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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	122	71.31	20.49	5.74	.	2.46
b. Study abroad	120	89.17	10.83	.	.	.
c. Community service or volunteer work	121	40.50	14.05	10.74	6.61	28.10
d. Work with a faculty member on a research project outside of course or program	122	79.51	7.38	5.74	2.46	4.92
e. Practicum, internship, field or co-op experience, or clinical assignment	122	28.69	24.59	13.93	8.20	24.59
f. Service learning course or course option	117	84.62	11.97	2.56	.	0.85
g. Participate in a learning community or formal program where groups of students take classes together	119	70.59	8.40	2.52	1.68	16.81

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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	123	99.19	0.81
b. Capstone course or thesis	121	56.20	43.80

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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
		Much weaker	Weaker	No change	Stronger	Much stronger		
Question								
a. Making effective oral presentations	124	.	.	16.94	59.68	23.39	4.06	0.63
b. Writing effectively	124	.	0.81	16.94	51.61	30.65	4.12	0.71
c. Understanding the world from a variety of viewpoints	122	.	.	15.57	59.02	25.41	4.10	0.64
d. Using statistical or mathematical reasoning to solve problems	124	.	1.61	33.87	51.61	12.90	3.76	0.69
e. Appreciating the arts	123	0.81	.	47.97	35.77	15.45	3.65	0.77
f. Valuing cultural diversity	124	.	.	25.00	50.81	24.19	3.99	0.70
g. Understanding methods and applying principles of reasoning in the natural sciences	124	.	.	25.81	50.81	23.39	3.98	0.70
h. Understanding yourself	124	.	.	10.48	54.84	34.68	4.24	0.63
i. Using computers and information technology	123	.	.	27.64	47.97	24.39	3.97	0.72
j. Developing a meaningful philosophy of life	124	.	.	27.42	51.61	20.97	3.94	0.70
k. Thinking critically and analytically	122	.	.	7.38	54.92	37.70	4.30	0.60
l. Working cooperatively in a group	124	.	0.81	20.16	57.26	21.77	4.00	0.67
m. Using foreign languages	123	2.44	5.69	52.03	22.76	17.07	3.46	0.93
n. Developing insight into why you behave the way you do	123	.	.	17.89	58.54	23.58	4.06	0.64

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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	3
b. Family obligations limited my enrollment	6
c. Tuition and other costs of attendance limited my enrollment	4
d. A decision to change majors added to my requirements	29
e. Required course was not offered when needed	11
f. I lost credits in my major upon transferring	7

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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	116	0.86	25.00	16.38	51.72	6.03	3.37	0.96
b. I understand why USP courses are required	114	2.63	14.04	15.79	62.28	5.26	3.54	0.89
c. I understand how the various USP requirements fit together	115	1.74	15.65	21.74	56.52	4.35	3.46	0.87
d. Most of my USP instructors described the goals of the courses	114	2.63	33.33	25.44	35.09	3.51	3.04	0.97
e. The quality of instruction in my USP courses was as good as my major courses	115	3.48	35.65	16.52	40.87	3.48	3.05	1.02
f. I understand the value of USP courses better now than at the time I took them	115	2.61	26.09	26.09	43.48	1.74	3.16	0.92
g. The broad range of choices among courses to meet USP requirements was important to me	115	0.87	8.70	18.26	60.87	11.30	3.73	0.81
h. I found USP requirements difficult to understand	115	5.22	56.52	19.13	17.39	1.74	2.54	0.90

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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	122	0.82	5.74	1.64	58.20	33.61	4.18	0.79
b. Grading practices were appropriate and fair	122	0.82	7.38	1.64	65.57	24.59	4.06	0.80
c. Faculty prepared carefully for their classes	121	1.65	.	7.44	61.16	29.75	4.17	0.70
d. Faculty gave helpful feedback on my academic progress	122	0.82	4.10	4.92	64.75	25.41	4.10	0.73
e. Faculty were accessible outside of the classroom	122	1.64	.	1.64	59.84	36.89	4.30	0.67
f. Faculty were knowledgeable in their subject matter	122	1.64	.	0.82	51.64	45.90	4.40	0.68
g. Faculty treated students with respect	122	2.46	.	0.82	59.84	36.89	4.29	0.72
h. The department was characterized by mutual respect between students and professors	120	2.50	0.83	5.00	55.00	36.67	4.23	0.79
i. The department helped me find appropriate employment or pursue further study	121	2.48	12.40	13.22	49.59	22.31	3.77	1.01
j. I would recommend my major program to other students	121	3.31	1.65	4.96	46.28	43.80	4.26	0.89

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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	89	.	1.12	34.83	57.30	6.74	3.70	0.61
b. Campus dining services	98	4.08	9.18	25.51	55.10	6.12	3.50	0.90
c. Counseling & Testing Center (personal counseling)	49	.	6.12	42.86	42.86	8.16	3.53	0.74
d. Counseling & Testing Center (career counseling)	51	.	5.88	47.06	41.18	5.88	3.47	0.70
e. Career Center Services	60	.	6.67	50.00	40.00	3.33	3.40	0.67
f. Student Billing Services	110	1.82	8.18	40.91	44.55	4.55	3.42	0.78
g. Registration	117	0.85	12.82	30.77	48.72	6.84	3.48	0.84
h. Woman's Place	42	.	.	52.38	42.86	4.76	3.52	0.59
i. Health Services	107	2.80	6.54	16.82	52.34	21.50	3.83	0.94
j. Fitness and athletic facilities	100	1.00	.	7.00	51.00	41.00	4.31	0.69
k. Student Financial Aid Office	82	3.66	6.10	32.93	48.78	8.54	3.52	0.88
l. UK Bookstore	114	2.63	7.02	25.44	52.63	12.28	3.65	0.88
m. University Apartments	43	6.98	2.33	48.84	37.21	4.65	3.30	0.89
n. Residence Hall (living quarters)	82	3.66	18.29	29.27	43.90	4.88	3.28	0.95
o. Residence Hall (dining services)	80	6.25	17.50	26.25	45.00	5.00	3.25	1.01

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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	122	0.82	11.48	65.57	22.13	3.09	0.60
b. Quality of instruction by faculty in major	122	2.46	0.82	34.43	62.30	3.57	0.64
c. Quality of instruction by teaching assistants	117	1.71	31.62	49.57	17.09	2.82	0.73
d. Individual attention from instructors	122	1.64	24.59	48.36	25.41	2.98	0.75
e. Preparation for my first career job	121	3.31	17.36	41.32	38.02	3.14	0.82
f. Preparation for graduate or professional school	122	1.64	14.75	54.10	29.51	3.11	0.71
g. Quality of library services	121	.	9.92	48.76	41.32	3.31	0.65
h. Availability of computing resources	122	0.82	9.02	52.46	37.70	3.27	0.66
i. Willingness of faculty to meet with students	122	.	4.92	48.36	46.72	3.42	0.59
j. Quality of UK's library collection	122	0.82	3.28	49.18	46.72	3.42	0.60
k. Quality of service provided by the computer lab staff	121	1.65	7.44	66.12	24.79	3.14	0.61

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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	43	.	.	34.88	53.49	11.63	3.77	0.65
b. The Writing Center	53	1.89	13.21	20.75	54.72	9.43	3.57	0.91

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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	121	8.26	16.53	1.65	46.28	27.27	3.68	1.27
b. Was accessible when I needed help	121	5.79	9.09	5.79	46.28	33.06	3.92	1.13
c. Reviewed my academic record prior to giving advice	120	8.33	8.33	7.50	42.50	33.33	3.84	1.22
d. Is someone I would recommend to other students	120	10.00	9.17	7.50	38.33	35.00	3.79	1.29

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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	118	.	0.85	72.88	26.27	3.25	0.46
b. Men	119	.	0.84	70.59	28.57	3.28	0.47
c. African Americans	118	0.85	2.54	70.34	26.27	3.22	0.53
d. Other racial minorities	116	.	3.45	73.28	23.28	3.20	0.48
e. International students	117	.	3.42	75.21	21.37	3.18	0.47
f. Disabled students	116	0.86	2.59	73.28	23.28	3.19	0.51
g. Gay/Lesbian students	114	.	4.39	73.68	21.93	3.18	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	118	.	2.54	71.19	26.27	3.24	0.48
b. Men	118	0.85	0.85	69.49	28.81	3.26	0.51
c. African Americans	116	1.72	3.45	74.14	20.69	3.14	0.54
d. Other racial minorities	115	1.74	5.22	74.78	18.26	3.10	0.55
e. International students	116	0.86	8.62	71.55	18.97	3.09	0.55
f. Disabled students	114	1.75	4.39	78.07	15.79	3.08	0.52
g. Gay/lesbian students	112	1.79	6.25	75.89	16.07	3.06	0.54

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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	118	1.69	16.95	42.37	38.98	3.19	0.77
b. Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	118	0.85	14.41	55.08	29.66	3.14	0.68
c. Providing the support you need to develop an active social life	117	4.27	25.64	42.74	27.35	2.93	0.84
d. Encouraging contact among students of different backgrounds	118	8.47	30.51	42.37	18.64	2.71	0.87
e. Developing scholarly, analytical, and intellectual qualities	119	.	21.01	49.58	29.41	3.08	0.71
f. Developing aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities	118	4.24	29.66	44.92	21.19	2.83	0.81
g. Developing an understanding and appreciation of human diversity	118	1.69	25.42	46.61	26.27	2.97	0.77
h. Developing information literacy skills	119	3.36	20.17	48.74	27.73	3.01	0.79
i. Providing job-related skills and knowledge	119	1.68	19.33	55.46	23.53	3.01	0.71
j. Offering courses that are practical	119	3.36	25.21	43.70	27.73	2.96	0.82

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The FREQ Procedure

14.To what extent has your college education fulfilled your expectations?				
q14	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Far below	2	1.65	2	1.65
Moderately below	4	3.31	6	4.96
Met expectations	30	24.79	36	29.75
Moderately above	63	52.07	99	81.82
Far above	22	18.18	121	100.00

Frequency Missing = 3

15.How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with your experiences at UK?				
q15	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Very dissatisfied	4	3.33	4	3.33
Dissatisfied	3	2.50	7	5.83
Neutral	9	7.50	16	13.33
Satisfied	50	41.67	66	55.00
Very satisfied	54	45.00	120	100.00

Frequency Missing = 4

16.If you could start college again, would you enroll at UK?				
q16	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	3	2.48	3	2.48
Probably not	10	8.26	13	10.74
Probably yes	54	44.63	67	55.37
Definitely yes	54	44.63	121	100.00

Frequency Missing = 3

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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	86	70.49	86	70.49
Employment, part-time paid	3	2.46	89	72.95
Graduate or professional school, full-time	18	14.75	107	87.70
Graduate or professional school, part-time	4	3.28	111	90.98
Additional undergraduate course work	2	1.64	113	92.62
Military service	2	1.64	115	94.26
Volunteer activity (e.g., Peace Corps)	1	0.82	116	95.08
Starting or raising a family	1	0.82	117	95.90
Other	5	4.10	122	100.00

Frequency Missing = 2

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	21	18.42	21	18.42
Master's or Educational specialist degree	45	39.47	66	57.89
Medicine degree	5	4.39	71	62.28
Dentistry degree	1	0.88	72	63.16
Pharmacy degree	3	2.63	75	65.79
Other professional degree	5	4.39	80	70.18
Ph.D or Ed.D	6	5.26	86	75.44
Other doctoral degree	28	24.56	114	100.00

Frequency Missing = 10

What is your gender?				
GENDER	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Male	11	8.87	11	8.87
Female	113	91.13	124	100.00

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race1	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Nonresident Alien	1	0.81	1	0.81
African American	4	3.23	5	4.03
Asian	1	0.81	6	4.84
Hispanic	4	3.23	10	8.06
White	113	91.13	123	99.19
Missing	1	0.81	124	100.00