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Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2005-2006 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	40	60.00	27.50	12.50	.	.	0.53	0.72
b. Study abroad	39	66.67	28.21	5.13	.	.	0.38	0.59
c. Community service or volunteer work	38	78.95	10.53	.	.	10.53	0.53	1.25
d. Work with a faculty member on a research project outside of course or program	40	82.50	15.00	2.50	.	.	0.20	0.46
e. Practicum, internship, field or co-op experience, or clinical assignment	39	53.85	17.95	10.26	12.82	5.13	0.97	1.29
f. Service learning course or course option	38	92.11	5.26	2.63	.	.	0.11	0.39
g. Participate in a learning community or formal program where groups of students take classes together	39	76.92	7.69	2.56	.	12.82	0.64	1.37

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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	37	100.00	.
i. Capstone course or thesis	37	97.30	2.70

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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	40	.	.	2.50	47.50	50.00	4.48	0.55
b. Writing effectively	40	.	.	15.00	62.50	22.50	4.08	0.62
c. Understanding the world from a variety of viewpoints	40	.	.	2.50	45.00	52.50	4.50	0.55
d. Using statistical or mathematical reasoning to solve problems	40	.	5.00	30.00	57.50	7.50	3.68	0.69
e. Appreciating the arts	40	.	2.50	5.00	32.50	60.00	4.50	0.72
f. Valuing cultural diversity	40	.	.	17.50	50.00	32.50	4.15	0.70
g. Understanding methods and applying principles of reasoning in the natural sciences	40	.	5.00	37.50	45.00	12.50	3.65	0.77
h. Understanding yourself	40	.	.	12.50	40.00	47.50	4.35	0.70
i. Using computers and information technology	40	.	.	7.50	25.00	67.50	4.60	0.63
j. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	40	.	.	12.50	55.00	32.50	4.20	0.65
k. Thinking critically and analytically	40	.	.	2.50	35.00	62.50	4.60	0.55
l. Working cooperatively in a group	40	.	.	10.00	55.00	35.00	4.25	0.63
m. Using foreign languages	40	2.50	15.00	60.00	15.00	7.50	3.10	0.84
n. Developing insight into why you behave the way you do	40	.	5.00	22.50	50.00	22.50	3.90	0.81

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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	40	85.00	15.00
b. Family obligations limited my enrollment	40	92.50	7.50
c. Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment	40	87.50	12.50
d. A decision to change majors added to my requirements	40	75.00	25.00
e. Required course was not offered when needed	40	92.50	7.50
f. I lost credits in my major upon transferring	40	92.50	7.50

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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	40	7.50	32.50	15.00	45.00	.	2.98	1.05
b. I understand why USP courses are required	40	5.00	20.00	5.00	70.00	.	3.40	0.98
c. I understand how the various USP requirements fit together	39	7.69	10.26	28.21	53.85	.	3.28	0.94
d. Most of my USP instructors described the goals of the courses	40	12.50	55.00	15.00	17.50	.	2.38	0.93
e. The quality of instruction in my USP courses was as good as my major courses	40	17.50	40.00	12.50	30.00	.	2.55	1.11
f. I understand the value of USP courses better now than at the time I took them	39	.	43.59	12.82	43.59	.	3.00	0.95
g. The broad range of choices among courses to meet USP requirements was important to me	38	5.26	7.89	21.05	57.89	7.89	3.55	0.95
h. I found USP requirements difficult to understand	39	12.82	53.85	15.38	17.95	.	2.38	0.94

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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	40	5.00	.	5.00	67.50	22.50	4.03	0.86
b. Grading practices were appropriate and fair	40	10.00	22.50	10.00	52.50	5.00	3.20	1.16
c. Faculty prepared carefully for their classes	40	.	10.00	15.00	70.00	5.00	3.70	0.72
d. Faculty gave helpful feedback on my academic progress	39	.	17.95	7.69	58.97	15.38	3.72	0.94
e. Faculty were accessible outside of the classroom	40	.	2.50	2.50	70.00	25.00	4.18	0.59
f. Faculty were knowledgeable in their subject matter	39	.	.	.	46.15	53.85	4.54	0.51
g. Faculty treated students with respect	39	2.56	7.69	15.38	64.10	10.26	3.72	0.86
h. The department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors	39	.	10.26	23.08	53.85	12.82	3.69	0.83
i. The department helped me find appropriate employment or pursue further study	39	30.77	25.64	15.38	25.64	2.56	2.44	1.25
j. I would recommend my major program to other students	40	2.50	5.00	27.50	50.00	15.00	3.70	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	27	7.41	18.52	44.44	22.22	7.41	3.04	1.02
b. Campus dining services	37	24.32	27.03	29.73	18.92	.	2.43	1.07
c. Counseling & Testing Center (personal counseling)	10	30.00	.	40.00	30.00	.	2.70	1.25
d. Counseling & Testing Center (career counseling)	10	30.00	10.00	50.00	10.00	.	2.40	1.07
e. Career Center Services	13	7.69	.	84.62	7.69	.	2.92	0.64
f. Student Billing Services	38	7.89	5.26	52.63	34.21	.	3.13	0.84
g. Registration	39	.	10.26	38.46	48.72	2.56	3.44	0.72
h. Parking Services	38	71.05	21.05	7.89	.	.	1.37	0.63
i. Health Services	35	8.57	2.86	20.00	48.57	20.00	3.69	1.11
j. Fitness and athletic facilities	35	2.86	.	17.14	51.43	28.57	4.03	0.86
k. Student Financial Aid Office	23	8.70	4.35	34.78	52.17	.	3.30	0.93
l. UK Bookstore	37	2.70	29.73	35.14	32.43	.	2.97	0.87
m. University Apartments	12	25.00	25.00	33.33	16.67	.	2.42	1.08
n. Residence Hall (living quarters)	31	19.35	29.03	29.03	22.58	.	2.55	1.06
o. Residence Hall (dining services)	29	10.34	24.14	37.93	27.59	.	2.83	0.97

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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	39	2.56	7.69	84.62	5.13	2.92	0.48
b. Quality of instruction by faculty in major	39	.	5.13	58.97	35.90	3.31	0.57
c. Quality of instruction by teaching assistants	39	7.69	51.28	41.03	.	2.33	0.62
d. Individual attention from instructors	39	2.56	25.64	61.54	10.26	2.79	0.66
e. Preparation for my first career job	38	23.68	50.00	21.05	5.26	2.08	0.82
f. Preparation for graduate or professional school	39	10.26	43.59	43.59	2.56	2.38	0.71
g. Quality of library services	39	.	10.26	66.67	23.08	3.13	0.57
h. Availability of computing resources	39	7.69	15.38	64.10	12.82	2.82	0.76
i. Willingness of faculty to meet with students	39	.	10.26	64.10	25.64	3.15	0.59
j. Quality of UK's library collection	39	.	.	71.79	28.21	3.28	0.46
k. Quality of service provided by the computer lab staff	39	.	38.46	56.41	5.13	2.67	0.58

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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	37	2.70	24.32	16.22	43.24	13.51	3.41	1.09
b. Was accessible when I needed help	38	2.63	21.05	18.42	42.11	15.79	3.47	1.08
c. Reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice	38	7.89	13.16	23.68	42.11	13.16	3.39	1.13
d. Is someone I would recommend to other students	38	13.16	18.42	18.42	34.21	15.79	3.21	1.30

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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	39	.	12.82	66.67	20.51	3.08	0.58
b. Men	37	.	5.41	70.27	24.32	3.19	0.52
c. African Americans	38	2.63	7.89	65.79	23.68	3.11	0.65
d. Other racial minorities	38	2.63	7.89	71.05	18.42	3.05	0.61
e. International students	38	2.63	2.63	65.79	28.95	3.21	0.62
f. Disabled students	36	.	5.56	80.56	13.89	3.08	0.44
g. Gay/Lesbian students	37	.	10.81	75.68	13.51	3.03	0.50

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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	39	.	2.56	74.36	23.08	3.21	0.47
b. Men	38	.	2.63	68.42	28.95	3.26	0.50
c. African Americans	38	2.63	15.79	60.53	21.05	3.00	0.70
d. Other racial minorities	38	.	15.79	71.05	13.16	2.97	0.54
e. International students	38	.	10.53	71.05	18.42	3.08	0.54
f. Disabled students	36	2.78	19.44	72.22	5.56	2.81	0.58
g. Gay/lesbian students	37	8.11	21.62	59.46	10.81	2.73	0.77

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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	39	7.69	15.38	48.72	28.21	2.97	0.87
b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	39	2.56	33.33	56.41	7.69	2.69	0.66
c. Providing the support you need to develop an active social life	39	17.95	43.59	30.77	7.69	2.28	0.86
d. Encouraging contact among students of different backgrounds	39	17.95	48.72	25.64	7.69	2.23	0.84
e. Developing scholarly, analytical, and intellectual qualities	39	2.56	30.77	58.97	7.69	2.72	0.65
f. Developing aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities	39	5.13	35.90	46.15	12.82	2.67	0.77
g. Developing an understanding and appreciation of human diversity	39	2.56	43.59	46.15	7.69	2.59	0.68
h. Developing information literacy skills	39	.	30.77	51.28	17.95	2.87	0.70
i. Providing job-related skills and knowledge	39	10.26	53.85	35.90	.	2.26	0.64
j. Offering courses that are practical	39	7.69	33.33	56.41	2.56	2.54	0.68

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10.To what extent has your college education fulfilled your expectations?				
q10	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Moderately below	8	20.00	8	20.00
Met expectations	13	32.50	21	52.50
Moderately above	17	42.50	38	95.00
Far above	2	5.00	40	100.00

11.How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with your experiences at UK?				
q11	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Dissatisfied	2	5.00	2	5.00
Neutral	14	35.00	16	40.00
Satisfied	20	50.00	36	90.00
Very satisfied	4	10.00	40	100.00

12.If you could start college again, would you enroll at UK?				
q12	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	2	5.00	2	5.00
Probably not	10	25.00	12	30.00
Probably yes	27	67.50	39	97.50
Definitely yes	1	2.50	40	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	40	90.00	10.00
b. I will work at a new job I recently obtained	40	90.00	10.00
c. I am currently seeking employment	40	35.00	65.00
d. I do not plan to work	40	100.00	.
e. I plan to continue my education before working	40	75.00	25.00
f. I have no plans	40	97.50	2.50

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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	4	12.50	4	12.50
Master's or Educational specialist degree	21	65.63	25	78.13
Other professional degree	5	15.63	30	93.75
Ph.D or Ed.D	2	6.25	32	100.00

Frequency Missing = 8

What is your gender?				
SEX	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Female	20	50.00	20	50.00
Male	20	50.00	40	100.00

To which group do you belong?				
RACE	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Nonresident Alien	1	2.50	1	2.50
African American	2	5.00	3	7.50
Asian	1	2.50	4	10.00
Hispanic	2	5.00	6	15.00
White	34	85.00	40	100.00

Which region are you from?				
REGION	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Central Kentucky Counties	10	25.00	10	25.00
Northern Kentucky Counties	4	10.00	14	35.00
Louisville Kentucky Counties	7	17.50	21	52.50
Appalachian Kentucky Counties	6	15.00	27	67.50
Other Kentucky Counties	8	20.00	35	87.50
Out of State	5	12.50	40	100.00

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In which college are you enrolled?				
college	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Design	40	100.00	40	100.00