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| 1.Have you enrolled at a college or university since receiving <br> degree from UK? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| q01 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |
| Yes, Part-time | 37 | 6.84 | 37 | 6.84 |  |
| Yes, Full-time | 63 | 11.65 | 100 | 18.48 |  |
| No | 439 | 81.15 | 539 | 99.63 |  |
| No response | 2 | 0.37 | 541 | 100.00 |  |

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| 2.If yes, what is the highest degree you have achieved or are pursuing? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| q02 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |
| Another undergraduate degree | 2 | 2.00 | 2 | 2.00 |  |
| Master's or education specialist | 24 | 24.00 | 26 | 26.00 |  |
| Doctorate | 51 | 51.00 | 77 | 77.00 |  |
| First-professional degree (e.g., medicine, law) | 12 | 12.00 | 89 | 89.00 |  |
| Seeking additional credit hours rather than a degree | 9 | 9.00 | 98 | 98.00 |  |
| No response | 2 | 2.00 | 100 | 100.00 |  |

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| 3.What is your employment status? |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: |
| q03 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |  |
| Employed full-time (35 or more hrs/wk) | 462 | 85.40 | 462 | 85.40 |  |  |
| Employed part-time (less than 35 hrs/wk) | 35 | 6.47 | 497 | 91.87 |  |  |
| Unemployed, currently seeking employment | 12 | 2.22 | 509 | 94.09 |  |  |
| Unemployed, NOT seeking employment | 20 | 3.70 | 529 | 97.78 |  |  |
| No response | 12 | 2.22 | 541 | 100.00 |  |  |

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| 4.To what extent is your current position related to your graduate education? |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| q04 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| It is directly related to my graduate education | 386 | 77.67 | 386 | 77.67 |
| It is somewhat related to my graduate education | 89 | 17.91 | 475 | 95.57 |
| It is not related to my graduate education | 22 | 4.43 | 497 | 100.00 |


| 5.If your current position is not related to your graduate education, what best describes your situation? |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| q05 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative Frequency | Cumulative Percent |
| I found a more desirable position in another field | 6 | 27.27 | 6 | 27.27 |
| I was unable to find a position related to my graduate education | 8 | 36.36 | 14 | 63.64 |
| I have not seriously looked for a position related to my graduate education | 6 | 27.27 | 20 | 90.91 |
| Other | 2 | 9.09 | 22 | 100.00 |

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| 6.Which category best describes the environment where you are employed? |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| q06 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| Elementary, middle, or secondary school | 61 | 12.27 | 61 | 12.27 |
| Post-secondary, technical or two-year college | 11 | 2.21 | 72 | 14.49 |
| Four-year college or university | 45 | 9.05 | 117 | 23.54 |
| Research university | 69 | 13.88 | 186 | 37.42 |
| Business | 42 | 8.45 | 228 | 45.88 |
| Industry or manufacturing | 25 | 5.03 | 253 | 50.91 |
| Government | 51 | 10.26 | 304 | 61.17 |
| Non-profit organization | 34 | 6.84 | 338 | 68.01 |
| Health care | 122 | 24.55 | 460 | 92.56 |
| Self-employed | 7 | 1.41 | 467 | 93.96 |
| Other | 30 | 6.04 | 497 | 100.00 |

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| 7-1.How did you support yourself while attending UK? <br> --Research or graduate assistantships |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| q0701 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |
| Research or graduate assistantships | 151 | 27.91 | 151 | 27.91 |  |
| No response | 390 | 72.09 | 541 | 100.00 |  |


| 7-2.How did you support yourself while attending UK? |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| --Teaching assistantships |  |  |  |  |


| 7-3.How did you support yourself while attending UK? |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| --Fellowships |  |  |  |  |


| 7-4.How did you support yourself while attending UK? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| --Loans |  |  |  |  |  |


| 7-5.How did you support yourself while attending UK? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| --Grants |  |  |  |  |  |

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| 7-6.How did you support yourself while attending UK? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| --Personal earnings or saving |  |  |  |  |  |


| 7-7.How did you support yourself while attending UK? |  |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| --Other |  |  |  |  |  |


| 8. Rate the quality of the following aspects of your graduate education: | Number of Responses | Percentage of Responses |  |  |  | Mean | StDev |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Poor | Fair | Good | Excellent |  |  |
| Question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| a. Instruction in my program | 536 | 0.93 | 8.58 | 54.85 | 35.63 | 3.25 | 0.65 |
| b. Preparation to conduct research | 487 | 8.01 | 27.93 | 42.09 | 21.97 | 2.78 | 0.88 |
| c. Preparation for analysis \& assessment in my professional work | 520 | 2.69 | 15.19 | 53.08 | 29.04 | 3.08 | 0.74 |
| d. Advising on my thesis/dissertation | 320 | 6.88 | 18.13 | 38.44 | 36.56 | 3.05 | 0.91 |
| e. Availability of required courses | 531 | 1.88 | 11.86 | 43.13 | 43.13 | 3.27 | 0.74 |
| f. Availability of courses in my specialty area | 517 | 7.16 | 15.86 | 39.07 | 37.91 | 3.08 | 0.91 |
| g. Mentoring that assisted my obtaining employment | 411 | 22.38 | 23.60 | 30.41 | 23.60 | 2.55 | 1.08 |
| h. Curriculum in providing job-related skills and knowledge | 520 | 4.42 | 23.65 | 45.96 | 25.96 | 2.93 | 0.82 |
| i. Overall graduate experience | 536 | 1.49 | 12.13 | 53.92 | 32.46 | 3.17 | 0.69 |


| 9.Rate the satisfaction with academic support services: | Number of Responses | Percentage of Responses |  |  |  | Mean | StDev |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very dissatisfied | Dissatisfied | Satisfied | Very satisfied |  |  |
| Question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| a. Availability of computing recources | 514 | 0.58 | 6.03 | 62.45 | 30.93 | 3.24 | 0.58 |
| b. Adequacy of library holdings for my program | 516 | 0.97 | 7.56 | 59.88 | 31.59 | 3.22 | 0.62 |
| c. Opportunities to interact with faculty | 537 | 0.74 | 6.52 | 48.23 | 44.51 | 3.36 | 0.64 |


| 10.Rate your professional preparation: | Number of Responses | Percentage of Responses |  |  |  |  | Mean | StDev |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Strongly disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly agree |  |  |
| Question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| a. My course work prepared me for my qualifying examinations | 453 | 0.44 | 2.21 | 8.61 | 50.55 | 38.19 | 4.24 | 0.74 |
| b. I am well prepared to teach | 450 | 1.11 | 7.78 | 23.56 | 42.44 | 25.11 | 3.83 | 0.93 |
| c. A faculty member took a special interest in my progress | 526 | 3.23 | 11.41 | 16.16 | 35.36 | 33.84 | 3.85 | 1.11 |
| d. I was informed about my academic progress in a timely fashion | 534 | 2.25 | 5.43 | 10.86 | 53.00 | 28.46 | 4.00 | 0.90 |
| e. Financial aid was awarded fairly in my program | 412 | 3.40 | 4.85 | 27.18 | 43.93 | 20.63 | 3.74 | 0.95 |
| f. Mutual respect between students and professors | 536 | 1.87 | 4.48 | 13.99 | 47.76 | 31.90 | 4.03 | 0.90 |
| g. The department helped me find employment or pursue further study | 437 | 9.84 | 22.65 | 22.65 | 29.52 | 15.33 | 3.18 | 1.22 |

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| 11.If you could start your graduate education again, <br> would you enroll at UK? |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| q11 | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| Definitely not | 15 | 2.77 | 15 | 2.77 |
| Probably not | 51 | 9.43 | 66 | 12.20 |
| Probably yes | 252 | 46.58 | 318 | 58.78 |
| Definitely yes | 218 | 40.30 | 536 | 99.08 |
| No response | 5 | 0.92 | 541 | 100.00 |


| 12.Indicate your perception of the ACADEMIC CLIMATE for each of the student groups: | Number of Responses | Percentage of Responses |  |  |  | Mean | StDev |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very discriminatory | Discriminatory | Supportive | Very supportive |  |  |
| Question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| a. Women | 464 | 0.22 | 1.94 | 54.74 | 43.10 | 3.41 | 0.54 |
| b. Men | 456 | . | 1.75 | 50.44 | 47.81 | 3.46 | 0.53 |
| c. African American | 442 | 0.23 | 2.94 | 56.79 | 40.05 | 3.37 | 0.55 |
| d. Disabled students | 416 | 0.24 | 6.01 | 61.54 | 32.21 | 3.26 | 0.57 |
| e. Gays/Lesbians | 407 | 0.74 | 4.67 | 60.93 | 33.66 | 3.28 | 0.58 |
| f. International students | 443 | 1.13 | 4.51 | 55.30 | 39.05 | 3.32 | 0.61 |

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| 12.Indicate your perception of the SOCIAL CLIMATE <br> for each of the student groups: | $\begin{array}{\|c} \text { Number } \\ \text { of } \\ \text { Responses } \end{array}$ | Percentage of Responses |  |  |  | Mean | StDev |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Very discriminatory | Discriminatory | Supportive | Very supportive |  |  |
| Question |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| a. Women | 493 | 0.61 | 2.03 | 53.75 | 43.61 | 3.40 | 0.56 |
| b. Men | 483 | 0.21 | 1.04 | 51.97 | 46.79 | 3.45 | 0.53 |
| c. African American | 468 | 0.64 | 6.84 | 54.27 | 38.25 | 3.30 | 0.62 |
| d. Disabled students | 442 | 0.90 | 9.73 | 56.79 | 32.58 | 3.21 | 0.64 |
| e. Gays/Lesbians | 437 | 0.69 | 11.90 | 56.06 | 31.35 | 3.18 | 0.65 |
| f. International students | 475 | 1.05 | 8.63 | 54.53 | 35.79 | 3.25 | 0.65 |

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| Alumni sex |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| SEX | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |  |
| Female | 336 | 62.11 | 336 | 62.11 |  |
| Male | 205 | 37.89 | 541 | 100.00 |  |


| Alumni ethnicity |  |  |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| RACE | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| Nonresident Alien | 31 | 5.73 | 31 | 5.73 |
| African American | 13 | 2.40 | 44 | 8.13 |
| Asian | 10 | 1.85 | 54 | 9.98 |
| Hispanic | 3 | 0.55 | 57 | 10.54 |
| White | 484 | 89.46 | 541 | 100.00 |


| Alumni college |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| COLL | Frequency | Percent | Cumulative <br> Frequency | Cumulative <br> Percent |
| Agriculture | 30 | 5.55 | 30 | 5.55 |
| Arts \& Sciences | 69 | 12.75 | 99 | 18.30 |
| Business | 46 | 8.50 | 145 | 26.80 |
| Communication | 40 | 7.39 | 185 | 34.20 |
| Dentistry | 11 | 2.03 | 196 | 36.23 |
| Design | 1 | 0.18 | 197 | 36.41 |
| Education | 86 | 15.90 | 283 | 52.31 |
| Engineering | 29 | 5.36 | 312 | 57.67 |
| Fine Arts | 14 | 2.59 | 326 | 60.26 |
| Health Sciences | 45 | 8.32 | 371 | 68.58 |
| Human Environmental Sciences | 6 | 1.11 | 377 | 69.69 |
| Med Center Graduate School | 7 | 1.29 | 384 | 70.98 |
| Medicine | 39 | 7.21 | 423 | 78.19 |
| Nursing | 14 | 2.59 | 437 | 80.78 |
| Pharmacy | 35 | 6.47 | 472 | 87.25 |
| Provost Area Graduate School | 22 | 4.07 | 494 | 91.31 |
| Social Work | 47 | 8.69 | 541 | 100.00 |

