# University of Northern Iowa Graduating Senior Survey

2018-2019 Academic Year

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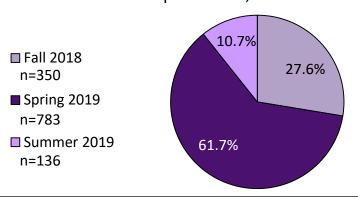


#### Methodology

The Graduating Senior Survey (GSS), an online survey powered by Qualtrics, was emailed to a total of 5,233 students who were expected to graduate. 1,999 undergraduate students were sent the survey via e-mail in Fall 2018, and 3,234 were sent the survey in Spring 2019. A total of 1,641 students completed the online survey (Overall response rate: 31.4%).

Out of the 1,641 respondents, 97 responses were removed because of duplication; some respondents took the survey in both fall and spring. This report uses the student's first survey response. 1,269 respondents from this survey graduated within the 2018-2019 academic year. Data from the 275 respondents who did not graduate within the 2018-2019 academic year are not included in this report.

## Graduation Term of Respondents Total sample size = 1,269

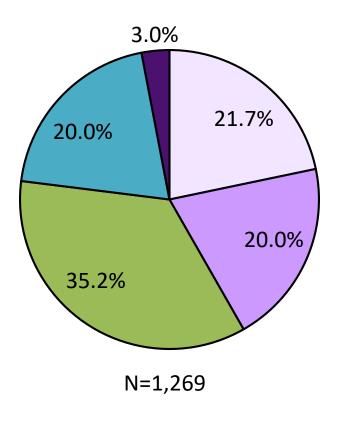


#### Survey Highlights

- 94.6% of students responded that after graduation they would most likely be employed full-time or part-time, or continuing their education.
- On average, students rated the educational experiences and skills they received at UNI as good or excellent. Students felt that UNI most prepared them to conduct themselves in a professional manner, learn new things, and work independently.
- 89.8% of students indicated they would recommend UNI to a prospective student; 88.5% indicated they would recommend their major to a prospective student.
- 91.5% of students reported that at least one faculty member showed an active interest in their educational and career goals.



## Percentage of Respondents by College



- ☐ College of Business Administration (CBA); n=276
- College of Education (COE); n=254
- College of Humanities Arts and Sciences (CHAS); n=447
- College of Social and Behavioral Sciences (CSBS); n=254
- UNI Interdisciplinary (INTDS); n=38



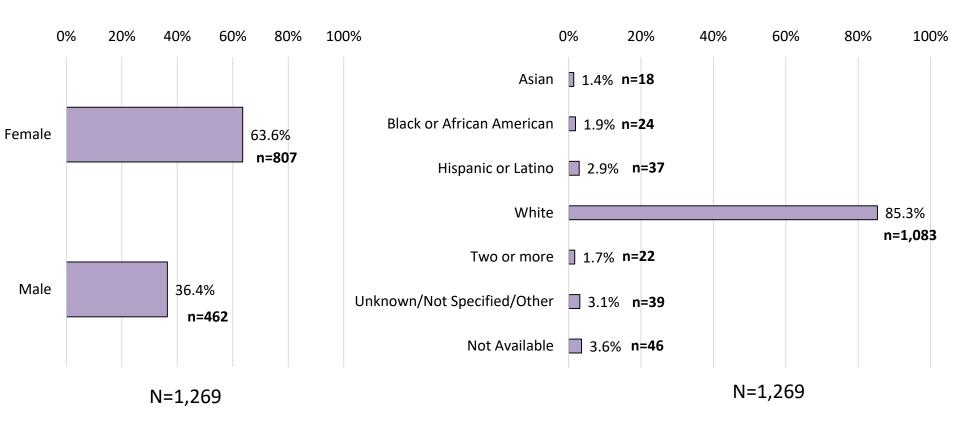
## RESPONDENT DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION



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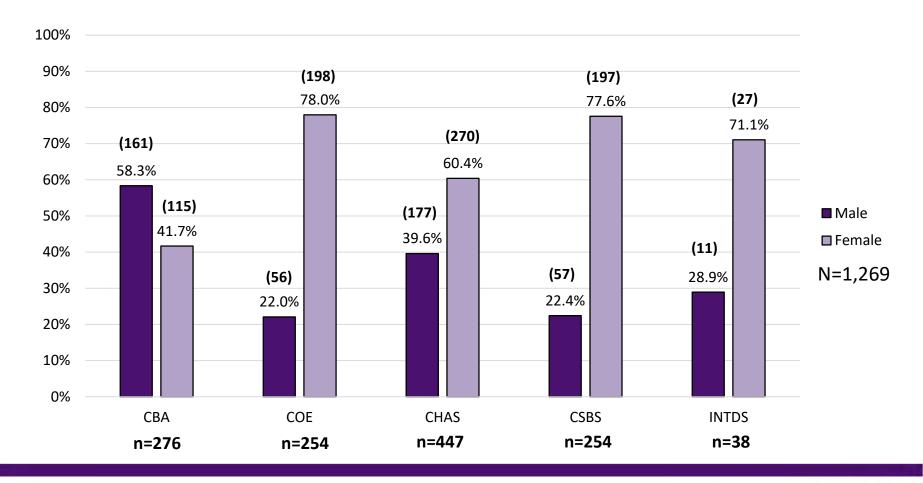


## Gender and Race/Ethnicity of Respondents



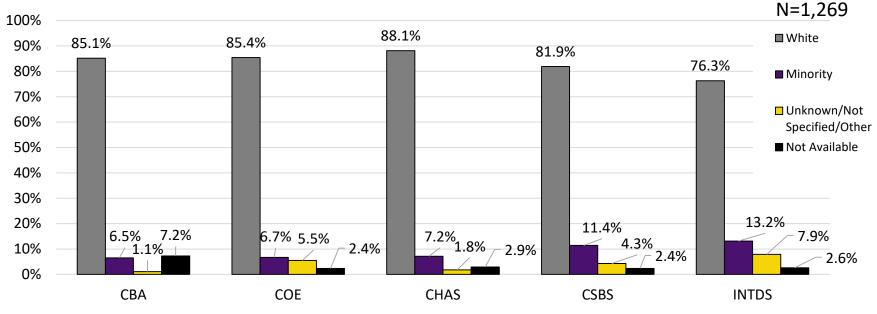


## Gender by College





## Overall Race/Ethnicity by College



College (N)	White % (n)	Minority % (n)	Unknown/Not Specified % (n)	Not Available % (n)
CBA (276)	85.1% (235)	6.5% (18)	1.1% (3)	7.2% (20)
COE (254)	85.4% (217)	6.7% (17)	5.5% (14)	2.4% (6)
CHAS (447)	88.1% (394)	7.2% (32)	1.8% (8)	2.9% (13)
CSBS (254)	81.9% (208)	11.4% (29)	4.3% (11)	2.4% (6)
INTDS (38)	76.3% (29)	13.2% (5)	7.9% (3)	2.6% (1)



## **POST-GRADUATION PLANS**

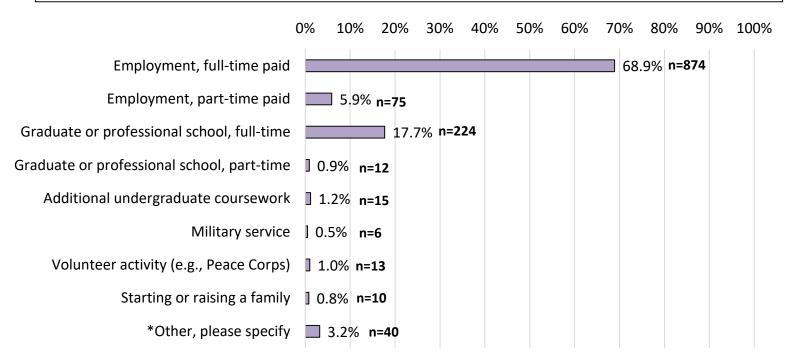


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## Principal Activity After Graduation

All 1,269 students responded to the following question: "What is MOST LIKELY to be your PRINCIPAL activity upon graduation from UNI?"

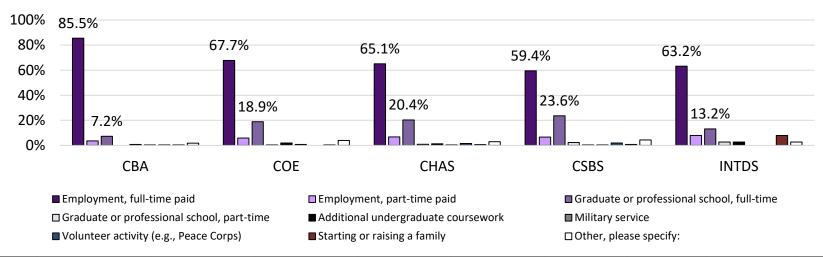


\*Example answers: internship, gap year, self-employment



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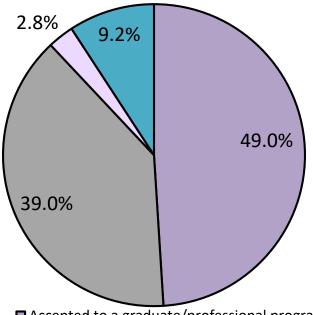


College (N)	Employment, FT paid % (n)	Employment, PT paid % (n)	Graduate school FT % (n)	Graduate school PT % (n)	Additional undergrad % (n)	Military service % (n)	Volunteer activity % (n)	Start/raise family % (n)	Other % (n)
CBA (276)	85.5% (236)	3.6% (10)	7.2% (20)	0.0% (0)	0.7% (2)	0.4% (1)	0.4% (1)	0.4% (1)	1.8% (5)
COE (254)	67.7% (172)	5.9% (15)	18.9% (48)	0.4% (1)	2.0% (5)	0.8% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.4% (1)	3.9% (10)
CHAS (447)	65.1% (291)	6.7% (30)	20.4% (91)	0.9% (4)	1.3% (6)	0.4% (2)	1.6% (7)	0.7% (3)	2.9% (13)
CSBS (254)	59.4% (151)	6.7% (17)	23.6% (60)	2.4% (6)	0.4% (1)	0.4% (1)	2.0% (5)	0.8% (2)	4.3% (11)
INTDS (38)	63.2% (24)	7.9% (3)	13.2% (5)	2.6% (1)	2.6% (1)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	7.9% (3)	2.6% (1)



## **Continuing Education Plans**

251 out of 1,269 (19.8%) were asked the following question: "What are your continuing education plans?"



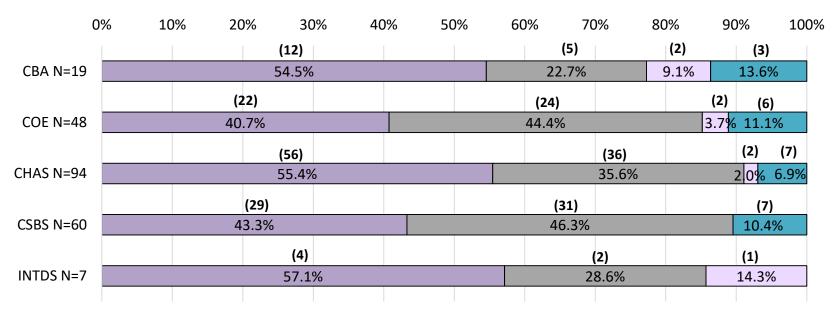
- Accepted to a graduate/professional program
- Currently applying to programs, not yet accepted
- Accepted to another undergraduate program
- No response

- 123 students (49.0%) responded that they were accepted to a graduate or professional program; 53 of these students said they will attend UNI.
- 98 students (39.0%) responded that they were currently applying to programs, but had not yet been accepted.
- 7 students (2.8%) responded that they were accepted to another undergraduate program.



## Continuing Education Plans by College

251 out of 1,269 (19.8%) were asked the following question: "What are your continuing education plans?"



- Accepted to a graduate/professional program
- Currently applying to programs, not yet accepted
- ☐ Accepted to another undergraduate program



## **EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES & SKILLS**



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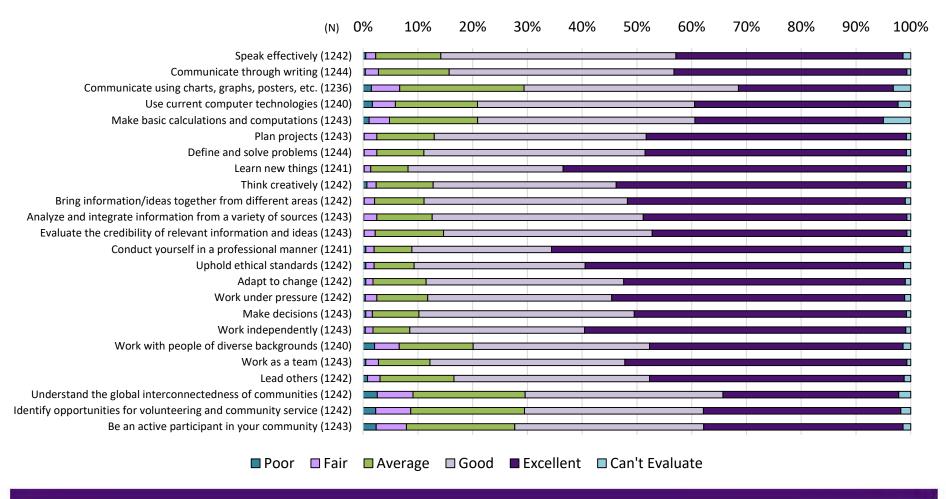
## Table 1: Educational Experiences & Skills Overall

"Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has								
prepared you to"	N	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent	Can't Evaluate	Mean Score*
Speak effectively	1242	0.5%	1.8%	11.9%	42.9%	41.5%	1.4%	4.25
Communicate through writing	1244	0.4%	2.4%	12.9%	41.0%	42.5%	0.7%	4.24
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	1236	1.5%	5.2%	22.7%	39.2%	28.3%	3.2%	3.91
Use current computer technologies	1240	1.7%	4.2%	15.0%	39.7%	37.2%	2.3%	4.09
Make basic calculations and computations	1243	1.1%	3.7%	16.1%	39.7%	34.4%	5.0%	4.08
Plan projects	1243	0.2%	2.3%	10.5%	38.7%	47.5%	0.8%	4.32
Define and solve problems	1244	0.2%	2.3%	8.6%	40.4%	47.7%	0.8%	4.34
Learn new things	1241	0.2%	1.2%	6.8%	28.3%	62.7%	0.8%	4.53
Think creatively	1242	0.7%	1.7%	10.4%	33.4%	53.0%	0.8%	4.37
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	1242	0.2%	1.9%	9.0%	37.1%	50.7%	1.0%	4.37
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	1243	0.1%	2.4%	10.1%	38.5%	48.1%	0.7%	4.33
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	1243	0.2%	2.0%	12.5%	38.1%	46.5%	0.7%	4.30
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	1241	0.5%	1.5%	6.9%	25.5%	64.2%	1.4%	4.54
Uphold ethical standards	1242	0.5%	1.5%	7.3%	31.2%	58.1%	1.3%	4.47
Adapt to change	1242	0.5%	1.3%	9.7%	36.1%	51.4%	1.0%	4.38
Work under pressure	1242	0.4%	2.1%	9.3%	33.6%	53.5%	1.1%	4.39
Make decisions	1243	0.5%	1.2%	8.5%	39.3%	49.7%	0.8%	4.38
Work independently	1243	0.4%	1.4%	6.7%	31.9%	58.6%	0.9%	4.48
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	1240	2.1%	4.5%	13.5%	32.2%	46.3%	1.4%	4.18
Work as a team	1243	0.5%	2.3%	9.4%	35.6%	51.5%	0.7%	4.36
Lead others	1242	0.8%	2.3%	13.5%	35.7%	46.5%	1.2%	4.26
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	1242	2.6%	6.5%	20.5%	36.1%	32.1%	2.2%	3.91
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	1242	2.3%	6.4%	20.8%	32.7%	36.1%	1.8%	3.96
Be an active participant in your community	1243	2.4%	5.5%	19.8%	34.5%	36.4%	1.4%	3.98

\*Based on the following scale: Poor=1; Fair=2; Average=3; Good=4; Excellent=5. "Can't Evaluate" is not included in the Mean Score.



## Chart 1: Educational Experiences & Skills Overall





## Table 2: College of Business Administration

"Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has							Can't	Mean
prepared you to"	N	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent	Evaluate	Score*
Speak effectively	272	0.7%	1.1%	15.1%	45.6%	36.8%	0.7%	4.17
Communicate through writing	272	0.4%	2.6%	16.2%	50.0%	30.5%	0.4%	4.08
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	270	1.5%	4.4%	18.9%	44.1%	30.0%	1.1%	3.98
Use current computer technologies	272	0.0%	2.9%	13.2%	44.9%	38.6%	0.4%	4.20
Make basic calculations and computations	272	0.0%	1.8%	8.5%	42.6%	46.7%	0.4%	4.35
Plan projects	272	0.0%	2.6%	10.3%	39.7%	46.3%	1.1%	4.31
Define and solve problems	272	0.0%	1.8%	8.5%	44.5%	44.9%	0.4%	4.33
Learn new things	271	0.0%	1.1%	9.6%	35.4%	53.5%	0.4%	4.42
Think creatively	271	0.0%	3.7%	15.9%	39.1%	41.0%	0.4%	4.18
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	271	0.0%	1.8%	13.7%	43.9%	40.2%	0.4%	4.23
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	272	0.0%	2.2%	11.8%	45.6%	40.1%	0.4%	4.24
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	272	0.4%	1.8%	14.7%	42.6%	40.1%	0.4%	4.21
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	271	0.0%	0.7%	5.5%	24.0%	68.3%	1.5%	4.62
Uphold ethical standards	271	0.4%	1.5%	9.2%	31.4%	55.7%	1.8%	4.43
Adapt to change	272	0.0%	1.5%	11.8%	39.3%	46.0%	1.5%	4.32
Work under pressure	271	0.4%	1.8%	11.1%	35.8%	49.1%	1.8%	4.34
Make decisions	272	0.0%	1.5%	8.1%	46.0%	43.8%	0.7%	4.33
Work independently	272	0.4%	2.6%	8.5%	37.9%	50.4%	0.4%	4.36
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	272	2.6%	6.6%	18.0%	33.8%	37.9%	1.1%	3.99
Work as a team	272	0.7%	4.4%	8.1%	32.7%	52.9%	1.1%	4.34
Lead others	272	0.4%	2.6%	18.4%	36.8%	40.4%	1.5%	4.16
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	272	3.3%	7.7%	21.7%	41.5%	24.6%	1.1%	3.77
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	272	2.2%	9.9%	26.1%	31.3%	28.3%	2.2%	3.75
Be an active participant in your community	272	2.6%	8.5%	24.6%	34.9%	27.6%	1.8%	3.78

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## Table 3: College of Education

"Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has prepared you to"							Can't	Mean
	N 249	<b>Poor</b> 0.4%	Fair 1.2%	Average 9.6%	<b>Good</b> 41.4%	Excellent 46.6%	Evaluate 0.8%	Score*
Speak effectively	249	0.4%		13.3%	44.2%		0.8%	4.34
Communicate through writing			2.0%			39.4%		
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	248	1.2%	5.6%	20.2%	39.5%	32.3%	1.2%	3.97
Use current computer technologies	249	1.6%	4.8%	14.9%	40.6%	36.9%	1.2%	4.08
Make basic calculations and computations	249	1.2%	4.0%	15.3%	42.6%	33.3%	3.6%	4.07
Plan projects	249	0.4%	2.4%	6.8%	31.7%	58.2%	0.4%	4.46
Define and solve problems	249	0.0%	1.6%	9.6%	37.3%	51.0%	0.4%	4.38
Learn new things	249	0.4%	0.0%	6.0%	28.5%	65.1%	0.0%	4.58
Think creatively	249	1.2%	0.4%	6.8%	32.1%	58.6%	0.8%	4.48
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	249	0.4%	1.2%	6.8%	35.7%	55.0%	0.8%	4.45
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	249	0.0%	2.0%	10.0%	36.5%	51.0%	0.4%	4.37
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	249	0.0%	2.4%	12.0%	39.8%	45.4%	0.4%	4.29
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	249	1.2%	0.4%	4.0%	22.5%	71.1%	0.8%	4.63
Uphold ethical standards	249	0.8%	0.0%	7.2%	26.5%	65.1%	0.4%	4.56
Adapt to change	249	0.4%	1.2%	7.2%	31.3%	59.0%	0.8%	4.49
Work under pressure	249	0.0%	0.8%	8.0%	34.9%	55.4%	0.8%	4.46
Make decisions	249	0.8%	0.0%	8.4%	30.5%	59.0%	1.2%	4.49
Work independently	249	0.8%	0.4%	4.0%	28.1%	65.5%	1.2%	4.59
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	247	2.8%	2.4%	12.1%	28.3%	52.6%	1.6%	4.28
Work as a team	249	0.4%	1.2%	6.4%	29.7%	61.4%	0.8%	4.52
Lead others	249	1.2%	1.6%	9.2%	30.5%	57.0%	0.4%	4.41
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	249	2.4%	5.6%	21.3%	35.3%	33.3%	2.0%	3.93
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	249	1.6%	3.2%	13.7%	34.5%	45.8%	1.2%	4.21
Be an active participant in your community	249	1.2%	3.2%	13.3%	35.7%	46.2%	0.4%	4.23

\*Based on the following scale: Poor=1; Fair=2; Average=3; Good=4; Excellent=5.

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## Table 4: College of Humanities, Arts and Sciences

"Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has prepared you to"	N	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent	Can't Evaluate	Mean Score*
Speak effectively	434	0.5%	2.5%	9.9%	41.2%	43.5%	2.3%	4.28
Communicate through writing	436	0.7%	3.0%	12.4%	36.0%	46.8%	1.1%	4.27
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	432	1.6%	6.0%	25.5%	31.9%	29.9%	5.1%	3.87
Use current computer technologies	435	2.5%	4.4%	13.8%	37.7%	37.9%	3.7%	4.08
Make basic calculations and computations	436	1.4%	4.8%	17.9%	37.2%	31.4%	7.3%	4.00
Plan projects	436	0.2%	1.8%	10.8%	40.1%	46.1%	0.9%	4.31
Define and solve problems	436	0.2%	3.0%	6.7%	41.1%	47.7%	1.4%	4.35
Learn new things	434	0.2%	1.8%	5.8%	26.3%	64.3%	1.6%	4.55
Think creatively	435	0.7%	1.6%	9.7%	30.3%	56.1%	1.6%	4.42
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	435	0.2%	2.1%	7.4%	35.6%	52.6%	2.1%	4.41
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	435	0.2%	2.8%	9.9%	37.2%	48.5%	1.4%	4.33
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	435	0.2%	2.5%	12.4%	37.0%	46.4%	1.4%	4.29
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	434	0.5%	2.3%	9.2%	25.3%	60.6%	2.1%	4.46
Uphold ethical standards	435	0.2%	2.8%	6.0%	34.9%	54.5%	1.6%	4.43
Adapt to change	435	0.9%	1.6%	8.3%	36.6%	51.5%	1.1%	4.38
Work under pressure	435	0.7%	3.0%	9.0%	30.3%	55.6%	1.4%	4.39
Make decisions	435	0.5%	1.6%	8.0%	39.5%	49.2%	1.1%	4.37
Work independently	435	0.2%	1.4%	6.7%	29.9%	60.5%	1.4%	4.51
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	434	1.4%	4.4%	14.1%	33.2%	45.9%	1.2%	4.19
Work as a team	435	0.2%	2.3%	11.0%	37.9%	47.6%	0.9%	4.32
Lead others	434	1.4%	2.8%	12.4%	37.1%	45.2%	1.2%	4.23
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	435	3.2%	6.7%	21.1%	32.9%	33.3%	2.8%	3.89
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	434	3.5%	6.5%	23.0%	31.8%	32.9%	2.3%	3.86
Be an active participant in your community	435	3.2%	5.1%	23.0%	34.0%	33.1%	1.6%	3.90

\*Based on the following scale: Poor=1; Fair=2; Average=3; Good=4; Excellent=5. "Can't Evaluate" is not included in the Mean Score.



## Table 5: College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

"Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has								
prepared you to"	N	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent	Can't Evaluate	Mean Score*
Speak effectively	249	0.4%	1.6%	14.9%	44.6%	37.3%	1.2%	4.18
Communicate through writing	249	0.0%	1.2%	10.8%	39.0%	48.6%	0.4%	4.35
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	248	1.6%	4.8%	23.8%	46.4%	19.8%	3.6%	3.81
Use current computer technologies	247	2.0%	4.9%	19.0%	36.4%	34.4%	3.2%	4.00
Make basic calculations and computations	248	2.0%	3.6%	20.2%	40.3%	26.6%	7.3%	3.93
Plan projects	248	0.0%	2.8%	13.3%	44.0%	39.5%	0.4%	4.21
Define and solve problems	249	0.0%	2.4%	10.8%	39.0%	47.0%	0.8%	4.32
Learn new things	249	0.0%	1.2%	6.8%	23.7%	67.5%	0.8%	4.59
Think creatively	249	1.2%	1.2%	9.2%	33.3%	55.0%	0.0%	4.40
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	249	0.4%	2.0%	9.6%	33.7%	54.2%	0.0%	4.39
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	249	0.0%	2.4%	9.6%	35.7%	51.8%	0.4%	4.37
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	249	0.0%	1.2%	10.4%	35.3%	52.6%	0.4%	4.40
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	249	0.0%	2.0%	7.2%	29.7%	60.2%	0.8%	4.49
Uphold ethical standards	249	0.4%	0.8%	7.6%	29.3%	60.6%	1.2%	4.51
Adapt to change	248	0.4%	0.4%	10.9%	37.5%	50.0%	0.8%	4.37
Work under pressure	249	0.4%	2.4%	8.0%	36.1%	53.0%	0.0%	4.39
Make decisions	249	0.8%	0.8%	9.2%	41.4%	47.8%	0.0%	4.35
Work independently	249	0.4%	0.8%	6.8%	35.3%	56.6%	0.0%	4.47
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	249	2.0%	4.8%	10.0%	32.9%	48.6%	1.6%	4.23
Work as a team	249	0.8%	0.8%	11.2%	41.0%	46.2%	0.0%	4.31
Lead others	249	0.0%	1.6%	13.3%	38.6%	45.0%	1.6%	4.29
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	249	0.8%	5.6%	17.3%	37.3%	36.1%	2.8%	4.05
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	249	1.2%	6.4%	17.3%	32.9%	41.0%	1.2%	4.07
Be an active participant in your community	249	2.4%	5.2%	14.9%	34.1%	41.8%	1.6%	4.09

\*Based on the following scale: Poor=1; Fair=2; Average=3; Good=4; Excellent=5.

"Can't Evaluate" is not included in the Mean Score.



## Table 6: Interdisciplinary

"Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has								
prepared you to"	N	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent	Can't Evaluate	Mean Score*
Speak effectively	38	0.0%	2.6%	7.9%	42.1%	44.7%	2.6%	4.32
Communicate through writing	38	0.0%	5.3%	7.9%	26.3%	60.5%	0.0%	4.42
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	38	0.0%	0.0%	28.9%	36.8%	28.9%	5.3%	4.00
Use current computer technologies	37	2.7%	2.7%	16.2%	40.5%	37.8%	0.0%	4.08
Make basic calculations and computations	38	0.0%	2.6%	28.9%	26.3%	36.8%	5.3%	4.03
Plan projects	38	0.0%	2.6%	15.8%	26.3%	52.6%	2.6%	4.32
Define and solve problems	38	2.6%	0.0%	10.5%	34.2%	52.6%	0.0%	4.34
Learn new things	38	0.0%	2.6%	5.3%	28.9%	63.2%	0.0%	4.53
Think creatively	38	0.0%	0.0%	10.5%	36.8%	52.6%	0.0%	4.42
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	38	0.0%	5.3%	5.3%	36.8%	52.6%	0.0%	4.37
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	38	0.0%	2.6%	5.3%	34.2%	57.9%	0.0%	4.47
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	38	0.0%	0.0%	13.2%	26.3%	60.5%	0.0%	4.47
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	38	2.6%	0.0%	7.9%	31.6%	57.9%	0.0%	4.42
Uphold ethical standards	38	2.6%	2.6%	7.9%	31.6%	55.3%	0.0%	4.34
Adapt to change	38	0.0%	2.6%	18.4%	28.9%	50.0%	0.0%	4.26
Work under pressure	38	0.0%	0.0%	18.4%	28.9%	50.0%	2.6%	4.32
Make decisions	38	0.0%	5.3%	13.2%	31.6%	50.0%	0.0%	4.26
Work independently	38	0.0%	5.3%	10.5%	15.8%	65.8%	2.6%	4.46
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	38	2.6%	2.6%	7.9%	28.9%	55.3%	2.6%	4.35
Work as a team	38	0.0%	5.3%	7.9%	31.6%	55.3%	0.0%	4.37
Lead others	38	0.0%	2.6%	21.1%	28.9%	44.7%	2.6%	4.19
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	37	2.7%	8.1%	21.6%	29.7%	37.8%	0.0%	3.92
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	38	0.0%	2.6%	26.3%	39.5%	31.6%	0.0%	4.00
Be an active participant in your community	38	0.0%	5.3%	23.7%	31.6%	39.5%	0.0%	4.05

\*Based on the following scale: Poor=1; Fair=2; Average=3; Good=4; Excellent=5. "Can't Evaluate" is not included in the Mean Score.



## **ACADEMIC & SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT**



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## Table 7: Academic & Social Environment Overall

"Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following		Strongly		Neither Agree		Strongly		Mean
statements."	N	Disagree	Disagree	Nor Disagree	Agree	Agree	Not Sure	Score*
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	1222	0.7%	4.7%	12.7%	62.2%	18.9%	0.7%	3.94
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	1223	1.2%	6.3%	12.4%	59.2%	20.3%	0.6%	3.92
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	1222	0.4%	6.4%	14.9%	56.6%	20.9%	0.8%	3.92
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	1220	0.5%	1.9%	8.1%	55.0%	33.5%	1.0%	4.20
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.	1221	1.3%	4.6%	16.2%	42.2%	35.2%	0.5%	4.06
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	1216	0.7%	7.2%	16.9%	50.8%	22.9%	1.4%	3.89
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	1220	1.6%	4.7%	15.4%	52.5%	25.2%	0.7%	3.96
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	1218	2.5%	10.7%	11.3%	47.0%	27.9%	0.5%	3.88
My courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	1221	0.5%	4.3%	17.3%	51.2%	25.6%	1.1%	3.98
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	1219	6.2%	18.2%	28.9%	32.3%	8.5%	5.8%	3.20
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	1217	8.1%	19.4%	25.6%	31.9%	9.4%	5.5%	3.16
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	1217	4.7%	17.9%	27.9%	33.9%	9.6%	5.9%	3.28
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	1216	5.5%	13.2%	30.5%	35.1%	9.7%	5.9%	3.32
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education.	1220	12.7%	19.6%	22.1%	29.2%	11.8%	4.6%	3.08
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	1217	0.6%	2.1%	11.3%	52.5%	33.0%	0.5%	4.16
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	1220	1.0%	2.4%	3.8%	34.2%	57.3%	1.4%	4.46
I developed close relationships with other students.	1219	1.1%	4.3%	9.4%	38.6%	45.8%	0.8%	4.25
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	1219	3.1%	8.4%	11.2%	38.5%	38.1%	0.7%	4.01
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	1218	4.3%	18.1%	18.8%	37.6%	20.2%	1.1%	3.52
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	1219	1.2%	7.0%	18.0%	52.5%	19.9%	1.5%	3.84
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	1219	2.3%	7.7%	18.3%	49.0%	21.4%	1.3%	3.81
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	1219	3.9%	11.2%	28.3%	36.1%	16.9%	3.6%	3.53
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	1216	3.0%	11.4%	19.2%	43.3%	21.1%	2.0%	3.69
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	1217	0.8%	1.7%	8.2%	47.0%	41.5%	0.7%	4.28
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	1219	1.5%	2.6%	6.3%	34.8%	53.7%	1.1%	4.38
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	1219	0.8%	1.9%	6.2%	36.0%	53.8%	1.2%	4.42

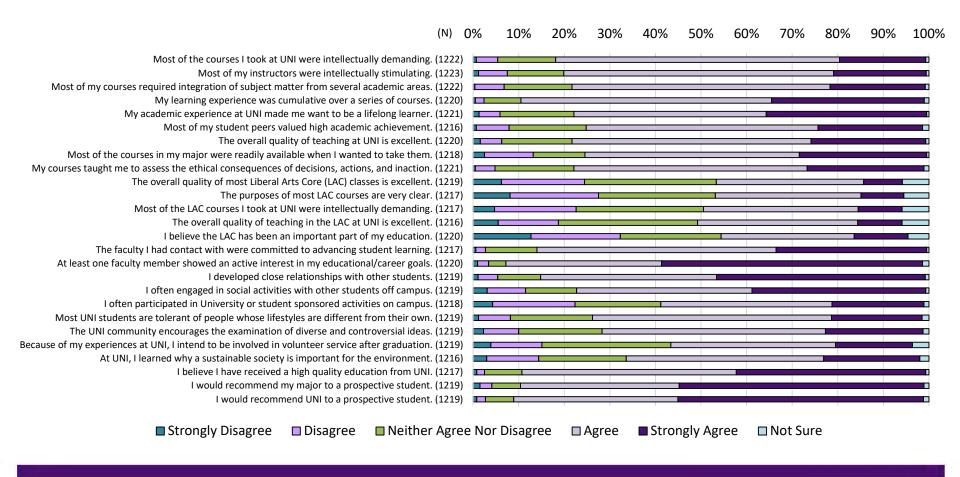
\*Based on the following scale: Strongly disagree=1; Disagree=2; Neither agree nor disagree=3; Agree=4; Strongly agree=5.

"Not sure" is not included in Mean Score.

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### Chart 2: Academic & Social Environment Overall





## Table 8: College of Business Administration

"Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements."	N	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Sure	Mean Score*
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	262	0.0%	3.4%	11.1%	64.5%	19.8%	1.1%	4.02
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	263	0.4%	10.3%	14.4%	55.9%	17.9%	1.1%	3.82
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	263	0.4%	7.2%	14.4%	54.4%	23.2%	0.4%	3.93
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	262	0.4%	1.5%	7.6%	55.7%	33.6%	1.1%	4.22
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.	263	1.1%	5.3%	23.6%	44.1%	25.5%	0.4%	3.88
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	263	0.0%	6.8%	12.2%	57.0%	23.6%	0.4%	3.98
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	262	1.1%	5.0%	19.5%	53.8%	19.8%	0.8%	3.87
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	262	1.1%	5.7%	13.0%	46.6%	33.2%	0.4%	4.05
My courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	263	0.4%	4.9%	16.3%	51.0%	26.2%	1.1%	3.99
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	263	4.6%	20.9%	32.3%	28.5%	9.1%	4.6%	3.18
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	262	8.4%	20.6%	28.2%	27.9%	11.1%	3.8%	3.13
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	262	4.2%	19.5%	35.1%	29.8%	7.3%	4.2%	3.17
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	262	3.1%	12.2%	37.0%	35.5%	7.6%	4.6%	3.34
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education.	263	12.9%	24.7%	21.7%	26.2%	11.0%	3.4%	2.98
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	263	0.0%	3.4%	13.3%	53.6%	29.3%	0.4%	4.09
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	263	0.4%	5.3%	6.5%	41.1%	45.6%	1.1%	4.28
I developed close relationships with other students.	263	0.0%	2.7%	9.5%	43.3%	43.3%	1.1%	4.29
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	263	1.9%	5.7%	9.5%	41.1%	40.3%	1.5%	4.14
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	263	2.7%	16.7%	17.9%	42.2%	18.6%	1.9%	3.59
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	263	0.8%	4.9%	14.8%	56.7%	21.7%	1.1%	3.95
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	263	2.3%	7.6%	18.6%	50.2%	20.5%	0.8%	3.80
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	263	4.6%	12.9%	33.1%	32.3%	15.2%	1.9%	3.41
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	261	2.7%	12.6%	16.5%	46.7%	18.8%	2.7%	3.68
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	263	0.8%	1.1%	6.5%	51.3%	39.5%	0.8%	4.29
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	263	1.1%	2.7%	7.2%	35.7%	52.9%	0.4%	4.37
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	263	1.1%	1.1%	6.5%	35.7%	54.8%	0.8%	4.43

\*Based on the following scale: Strongly disagree=1; Disagree=2; Neither agree nor disagree=3; Agree=4; Strongly agree=5.

"Not sure" is not included in Mean Score.

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## Table 9: College of Education

"Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following		Strongly		Neither Agree		Strongly		Mean
statements."	N	Disagree	Disagree	Nor Disagree	Agree	Agree	Not Sure	Score*
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	244	0.0%	2.9%	16.4%	61.5%	18.9%	0.4%	3.97
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	245	0.8%	3.7%	12.7%	61.2%	21.2%	0.4%	3.99
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	245	0.4%	6.1%	13.5%	56.3%	22.9%	0.8%	3.96
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	245	0.0%	1.2%	8.2%	54.3%	35.1%	1.2%	4.25
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.	245	0.8%	4.1%	13.1%	41.6%	40.0%	0.4%	4.16
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	244	0.4%	4.1%	15.6%	55.3%	22.5%	2.0%	3.97
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	244	1.2%	4.9%	13.5%	54.9%	25.0%	0.4%	3.98
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	245	1.6%	7.8%	11.8%	48.2%	30.6%	0.0%	3.98
My courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	245	0.4%	2.4%	15.5%	55.5%	25.3%	0.8%	4.04
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	244	9.4%	19.3%	30.7%	25.4%	7.8%	7.4%	3.03
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	244	10.2%	21.7%	26.6%	26.6%	8.2%	6.6%	3.01
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	242	4.5%	17.4%	26.4%	36.4%	8.3%	7.0%	3.28
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	243	9.9%	19.3%	26.3%	29.2%	8.2%	7.0%	3.07
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education.	244	17.6%	16.8%	25.4%	23.4%	11.5%	5.3%	2.94
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	244	0.4%	1.6%	11.5%	54.9%	31.1%	0.4%	4.15
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	244	0.4%	1.6%	2.5%	33.6%	60.2%	1.6%	4.54
I developed close relationships with other students.	244	0.4%	4.5%	8.6%	37.3%	48.4%	0.8%	4.30
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	243	2.5%	8.2%	11.5%	38.7%	38.3%	0.8%	4.03
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	244	3.3%	19.7%	21.3%	33.2%	21.7%	0.8%	3.51
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	244	0.8%	7.0%	17.6%	53.7%	20.1%	0.8%	3.86
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	244	1.6%	5.7%	18.4%	47.5%	25.4%	1.2%	3.90
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	244	2.0%	7.8%	25.8%	38.5%	21.7%	4.1%	3.73
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	244	2.5%	10.7%	20.5%	42.6%	22.1%	1.6%	3.72
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	243	0.0%	1.6%	8.6%	41.2%	48.6%	0.0%	4.37
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	244	0.4%	2.5%	7.0%	32.8%	57.0%	0.4%	4.44
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	244	0.4%	1.6%	5.3%	36.5%	55.7%	0.4%	4.46

\*Based on the following scale: Strongly disagree=1; Disagree=2; Neither agree nor disagree=3; Agree=4; Strongly agree=5.

"Not sure" is not included in Mean Score.

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## Table 10: College of Humanities, Arts and Sciences

"Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements."		Strongly	Discourse	Neither Agree	<b>A</b>	Strongly	Nat Com	Mean
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	N 432	Disagree 1.2%	Disagree 6.0%	Nor Disagree 10.4%	Agree 62.0%	<b>Agree</b> 19.4%	Not Sure 0.9%	<b>Score*</b> 3.93
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	432	1.6%	5.6%	9.7%	60.8%	21.8%	0.5%	3.96
·	430	0.5%	6.5%	16.3%	57.0%	18.6%	1.2%	3.88
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	430	0.5%	1.6%	7.5%	55.7%	34.0%	0.5%	4.21
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	430	1.2%	4.0%	14.9%	41.2%	38.1%	0.5%	4.21
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.		· ·						
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	426	0.9%	9.6%	19.0%	45.8%	23.5%	1.2%	3.82
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	430	1.6%	4.4%	14.9%	52.1%	26.5%	0.5%	3.98
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	428	4.0%	11.9%	10.3%	47.2%	25.7%	0.9%	3.79
My courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	429	0.2%	6.3%	20.5%	48.0%	23.3%	1.6%	3.89
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	429	5.4%	17.7%	28.2%	35.7%	7.9%	5.1%	3.24
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	429	7.7%	18.4%	24.2%	37.1%	7.2%	5.4%	3.19
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	429	5.1%	18.9%	26.3%	34.3%	9.8%	5.6%	3.26
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	428	11.7%	20.0%	21.4%	31.5%	11.2%	4.2%	3.37
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education.	429	11.7%	20.0%	21.4%	31.5%	11.2%	4.2%	3.11
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	428	0.7%	1.9%	9.1%	51.2%	36.4%	0.7%	4.22
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	429	0.5%	1.2%	2.3%	30.3%	64.6%	1.2%	4.59
I developed close relationships with other students.	429	1.4%	4.4%	6.3%	36.6%	50.6%	0.7%	4.31
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	429	4.2%	9.1%	9.8%	36.1%	40.3%	0.5%	4.00
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	429	5.6%	18.2%	17.5%	37.1%	20.7%	0.9%	3.50
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	429	1.4%	6.8%	17.7%	52.2%	19.8%	2.1%	3.84
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	429	2.3%	8.2%	19.3%	49.4%	19.1%	1.6%	3.76
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	428	4.9%	13.3%	30.1%	35.3%	13.1%	3.3%	3.40
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	428	3.5%	13.1%	18.9%	41.8%	20.8%	1.9%	3.65
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	427	1.2%	1.9%	8.2%	48.2%	39.3%	1.2%	4.24
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	428	2.6%	2.3%	5.4%	33.2%	54.9%	1.6%	4.38
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	428	0.7%	2.1%	5.8%	36.7%	53.5%	1.2%	4.42

\*Based on the following scale: Strongly disagree=1; Disagree=2; Neither agree nor disagree=3; Agree=4; Strongly agree=5.

"Not sure" is not included in Mean Score.



## Table 11: College of Social and Behavioral Sciences

"Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements."	N	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Sure	Mean Score*
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	246	1.6%	6.1%	13.8%	61.0%	17.1%	0.4%	3.86
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	246	2.0%	6.5%	13.4%	57.7%	19.9%	0.4%	3.87
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	246	0.4%	6.1%	14.2%	56.9%	21.5%	0.8%	3.94
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	246	0.4%	3.7%	8.5%	53.7%	32.5%	1.2%	4.16
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.	246	2.4%	4.9%	12.6%	42.3%	37.4%	0.4%	4.08
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	245	1.6%	6.5%	18.4%	49.8%	21.2%	2.4%	3.85
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	246	2.4%	4.1%	13.0%	50.0%	29.3%	1.2%	4.01
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	246	2.8%	15.9%	10.6%	46.3%	24.0%	0.4%	3.73
My courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	246	1.2%	2.4%	13.8%	52.4%	29.3%	0.8%	4.07
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	245	6.5%	17.1%	23.7%	36.7%	8.2%	7.8%	3.25
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	244	7.4%	17.6%	23.0%	32.8%	11.9%	7.4%	3.26
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	246	5.3%	16.7%	22.8%	36.6%	10.6%	8.1%	3.33
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	246	6.1%	10.2%	26.0%	40.2%	9.3%	8.1%	3.40
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education.	246	10.2%	17.5%	20.3%	32.9%	12.6%	6.5%	3.22
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	244	1.2%	2.0%	11.5%	52.0%	32.8%	0.4%	4.14
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	246	2.8%	1.6%	4.1%	34.6%	55.3%	1.6%	4.40
I developed close relationships with other students.	246	2.0%	6.1%	13.0%	38.6%	39.4%	0.8%	4.08
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	246	2.8%	11.4%	12.2%	37.8%	35.4%	0.4%	3.92
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	245	4.5%	18.4%	19.2%	37.6%	19.6%	0.8%	3.50
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	245	2.0%	10.2%	19.6%	49.4%	17.6%	1.2%	3.71
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	245	2.9%	9.8%	16.3%	49.0%	20.4%	1.6%	3.76
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	246	3.7%	8.5%	22.0%	40.2%	20.7%	4.9%	3.69
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	245	3.3%	9.0%	20.0%	43.3%	22.4%	2.0%	3.74
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	246	1.2%	2.4%	8.1%	46.3%	41.5%	0.4%	4.25
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	246	1.2%	2.8%	4.1%	39.0%	51.2%	1.6%	4.38
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	246	1.2%	2.4%	7.3%	34.6%	52.0%	2.4%	4.37

\*Based on the following scale: Strongly disagree=1; Disagree=2; Neither agree nor disagree=3; Agree=4; Strongly agree=5.

"Not sure" is not included in Mean Score.



## Table 12: Interdisciplinary

"Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements."	N	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Sure	Mean Score*
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	38	0.0%	2.6%	18.4%	60.5%	18.4%	0.0%	3.95
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	38	0.0%	2.6%	21.1%	60.5%	15.8%	0.0%	3.89
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	38	0.0%	2.6%	15.8%	68.4%	13.2%	0.0%	3.92
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	38	2.6%	0.0%	15.8%	55.3%	23.7%	2.6%	4.00
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.	37	0.0%	8.1%	24.3%	43.2%	24.3%	0.0%	3.84
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	38	0.0%	7.9%	26.3%	42.1%	23.7%	0.0%	3.82
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	38	0.0%	7.9%	21.1%	50.0%	21.1%	0.0%	3.84
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	37	0.0%	16.2%	13.5%	45.9%	24.3%	0.0%	3.78
My courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	38	0.0%	2.6%	21.1%	52.6%	23.7%	0.0%	3.97
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	38	5.3%	5.3%	34.2%	36.8%	18.4%	0.0%	3.58
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	38	2.6%	18.4%	34.2%	28.9%	15.8%	0.0%	3.37
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	38	0.0%	7.9%	39.5%	26.3%	26.3%	0.0%	3.71
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	37	0.0%	5.4%	37.8%	35.1%	21.6%	0.0%	3.73
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education.	38	7.9%	10.5%	23.7%	36.8%	21.1%	0.0%	3.53
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	38	0.0%	0.0%	18.4%	47.4%	34.2%	0.0%	4.16
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	38	2.6%	5.3%	7.9%	31.6%	50.0%	2.6%	4.24
I developed close relationships with other students.	37	5.4%	0.0%	24.3%	37.8%	32.4%	0.0%	3.92
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	38	5.3%	0.0%	28.9%	50.0%	15.8%	0.0%	3.71
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	37	5.4%	13.5%	21.6%	40.5%	18.9%	0.0%	3.54
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	38	0.0%	2.6%	34.2%	39.5%	21.1%	2.6%	3.81
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	38	2.6%	2.6%	15.8%	44.7%	34.2%	0.0%	4.05
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	38	2.6%	13.2%	31.6%	28.9%	15.8%	7.9%	3.46
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	38	2.6%	5.3%	26.3%	42.1%	23.7%	0.0%	3.79
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	38	0.0%	0.0%	18.4%	44.7%	34.2%	2.6%	4.16
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	38	0.0%	5.3%	21.1%	31.6%	42.1%	0.0%	4.11
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	38	0.0%	2.6%	7.9%	36.8%	50.0%	2.6%	4.38

\*Based on the following scale: Strongly disagree=1; Disagree=2; Neither agree nor disagree=3; Agree=4; Strongly agree=5.

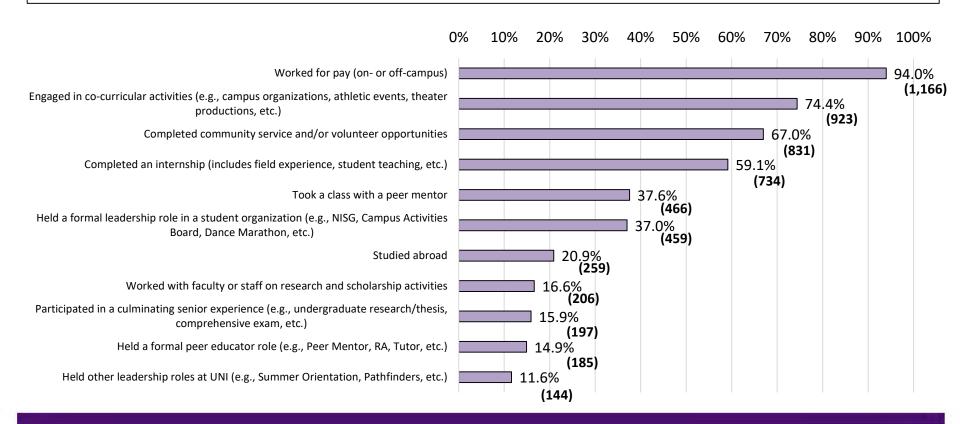
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#### Other Activities

1,241 out of 1,269 (97.8%) students responded to the following question: "Please select all of the following you have done during your time at UNI."

Students could select more than one answer. Percentages are out of 1,241 (e.g., 94% of the 1,241 students worked for pay).





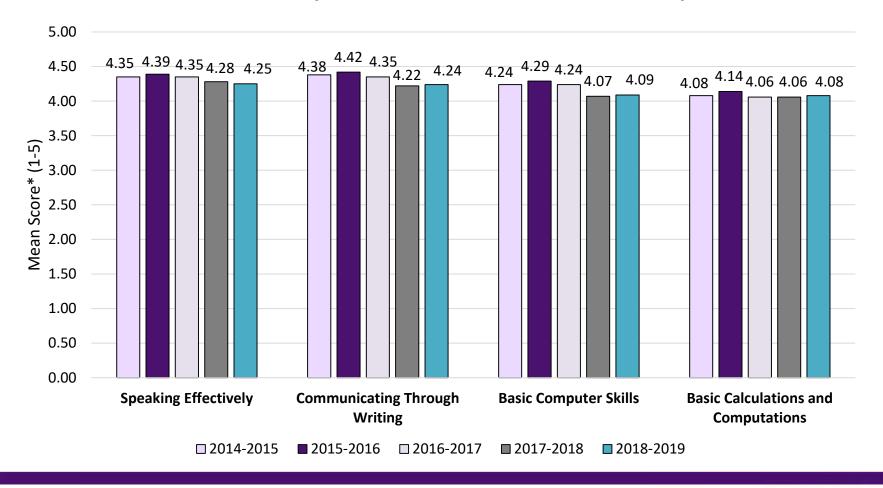
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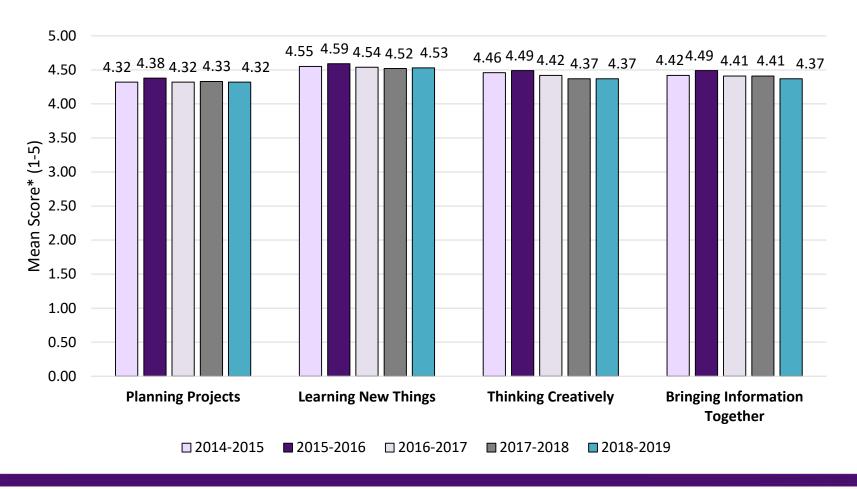
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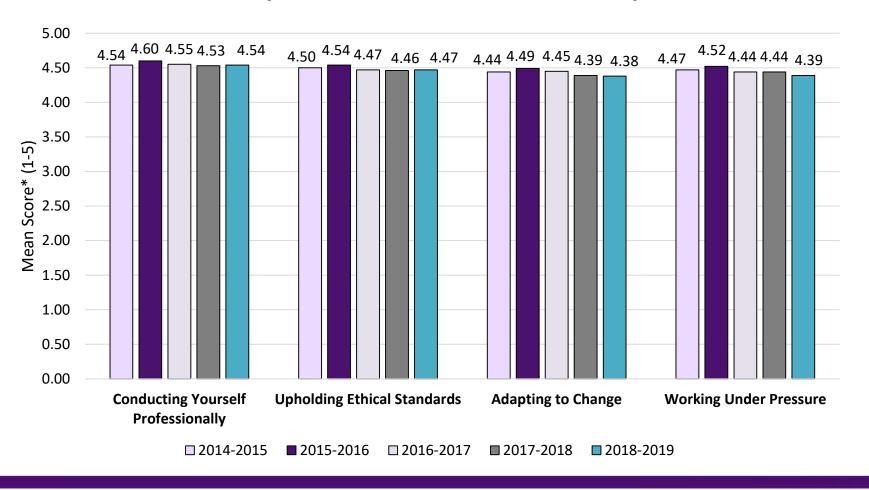
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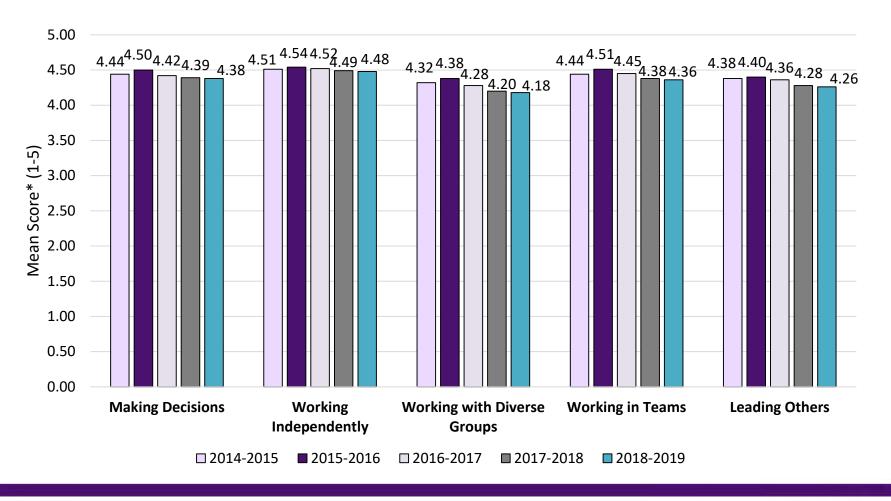
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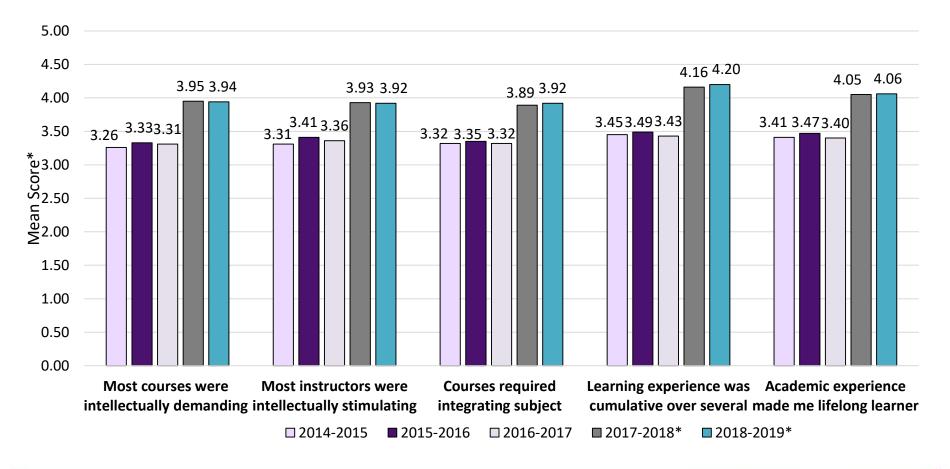


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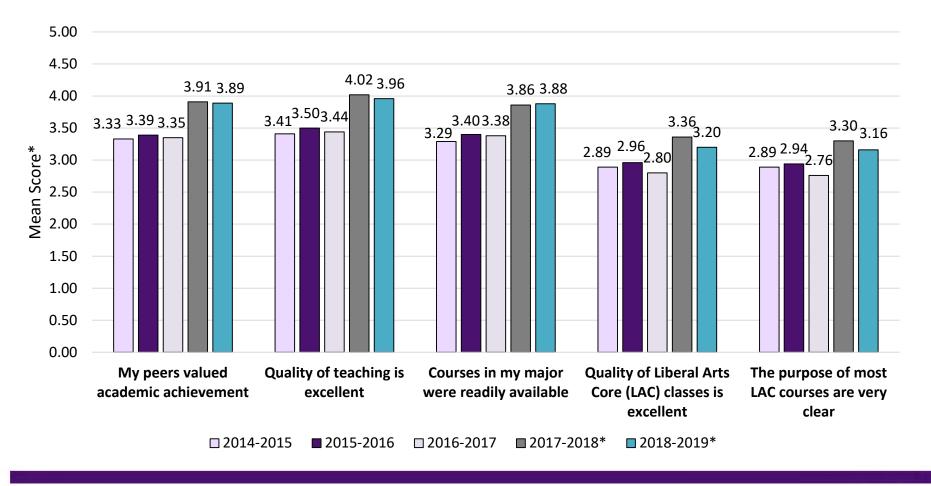
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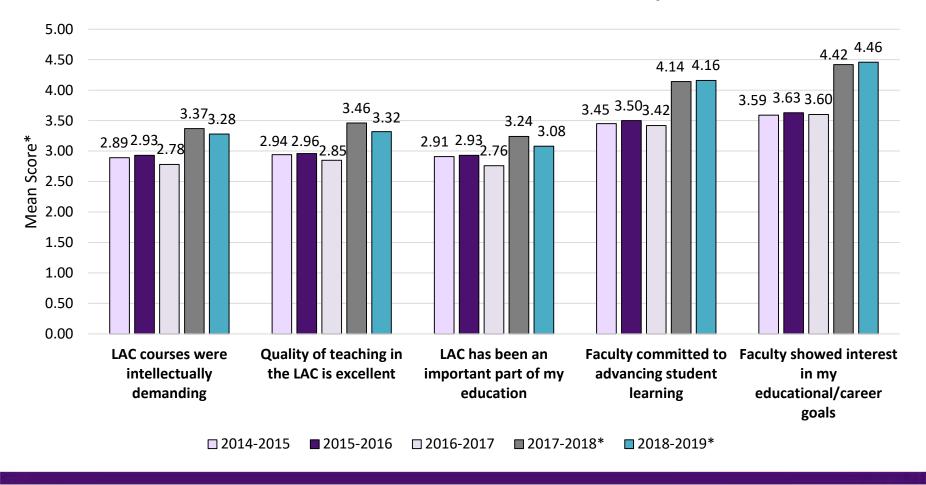
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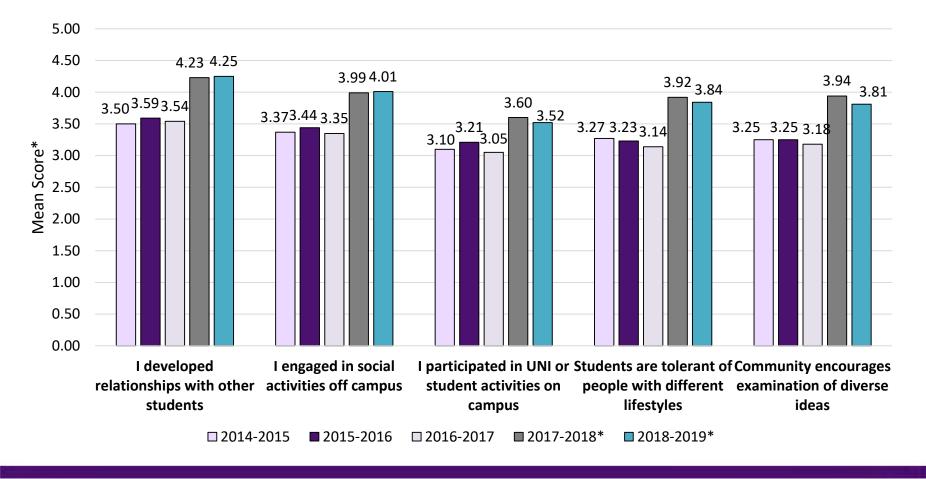




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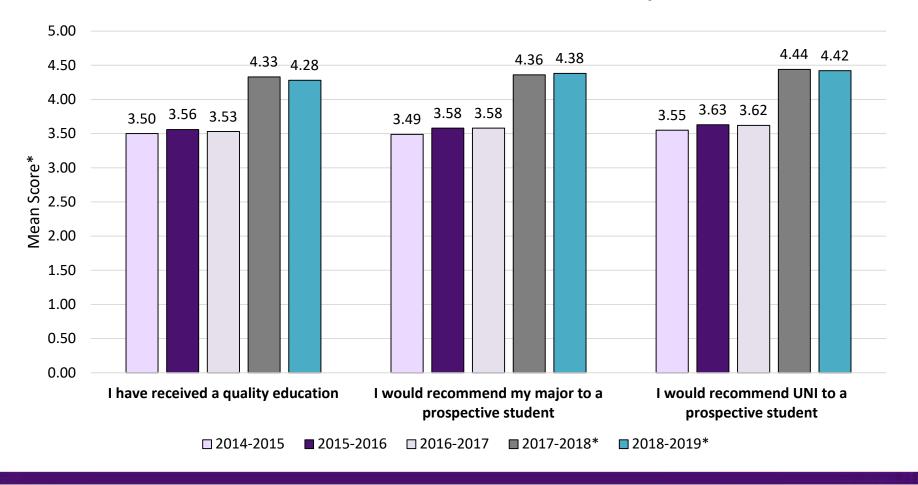






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## **SURVEY FORM**



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CONGRATULATIONS! You are one step closer to graduation. Thank you for taking time to complete this survey. It should only take 5 to 10 minutes of your time.

Please answer honestly. Your responses to this survey will be used for program improvement. Individual responses to this survey will be confidential. Survey findings will be reported in aggregate only.

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## **Plans Following Graduation** What is MOST LIKELY to be your PRINCIPAL activity upon graduation from UNI? Employment, full-time paid Employment, part-time paid Graduate or professional school, full-time Graduate or professional school, part-time Additional undergraduate coursework Military service Volunteer activity (e.g., Peace Corps) Starting or raising a family Other, please specify:

### Please select all of the following you have done during your time at UNI. Took a class with a peer mentor Held a formal leadership role in a student organization (e.g., NISG, Campus Activities Board, Dance Marathon, etc.) Held a formal peer educator role (e.g., Peer Mentor, RA, Tutor, etc.) Held other leadership roles at UNI (e.g., Summer Orientation, Pathfinders, etc.) Completed an internship (includes field experience, student teaching, etc.) Studied abroad Worked with faculty or staff on research and scholarship activities Worked for pay (on- or off-campus) Engaged in co-curricular activities (e.g., campus organizations, athletic events, theater productions, etc.) Completed community service and/or volunteer opportunities Participated in a culminating senior experience (e.g., undergraduate research/thesis, comprehensive exam, etc.)



#### **Educational Experiences and Skills**

Think about your future/career goals. Please rate how well UNI has prepared you to...

	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent	Can't Evaluate
Speak effectively	0	0	0	0	0	0
Communicate through writing	0	0	0	0	0	0
Communicate using charts, graphs, posters, etc.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Use current computer technologies	0	0	0	0	0	0
Make basic calculations and computations	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plan projects	0	0	0	0	0	0
Define and solve problems	0	0	0	0	0	0
Learn new things	0	0	0	0	0	0
Think creatively	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bring information/ideas together from different areas	0	0	0	0	0	0
Analyze and integrate information from a variety of sources	0	0	0	0	0	0
Evaluate the credibility of relevant information and ideas	0	0	0	0	0	0
Conduct yourself in a professional manner	0	0	0	0	0	0
Uphold ethical standards	0	0	0	0	0	0
Adapt to change	0	0	0	0	0	0
Work under pressure	0	0	0	0	0	0
Make decisions	0	0	0	0	0	0
Work independently	0	0	0	0	0	0
Work with people of diverse backgrounds	0	0	0	0	0	0
Work as a team	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lead others	0	0	0	0	0	0
Understand the global interconnectedness of communities	0	0	0	0	0	0
Identify opportunities for volunteering and community service	0	0	0	0	0	0
Be an active participant in your community	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### Academic and Social Environment

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not Sure
Most of the courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Most of my instructors were intellectually stimulating.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Most of my courses required integration of subject matter from several academic areas.	0	0	0	0	0	0
My learning experience was cumulative over a series of courses.	0	0	0	0	0	0
My academic experience at UNI made me want to be a lifelong learner.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Most of my student peers valued high academic achievement.	0	0	0	0	0	0
The overall quality of teaching at UNI is excellent.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Most of the courses in my major were readily available when I wanted to take them.	0	0	0	0	0	0
${\rm My}$ courses taught me to assess the ethical consequences of decisions, actions, and inaction.	0	0	0	0	0	0
The overall quality of most Liberal Arts Core (LAC) classes is excellent.	0	0	0	0	0	0
The purposes of most LAC courses are very clear.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Most of the LAC courses I took at UNI were intellectually demanding.	0	0	0	0	0	0
The overall quality of teaching in the LAC at UNI is excellent.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I believe the LAC has been an important part of my education	0	0	0	0	0	0
The faculty I had contact with were committed to advancing student learning.	0	0	0	0	0	0
At least one faculty member showed an active interest in my educational/career goals.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I developed close relationships with other students.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I often engaged in social activities with other students off campus.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I often participated in University or student sponsored activities on campus.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Most UNI students are tolerant of people whose lifestyles are different from their own.	0	0	0	0	0	0
The UNI community encourages the examination of diverse and controversial ideas.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Because of my experiences at UNI, I intend to be involved in volunteer service after graduation.	0	0	0	0	0	0
At UNI, I learned why a sustainable society is important for the environment.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I believe I have received a high quality education from UNI.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I would recommend my major to a prospective student.	0	0	0	0	0	0
I would recommend UNI to a prospective student.	0	0	0	0	0	0



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