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Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2004-2005 Academic Year

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1. Indicate the number of terms, if any, that you were involved in the following activities and educational experiences.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		0 terms	1 term	2 terms	3 terms	4+ terms		
Question								
a. Independent study	64	62.50	25.00	6.25	3.13	3.13	0.59	0.97
b. Study abroad	66	53.03	42.42	1.52	.	3.03	0.58	0.80
c. Community service or volunteer work	64	70.31	6.25	15.63	3.13	4.69	0.66	1.14
d. Work with a faculty member on a research project outside of course or program	64	82.81	12.50	3.13	1.56	.	0.23	0.58
e. Practicum, internship, field or co-op experience, or clinical assignment	64	53.13	14.06	10.94	10.94	10.94	1.13	1.44
f. Service learning course or course option	62	93.55	3.23	.	1.61	1.61	0.15	0.65
g. Participate in a learning community or formal program where groups of students take classes together	61	67.21	11.48	3.28	.	18.03	0.90	1.54

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1. Indicate the number of terms, if any, that you were involved in the following activities and educational experiences.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses	
		No	Yes
Question			
h. Self-designed major	62	95.16	4.84
i. Capstone course or thesis	62	88.71	11.29

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2. Compared with when you started your first year, how would you describe your following skills and knowledge?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Much weaker	Weaker	No change	Stronger	Much stronger		
Question								
a. Making effective oral presentations	67	.	2.99	2.99	35.82	58.21	4.49	0.70
b. Writing effectively	67	.	1.49	22.39	49.25	26.87	4.01	0.75
c. Understanding the world from a variety of viewpoints	67	1.49	.	5.97	40.30	52.24	4.42	0.74
d. Using statistical or mathematical reasoning to solve problems	66	.	4.55	25.76	54.55	15.15	3.80	0.75
e. Appreciating the arts	67	.	.	5.97	31.34	62.69	4.57	0.61
f. Valuing cultural diversity	66	.	1.52	13.64	46.97	37.88	4.21	0.73
g. Understanding methods and applying principles of reasoning in the natural sciences	66	.	.	34.85	46.97	18.18	3.83	0.71
h. Understanding yourself	66	.	3.03	13.64	39.39	43.94	4.24	0.80
i. Using computers and information technology	67	.	1.49	7.46	37.31	53.73	4.43	0.70
j. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	66	.	.	19.70	62.12	18.18	3.98	0.62
k. Thinking critically and analytically	67	.	1.49	2.99	46.27	49.25	4.43	0.63
l. Working cooperatively in a group	66	.	1.52	12.12	45.45	40.91	4.26	0.73
m. Using foreign languages	65	.	12.31	64.62	12.31	10.77	3.22	0.80
n. Developing insight into why you behave the way you do	66	.	.	30.30	45.45	24.24	3.94	0.74

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3.If you took more than four years to complete your degree requirements at UK, please answer the following questions.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses	
		No	Yes
Question			
a. Work obligations limited my enrollment	67	79.10	20.90
b. Family obligations limited my enrollment	67	89.55	10.45
c. Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment	67	91.04	8.96
d. A decision to change majors added to my requirements	67	76.12	23.88
e. Required course was not offered when needed	67	82.09	17.91
f. I lost credits in my major upon transferring	67	97.01	2.99

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4. Indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about: UNIVERSITY STUDIES PROGRAM:	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. Most of my USP courses have been intellectually challenging	67	5.97	32.84	7.46	50.75	2.99	3.12	1.09
b. I understand why USP courses are required	66	7.58	1.52	15.15	65.15	10.61	3.70	0.96
c. I understand how the various USP requirements fit together	67	5.97	5.97	22.39	59.70	5.97	3.54	0.93
d. Most of my USP instructors described the goals of the courses	67	7.46	37.31	25.37	25.37	4.48	2.82	1.04
e. The quality of instruction in my USP courses was as good as my major courses	67	13.43	28.36	16.42	38.81	2.99	2.90	1.16
f. I understand the value of USP courses better now than at the time I took them	67	5.97	19.40	29.85	37.31	7.46	3.21	1.04
g. The broad range of choices among courses to meet USP requirements was important to me	66	3.03	7.58	15.15	56.06	18.18	3.79	0.94
h. I found USP requirements difficult to understand	66	12.12	59.09	15.15	12.12	1.52	2.32	0.90

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4. Indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements about: YOUR MAJOR PROGRAM:	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. Required courses in my major were offered so that I could complete my degree on time	66	1.52	3.03	4.55	66.67	24.24	4.09	0.74
b. Grading practices were appropriate and fair	67	2.99	23.88	17.91	43.28	11.94	3.37	1.07
c. Faculty prepared carefully for their classes	67	1.49	11.94	11.94	53.73	20.90	3.81	0.96
d. Faculty gave helpful feedback on my academic progress	66	.	15.15	7.58	56.06	21.21	3.83	0.94
e. Faculty were accessible outside of the classroom	67	.	2.99	2.99	70.15	23.88	4.15	0.61
f. Faculty were knowledgeable in their subject matter	67	.	1.49	1.49	50.75	46.27	4.42	0.61
g. Faculty treated students with respect	67	1.49	10.45	10.45	52.24	25.37	3.90	0.96
h. The department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors	66	3.03	9.09	12.12	57.58	18.18	3.79	0.95
i. The department helped me find appropriate employment or pursue further study	67	14.93	40.30	13.43	17.91	13.43	2.75	1.30
j. I would recommend my major program to other students	67	1.49	7.46	19.40	53.73	17.91	3.79	0.88

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5. Rate your level of satisfaction or dissatisfaction with the following student services.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Very dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Neutral	Satisfied	Very satisfied		
Question								
a. Recreation areas in Student Center	51	5.88	11.76	33.33	35.29	13.73	3.39	1.06
b. Campus dining services	63	6.35	14.29	33.33	44.44	1.59	3.21	0.94
c. Counseling & Testing Center (personal counseling)	23	.	4.35	52.17	39.13	4.35	3.43	0.66
d. Counseling & Testing Center (career counseling)	16	6.25	.	37.50	56.25	.	3.44	0.81
e. Career Center Services	18	.	5.56	44.44	44.44	5.56	3.50	0.71
f. Student Billing Services	60	3.33	3.33	40.00	50.00	3.33	3.47	0.77
g. Registration	67	.	4.48	23.88	62.69	8.96	3.76	0.68
h. Parking Services	58	39.66	34.48	15.52	10.34	.	1.97	0.99
i. Health Services	60	6.67	11.67	18.33	53.33	10.00	3.48	1.05
j. Fitness and athletic facilities	55	.	.	9.09	45.45	45.45	4.36	0.65
k. Student Financial Aid Office	50	.	4.00	32.00	48.00	16.00	3.76	0.77
l. UK Bookstore	63	6.35	7.94	41.27	41.27	3.17	3.27	0.90
m. University Apartments	16	6.25	.	68.75	25.00	.	3.13	0.72
n. Residence Hall (living quarters)	43	9.30	18.60	41.86	30.23	.	2.93	0.94
o. Residence Hall (dining services)	42	9.52	16.67	35.71	38.10	.	3.02	0.98

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6.How would you rate the quality of each of the following aspects at UK?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent		
Question							
a. Quality of instruction by overall faculty	67	.	14.93	65.67	19.40	3.04	0.59
b. Quality of instruction by faculty in major	66	1.52	10.61	48.48	39.39	3.26	0.71
c. Quality of instruction by teaching assistants	67	4.48	44.78	37.31	13.43	2.60	0.78
d. Individual attention from instructors	66	3.03	24.24	45.45	27.27	2.97	0.80
e. Preparation for my first career job	66	16.67	36.36	37.88	9.09	2.39	0.87
f. Preparation for graduate or professional school	64	7.81	34.38	40.63	17.19	2.67	0.86
g. Quality of library services	67	1.49	13.43	58.21	26.87	3.10	0.68
h. Availability of computing resources	65	6.15	15.38	53.85	24.62	2.97	0.81
i. Willingness of faculty to meet with students	66	1.52	9.09	59.09	30.30	3.18	0.65
j. Quality of UK's library collection	66	1.52	4.55	66.67	27.27	3.20	0.59
k. Quality of service provided by the computer lab staff	65	3.08	33.85	44.62	18.46	2.78	0.78

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7.To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about YOUR ACADEMIC ADVISOR?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. Spent sufficient time with me	66	.	7.58	16.67	53.03	22.73	3.91	0.84
b. Was accessible when I needed help	67	.	8.96	5.97	58.21	26.87	4.03	0.83
c. Reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice	67	2.99	5.97	5.97	52.24	32.84	4.06	0.95
d. Is someone I would recommend to other students	66	3.03	4.55	24.24	37.88	30.30	3.88	1.00

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8. Assess the extent to which the ACADEMIC CLIMATE is discriminatory or supportive for each of the student groups.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very discriminatory	Discriminatory	Supportive	Very supportive		
Question							
a. Women	60	1.67	1.67	58.33	38.33	3.33	0.60
b. Men	59	.	1.69	66.10	32.20	3.31	0.50
c. African Americans	58	.	3.45	63.79	32.76	3.29	0.53
d. Other racial minorities	57	1.75	3.51	68.42	26.32	3.19	0.58
e. International students	58	.	1.72	68.97	29.31	3.28	0.49
f. Disabled students	57	1.75	1.75	73.68	22.81	3.18	0.54
g. Gay/Lesbian students	57	1.75	7.02	70.18	21.05	3.11	0.59

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8.Assess the extent to which the SOCIAL CLIMATE is discriminatory or supportive for each of the student groups.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very discriminatory	Discriminatory	Supportive	Very supportive		
Question							
a. Women	62	.	1.61	62.90	35.48	3.34	0.51
b. Men	60	.	1.67	66.67	31.67	3.30	0.50
c. African Americans	61	.	8.20	67.21	24.59	3.16	0.55
d. Other racial minorities	61	.	14.75	67.21	18.03	3.03	0.58
e. International students	62	.	12.90	67.74	19.35	3.06	0.57
f. Disabled students	61	1.64	11.48	70.49	16.39	3.02	0.59
g. Gay/lesbian students	61	4.92	21.31	55.74	18.03	2.87	0.76

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9.To what extent do you feel UK emphasizes each of the following.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very little	Some	Quite a bit	Very much		
Question							
a. Studying and academic work outside of class	67	2.99	22.39	38.81	35.82	3.07	0.84
b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	67	1.49	29.85	47.76	20.90	2.88	0.75
c. Providing the support you need to develop an active social life	67	17.91	55.22	16.42	10.45	2.19	0.86
d. Encouraging contact among students of different backgrounds	67	19.40	46.27	23.88	10.45	2.25	0.89
e. Developing scholarly, analytical, and intellectual qualities	67	1.49	25.37	49.25	23.88	2.96	0.75
f. Developing aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities	67	4.48	20.90	46.27	28.36	2.99	0.83
g. Developing an understanding and appreciation of human diversity	67	.	35.82	46.27	17.91	2.82	0.72
h. Developing information literacy skills	67	2.99	20.90	53.73	22.39	2.96	0.75
i. Providing job-related skills and knowledge	67	8.96	41.79	37.31	11.94	2.52	0.82
j. Offering courses that are practical	67	.	35.82	46.27	17.91	2.82	0.72

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The FREQ Procedure

10.To what extent has your college education fulfilled your expectations?				
q10	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Moderately below	6	8.96	6	8.96
Met expectations	22	32.84	28	41.79
Moderately above	26	38.81	54	80.60
Far above	13	19.40	67	100.00

11.How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with your experiences at UK?				
q11	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Very dissatisfied	1	1.49	1	1.49
Neutral	9	13.43	10	14.93
Satisfied	43	64.18	53	79.10
Very satisfied	14	20.90	67	100.00

12.If you could start college again, would you enroll at UK?				
q12	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	3	4.48	3	4.48
Probably not	14	20.90	17	25.37
Probably yes	32	47.76	49	73.13
Definitely yes	18	26.87	67	100.00

13. What are your immediate post-graduation plans?	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses	
		No	Yes
Question			
a. I will work at the job I had before I graduated	67	83.58	16.42
b. I will work at a new job I recently obtained	67	89.55	10.45
c. I am currently seeking employment	67	38.81	61.19
d. I do not plan to work	67	98.51	1.49
e. I plan to continue my education before working	67	86.57	13.43
f. I have no plans	67	97.01	2.99

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14.If you are continuing your education, what is the highest degree you plan to earn?				
q14	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No plans for graduate degree	19	33.33	19	33.33
Master's or Educational specialist degree	32	56.14	51	89.47
Other professional degree	5	8.77	56	98.25
Other doctoral degree	1	1.75	57	100.00

Frequency Missing = 10

What is your gender?				
SEX	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Female	31	46.27	31	46.27
Male	36	53.73	67	100.00

To which group do you belong?				
RACE	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Nonresident Alien	3	4.48	3	4.48
African American	2	2.99	5	7.46
American Indian	1	1.49	6	8.96
Asian	1	1.49	7	10.45
White	59	88.06	66	98.51
Missing	1	1.49	67	100.00

Which region are you from?				
REGION	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Central Kentucky Counties	16	23.88	16	23.88
Northern Kentucky Counties	4	5.97	20	29.85
Louisville Kentucky Counties	11	16.42	31	46.27
Appalachian Kentucky Counties	7	10.45	38	56.72
Other Kentucky Counties	17	25.37	55	82.09
Out of State	12	17.91	67	100.00