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Have you enrolled at a college or university since receiving degree from UK?				
Q3	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Yes, Part-time	20	5.19	20	5.19
Yes, Full-time	51	13.25	71	18.44
No	314	81.56	385	100.00

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If yes, what is the highest degree you have achieved or are pursuing?				
Q4	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Master's or education specialist	12	16.90	12	16.90
Doctorate	49	69.01	61	85.92
First-professional degree (e.g., medicine, law)	7	9.86	68	95.77
Seeking additional credit hours rather than a degree	3	4.23	71	100.00

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What is your employment status?				
Q6	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Employed full-time (35 or more hrs/wk)	328	85.19	328	85.19
Employed part-time (less than 35 hrs/wk)	38	9.87	366	95.06
Unemployed, currently seeking employment	7	1.82	373	96.88
Unemployed, NOT seeking employment	8	2.08	381	98.96
No response	4	1.04	385	100.00

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To what extent is your current position related to your graduate education?				
Q7	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
It is directly related to my graduate education	297	81.15	297	81.15
It is somewhat related to my graduate education	51	13.93	348	95.08
It is not related to my graduate education	18	4.92	366	100.00

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If your current position is not related to your graduate education, what best describes your situation?				
Q8	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
I found a more desirable position in another field	1	5.56	1	5.56
I was unable to find a position related to my graduate education	13	72.22	14	77.78
I have not seriously looked for a position related to my graduate education	1	5.56	15	83.33
Other	3	16.67	18	100.00

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Which category best describes the environment where you are employed?				
Q9	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Elementary, middle, or secondary school	29	8.33	29	8.33
Post-secondary, technical or two-year college	7	2.01	36	10.34
Four-year college or university	38	10.92	74	21.26
Research university	41	11.78	115	33.05
Business	42	12.07	157	45.11
Industry or manufacturing	13	3.74	170	48.85
Government	34	9.77	204	58.62
Non-profit organization	17	4.89	221	63.51
Health care	102	29.31	323	92.82
Self-employed	5	1.44	328	94.25
Other	20	5.75	348	100.00

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How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Research or graduate assistantships				
Q1101	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	270	70.13	270	70.13
Research or graduate assistantships	115	29.87	385	100.00

How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Teaching assistantships				
Q1102	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	318	82.60	318	82.60
Teachng assistantships	67	17.40	385	100.00

How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Fellowships				
Q1103	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	339	88.05	339	88.05
Fellowships	46	11.95	385	100.00

How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Loans				
Q1104	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	188	48.83	188	48.83
Loans	197	51.17	385	100.00

How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Grants				
Q1105	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	341	88.57	341	88.57
Grants	44	11.43	385	100.00

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How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Personal earnings or savings				
Q1106	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	157	40.78	157	40.78
Personal earnings or savings	228	59.22	385	100.00

How did you support yourself while attending UK? --Other				
Q1107	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
No response	358	92.99	358	92.99
Other	27	7.01	385	100.00

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Rate the quality of the following aspects of your graduate or first-professional education:	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent		
Question							
a. Instruction in my program	382	1.57	9.16	50.00	39.27	3.27	0.69
b. Preparation to conduct research	352	8.81	23.86	45.74	21.59	2.80	0.88
c. Preparation for analysis & assessment in my professional work	380	4.21	16.32	47.11	32.37	3.08	0.81
d. Advising on my thesis/dissertation	221	11.76	19.00	35.75	33.48	2.91	1.00
e. Availability of required courses	381	4.72	12.07	36.75	46.46	3.25	0.84
f. Availability of courses in my specialty area	372	9.14	16.13	34.68	40.05	3.06	0.96
g. Mentoring that assisted my obtaining employment	321	27.10	22.12	29.60	21.18	2.45	1.10
h. Curriculum in providing job-related skills and knowledge	379	11.35	22.43	40.11	26.12	2.81	0.95
i. Overall graduate experience	380	3.95	15.79	48.16	32.11	3.08	0.79

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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 resources	356	1.40	4.78	61.52	32.30	3.25	0.61
b. Adequacy of library holdings for my program	347	0.86	3.75	60.23	35.16	3.30	0.58
c. Opportunities to interact with faculty	383	1.31	6.53	50.65	41.51	3.32	0.65

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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	336	1.79	4.76	7.74	47.32	38.39	4.16	0.89
b. I am well prepared to teach	300	2.67	8.67	29.33	38.67	20.67	3.66	0.99
c. A faculty member took a special interest in my progress	377	5.04	11.94	19.10	32.36	31.56	3.73	1.17
d. I was informed about my academic progress in a timely fashion	379	2.37	3.96	12.66	50.40	30.61	4.03	0.90
e. Financial aid was awarded fairly in my program	300	7.00	11.33	24.33	39.33	18.00	3.50	1.12
f. Mutual respect between students and professors	380	3.42	8.16	14.21	45.00	29.21	3.88	1.03
g. The department helped me find employment or pursue further study	345	22.03	17.10	20.87	25.22	14.78	2.94	1.38

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If you could start your graduate education again, would you enroll at UK?				
Q18	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Definitely not	22	5.71	22	5.71
Probably not	42	10.91	64	16.62
Probably yes	184	47.79	248	64.42
Definitely yes	130	33.77	378	98.18
No response	7	1.82	385	100.00

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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	342	0.58	2.34	48.54	48.54	3.45	0.57
b. Men	342	1.17	2.05	50.00	46.78	3.42	0.60
c. African American	337	0.89	2.97	46.88	49.26	3.45	0.60
d. Disabled students	330	0.91	3.64	56.36	39.09	3.34	0.59
e. Gays/Lesbians	328	0.61	2.44	54.57	42.38	3.39	0.57
f. International students	335	1.49	3.28	45.37	49.85	3.44	0.63

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Indicate your perception of the SOCIAL CLIMATE for each of the student groups:	Number of Responses	Percentage of Responses				Mean	StDev
		Very discriminatory	Discriminatory	Supportive	Very supportive		
Question							
a. Women	360	0.83	2.78	45.56	50.83	3.46	0.60
b. Men	359	0.28	1.95	49.86	47.91	3.45	0.55
c. African American	351	0.57	5.13	45.30	49.00	3.43	0.62
d. Disabled students	345	0.58	5.80	53.33	40.29	3.33	0.61
e. Gays/Lesbians	344	0.58	4.36	51.16	43.90	3.38	0.60
f. International students	349	1.43	4.58	48.71	45.27	3.38	0.64

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Students' gender				
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Female	233	60.52	233	60.52
Male	152	39.48	385	100.00

Students' ethnicity group				
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American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0.26	1	0.26
Asian	7	1.82	8	2.08
Asian or Pacific Islander	2	0.52	10	2.60
Black (Non-Hispanic)	4	1.04	14	3.64
Hispanic	4	1.04	18	4.68
Nonresident Alien	15	3.90	33	8.57
Unknown	17	4.42	50	12.99
White (Non-Hispanic)	335	87.01	385	100.00

Students' college				
college	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Ag, Food and Environment	16	4.16	16	4.16
Arts and Sciences	37	9.61	53	13.77
Business & Economics	34	8.83	87	22.60
Communication and Information	27	7.01	114	29.61
Dentistry	4	1.04	118	30.65
Design	4	1.04	122	31.69
Education	43	11.17	165	42.86
Engineering	23	5.97	188	48.83
Fine Arts	5	1.30	193	50.13
Graduate School	13	3.38	206	53.51
Health Sciences	47	12.21	253	65.71
Law	28	7.27	281	72.99
Medicine	12	3.12	293	76.10

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college	Frequency	Percent	Cumulative Frequency	Cumulative Percent
Nursing	12	3.12	305	79.22
Pharmacy	35	9.09	340	88.31
Public Health	16	4.16	356	92.47
Social Work	29	7.53	385	100.00