

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

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	286	82.52	12.94	3.85	0.35	0.35	0.23	0.56
b. Study abroad	282	96.81	2.48	0.71	.	.	0.04	0.23
c. Community service or volunteer work	283	28.27	18.73	19.43	12.37	21.20	1.80	1.50
d. Work with a faculty member on a research project outside of course or program	285	90.18	6.67	2.46	0.35	0.35	0.14	0.48
e. Practicum, internship, field or co-op experience, or clinical assignment	287	7.32	33.45	26.13	13.59	19.51	2.05	1.24
f. Service learning course or course option	284	79.93	13.73	2.82	1.06	2.46	0.32	0.80
g. Participate in a learning community or formal program where groups of students take classes together	286	74.83	4.90	3.50	5.24	11.54	0.74	1.40

University of Kentucky
Institutional Research (7-4110)
Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

09:54 Monday, July 7, 2008 2

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	282	97.52	2.48
i. Capstone course or thesis	283	94.70	5.30

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

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	288	.	0.35	8.33	57.64	33.68	4.25	0.61
b. Writing effectively	288	.	0.35	9.03	55.21	35.42	4.26	0.63
c. Understanding the world from a variety of viewpoints	288	0.35	0.35	9.72	50.69	38.89	4.27	0.68
d. Using statistical or mathematical reasoning to solve problems	288	0.35	2.08	25.69	53.13	18.75	3.88	0.74
e. Appreciating the arts	288	.	0.69	33.68	46.18	19.44	3.84	0.73
f. Valuing cultural diversity	286	0.70	0.70	20.63	45.10	32.87	4.09	0.79
g. Understanding methods and applying principles of reasoning in the natural sciences	287	.	0.70	20.91	60.28	18.12	3.96	0.65
h. Understanding yourself	288	.	.	9.72	42.01	48.26	4.39	0.66
i. Using computers and information technology	288	.	.	19.79	51.04	29.17	4.09	0.69
j. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	288	.	.	19.44	54.86	25.69	4.06	0.67
k. Thinking critically and analytically	288	.	.	4.86	61.81	33.33	4.28	0.55
l. Working cooperatively in a group	287	.	1.05	18.12	47.74	33.10	4.13	0.73
m. Using foreign languages	288	2.78	13.89	65.28	12.15	5.90	3.05	0.78
n. Developing insight into why you behave the way you do	288	.	.	20.49	58.68	20.83	4.00	0.64

University of Kentucky
Institutional Research (7-4110)
Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

09:54 Monday, July 7, 2008 4

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	288	82.29	17.71
b. Family obligations limited my enrollment	288	90.97	9.03
c. Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment	288	94.44	5.56
d. A decision to change majors added to my requirements	288	56.94	43.06
e. Required course was not offered when needed	288	73.26	26.74
f. I lost credits in my major upon transferring	288	90.28	9.72

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

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	287	3.14	22.65	9.06	62.02	3.14	3.39	0.97
b. I understand why USP courses are required	287	3.83	15.33	12.20	62.72	5.92	3.52	0.95
c. I understand how the various USP requirements fit together	287	2.44	16.72	19.16	57.49	4.18	3.44	0.90
d. Most of my USP instructors described the goals of the courses	285	5.61	30.18	22.11	38.95	3.16	3.04	1.02
e. The quality of instruction in my USP courses was as good as my major courses	285	5.96	28.77	15.09	47.72	2.46	3.12	1.04
f. I understand the value of USP courses better now than at the time I took them	283	3.18	20.49	20.85	49.82	5.65	3.34	0.97
g. The broad range of choices among courses to meet USP requirements was important to me	284	2.11	11.97	10.56	65.14	10.21	3.69	0.89
h. I found USP requirements difficult to understand	284	6.69	56.34	12.68	21.83	2.46	2.57	0.98

Institutional Research (7-4110)

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year

Results for College of Education

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	285	8.77	18.95	5.26	56.14	10.88	3.41	1.17
b. Grading practices were appropriate and fair	286	0.70	6.29	4.55	69.58	18.88	4.00	0.74
c. Faculty prepared carefully for their classes	285	.	5.26	8.07	65.61	21.05	4.02	0.71
d. Faculty gave helpful feedback on my academic progress	286	0.35	8.04	6.64	62.59	22.38	3.99	0.80
e. Faculty were accessible outside of the classroom	285	.	2.46	3.86	66.32	27.37	4.19	0.61
f. Faculty were knowledgeable in their subject matter	286	.	0.35	2.10	59.79	37.76	4.35	0.54
g. Faculty treated students with respect	285	.	1.75	3.86	65.61	28.77	4.21	0.59
h. The department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors	286	0.70	3.15	6.64	62.59	26.92	4.12	0.72
i. The department helped me find appropriate employment or pursue further study	285	3.86	15.79	26.67	41.75	11.93	3.42	1.02
j. I would recommend my major program to other students	286	2.45	2.45	12.24	52.10	30.77	4.06	0.86

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

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	226	1.33	6.19	24.78	51.77	15.93	3.75	0.84
b. Campus dining services	253	6.32	13.83	29.64	45.45	4.74	3.28	0.98
c. Counseling & Testing Center (personal counseling)	103	0.97	5.83	33.01	46.60	13.59	3.66	0.82
d. Counseling & Testing Center (career counseling)	113	0.88	3.54	40.71	44.25	10.62	3.60	0.76
e. Career Center Services	129	.	3.10	32.56	49.61	14.73	3.76	0.74
f. Student Billing Services	268	4.10	10.07	32.84	46.64	6.34	3.41	0.91
g. Registration	280	3.21	15.00	24.64	50.36	6.79	3.43	0.94
h. Woman's Place	80	3.75	1.25	43.75	38.75	12.50	3.55	0.87
i. Health Services	248	1.61	8.06	19.76	50.40	20.16	3.79	0.91
j. Fitness and athletic facilities	268	0.75	1.49	8.96	52.99	35.82	4.22	0.73
k. Student Financial Aid Office	200	2.50	8.00	28.50	50.00	11.00	3.59	0.88
l. UK Bookstore	276	6.52	15.22	22.46	46.38	9.42	3.37	1.06
m. University Apartments	78	6.41	5.13	41.03	35.90	11.54	3.41	0.99
n. Residence Hall (living quarters)	198	4.55	13.13	24.75	48.48	9.09	3.44	0.98
o. Residence Hall (dining services)	201	4.98	12.94	26.87	48.76	6.47	3.39	0.96

Institutional Research (7-4110)

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year

Results for College of Education

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	287	0.70	9.06	74.56	15.68	3.05	0.52
b. Quality of instruction by faculty in major	287	2.09	3.14	44.25	50.52	3.43	0.66
c. Quality of instruction by teaching assistants	286	4.20	33.57	53.50	8.74	2.67	0.69
d. Individual attention from instructors	285	2.81	28.07	57.54	11.58	2.78	0.68
e. Preparation for my first career job	287	7.32	23.34	51.92	17.42	2.79	0.81
f. Preparation for graduate or professional school	284	5.99	21.83	60.21	11.97	2.78	0.73
g. Quality of library services	287	0.70	7.32	54.36	37.63	3.29	0.63
h. Availability of computing resources	284	.	8.80	54.93	36.27	3.27	0.61
i. Willingness of faculty to meet with students	287	0.35	8.01	57.49	34.15	3.25	0.61
j. Quality of UK's library collection	286	.	5.24	54.20	40.56	3.35	0.58
k. Quality of service provided by the computer lab staff	286	1.75	13.64	66.08	18.53	3.01	0.63

Institutional Research (7-4110)

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year

Results for College of Education

7. Rate your level of satisfaction or dissatisfaction with the following academic support programs.	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses					Mean	StDev
		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Not sure	Agree	Strongly agree		
Question								
a. The Study	67	.	5.97	32.84	44.78	16.42	3.72	0.81
b. The Writing Center	119	0.84	7.56	25.21	47.06	19.33	3.76	0.88

Institutional Research (7-4110)

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year

Results for College of Education

8.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	285	7.72	24.21	7.37	50.53	10.18	3.31	1.17
b. Was accessible when I needed help	285	7.02	17.54	8.07	51.93	15.44	3.51	1.16
c. Reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice	285	6.32	13.68	19.65	45.96	14.39	3.48	1.09
d. Is someone I would recommend to other students	285	11.93	19.30	14.39	36.49	17.89	3.29	1.29

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

9. 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	274	.	1.82	64.60	33.58	3.32	0.50
b. Men	271	.	1.48	60.52	38.01	3.37	0.51
c. African Americans	271	0.74	7.75	61.99	29.52	3.20	0.60
d. Other racial minorities	269	1.12	12.64	60.59	25.65	3.11	0.65
e. International students	269	1.12	11.52	59.85	27.51	3.14	0.65
f. Disabled students	269	1.86	6.69	63.94	27.51	3.17	0.62
g. Gay/lesbian students	266	3.01	13.16	60.15	23.68	3.05	0.70

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education

10.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	287	0.35	15.68	52.96	31.01	3.15	0.68
b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	287	1.74	23.69	54.70	19.86	2.93	0.71
c. Providing the support you need to develop an active social life	287	4.53	34.49	43.90	17.07	2.74	0.79
d. Encouraging contact among students of different backgrounds	287	11.50	34.49	40.07	13.94	2.56	0.87
e. Developing scholarly, analytical, and intellectual qualities	287	1.39	22.30	58.19	18.12	2.93	0.68
f. Developing aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities	287	3.83	29.62	52.96	13.59	2.76	0.73
g. Developing an understanding and appreciation of human diversity	287	1.39	24.39	55.05	19.16	2.92	0.70
h. Developing information literacy skills	287	1.74	19.16	58.54	20.56	2.98	0.68
i. Providing job-related skills and knowledge	287	4.18	23.00	57.14	15.68	2.84	0.73
j. Offering courses that are practical	287	3.48	29.27	52.26	14.98	2.79	0.73

Institutional Research (7-4110)

Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year

Results for College of Education

The FREQ Procedure

11.To what extent has your college education fulfilled your expectations?				
q11	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Far below	2	0.70	2	0.70
Moderately below	24	8.36	26	9.06
Met expectations	106	36.93	132	45.99
Moderately above	115	40.07	247	86.06
Far above	40	13.94	287	100.00

Frequency Missing = 1

12.How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with your experiences at UK?				
q12	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Very dissatisfied	2	0.70	2	0.70
Dissatisfied	13	4.53	15	5.23
Neutral	41	14.29	56	19.51
Satisfied	154	53.66	210	73.17
Very satisfied	77	26.83	287	100.00

Frequency Missing = 1

13.If you could start college again, would you enroll at UK?				
q13	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	13	4.53	13	4.53
Probably not	39	13.59	52	18.12
Probably yes	138	48.08	190	66.20
Definitely yes	97	33.80	287	100.00

Frequency Missing = 1

***Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education***

14.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	288	87.15	12.85
b. I will work at a new job I recently obtained	288	87.85	12.15
c. I am currently seeking employment	288	50.00	50.00
d. I do not plan to work	288	98.61	1.39
e. I plan to continue my education before working	288	56.60	43.40
f. I have no plans	288	98.96	1.04

**Graduating Senior Survey - Graduated in 2007-2008 Academic Year
Results for College of Education**

The FREQ Procedure

15.If you are continuing your education, what is the highest degree you plan to earn?				
q15	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No plans for graduate degree	20	7.09	20	7.09
Master's or Educational specialist degree	209	74.11	229	81.21
Law degree	2	0.71	231	81.91
Medicine degree	2	0.71	233	82.62
Other professional degree	10	3.55	243	86.17
Ph.D or Ed.D	25	8.87	268	95.04
Other doctoral degree	14	4.96	282	100.00

Frequency Missing = 6

What is your gender?				
sex	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Male	80	27.78	80	27.78
Female	208	72.22	288	100.00

To which group do you belong?				
race	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0.35	1	0.35
Asian or Pacific Islander	2	0.69	3	1.04
Black (Non-Hispanic)	7	2.43	10	3.47
Non Resident Alien	1	0.35	11	3.82
Unknown	6	2.08	17	5.90
White (Non-Hispanic)	271	94.10	288	100.00

In which college are you enrolled?				
college	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
College of Education	288	100.00	288	100.00