ethnic groups



87% of Post-Docs went to positions at PhD granting institutions



32% of candidates placed in Post-Doc positions specialized in Comparative Politics, **27%** studied International Politics, and **18%** studied American Politics.



Candidates who took Post-Doc positions were on the job market for a median of **1 year**.

