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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				
		0 terms	1 term	2 terms	3 terms	4+ terms
Question						
a. Independent study	143	79.02	11.89	4.20	0.70	4.20
b. Study abroad	141	93.62	5.67	0.71	.	.
c. Community service or volunteer work	142	23.24	12.68	18.31	11.97	33.80
d. Work with a faculty member on a research project outside of course or program	142	83.10	11.27	4.23	1.41	.
e. Practicum, internship, field or co-op experience, or clinical assignment	145	5.52	31.72	28.97	22.07	11.72
f. Service learning course or course option	142	66.90	25.35	5.63	0.70	1.41
g. Participate in a learning community or formal program where groups of students take classes together	142	74.65	8.45	4.93	4.93	7.04

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2. 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			
a. Self-designed major	145	97.24	2.76
b. Capstone course or thesis	145	92.41	7.59

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3. 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
		No progress	Slight progress	Moderate progress	A lot of progress		
Question							
a. Making effective oral presentations	145	1.38	11.72	39.31	47.59	3.33	0.74
b. Writing effectively	145	0.69	10.34	43.45	45.52	3.34	0.69
c. Understanding the world from a variety of viewpoints	145	1.38	8.28	38.62	51.72	3.41	0.70
d. Using statistical or mathematical reasoning to solve problems	145	4.14	30.34	31.72	33.79	2.95	0.90
e. Appreciating the arts	145	9.66	26.21	31.72	32.41	2.87	0.98
f. Valuing cultural diversity	145	5.52	13.79	38.62	42.07	3.17	0.87
g. Understanding methods and applying principles of reasoning in the natural sciences	145	5.52	28.97	34.48	31.03	2.91	0.90
h. Understanding yourself	145	2.07	9.66	26.21	62.07	3.48	0.76
i. Using computers and information technology	145	3.45	16.55	42.76	37.24	3.14	0.81
j. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	145	5.52	13.79	37.24	43.45	3.19	0.87
k. Thinking critically and analytically	143	2.10	11.89	37.76	48.25	3.32	0.77
l. Working cooperatively in a group	145	2.07	13.10	42.76	42.07	3.25	0.76
m. Using foreign languages	145	57.93	22.76	8.28	11.03	1.72	1.02
n. Developing insight into why you behave the way you do	145	5.52	25.52	36.55	32.41	2.96	0.90

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4.If you took more than four years to complete your degree requirements at UK, please answer the following questions.	Number of Responses
Question	
a. Work obligations limited my enrollment	25
b. Family obligations limited my enrollment	17
c. Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment	12
d. A decision to change majors added to my requirements	47
e. Required course was not offered when needed	31
f. I lost credits in my major upon transferring	22

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5. 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	140	5.00	21.43	15.00	53.57	5.00	3.32	1.03
b. I understand why USP courses are required	139	10.07	13.67	12.95	59.71	3.60	3.33	1.09
c. I understand how the various USP requirements fit together	140	11.43	17.86	13.57	54.29	2.86	3.19	1.12
d. Most of my USP instructors described the goals of the courses	140	11.43	32.86	20.71	32.14	2.86	2.82	1.09
e. The quality of instruction in my USP courses was as good as my major courses	140	12.86	23.57	17.14	43.57	2.86	3.00	1.14
f. I understand the value of USP courses better now than at the time I took them	140	10.00	16.43	20.71	47.86	5.00	3.21	1.10
g. The broad range of choices among courses to meet USP requirements was important to me	140	9.29	12.14	10.00	52.86	15.71	3.54	1.17
h. I found USP requirements difficult to understand	139	5.76	43.88	20.86	25.18	4.32	2.78	1.03

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6. 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	140	8.57	24.29	0.71	45.00	21.43	3.46	1.30
b. Grading practices were appropriate and fair	140	0.71	5.71	4.29	65.00	24.29	4.06	0.76
c. Faculty prepared carefully for their classes	140	2.14	5.00	4.29	66.43	22.14	4.01	0.81
d. Faculty gave helpful feedback on my academic progress	140	2.14	8.57	3.57	62.86	22.86	3.96	0.90
e. Faculty were accessible outside of the classroom	140	0.71	0.71	6.43	58.57	33.57	4.24	0.66
f. Faculty were knowledgeable in their subject matter	140	0.71	1.43	4.29	48.57	45.00	4.36	0.70
g. Faculty treated students with respect	140	0.71	3.57	5.00	60.00	30.71	4.16	0.74
h. The department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors	139	0.72	4.32	5.04	56.83	33.09	4.17	0.77
i. The department helped me find appropriate employment or pursue further study	140	10.71	19.29	17.86	37.14	15.00	3.26	1.24
j. I would recommend my major program to other students	140	3.57	10.00	7.86	41.43	37.14	3.99	1.09

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7. 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	114	0.88	3.51	20.18	47.37	28.07	3.98	0.84
b. Campus dining services	128	.	6.25	25.00	58.59	10.16	3.73	0.73
c. Counseling & Testing Center (personal counseling)	56	3.57	7.14	41.07	26.79	21.43	3.55	1.03
d. Counseling & Testing Center (career counseling)	62	6.45	4.84	50.00	22.58	16.13	3.37	1.03
e. Career Center Services	79	1.27	3.80	35.44	40.51	18.99	3.72	0.86
f. Student Billing Services	127	4.72	7.87	29.13	48.82	9.45	3.50	0.94
g. Registration	136	5.88	12.50	22.79	51.47	7.35	3.42	1.00
h. Woman's Place	39	.	10.26	53.85	17.95	17.95	3.44	0.91
i. Health Services	119	5.04	7.56	13.45	48.74	25.21	3.82	1.06
j. Fitness and athletic facilities	126	.	1.59	6.35	47.62	44.44	4.35	0.67
k. Student Financial Aid Office	98	5.10	5.10	32.65	41.84	15.31	3.57	0.98
l. UK Bookstore	136	1.47	7.35	19.12	52.94	19.12	3.81	0.88
m. University Apartments	46	4.35	10.87	36.96	28.26	19.57	3.48	1.07
n. Residence Hall (living quarters)	100	12.00	18.00	22.00	39.00	9.00	3.15	1.18
o. Residence Hall (dining services)	100	5.00	12.00	21.00	50.00	12.00	3.52	1.02

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8. 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	139	0.72	16.55	61.15	21.58	3.04	0.64
b. Quality of instruction by faculty in major	139	0.72	10.07	34.53	54.68	3.43	0.70
c. Quality of instruction by teaching assistants	138	7.97	31.16	45.65	15.22	2.68	0.83
d. Individual attention from instructors	139	2.88	26.62	56.83	13.67	2.81	0.70
e. Preparation for my first career job	138	7.25	21.01	47.10	24.64	2.89	0.86
f. Preparation for graduate or professional school	139	10.07	20.86	46.04	23.02	2.82	0.90
g. Quality of library services	139	0.72	14.39	47.48	37.41	3.22	0.71
h. Availability of computing resources	139	2.16	13.67	44.60	39.57	3.22	0.76
i. Willingness of faculty to meet with students	139	1.44	8.63	55.40	34.53	3.23	0.66
j. Quality of UK's library collection	139	0.72	10.07	43.88	45.32	3.34	0.69
k. Quality of service provided by the computer lab staff	134	2.99	16.42	58.21	22.39	3.00	0.72

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9. 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	76	.	2.63	14.47	56.58	26.32	4.07	0.72
b. The Writing Center	61	1.64	3.28	22.95	54.10	18.03	3.84	0.82

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10.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	139	14.39	23.74	8.63	33.09	20.14	3.21	1.39
b. Was accessible when I needed help	139	11.51	17.27	7.19	43.17	20.86	3.45	1.31
c. Reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice	139	12.23	15.11	12.23	37.41	23.02	3.44	1.32
d. Is someone I would recommend to other students	139	15.11	17.99	13.67	26.62	26.62	3.32	1.42

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11. 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	138	.	.	73.91	26.09	3.26	0.44
b. Men	138	.	2.17	71.74	26.09	3.24	0.48
c. African Americans	137	1.46	2.92	69.34	26.28	3.20	0.56
d. Other racial minorities	138	0.72	3.62	73.19	22.46	3.17	0.51
e. International students	138	.	2.90	76.09	21.01	3.18	0.46
f. Disabled students	138	0.72	2.17	76.81	20.29	3.17	0.48
g. Gay/Lesbian students	138	.	5.80	75.36	18.84	3.13	0.48

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12. 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	137	0.73	5.11	69.34	24.82	3.18	0.55
b. Men	137	0.73	3.65	67.15	28.47	3.23	0.55
c. African Americans	138	2.90	7.97	67.39	21.74	3.08	0.64
d. Other racial minorities	137	.	13.87	67.88	18.25	3.04	0.57
e. International students	136	1.47	14.71	66.91	16.91	2.99	0.61
f. Disabled students	138	2.17	14.49	65.94	17.39	2.99	0.64
g. Gay/lesbian students	138	1.45	15.94	66.67	15.94	2.97	0.62

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13.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	139	2.88	20.86	48.92	27.34	3.01	0.78
b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	139	3.60	27.34	46.04	23.02	2.88	0.80
c. Providing the support you need to develop an active social life	139	7.91	30.22	35.25	26.62	2.81	0.92
d. Encouraging contact among students of different backgrounds	139	18.71	29.50	36.69	15.11	2.48	0.97
e. Developing scholarly, analytical, and intellectual qualities	139	4.32	22.30	50.36	23.02	2.92	0.79
f. Developing aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities	139	11.51	30.22	43.88	14.39	2.61	0.87
g. Developing an understanding and appreciation of human diversity	139	6.47	30.94	43.17	19.42	2.76	0.84
h. Developing information literacy skills	136	2.94	24.26	55.15	17.65	2.88	0.72
i. Providing job-related skills and knowledge	138	9.42	30.43	42.75	17.39	2.68	0.87
j. Offering courses that are practical	138	8.70	34.06	41.30	15.94	2.64	0.85

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14.To what extent has your college education fulfilled your expectations?				
Q14	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Far below	1	0.72	1	0.72
Moderately below	14	10.07	15	10.79
Met expectations	47	33.81	62	44.60
Moderately above	53	38.13	115	82.73
Far above	24	17.27	139	100.00

Frequency Missing = 11

15.How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with your experiences at UK?				
Q15	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Very dissatisfied	1	0.72	1	0.72
Dissatisfied	6	4.32	7	5.04
Neutral	15	10.79	22	15.83
Satisfied	62	44.60	84	60.43
Very satisfied	55	39.57	139	100.00

Frequency Missing = 11

16.If you could start college again, would you enroll at UK?				
Q16	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	1	0.72	1	0.72
Probably not	24	17.27	25	17.99
Probably yes	46	33.09	71	51.08
Definitely yes	68	48.92	139	100.00

Frequency Missing = 11

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17.What is MOST LIKELY to be your PRINCIPAL activity upon graduation?				
Q17	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Employment, full-time paid	79	56.83	79	56.83
Employment, part-time paid	8	5.76	87	62.59
Graduate or professional school, full-time	33	23.74	120	86.33
Graduate or professional school, part-time	7	5.04	127	91.37
Additional undergraduate course work	3	2.16	130	93.53
Military service	3	2.16	133	95.68
Other	6	4.32	139	100.00

Frequency Missing = 11

18.If you are continuing your education, what is the highest degree you plan to earn?				
Q18	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No plans for graduate degree	9	6.52	9	6.52
Master's or Educational specialist degree	103	74.64	112	81.16
Law degree	1	0.72	113	81.88
Medicine degree	3	2.17	116	84.06
Other professional degree	2	1.45	118	85.51
Ph.D or Ed.D	6	4.35	124	89.86
Other doctoral degree	14	10.14	138	100.00

Frequency Missing = 12

sex	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Male	37	25.52	37	25.52
Female	108	74.48	145	100.00

Frequency Missing = 5

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What is your ethnic group?				
race	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Black, Non-Hispanic Only	7	4.83	7	4.83
Asian, Non-Hispanic Only	1	0.69	8	5.52
Hispanic or Latino, regardless of race	2	1.38	10	6.90
White, Non-Hispanic Only	132	91.03	142	97.93
Race and Ethnicity Unknown	2	1.38	144	99.31
Two or More Races	1	0.69	145	100.00

Frequency Missing = 5

College you are graduating from?				
College	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
EDUCATION	150	100.00	150	100.00