

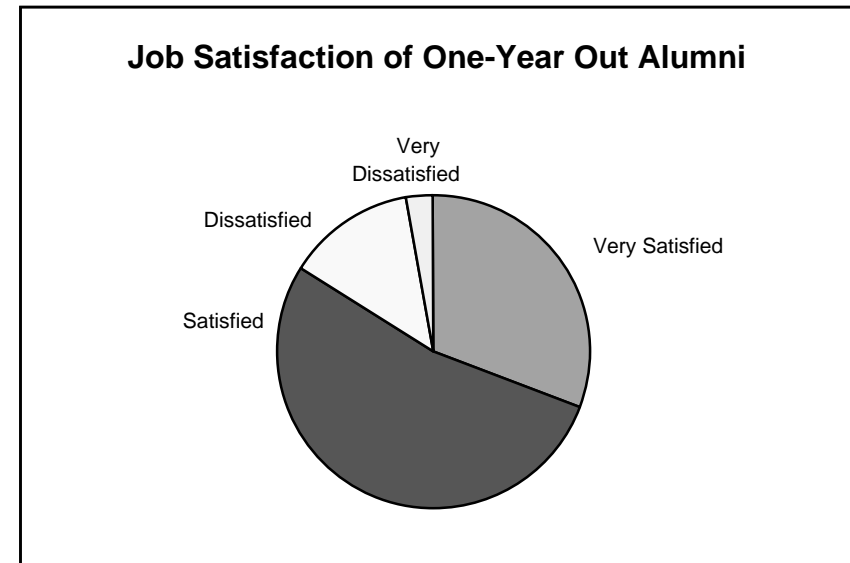
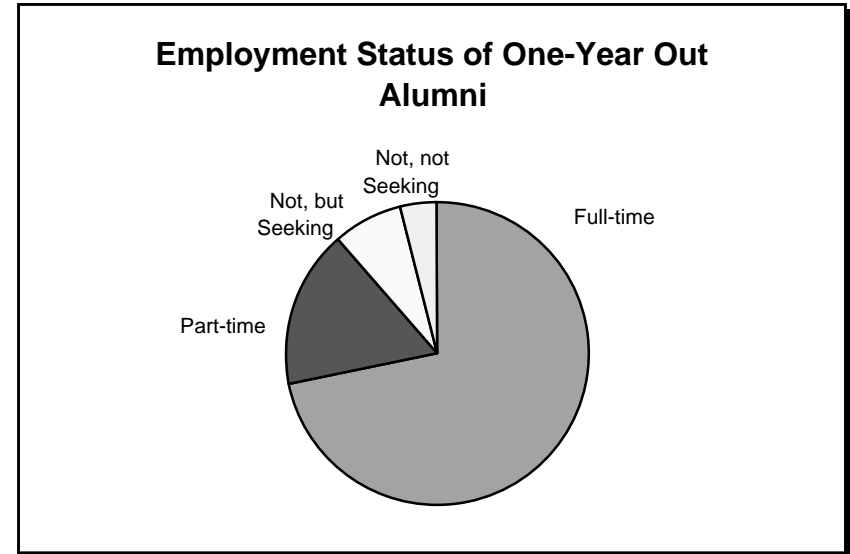
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Comparison of All Graduates to Survey Respondents

	All Baccalaureate Graduates		One Year Out Survey Respondents	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	1329	100.0%	550	100.0%
Female	803	60.4%	355	64.5%
Male	526	39.6%	195	35.5%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
White, Non-Hispanic	1124	84.6%	482	87.6%
Black, Non-Hispanic	139	10.5%	47	8.5%
Asian/Pacific Islander	15	1.1%	6	1.1%
American Indian/Alaskan Native	7	0.5%	1	0.2%
Hispanic	20	1.5%	11	2.0%
Non-Resident Alier	24	1.8%	3	0.5%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Age at Graduator	range = 20 to 60 median = 24.4		range = 20 to 60 median = 24.7	
Bachelor of Science	1127	84.8%	461	83.8%
Bachelor of Music	6	0.5%	1	0.2%
Bachelor of Arts	144	10.8%	69	12.5%
Bachelor of Fine Arts	11	0.8%	3	0.5%
Bachelor of Sci in Accountancy	34	2.6%	12	2.2%
Bachelor of Liberal Studie:	7	0.5%	4	0.7%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Graduated Spring 1996	604	45.4%	258	46.9%
Graduated Summer 1996	283	21.3%	109	19.8%
Graduated Fall 1996	442	33.3%	183	33.3%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Degree From College of Arts and Science	489	36.8%	206	37.5%
Degree From School of Business:	215	16.2%	87	15.8%
Degree from School of Education	341	25.7%	141	25.6%
Degree from School of Engineering	152	11.4%	60	10.9%
Degree from School of Nursing	132	9.9%	56	10.2%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Matriculated as a New Freshman	462	34.8%	184	33.5%
Matriculated as a Transfer	841	63.3%	353	64.2%
Matriculated as a Non-Degree Student	26	2.0%	13	2.4%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Time to Degree for New Freshmen				
3 Years or Fewer	1	0.2%	0	0.0%
4 Years	75	16.2%	40	21.7%
5 Years	135	29.2%	57	31.0%
6 Years	87	18.8%	28	15.2%
7 Years	50	10.8%	14	7.6%
8 Years	28	6.1%	14	7.6%
9 Years	11	2.4%	6	3.3%
10 Years	14	3.0%	3	1.6%
11 Years or More	61	13.2%	22	12.0%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Time to Degree for Transfers				
2 or Fewer Years:	117	13.9%	56	15.9%
3 Years	273	32.5%	116	32.9%
4 Years	186	22.1%	73	20.7%
5 Years	87	10.3%	35	9.9%
6 Years	63	7.5%	26	7.4%
7 Years	29	3.4%	7	2.0%
8 Years	22	2.6%	11	3.1%
9 Years	8	1.0%	5	1.4%
10 Years or More	56	6.7%	24	6.8%
Missing Data	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Graduating GPA (4 point scale)	Mean = 3.056 Std Dev = 0.488 Maximum = 4.000 Minimum = 0.000 N = 1329		Mean = 3.099 Std Dev = 0.487 Maximum = 4.000 Minimum = 2.020 N = 550	

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Survey Responses -- Part I
Employment Questions

Summary	Number	Percent	Percent
		of Survey Respondents	of Question Respondents
Number of Survey Respondents	550	100.0%	
1. Number Employed:			
Full-time	394	71.6%	71.6%
Part-time	94	17.1%	17.1%
Not, but Seeking	40	7.3%	7.3%
Not, not Seeking	22	4.0%	4.0%
No Response	0	0.0%	--
The remaining questions in Part I were to be answered only by respondents who were employed full-time or part-time.			
	488	100.0%	
2. Place of Employment			
Illinois	264	54.1%	57.5%
Missouri	163	33.4%	35.5%
Other	32	6.6%	7.0%
No Response	29	5.9%	--
3. Classification of Primary Employer			
Self-Employed or Private Practice	18	3.7%	3.7%
Business (Industrial, Commercial or Service)	175	35.9%	36.3%
Professional Firm (e.g., Engineering, Law)	43	8.8%	8.9%
College or University	20	4.1%	4.1%
Elementary/Secondary School	81	16.6%	16.8%
Health Agency (e.g. Hospital, Clinic)	79	16.2%	16.4%
Federal, State, or Local Government	25	5.1%	5.2%
Armed Services	8	1.6%	1.7%
Non-Profit (Non-Government)	31	6.4%	6.4%
Other	2	0.4%	0.4%
No Response	6	1.2%	--
4. Job Satisfaction			
Very Satisfied	151	30.9%	30.9%
Satisfied	258	52.9%	52.9%
Dissatisfied	66	13.5%	13.5%
Very Dissatisfied	13	2.7%	2.7%
No Response	0	0.0%	--

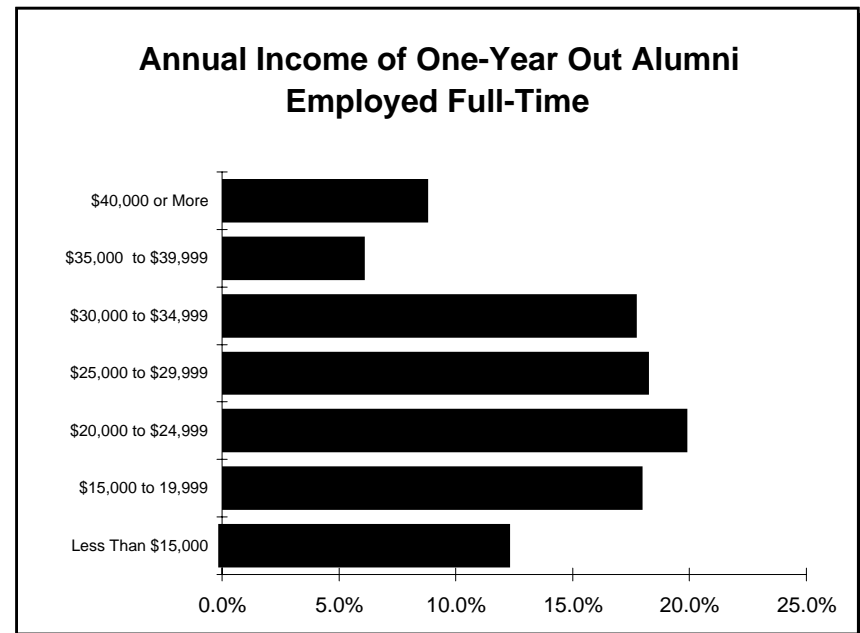
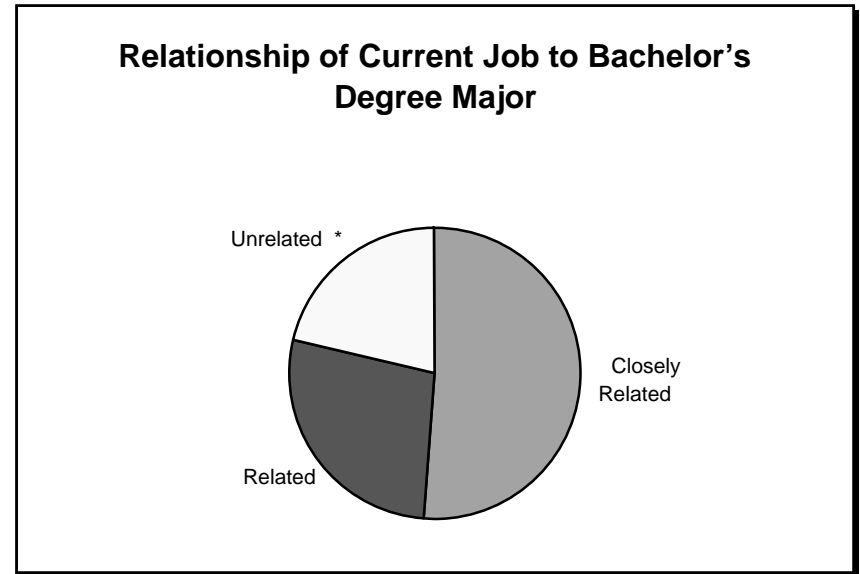


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Employment Questions

Summary, con't.	Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
5. Job in Field?			
Closely Related	250	51.2%	51.2%
Related	133	27.3%	27.3%
Unrelated *	105	21.5%	21.5%
No Response	0	0.0%	--
If Unrelated Field, Is This By Choice?			
Yes	38	36.2%	36.9%
No	65	61.9%	63.1%
No Response	2	1.9%	--
6. Timing of Securing First Job After Degree			
Held the Same Job While Enrolled	149	30.5%	30.7%
Secured Job by Graduation	81	16.6%	16.7%
Secured Job After Graduation *	256	52.5%	52.7%
No Response	2	0.4%	--
If After Graduation, How Many Months After?			
Less than 1 Month	44	17.2%	17.3%
Between 1 and 3 Months	116	45.3%	45.5%
Between 3 and 6 Months	59	23.0%	23.1%
Between 6 and 9 Months	28	10.9%	11.0%
More Than 9 Months	8	3.1%	3.1%
No Response	1	0.4%	--
7. Annual Earned Income in Current Job Before Taxes			
Employed Full-Time **	(N=370, Mean=\$25,467)		
Less Than \$15,000	45	11.4%	12.2%
\$15,000 to 19,999	66	16.8%	17.8%
\$20,000 to \$24,999	73	18.5%	19.7%
\$25,000 to \$29,999	67	17.0%	18.1%
\$30,000 to \$34,999	65	16.5%	17.6%
\$35,000 to \$39,999	22	5.6%	5.9%
\$40,000 or More	32	8.1%	8.6%
No Response	24	6.1%	--
Employed Part-Time **	(N=75, Mean=\$11,677)		
Less Than \$5,000	11	11.7%	14.7%
5,000 to \$9,999	23	24.5%	30.7%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	16	17.0%	21.3%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	11	11.7%	14.7%
\$20,000 or More	14	14.9%	18.7%
No Response	19	20.2%	--

* The response marked with an asterisk leads to a related question which was to be answered only by those who selected the "asterisked" response.

** The "N" is the number responding to Question 7 in each category .



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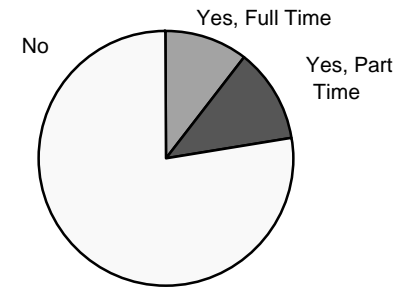
Summary, con't.	Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
8. Primary Occupation			
Arts, Communication, and Entertainment	26	5.3%	5.3%
Business, Management, and Finance	88	18.0%	18.1%
Education	106	21.7%	21.8%
Engineering and Computer Science	68	13.9%	14.0%
Health	66	13.5%	13.6%
Office Support	20	4.1%	4.1%
Professional Specialties	6	1.2%	1.2%
Public and Social Services	48	9.8%	9.9%
Sales	24	4.9%	4.9%
Science, Mathematics and Agriculture	19	3.9%	3.9%
Transportation and Industry	15	3.1%	3.1%
No Response	2	0.4%	--
9. Bachelor's Degree Preparation for Job			
Very Well	127	26.0%	27.2%
Adequately	277	56.8%	59.3%
Inadequately	63	12.9%	13.5%
No Response	21	4.3%	--



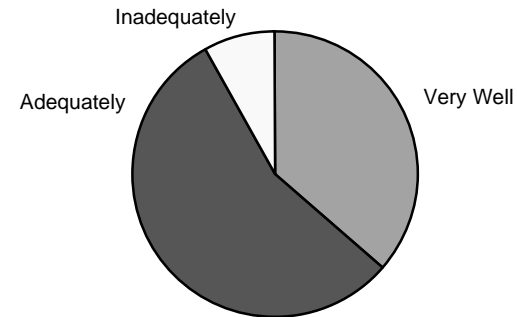
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Survey Responses -- Part II
Education Questions

Summary	Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
Number of Survey Respondents	550	100.0%	
10. Enrolled in College or University Since Degree?			
Yes, Full Time	58	10.5%	10.6%
Yes, Part Time	66	12.0%	12.0%
No	425	77.3%	77.4%
No Response	1	0.2%	--
The remaining questions in Part II were to be answered only by respondents who had enrolled in a college or university since receiving their degree.	124	100.0%	
11. Pursuing or Completed Another Degree?			
Associate's	2	1.6%	1.8%
Second Bachelor's	11	8.9%	9.6%
Academic Master's (MA, MS, MEd, etc)	64	51.6%	56.1%
Prof. Master's or Ed Specialist	22	17.7%	19.3%
Medicine (MD, OD)	3	2.4%	2.6%
Health Prof. (dentistry, pharmacy, etc.)	6	4.8%	5.3%
Theology/Divinity	0	0.0%	0.0%
Law (LLB, JD)	1	0.8%	0.9%
Doctorate (PhD, EdD, DA, DBA, etc.)	3	2.4%	2.6%
Other	2	1.6%	1.8%
No Response	10	8.1%	--
12. How Well Bach. Degree Prepared You for Additional Degree?			
Very Well	41	33.1%	36.3%
Adequately	63	50.8%	55.8%
Inadequately	9	7.3%	8.0%
No Response	11	8.9%	--

Alumni Enrollment for an Additional Degree

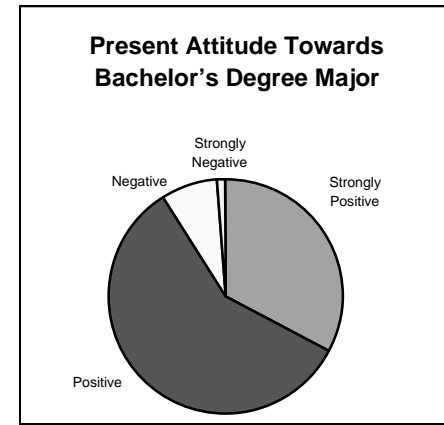
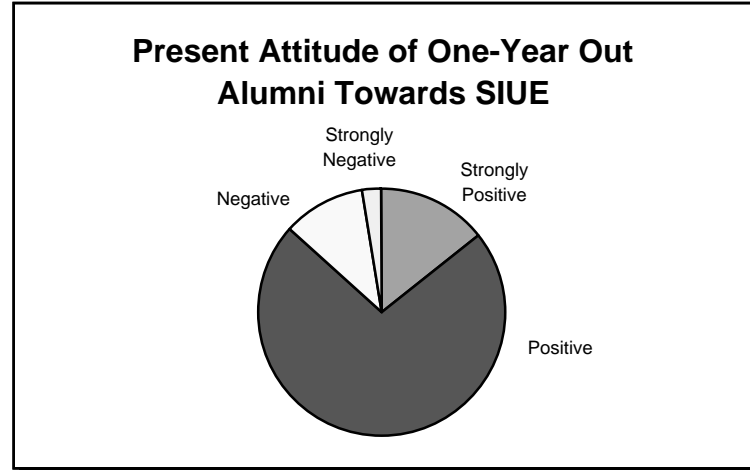


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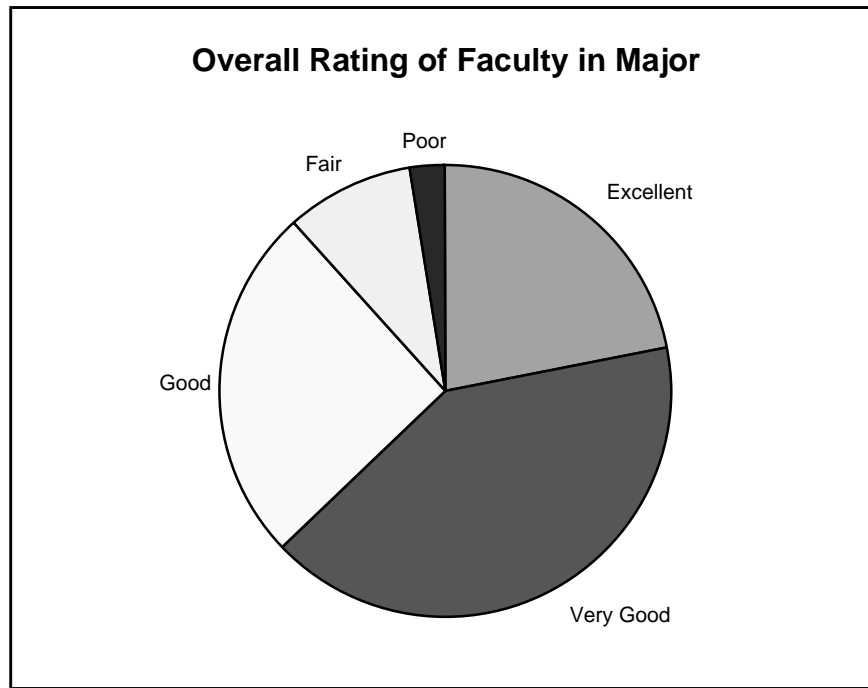
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Survey Responses -- Part III
Satisfaction Questions

Summary	Percent of Survey Respondents		Percent of Question Respondents
	Number		
Number of Survey Respondents	550	100.0%	
13. Present Attitude Towards the University			
Strongly Positive	78	14.2%	14.5%
Positive	387	70.4%	72.1%
Negative	59	10.7%	11.0%
Strongly Negative	13	2.4%	2.4%
No Response	13	2.4%	--
14. Present Attitude Towards your Bachelor's Degree Major			
Strongly Positive	177	32.2%	32.7%
Positive	317	57.6%	58.5%
Negative	42	7.6%	7.7%
Strongly Negative	6	1.1%	1.1%
No Response	8	1.5%	--



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Survey Responses -- Part IV
Faculty Questions

Summary	Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
Number of Survey Respondents	550	100.0%	
15. Faculty in Major Encouraged Questions & Discussion in Class			
Strongly Agree	204	37.1%	37.2%
Agree	259	47.1%	47.3%
Neutral	61	11.1%	11.1%
Disagree	17	3.1%	3.1%
Strongly Disagree	7	1.3%	1.3%
No Response	2	0.4%	--
16. Faculty in Major Were Accessible Outside Class			
Strongly Agree	136	24.7%	24.8%
Agree	288	52.4%	52.5%
Neutral	91	16.5%	16.6%
Disagree	29	5.3%	5.3%
Strongly Disagree	5	0.9%	0.9%
No Response	1	0.2%	--
17. Faculty in Major Communicate Subject Matter Well			
Strongly Agree	142	25.8%	25.9%
Agree	295	53.6%	53.8%
Neutral	85	15.5%	15.5%
Disagree	20	3.6%	3.6%
Strongly Disagree	6	1.1%	1.1%
No Response	2	0.4%	--
18. Rating of Faculty in Major (Considering All Their Activities)			
Excellent	120	21.8%	21.9%
Very Good	224	40.7%	41.0%
Good	139	25.3%	25.4%
Fair	51	9.3%	9.3%
Poor	13	2.4%	2.4%
No Response	3	0.5%	--

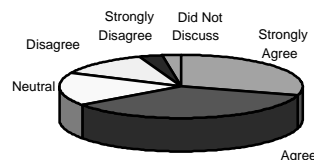


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Advisement Questions

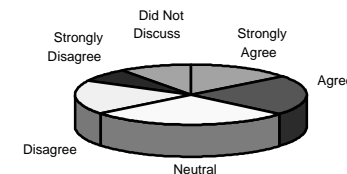
Summary	Percent of Survey Respondents		Percent of Question Respondents
	Number	Percent	
Number of Survey Respondents	550	100.0%	
19. Advisors in Major Effective or Future Course Offerings			
Strongly Agree	161	29.3%	29.4%
Agree	194	35.3%	35.5%
Neutral	93	16.9%	17.0%
Disagree	68	12.4%	12.4%
Strongly Disagree	17	3.1%	3.1%
Did Not Discuss	14	2.5%	2.6%
No Response	3	0.5%	--
20. Advisors in Major Effective on Career Plannin			
Strongly Agree	80	14.5%	14.7%
Agree	117	21.3%	21.5%
Neutral	153	27.8%	28.1%
Disagree	101	18.4%	18.5%
Strongly Disagree	40	7.3%	7.3%
Did Not Discuss	54	9.8%	9.9%
No Response	5	0.9%	--
21. Advisors in Major Effective or Degree Requirement:			
Strongly Agree	209	38.0%	38.1%
Agree	191	34.7%	34.9%
Neutral	73	13.3%	13.3%
Disagree	51	9.3%	9.3%
Strongly Disagree	22	4.0%	4.0%
Did Not Discuss	2	0.4%	0.4%
No Response	2	0.4%	--
22. Advisors in Major Effective or Grad/Prof School Entry Requirement:			
Strongly Agree	50	9.1%	9.2%
Agree	87	15.8%	15.9%
Neutral	122	22.2%	22.3%
Disagree	95	17.3%	17.4%
Strongly Disagree	41	7.5%	7.5%
Did Not Discuss	151	27.5%	27.7%
No Response	4	0.7%	--
23. Advisors in Major Usually Availabl When Needed			
Strongly Agree	118	21.5%	21.6%
Agree	256	46.5%	46.8%
Neutral	116	21.1%	21.2%
Disagree	44	8.0%	8.0%
Strongly Disagree	13	2.4%	2.4%
No Response	3	0.5%	--

Advisors in Major Were Effective on:

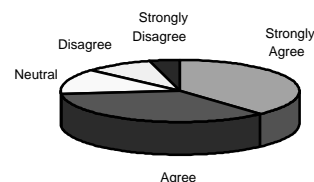
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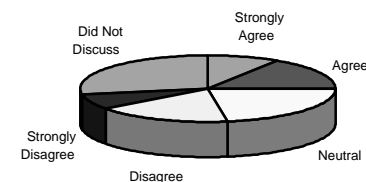
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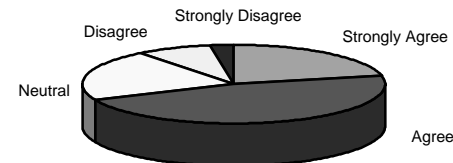
Degree Requirements



Grad/Prof School Entry Requirements



Advisors in Major Were Usually Available When Needed

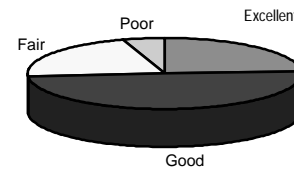


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Survey Responses -- Part VI
Program Quality Questions

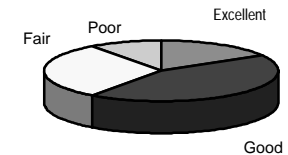
Summary		Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
Number of Survey Respondents		550	100.0%	
24A.	Quality of Major in Offering Sufficient Courses			
	Excellent	133	24.2%	24.3%
	Good	271	49.3%	49.5%
	Fair	116	21.1%	21.2%
	Poor	28	5.1%	5.1%
	No Response	2	0.4%	--
24B.	Quality of Major in Offering Convenient Class Times			
	Excellent	92	16.7%	16.8%
	Good	237	43.1%	43.2%
	Fair	165	30.0%	30.1%
	Poor	55	10.0%	10.0%
	No Response	1	0.2%	--
24C.	Quality of Major in Offering Logical Class Sequences			
	Excellent	126	22.9%	23.0%
	Good	289	52.5%	52.7%
	Fair	107	19.5%	19.5%
	Poor	26	4.7%	4.7%
	No Response	2	0.4%	--
25.	Grading Standards in Major Were			
	Too High	24	4.4%	4.4%
	About Right	489	88.9%	89.4%
	Too Low	34	6.2%	6.2%
	No Response	3	0.5%	--

Quality of Major in Offering:

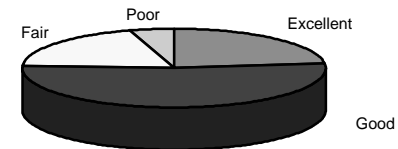
Sufficient Courses



Convenient Class Times

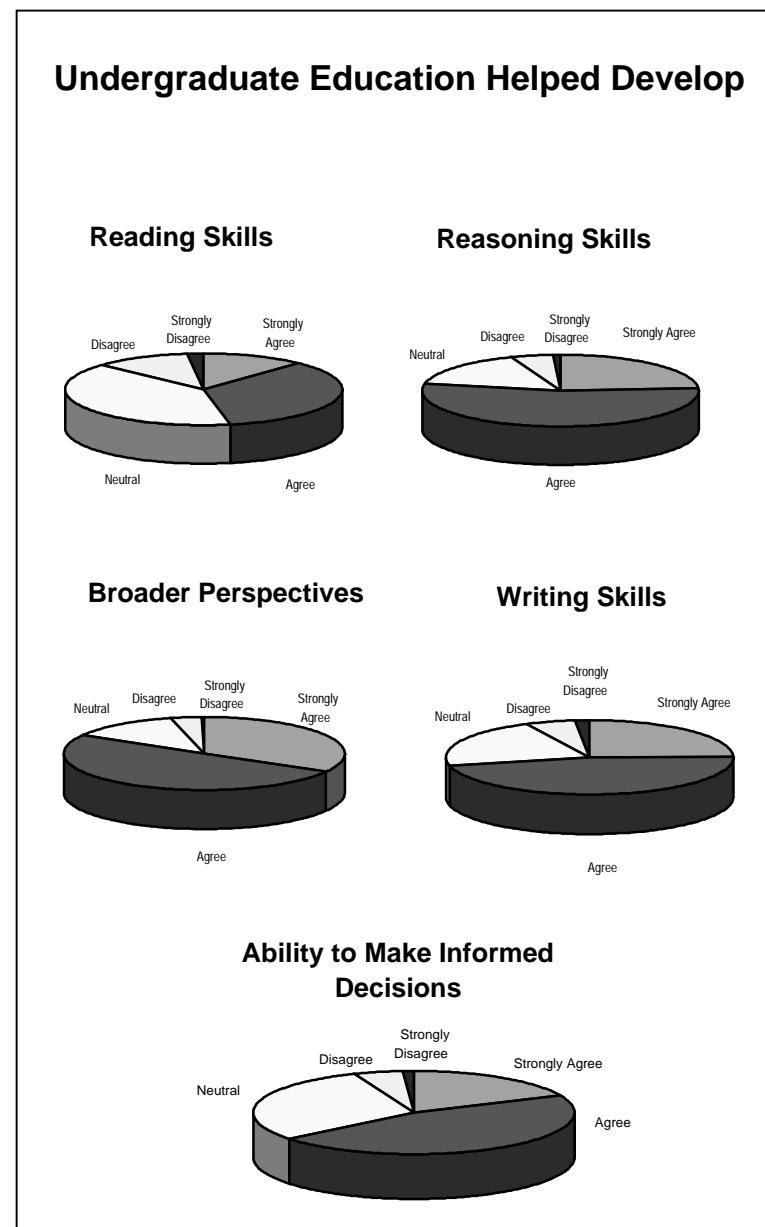


Logical Class Sequences



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Survey Responses -- Part VII
Undergraduate Experience Questions

Summary		Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
Number of Survey Respondents		550	100.0%	
26A.	Undergrad Education Helped Develop Reading Skills			
	Strongly Agree	66	12.0%	12.0%
	Agree	192	34.9%	35.0%
	Neutral	219	39.8%	40.0%
	Disagree	61	11.1%	11.1%
	Strongly Disagree	10	1.8%	1.8%
	No Response	2	0.4%	--
26B.	Undergrad Education Helped Develop Reasoning Skills			
	Strongly Agree	132	24.0%	24.0%
	Agree	297	54.0%	54.0%
	Neutral	89	16.2%	16.2%
	Disagree	28	5.1%	5.1%
	Strongly Disagree	4	0.7%	0.7%
	No Response	0	0.0%	--
26C.	Undergrad Education Helped Develop Broader Perspectives on Problems			
	Strongly Agree	183	33.3%	33.4%
	Agree	273	49.6%	49.8%
	Neutral	71	12.9%	13.0%
	Disagree	19	3.5%	3.5%
	Strongly Disagree	2	0.4%	0.4%
	No Response	2	0.4%	--
26D.	Undergrad Education Helped Develop Writing Skills			
	Strongly Agree	135	24.5%	24.6%
	Agree	256	46.5%	46.7%
	Neutral	117	21.3%	21.4%
	Disagree	31	5.6%	5.7%
	Strongly Disagree	9	1.6%	1.6%
	No Response	2	0.4%	--
26E.	Undergrad Education Helped Develop Ability to Make Informed Decisions			
	Strongly Agree	101	18.4%	18.4%
	Agree	252	45.8%	45.9%
	Neutral	162	29.5%	29.5%
	Disagree	28	5.1%	5.1%
	Strongly Disagree	6	1.1%	1.1%
	No Response	1	0.2%	--



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Undergraduate Experience Questions

Summary, con't.		Number	Percent of Survey Respondents	Percent of Question Respondents
27.	Undergrad Education Broadened Interest Beyond Subjects in Major			
	Strongly Agree	121	22.0%	22.2%
	Agree	276	50.2%	50.5%
	Neutral	104	18.9%	19.0%
	Disagree	38	6.9%	7.0%
	Strongly Disagree	7	1.3%	1.3%
	No Response	4	0.7%	--
28.	Quality of SIUE Education Relative to That of Friends at Other Schools			
	Among the Best	44	8.0%	8.1%
	Above Average	165	30.0%	30.4%
	Average	294	53.5%	54.2%
	Below Average	35	6.4%	6.5%
	Among the Worst	4	0.7%	0.7%
	No Response	8	1.5%	--

