

CANADIAN GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDENT --- **SURVEY**

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Summary Report

Master's Students - Without Thesis

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ASSIGNMENT OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE VERSION

1. Is your program research-based, under the supervision of a research supervisor / advisor, or is it more course-based without the same level of supervision? << Response Required [THESIS]

| Response | Student Response | |
|--|------------------|-----|
| | % | N |
| 1. Mostly research-based, and I already have a research supervisor / advisor << LONG STREAM | 7,1 | 32 |
| 2. Mostly research-based, but I still do not have a research supervisor / advisor << MEDIUM STREAM | 1,8 | 8 |
| 3. Mainly course-based (may include a final paper or internship) << SHORT STREAM | 91,2 | 413 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 453 |

1. EDUCATIONAL STATUS

2. At which degree level are you currently enrolled? [DEGREE_SELF_REPORT] [UNIV_PROGRAM_LEVEL]

| Response | Student Response | | University Data | |
|-------------------|------------------|-----|-----------------|-----|
| | % | N | % | N |
| 1. Master's | 100,0 | 453 | 100,0 | 453 |
| 2. Doctoral | 0,0 | 0 | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 453 | 100 | 453 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 0 | | |
| Total | | 453 | | |

3. In what disciplinary area are you pursuing your degree? [DISCIPLINE_COMBINED]

| Response | % | N |
|---|------|-----|
| 1. Humanities (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. Fine and Applied Arts (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 3. Social Sciences (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 4. Business/Management (All) | 14,6 | 66 |
| 5. Education (All) | 16,8 | 76 |
| 6. Engineering (All) | 3,1 | 14 |
| 7. Physical and Mathematical Sciences (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 8. Environmental Science (All) | 2,2 | 10 |
| 9. Biological Sciences (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 10. Health Science (All) | 26,3 | 119 |
| 11. Library & Information Sciences (Short) | 7,7 | 35 |
| 12. Architecture / Landscape Architecture / Urban Design / Planning (Short) | 2,7 | 12 |
| 13. Journalism (Short) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 14. Public Administration / Public Policy / International Relations (Short) | 1,8 | 8 |
| 15. Social Work (Short) | 4,4 | 20 |
| 16. Law (Short) | 1,3 | 6 |
| 17. Arts & Culture (Short) | 5,3 | 24 |
| 18. Finance / Mathematics / Computing (Short) | 1,6 | 7 |
| 19. Other (please specify) (All) | 12,2 | 55 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 452 |
| Missing data | 0,2 | 1 |
| Total | | 453 |

4. What is your current year of study? [YEARSTUDY] [UNIV_YEARSTUDY]

| Response | Student response | | University Data | |
|---------------------|------------------|-----|-----------------|-----|
| | % | N | % | N |
| 1. 1st year | 62,8 | 283 | 68,9 | 312 |
| 2. 2nd year | 32,4 | 146 | 28,3 | 128 |
| 3. 3rd year | 2,7 | 12 | 2,4 | 11 |
| 4. 4th year | 1,6 | 7 | 0,2 | 1 |
| 5. 5th year | 0,2 | 1 | 0,2 | 1 |
| 6. 6th year or more | 0,4 | 2 | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 451 | 100 | 453 |
| Missing data | 0,4 | 2 | | |
| Total | | 453 | | |

5. What is your current status in your graduate program? [STATUS]

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. I am still taking courses (All) | 94,9 | 428 |
| 2. I have completed coursework (All) | 5,1 | 23 |
| 3. I have passed qualifying exams / paper (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 4. I have had my thesis / dissertation proposal accepted (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 5. I have defended my thesis / dissertation / research paper (Long & Medium) | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 451 |
| Missing data | 0,4 | 2 |
| Total | | 453 |

6. What was your primary reason for enrolling in your graduate program? [PRIM_REASON_2]

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. To equip me to start a career in academia | 7,7 | 35 |
| 2. To equip me to advance an existing career in academia | 5,3 | 24 |
| 3. To equip me to start a career outside of academia | 47,7 | 216 |
| 4. To equip me to advance an existing career outside of academia | 23,0 | 104 |
| 5. To satisfy my interest in the field, regardless of career prospects | 13,0 | 59 |
| 6. Other (Please specify) | 3,3 | 15 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 453 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total | | 453 |

7. When do you expect to graduate? [GRADUATE_2]

| Response | % | N |
|-------------------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. This year | 50,6 | 228 |
| 2. Next year | 42,4 | 191 |
| 3. In two years | 4,7 | 21 |
| 4. In three years | 0,7 | 3 |
| 5. In four or more years | 1,3 | 6 |
| 6. I may not pursue till graduation | 0,4 | 2 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 451 |
| Missing data | 0,4 | 2 |
| Total | | 453 |

Other: Program/Degree Level, for Reporting (calculated, utilizing combined data) [UNIV_DEGREE]

| Response | % | N |
|------------------------------|-------|-----|
| 1. Doctoral | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. Master's - With Thesis | 0,0 | 0 |
| 3. Master's - Without Thesis | 100,0 | 453 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 453 |

Other: Academic Load [UNIV_ACADLOAD]

| Response | % | N |
|-------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Full-Time | 85,7 | 388 |
| 2. Part-Time | 14,4 | 65 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 453 |

2. GENERAL SATISFACTION**8. Please select your response to the following statements.**

* Responses included if this question (or a later one) has been answered.

| | | Definitely (5) | Probably (4) | Maybe (3) | Probably not (2) | Definitely not (1) | Mean out of 5 | N total |
|---|---|-------------------|-----------------|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|---------|
| 1. If you were to start your graduate / professional career again, would you select this same university? [StartOver_Univ] | N | 149 | 169 | 75 | 45 | 15 | 3,87 | 453 |
| | % | 32,9 | 37,3 | 16,6 | 9,9 | 3,3 | | |
| 2. If you were to start your graduate / professional career again, would you select the same field of study? [StartOver_Field] | N | 226 | 131 | 50 | 38 | 4 | 4,20 | 449 |
| | % | 50,3 | 29,2 | 11,1 | 8,5 | 0,9 | | |
| 3. Would you recommend this university to someone considering your program? [StartOver_Program] | N | 167 | 138 | 68 | 55 | 20 | 3,84 | 448 |
| | % | 37,3 | 30,8 | 15,2 | 12,3 | 4,5 | | |
| 4. Would you recommend this university to someone in another field? [StartOver_OtherField] | N | 154 | 144 | 107 | 32 | 13 | 3,88 | 450 |
| | % | 34,2 | 32,0 | 23,8 | 7,1 | 2,9 | | |
| 5. If you were to start your graduate career again, would you select the same faculty supervisor / advisor? (Long) [StartOver_Supervisor] | N | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 |
| | % | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | | |

3. SATISFACTION WITH PROGRAM, QUALITY OF INTERACTIONS, AND COURSEWORK**9. Please rate the following dimensions of your program.**

| | | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | N total |
|---|---|------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|---------|
| 1. The intellectual quality of the faculty [ProgRate_Faculty] | N | 199 | 152 | 53 | 25 | 6 | 4,18 | 435 |
| | % | 45,8 | 34,9 | 12,2 | 5,8 | 1,4 | | |
| 2. The intellectual quality of my fellow students [ProgRate_Students] | N | 135 | 181 | 85 | 27 | 8 | 3,94 | 436 |
| | % | 31,0 | 41,5 | 19,5 | 6,2 | 1,8 | | |
| 3. The relationship between faculty and graduate students [ProgRate_Relation] | N | 99 | 134 | 127 | 56 | 18 | 3,55 | 434 |
| | % | 22,8 | 30,9 | 29,3 | 12,9 | 4,2 | | |
| 4. Overall quality of graduate level teaching by faculty [ProgRate_Teaching] | N | 101 | 158 | 113 | 41 | 21 | 3,64 | 434 |
| | % | 23,3 | 36,4 | 26,0 | 9,5 | 4,8 | | |
| 5. Advice on the availability of financial support [ProgRate_FundingAdv] | N | 31 | 67 | 105 | 133 | 97 | 2,54 | 433 |
| | % | 7,2 | 15,5 | 24,3 | 30,7 | 22,4 | | |
| 6. Quality of academic advising and guidance [ProgRate_Advising] | N | 67 | 97 | 139 | 92 | 40 | 3,14 | 435 |
| | % | 15,4 | 22,3 | 32,0 | 21,2 | 9,2 | | |
| 7. Support received from non-academic staff members (Dept / Program admin, tech, etc.) [ProgRate_Staff] | N | 87 | 101 | 129 | 80 | 34 | 3,29 | 431 |
| | % | 20,2 | 23,4 | 29,9 | 18,6 | 7,9 | | |
| 8. Availability of area courses I needed to complete my program [ProgRate_CourseAvail] | N | 114 | 125 | 119 | 47 | 26 | 3,59 | 431 |
| | % | 26,5 | 29,0 | 27,6 | 10,9 | 6,0 | | |
| 9. Relationship of program content to my research / professional goals [ProgRate_Fit] | N | 110 | 153 | 101 | 49 | 19 | 3,66 | 432 |
| | % | 25,5 | 35,4 | 23,4 | 11,3 | 4,4 | | |
| 10. Opportunities for student collaboration or teamwork [ProgRate_Teamwork] | N | 162 | 154 | 83 | 26 | 8 | 4,01 | 433 |
| | % | 37,4 | 35,6 | 19,2 | 6,0 | 1,9 | | |
| 11. Opportunities to take coursework outside my own department [ProgRate_CourseOut] | N | 47 | 80 | 111 | 96 | 97 | 2,73 | 431 |
| | % | 10,9 | 18,6 | 25,8 | 22,3 | 22,5 | | |
| 12. Opportunities to engage in interdisciplinary work [ProgRate_Interdiscipline] | N | 66 | 104 | 122 | 83 | 56 | 3,10 | 431 |
| | % | 15,3 | 24,1 | 28,3 | 19,3 | 13,0 | | |
| 13. Amount of coursework [ProgRate_Workload] | N | 58 | 128 | 147 | 78 | 24 | 3,27 | 435 |
| | % | 13,3 | 29,4 | 33,8 | 17,9 | 5,5 | | |
| 14. Overall quality of my relationship with my supervisor / advisor (Long) [ProgRate_AdvisorRelationship] | N | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | --- | 0 |
| | % | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | 0,0 | | |

4. PROFESSIONAL SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

10. How would you rate the quality of the support and training you received in these areas?

| | | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | Did not use / participate (DN) | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|--|--------|------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1. Courses, workshops, or orientation on teaching (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_Teaching] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 2. Advice / workshops / tools on preparing for candidacy examinations (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_Exams] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. Feedback on your research (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_Feedback] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4. Advice / workshops / tools on standards for academic writing in your field (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_WriteSTD2] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 5. Advice/workshops/tools on writing grant proposals (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_WriteGrant] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6. Advice / workshops / tools on publishing your work (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_Publish] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 7. Advice / workshops / tools on job searching (CV preparation, interview skills, etc.) (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_JobHunt] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8. Advice / workshops / tools on career options inside academia (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_CareerAcad] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 9. Advice / workshops / tools on career options outside academia (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_CareerOth] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10. Advice / workshops / tools about research positions (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_ResPos] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 11. Advice / workshops / tools about research ethics in human subject research (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_HumanEthic] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 12. Advice / workshops / tools about research ethics in the use of animals (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_AnimEthic] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | Did not use / participate (DN) | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
| 13. Advice / workshops / tools on intellectual property issues (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_IP] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 14. Advice / workshops / tools on the standards for writing in your profession (Short) [ProfSkill_WriteSTD] | N % | 44 15,0 | 88 29,9 | 94 32,0 | 43 14,6 | 25 8,5 | 3,28 | 85 | 24 | 403 |
| 15. Advice / workshops / tools on career options (Short) [ProfSkill_Career] | N % | 54 16,7 | 83 25,6 | 99 30,6 | 56 17,3 | 32 9,9 | 3,22 | 66 | 11 | 401 |
| 16. Advice / workshops / tools on professional ethics (Short) [ProfSkill_ProfEthic] | N % | 73 22,2 | 92 28,0 | 82 24,9 | 53 16,1 | 29 8,8 | 3,39 | 66 | 8 | 403 |
| 17. Advice / workshops / tools on job preparation and professional practice (Short) [ProfSkill_ProfPractice] | N % | 62 18,3 | 99 29,3 | 90 26,6 | 44 13,0 | 43 12,7 | 3,28 | 56 | 7 | 401 |
| 18. Opportunities for internships, practicum, and experiential learning as part of the program (All) [ProfSkill_Internship] | N % | 90 25,1 | 99 27,7 | 78 21,8 | 49 13,7 | 42 11,7 | 3,41 | 33 | 10 | 401 |
| 19. Opportunities for contact (lectures, seminars, discussion) with practicing professionals (All) [ProfSkill_Contact] | N % | 90 23,9 | 120 31,9 | 76 20,2 | 63 16,8 | 27 7,2 | 3,49 | 22 | 2 | 400 |
| 20. Advice / workshops / tools on thesis writing process (Long & Medium) [ProfSkill_WriteThesis] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 21. Advice / workshops / tools on EDI and intercultural competencies (All) [ProfSkill_EDI] | N % | 53 16,8 | 84 26,7 | 78 24,8 | 61 19,4 | 39 12,4 | 3,16 | 60 | 23 | 398 |
| 22. Advice / workshops / tools on indigenization / reconciliation (with Indigenous People) (All) [ProfSkill_Reconcil] | N % | 56 17,3 | 71 22,0 | 72 22,3 | 63 19,5 | 61 18,9 | 2,99 | 52 | 26 | 401 |
| 23. Advice / workshops / training on the transferability of your professional skills acquired during your graduate studies, towards the workforce (such as: management, communication, collaboration, etc.) (All) [ProfSkill_Transfer] | N % | 61 17,3 | 83 23,6 | 82 23,3 | 65 18,5 | 61 17,3 | 3,05 | 37 | 12 | 401 |

5. RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

11. How would you rate the quality of the support and opportunities you received in these areas?

| | | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | Did not use / participate (DN) | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|--|--------|------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1. Conducting independent research since starting your graduate program [ResExp_Independent] | N % | 38 17,4 | 45 20,6 | 74 33,9 | 37 17,0 | 24 11,0 | 3,17 | 59 | 109 | 386 |
| 2. Training in research methods before beginning your own research [ResExp_Method] | N % | 30 11,7 | 55 21,5 | 92 35,9 | 49 19,1 | 30 11,7 | 3,02 | 40 | 90 | 386 |
| 3. Training / support on research tools specific to your research topic since starting your graduate program [ResExp_Tools] | N % | 30 11,8 | 64 25,2 | 86 33,9 | 44 17,3 | 30 11,8 | 3,08 | 37 | 95 | 386 |
| 4. Faculty guidance in formulating a research topic [ResExp_Guidance] | N % | 42 17,9 | 54 23,1 | 72 30,8 | 41 17,5 | 25 10,7 | 3,20 | 45 | 107 | 386 |
| 5. Research collaboration with one or more faculty members (Long & Medium) [ResExp_Collaboration] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 6. Collaboration with faculty in writing a grant proposal (Long & Medium) [ResExp_WriteGrant] | N % | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 | 0 |

6. PRESENTATIONS ET PUBLICATIONS

12. Please select if the following occurs in your department, and the number of times you were involved when appropriate.

| | Yes (1) | No (2) | N total | Number of times you were involved IF OCCURRENCE = YES | | | | | N total |
|--|-----------------|-------------|---------|--|------------|------------|----------|------------|---------|
| | | | | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4+ | |
| 1. Seminars / colloquia at which students present their research OCCURRED = [PresPub_Seminar] # TIMES = [PresPubNum_Seminar] | N 178 % 47,7 | 195 52,3 | 373 | 58 35,6 | 35 21,5 | 25 15,3 | 9 5,5 | 36 22,1 | 163 |
| 2. Departmental / faculty funding for students to attend scholarly / scientific meetings (not from supervisor / advisor grant) OCCURRED = [PresPub_DeptFundMeet] # TIMES = [PresPubNum_DeptFundMeet] | N 104 % 28,0 | 267 72,0 | 371 | 63 70,0 | 11 12,2 | 7 7,8 | 0 0,0 | 9 10,0 | 90 |
| 3. Other institutional funding for students to attend scholarly / scientific meetings (not from supervisor grant) OCCURRED = [PresPub_OtherFundMeet] # TIME = [PresPubNum_OtherFundMeet] | N 81 % 21,8 | 290 78,2 | 371 | 50 68,5 | 12 16,4 | 8 11,0 | 1 1,4 | 2 2,7 | 73 |
| 4. Scholarly meetings OCCURRED = [PresPub_NatlMeet] # TIME = [PresPubNum_NatlMeet] | N 133 % 35,7 | 240 64,3 | 373 | 47 39,8 | 17 14,4 | 17 14,4 | 9 7,6 | 28 23,7 | 118 |
| 5. Deliver any papers or present a poster at scholarly / scientific meetings (Long) OCCURRED = [PresPub_PresMeet] # TIME = [PresPubNum_PresMeet] | N 0 % 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 |
| 6. Co-authored in refereed journals with your program faculty (Long) OCCURRED = [PresPub_CoAuth] # TIME = [PresPubNum_CoAuth] | N 0 % 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 |
| 7. Published as sole or first author in a refereed journal (Long) OCCURRED = [PresPub_Author] # TIME = [PresPubNum_Author] | N 0 % 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 |

7. SUPERVISOR / ADVISOR AND THESIS / DISSERTATION / RESEARCH PAPER (Long stream only)

13. Thesis / Dissertation supervisors / advisors engage in a variety of mentoring activities. For each of the following statements, indicate the extent that it describes the behavior of your supervisor / advisor.

| | Strongly agree (4) | Agree (3) | Disagree (2) | Strongly disagree (1) | Mean out of 4 | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|---|--------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------|
| 1. My supervisor / advisor was knowledgeable about formal degree requirements [Advisor_DegReq] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 2. My supervisor / advisor served as my advocate when necessary [Advisor_Advocate] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 3. My supervisor / advisor gave me constructive feedback on my work [Advisor_Feedback] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 4. My supervisor / advisor returned my work promptly [Advisor_Promptly] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 5. My supervisor / advisor promoted my professional development [Advisor_ProfDev] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 6. My supervisor / advisor overall, performed the role well [Advisor_Role] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 7. My supervisor / advisor was available for regular meetings [Advisor_Available] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 8. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful to me in preparing for written qualifying exams [Advisor_WrittenEx] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 9. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful to me in preparing for the oral qualifying exam [Advisor_OralEx] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 10. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful to me in selecting a dissertation topic [Advisor_DissTop] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 11. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful to me in writing a dissertation prospectus or proposal [Advisor_ResProp] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 12. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful to me in writing the dissertation [Advisor_DissWrite] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 13. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful to me in selecting the dissertation committee [Advisor_DissCmtee] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 14. My supervisor / advisor encouraged discussions about the current job market and various career prospects [Advisor_JobMarket] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |
| 15. My supervisor / advisor was very helpful defining my study plan and outlining steps to program completion [Advisor_StudyPlan] | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | 0 0,0 | --- | 0 | 0 |

14. On average, how often per month do you meet or communicate with your dissertation advisor about...

| Response | [DisResults] Your ongoing research and results? | | [DisDraft] Your writing of the dissertation draft? | |
|---|--|----|---|----|
| | % | N | % | N |
| 1. Less than once a month | 0,0 | 0 | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. One to three times (at least once a month) | 0,0 | 0 | 0,0 | 0 |
| 3. Four or more times (at least once a week) | 0,0 | 0 | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 32 | 0,0 | 32 |
| Total | | 32 | | 32 |

15. Do you have an advisory committee? [AdvCmte]

| Response | % | N |
|-------------------|-----|----|
| 1. Yes | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. No | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 0 | 0 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 32 |
| Total | | 32 |

16. Please specify which statement(s) best describe your situation. (Check all that apply) (Show if AdvCmtte = Yes)

| Response | % | N |
|--|-----|---|
| 1. My advisory committee expects to receive from me a written progress report, at least once a year [AdvCmtte_ProgRep] | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. I am expected to meet at least annually with my advisory committee [AdvCmtte_AnnMeet] | 0,0 | 0 |
| 3. I have already interacted at least once with my advisory committee [AdvCmtte_Met] | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | --- | 0 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total | | 0 |

17. How have you interacted with your advisory committee? (Show if question 16 = I have already interacted at least once with my advisory committee) [AdvCmtte_Interact]

| Response | % | N |
|------------------------|-----|---|
| 1. In a formal meeting | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. Only informally | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 0 | 0 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total | | 0 |

18. Up to now, I have found my advisory committee's feedback constructive and useful. (Show if question 16 = I have already interacted at least once with my advisory committee) [AdvCmtte_Useful]

| Response | % | N |
|----------------------|-----|---|
| 1. Strongly agree | 0,0 | 0 |
| 2. Agree | 0,0 | 0 |
| 3. Disagree | 0,0 | 0 |
| 4. Strongly disagree | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 0 | 0 |
| Missing data | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total | | 0 |

8. FINANCIAL SUPPORT

19. Please check all of the following forms of support you received while you have been enrolled in your program. (Please check if you received support from this source)

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. Federal Granting Council Scholarship / Fellowship [FinSup_Fed] | 6,6 | 22 |
| 2. Provincial Government Scholarship / Fellowship [FinSup_Prov] | 10,7 | 36 |
| 3. Support from a Foreign Government [FinSup_Foreign] | 3,6 | 12 |
| 4. External (to university) non-government fellowship [FinSup_External] | 4,5 | 15 |
| 5. Provincial bursary (non-refundable) [FinSup_ProvBursary] | 18,2 | 61 |
| 6. University funded bursary [FinSup_UnivBursary] | 23,8 | 80 |
| 7. University funded fellowships [FinSup_UnivFellowship] | 6,9 | 23 |
| 8. Full tuition scholarships or waivers [FinSup_FullWaiver] | 2,7 | 9 |
| 9. Partial tuition scholarships or waivers [FinSup_PartWaiver] | 18,8 | 63 |
| 10. Graduate research assistantship [FinSup_RA] | 7,1 | 24 |
| 11. Graduate teaching assistantship [FinSup_TA] | 6,3 | 21 |
| 12. Other part-time research employment [FinSup_PTResearch] | 3,6 | 12 |
| 13. Other part-time teaching employment [FinSup_PTTeaching] | 1,8 | 6 |
| 14. Residence Donship [FinSup_ResDonship] | 0,0 | 0 |
| 15. Other on-campus employment [FinSup_OthCampusJob] | 10,1 | 34 |
| 16. Off campus employment [FinSup_OffCampusJob] | 27,1 | 91 |
| 17. Employee benefit or employer funding [FinSup_Benefit] | 0,9 | 3 |
| 18. Loans, savings, or family assistance [FinSup_LoanAssist] | 56,0 | 188 |
| 19. Travel financial support for academic activities [FinSup_TravelAssist] | 2,7 | 9 |
| Total respondents | --- | 336 |
| Missing data | 25,8 | 117 |
| Total | | 453 |

20. Please estimate the amount of undergraduate educational debt you will have to repay when you have completed your graduate degree here. [UGDebt]

| Response | % | N |
|------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. \$0 | 73,4 | 243 |
| 2. \$1 – \$9,999 | 7,0 | 23 |
| 3. \$10,000 – \$19,999 | 6,7 | 22 |
| 4. \$20,000 – \$29,999 | 4,8 | 16 |
| 5. \$30,000 – \$39,999 | 4,5 | 15 |
| 6. \$40,000 – \$49,999 | 1,2 | 4 |
| 7. \$50,000 – \$59,999 | 0,9 | 3 |
| 8. \$60,000 – \$69,999 | 0,6 | 2 |
| 9. \$70,000 – \$79,999 | 0,3 | 1 |
| 10. \$80,000 or more | 0,6 | 2 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 331 |
| Missing data | 26,9 | 122 |
| Total | | 453 |

21. Please estimate the amount of graduate educational debt you will have to repay when you have completed your graduate degree here. [GDebt]

| Response | % | N |
|------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. \$0 | 36,8 | 132 |
| 2. \$1 – \$9,999 | 16,2 | 58 |
| 3. \$10,000 – \$19,999 | 16,4 | 59 |
| 4. \$20,000 – \$29,999 | 10,9 | 39 |
| 5. \$30,000 – \$39,999 | 6,1 | 22 |
| 6. \$40,000 – \$49,999 | 7,0 | 25 |
| 7. \$50,000 – \$59,999 | 3,9 | 14 |
| 8. \$60,000 – \$69,999 | 2,2 | 8 |
| 9. \$70,000 – \$79,999 | 0,6 | 2 |
| 10. \$80,000 or more | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 359 |
| Missing data | 20,8 | 94 |
| Total | | 453 |

9. UNIVERSITY RESOURCES AND STUDENT LIFE

22. Please rate the following university resources based on the quality you have experienced while using them. Please answer regarding your most recent year's experience in the graduate school at this university.

| | | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | Did not participate (DN) | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|---|---|---------------|---------------|----------|----------|----------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------|
| 1. Library facilities [UnivLibrary] | N | 102 | 107 | 68 | 19 | 6 | 3,93 | 55 | 11 | 368 |
| | % | 33,8 | 35,4 | 22,5 | 6,3 | 2,0 | | | | |
| 2. Graduate student office space [UnivGradOffice] | N | 37 | 50 | 55 | 25 | 31 | 3,19 | 114 | 51 | 363 |
| | % | 18,7 | 25,3 | 27,8 | 12,6 | 15,7 | | | | |
| 3. Research laboratories [UnivLab] | N | 19 | 29 | 26 | 21 | 5 | 3,36 | 139 | 125 | 364 |
| | % | 19,0 | 29,0 | 26,0 | 21,0 | 5,0 | | | | |
| 4. Health care services (including primary and specialist care) [UnivHealth] | N | 28 | 41 | 39 | 45 | 45 | 2,81 | 135 | 33 | 366 |
| | % | 14,1 | 20,7 | 19,7 | 22,7 | 22,7 | | | | |
| 5. Mental health care services (Mental Health and Psychological support) [UnivMentalHealth] | N | 39 | 31 | 34 | 33 | 44 | 2,93 | 154 | 30 | 365 |
| | % | 21,5 | 17,1 | 18,8 | 18,2 | 24,3 | | | | |
| 6. Child care services [UnivChild] | N | 8 | 14 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 3,57 | 198 | 129 | 362 |
| | % | 22,9 | 40,0 | 17,1 | 11,4 | 8,6 | | | | |
| 7. Financial aid office [UnivFinAid] | N | 22 | 29 | 35 | 19 | 24 | 3,05 | 178 | 58 | 365 |
| | % | 17,1 | 22,5 | 27,1 | 14,7 | 18,6 | | | | |
| 8. Career services [UnivCareer] | N | 41 | 49 | 51 | 29 | 19 | 3,34 | 150 | 25 | 364 |
| | % | 21,7 | 25,9 | 27,0 | 15,3 | 10,1 | | | | |
| 9. Student counselling & resource center [UnivCounsel] | N | 37 | 43 | 35 | 33 | 23 | 3,22 | 165 | 29 | 365 |
| | % | 21,6 | 25,1 | 20,5 | 19,3 | 13,5 | | | | |
| 10. Academic support services (Writing Center, etc.) [UnivAcad] | N | 34 | 30 | 28 | 25 | 10 | 3,42 | 203 | 33 | 363 |
| | % | 26,8 | 23,6 | 22,0 | 19,7 | 7,9 | | | | |
| 11. Athletic facilities [UnivAthletic] | N | 32 | 38 | 43 | 21 | 13 | 3,37 | 182 | 36 | 365 |
| | % | 21,8 | 25,9 | 29,3 | 14,3 | 8,8 | | | | |
| 12. Services to international students attending this university [UnivInternatIN] | N | 23 | 30 | 24 | 28 | 16 | 3,13 | 118 | 126 | 365 |
| | % | 19,0 | 24,8 | 19,8 | 23,1 | 13,2 | | | | |
| | | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | Did not participate (DN) | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
| 13. Services to students from this university studying abroad (or preparing to) [UnivInternatOUT] | N | 11 | 15 | 12 | 8 | 5 | 3,37 | 158 | 155 | 364 |
| | % | 21,6 | 29,4 | 23,5 | 15,7 | 9,8 | | | | |
| 14. Housing assistance [UnivHousing] | N | 9 | 17 | 16 | 13 | 12 | 2,97 | 185 | 114 | 366 |
| | % | 13,4 | 25,4 | 23,9 | 19,4 | 17,9 | | | | |
| 15. Ombudsperson's office (or similar office) [UnivOmbud] | N | 9 | 16 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 3,37 | 213 | 106 | 365 |
| | % | 19,6 | 34,8 | 19,6 | 15,2 | 10,9 | | | | |
| 16. Public / Campus transportation service [UnivTransport] | N | 35 | 58 | 46 | 33 | 10 | 3,41 | 136 | 47 | 365 |
| | % | 19,2 | 31,9 | 25,3 | 18,1 | 5,5 | | | | |
| 17. Food services [UnivFood] | N | 10 | 35 | 53 | 46 | 34 | 2,67 | 139 | 45 | 362 |
| | % | 5,6 | 19,7 | 29,8 | 25,8 | 19,1 | | | | |
| 18. University bookstore [UnivBooks] | N | 25 | 63 | 87 | 39 | 11 | 3,23 | 118 | 20 | 363 |
| | % | 11,1 | 28,0 | 38,7 | 17,3 | 4,9 | | | | |
| 19. Student government office [UnivGovt] | N | 13 | 23 | 33 | 18 | 10 | 3,11 | 216 | 50 | 363 |
| | % | 13,4 | 23,7 | 34,0 | 18,6 | 10,3 | | | | |
| 20. Registrarial processes [UnivRegistrar] | N | 27 | 51 | 92 | 49 | 13 | 3,13 | 104 | 26 | 362 |
| | % | 11,6 | 22,0 | 39,7 | 21,1 | 5,6 | | | | |
| 21. Information technology services [UnivITS] | N | 34 | 57 | 75 | 40 | 10 | 3,30 | 120 | 26 | 362 |
| | % | 15,7 | 26,4 | 34,7 | 18,5 | 4,6 | | | | |
| 22. Disability / Access services office [UnivDisabl] | N | 16 | 22 | 16 | 9 | 13 | 3,25 | 188 | 98 | 362 |
| | % | 21,1 | 28,9 | 21,1 | 11,8 | 17,1 | | | | |
| 23. Indigenous Student Center [UnivFirstNation] | N | 8 | 14 | 11 | 4 | 5 | 3,38 | 204 | 116 | 362 |
| | % | 19,0 | 33,3 | 26,2 | 9,5 | 11,9 | | | | |
| 24. Center for students from other cultures [UnivCultur] | N | 12 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 9 | 3,17 | 216 | 86 | 362 |
| | % | 20,0 | 25,0 | 21,7 | 18,3 | 15,0 | | | | |

23. In some universities, resources are offered in multiple locations. To distinguish between resources or services that are offered by a "local office", for example based in a school, department or faculty, as opposed to a "central office" location offering their services campus-wide, please indicate if your rating applies to services received from a "local office" or from a "central office", or applies to both. (Please answer regarding your most recent year's experience in the graduate school at this university)(Show the item if an answer was given to it in the question above, excluding "Did not participate" and "Not applicable")

| | | Local office (1) | Central office (2) | Both (3) | N total |
|--|-----------------|------------------|--------------------|----------|---------|
| 1. Library facilities [UnivLibraryLOC] | N 77 % 26,4 | 135 46,2 | 80 27,4 | 292 | |
| 2. Graduate student office space [UnivGradOfficeLOC] | N 106 % 56,7 | 41 21,9 | 40 21,4 | 187 | |
| 3. Research laboratories [UnivLabLOC] | N 59 % 63,4 | 18 19,4 | 16 17,2 | 93 | |
| 4. Health care services (including primary and specialist care) [UnivHealthLOC] | N 31 % 16,5 | 122 64,9 | 35 18,6 | 188 | |
| 5. Mental health care services (Mental Health and Psychological support) [UnivMentalHealthLOC] | N 43 % 24,7 | 100 57,5 | 31 17,8 | 174 | |
| 6. Child care services [UnivChildLOC] | N 13 % 38,2 | 12 35,3 | 9 26,5 | 34 | |
| 7. Financial aid office [UnivFinAidLOC] | N 33 % 27,3 | 66 54,6 | 22 18,2 | 121 | |
| 8. Career services [UnivCareerLOC] | N 68 % 38,4 | 65 36,7 | 44 24,9 | 177 | |
| 9. Student counselling & resource center [UnivCounselLOC] | N 49 % 30,6 | 68 42,5 | 43 26,9 | 160 | |
| 10. Academic support services (Writing Center, etc.) [UnivAcadLOC] | N 33 % 27,7 | 52 43,7 | 34 28,6 | 119 | |
| 11. Athletic facilities [UnivAthleticLOC] | N 27 % 19,6 | 86 62,3 | 25 18,1 | 138 | |
| 12. Services to international students attending this university [UnivINLOC] | N 21 % 18,8 | 58 51,8 | 33 29,5 | 112 | |
| | | Local office (1) | Central office (2) | Both (3) | N total |
| 13. Services to students from this university studying abroad (or preparing to) [UnivOUTLOC] | N 12 % 25,0 | 22 45,8 | 14 29,2 | 48 | |
| 14. Housing assistance [UnivHousingLOC] | N 14 % 23,7 | 29 49,2 | 16 27,1 | 59 | |
| 15. Ombudsperson's office (or similar office) [UnivOmbudLOC] | N 13 % 30,2 | 18 41,9 | 12 27,9 | 43 | |
| 16. Public / Campus transportation service [UnivTransportLOC] | N 32 % 18,6 | 96 55,8 | 44 25,6 | 172 | |
| 17. Food services [UnivFoodLOC] | N 46 % 26,9 | 78 45,6 | 47 27,5 | 171 | |
| 18. University bookstore [UnivBooksLOC] | N 47 % 21,9 | 130 60,5 | 38 17,7 | 215 | |
| 19. Student government office [UnivGovtLOC] | N 21 % 23,1 | 40 44,0 | 30 33,0 | 91 | |
| 20. Registrarial processes [UnivRegistrarLOC] | N 60 % 27,2 | 99 44,8 | 62 28,1 | 221 | |
| 21. Information technology services [UnivITSLOC] | N 41 % 20,2 | 108 53,2 | 54 26,6 | 203 | |
| 22. Disability / Access services office [UnivDisablLOC] | N 21 % 28,8 | 32 43,8 | 20 27,4 | 73 | |
| 23. Indigenous Student Center [UnivFirstNationLOC] | N 14 % 35,9 | 18 46,2 | 7 18,0 | 39 | |
| 24. Center for students from other cultures [UnivCulturLOC] | N 13 % 24,1 | 25 46,3 | 16 29,6 | 54 | |

10. SOCIAL LIFE

| 24. How often do the following social activities occur on campus and how often do you attend them, when appropriate? | | FREQUENCY OF OCCURRENCE OF ACTIVITIES | | | | FREQUENCY OF YOUR ATTENDANCE <i>If Occurrence = Frequently or Occasionally</i> | | | |
|--|----------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|------------|---|--------------------|-----------|---------|
| | | Fre- quently (3) | Occa- sionally (2) | Never (1) | N total | Fre- quently (3) | Occa- sionally (2) | Never (1) | N total |
| 1. Organized university-wide social activities OCCURRENCE = [SocACT_Univ] ATTENDANCE = [SocATT_Univ] | N 46 % 12,6 | 150 41,0 | 170 46,5 | 366 | 10 5,5 | 91 50,3 | 80 44,2 | 181 | |
| 2. Organized social activities within your department OCCURRENCE = [SocACT_Dept] ATTENDANCE = [SocATT_Dept] | N 60 % 16,4 | 196 53,7 | 109 29,9 | 365 | 44 19,2 | 148 64,6 | 37 16,2 | 229 | |
| 3. Organized social activities within your supervisor / advisor / research group OCCURRENCE = [SocACT_Group] ATTENDANCE = [SocATT_Group] | N 28 % 7,8 | 80 22,4 | 249 69,8 | 357 | 30 31,3 | 54 56,3 | 12 12,5 | 96 | |
| 4. Organized social activities within your residence OCCURRENCE = [SocACT_Residence] ATTENDANCE = [SocATT_Residence] | N 12 % 3,4 | 35 9,9 | 305 86,7 | 352 | 12 32,4 | 18 48,7 | 7 18,9 | 37 | |

25. In the current academic year, when allowed, have you been physically present on campus (or affiliated institute) on a regular basis, or have you been away most of the time (out of town, out of the country, field work, distance program, working at a separate location, etc.)? [PRESENT]

| Response | % | N |
|--------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Physically present | 74,9 | 274 |
| 2. Away most of the time | 25,1 | 92 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 366 |
| Missing data | 19,2 | 87 |
| Total | | 453 |

26. How many hours, on average, do you spend each week on your studies and/or your research? [STUDY_TIME]

| Response | % | N |
|----------------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Less than 10 hours | 6,0 | 22 |
| 2. Between 10 hours and 20 hours | 26,7 | 97 |
| 3. Between 20 hours and 30 hours | 28,9 | 105 |
| 4. 30 hours or more | 38,5 | 140 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 364 |
| Missing data | 19,6 | 89 |
| Total | | 453 |

27. How many hours, on average, do you spend each week doing paid work (with little or no connection to your studies and/or your research)? [WORK_TIME]

| Response | % | N |
|----------------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Less than 10 hours | 66,1 | 236 |
| 2. Between 10 hours and 20 hours | 19,9 | 71 |
| 3. Between 20 hours and 30 hours | 5,3 | 19 |
| 4. 30 hours or more | 8,7 | 31 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 357 |
| Missing data | 21,2 | 96 |
| Total | | 453 |

11. GENERAL ASSESSMENT

28. Overall, how would you rate the quality of...

| | Excellent (5) | Very good (4) | Good (3) | Fair (2) | Poor (1) | Mean out of 5 | N total |
|---|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------|
| 1. Your academic experience at this university [QualAcad] | N 81 % 22,4 | N 124 % 34,3 | N 97 % 26,8 | N 41 % 11,3 | N 19 % 5,3 | 3,57 | 362 |
| 2. Your student life experience at this university [QualLife] | N 43 % 11,9 | N 76 % 21,1 | N 112 % 31,0 | N 76 % 21,1 | N 54 % 15,0 | 2,94 | 361 |
| 3. Your graduate / professional program at this university [QualProg] | N 77 % 21,3 | N 116 % 32,1 | N 91 % 25,2 | N 45 % 12,5 | N 32 % 8,9 | 3,45 | 361 |
| 4. Your overall experience at this university [QualOverall] | N 65 % 18,0 | N 120 % 33,2 | N 107 % 29,6 | N 46 % 12,7 | N 24 % 6,6 | 3,43 | 362 |

29. Please indicate your level of agreement or disagreement with the following statements.

| | Strongly agree (4) | Agree (3) | Disagree (2) | Strongly disagree (1) | Mean out of 4 | N total |
|--|--------------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------|
| 1. I feel like a valued member of my department / faculty [Feel_Dept] | N 67 % 18,7 | N 183 % 51,0 | N 76 % 21,2 | N 33 % 9,2 | 2,79 | 359 |
| 2. I feel like a part of the community (feel part of a group, or share a common goal, interest, or values) at the institution [Feel_Community] | N 67 % 18,7 | N 177 % 49,3 | N 78 % 21,7 | N 37 % 10,3 | 2,76 | 359 |

30. Considering your student experiences so far at this institution, how would you rate your overall well-being? [FEEL_OVERALL]

| Response | % | N |
|--------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Excellent | 12,5 | 45 |
| 2. Very good | 28,8 | 104 |
| 3. Good | 32,7 | 118 |
| 4. Fair | 17,2 | 62 |
| 5. Poor | 6,9 | 25 |
| 6. Prefer not to respond | 1,9 | 7 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 361 |
| Missing data | 20,3 | 92 |
| Total | | 453 |

31. Rate the extent to which the following factors are an obstacle to your academic progress.

| | Not an obstacle (3) | A minor obstacle (2) | A major obstacle (1) | Mean out of 3 | N total |
|---|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------|
| 1. Work commitments [ObsWork_2] | N 188 % 52,7 | N 123 % 34,5 | N 46 % 12,9 | 2,40 | 357 |
| 2. Financial pressures [ObsFin] | N 108 % 30,3 | N 138 % 38,7 | N 111 % 31,1 | 1,99 | 357 |
| 3. Family obligations [ObsFamily] | N 186 % 52,1 | N 117 % 32,8 | N 54 % 15,1 | 2,37 | 357 |
| 4. Availability of faculty [ObsFaculty] | N 245 % 68,8 | N 87 % 24,4 | N 24 % 6,7 | 2,62 | 356 |
| 5. Program structure or requirements [ObsProgram] | N 128 % 35,8 | N 163 % 45,5 | N 67 % 18,7 | 2,17 | 358 |
| 6. Course scheduling [ObsSchedule] | N 158 % 44,1 | N 151 % 42,2 | N 49 % 13,7 | 2,30 | 358 |
| 7. Immigration laws or regulations [ObsImmigration] | N 268 % 75,5 | N 55 % 15,5 | N 32 % 9,0 | 2,66 | 355 |
| 8. Other (please specify) [ObsOther] | N 154 % 80,6 | N 10 % 5,2 | N 27 % 14,1 | 2,66 | 191 |

32. As it relates to your current program, how important is it to have the opportunity to...

| | | Not important (1) | Somewhat important (2) | Very important (3) | Mean out of 3 | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|--|---|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------|
| 1. Study abroad [Importance_SInt] | N | 138 | 96 | 78 | 1,81 | 45 | 357 |
| | % | 44,2 | 30,8 | 25,0 | | | |
| 2. Collaborate on research internationally [Importance_RInt] | N | 101 | 102 | 91 | 1,97 | 61 | 355 |
| | % | 34,4 | 34,7 | 31,0 | | | |
| 3. Work / Collaborate with not for profit organizations [Importance_Org] | N | 80 | 124 | 116 | 2,11 | 35 | 355 |
| | % | 25,0 | 38,8 | 36,3 | | | |
| 4. Work / Collaborate with businesses [Importance_Bus] | N | 103 | 89 | 125 | 2,07 | 39 | 356 |
| | % | 32,5 | 28,1 | 39,4 | | | |
| 5. Work / Collaborate with local / provincial / federal government [Importance_Gov] | N | 75 | 110 | 133 | 2,18 | 36 | 354 |
| | % | 23,6 | 34,6 | 41,8 | | | |
| 6. Work / Collaborate with other academics / graduate students at other research institutions in Canada [Importance_Res] | N | 71 | 123 | 114 | 2,14 | 48 | 356 |
| | % | 23,1 | 39,9 | 37,0 | | | |
| 7. Work / Collaborate with other academics / graduate students in other departments / disciplines at the same university [Importance_Disc] | N | 64 | 150 | 113 | 2,15 | 28 | 355 |
| | % | 19,6 | 45,9 | 34,6 | | | |

33. To date, as it relates to your current program, have opportunities been available to ...

| | | No opportunity (1) | Yes, to some extent (2) | Yes, to a great extent (3) | Mean out of 3 | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|--|---|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------|
| 1. Study abroad [Opport_SInt] | N | 159 | 93 | 22 | 1,50 | 81 | 355 |
| | % | 58,0 | 33,9 | 8,0 | | | |
| 2. Collaborate on research internationally [Opport_RInt] | N | 164 | 81 | 15 | 1,43 | 96 | 356 |
| | % | 63,1 | 31,2 | 5,8 | | | |
| 3. Work / Collaborate with not for profit organizations [Opport_Org] | N | 137 | 113 | 43 | 1,68 | 59 | 352 |
| | % | 46,8 | 38,6 | 14,7 | | | |
| 4. Work / Collaborate with businesses [Opport_Bus] | N | 150 | 87 | 46 | 1,63 | 71 | 354 |
| | % | 53,0 | 30,7 | 16,3 | | | |
| 5. Work / Collaborate with local / provincial / federal governments [Opport_Gov] | N | 169 | 81 | 32 | 1,51 | 70 | 352 |
| | % | 59,9 | 28,7 | 11,3 | | | |
| 6. Work / Collaborate with other academics / graduate students at other research institutions in Canada [Opport_Res] | N | 149 | 96 | 26 | 1,55 | 82 | 353 |
| | % | 55,0 | 35,4 | 9,6 | | | |
| 7. Work / Collaborate with other academics / graduate students in other departments / disciplines at the same university [Opport_Disc] | N | 130 | 135 | 30 | 1,66 | 59 | 354 |
| | % | 44,1 | 45,8 | 10,2 | | | |

12. COVID-19 SITUATION**34. To what extent are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the following aspects of how your university responded to the COVID-19 pandemic during the 2020-2021 academic year?**

| | | Very satisfied (4) | Satisfied (3) | Dissatisfied (2) | Very dissatisfied (1) | Mean out of 4 | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|---|---|--------------------|---------------|------------------|-----------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------|
| 1. The way the University organized instruction [Covid_Instruct] | N | 71 | 178 | 69 | 33 | 2,82 | 6 | 357 |
| | % | 20,2 | 50,7 | 19,7 | 9,4 | | | |
| 2. The University's efforts to protect the health of its students [Covid_Health] | N | 88 | 158 | 57 | 47 | 2,82 | 6 | 356 |
| | % | 25,1 | 45,1 | 16,3 | 13,4 | | | |
| 3. Communications from the University about its responses to COVID-19 [Covid_Response] | N | 111 | 163 | 48 | 28 | 3,02 | 7 | 357 |
| | % | 31,7 | 46,6 | 13,7 | 8,0 | | | |
| 4. The accommodations the University made for conducting research on campus [Covid_Accomodations] | N | 59 | 105 | 23 | 18 | 3,00 | 150 | 355 |
| | % | 28,8 | 51,2 | 11,2 | 8,8 | | | |

35. Has the COVID-19 pandemic delayed the progression of your program or studies? [COVID_DELAY]

| Response | % | N |
|----------------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Yes | 12,6 | 45 |
| 2. No | 75,8 | 270 |
| 3. I don't know / Not applicable | 11,5 | 41 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 356 |
| Missing data | 21,4 | 97 |
| Total | | 453 |

36. The COVID-19 delayed your program by how many terms?

(Show if [COVID_DELAY] = Yes) [COVID_DELAYNUM]

| Response | % | N |
|-----------------------|-------|----|
| 1. One term | 36,4 | 16 |
| 2. Two terms | 50,0 | 22 |
| 3. Three terms | 4,6 | 2 |
| 4. Four or more terms | 9,1 | 4 |
| Total respondents | 100,0 | 44 |
| Missing data | 2,2 | 1 |
| Total | | 45 |

37. In which of the following ways was the progression of your program or studies affected by the COVID-19 pandemic?

| | | Yes (1) | No (2) | Not applicable (NA) | N total |
|---|--------|------------|-------------|---------------------------|---------|
| 1. I needed to change my major project / research topic [Covid_Affect_Topic] | N % | 15 4,3 | 152 43,2 | 185 52,6 | 352 |
| 2. I needed to delay my data collection timeline [Covid_Affect_Timeline] | N % | 21 6,0 | 126 36,0 | 203 58,0 | 350 |
| 3. I was unable to secure a travel visa [Covid_Affect_Visa] | N % | 33 9,4 | 117 33,4 | 200 57,1 | 350 |
| 4. I needed to change my research supervisor / advisor [Covid_Affect_Advisor] | N % | 6 1,7 | 136 38,9 | 208 59,4 | 350 |
| 5. I needed to change members of my dissertation / thesis committee [Covid_Affect_Committee] | N % | 2 0,6 | 131 37,5 | 216 61,9 | 349 |
| 6. I was unable to access a research site (e.g., field site, archive, etc.) [Covid_Affect_Sites] | N % | 25 7,1 | 124 35,4 | 201 57,4 | 350 |
| 7. Other (please specify) [Covid_Affect_Other] | N % | 35 9,7 | 325 90,3 | 0 0,0 | 360 |

13. PERSONAL DEMOGRAPHICS**38. With what gender do you identify?**

| Response | [GENDER] | | [UNIV_GENDER] | |
|---|------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------------|
| | Student response | University Data | Student response | University Data |
| | % | N | % | N |
| 1. Female | 67,4 | 244 | 71,7 | 325 |
| 2. Male | 25,4 | 92 | 28,3 | 128 |
| 3. Non-binary | 2,5 | 9 | | |
| 4. Transgender | 0,6 | 2 | 0,0 | 0 |
| 5. Two-spirit | 0,3 | 1 | | |
| 6. Another gender identity (please specify) | 0,6 | 2 | | |
| 7. I prefer not to respond | 3,3 | 12 | 0,0 | 0 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 362 | 100 | 453 |
| Missing data | 20,1 | 91 | | |
| Total | | 453 | | |

39. Which of the following best describes your sexual orientation?

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. Straight (heterosexual) | 73,3 | 261 |
| 2. Bisexual | 7,0 | 25 |
| 3. Gay | 3,4 | 12 |
| 4. Lesbian | 1,7 | 6 |
| 5. Queer | 5,3 | 19 |
| 6. Questioning or unsure | 2,8 | 10 |
| 7. Another sexual orientation (please specify) | 0,8 | 3 |
| 8. I prefer not to respond | 5,6 | 20 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 356 |
| Missing data | 21,4 | 97 |
| Total | | 453 |

40. In what age group are you? [AGE]

| Response | % | N |
|----------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. 20 years old or younger | 0,3 | 1 |
| 2. 21 - 25 years old | 52,0 | 185 |
| 3. 26 - 30 years old | 25,6 | 91 |
| 4. 31 - 35 years old | 12,1 | 43 |
| 5. 36 - 40 years old | 5,1 | 18 |
| 6. 41 - 45 years old | 2,5 | 9 |
| 7. Over 45 years old | 2,5 | 9 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 356 |
| Missing data | 21,4 | 97 |
| Total | | 453 |

41. Which of the following housing situations best describes your current residence? [RESIDENCE]

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. On-campus student housing (no resident assistant / dorm responsibilities) | 4,8 | 17 |
| 2. On-campus student housing (with resident assistant / dorm responsibilities) | 0,6 | 2 |
| 3. Off-campus housing owned by this university | 1,1 | 4 |
| 4. Off-campus housing not owned by this university | 89,0 | 314 |
| 5. Other (please specify) | 4,5 | 16 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 353 |
| Missing data | 22,1 | 100 |
| Total | | 453 |

42. What is your marital status? [MARITAL]

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. Never married and no domestic partner | 66,3 | 236 |
| 2. Married (and not separated) | 14,3 | 51 |
| 3. Divorced | 1,4 | 5 |
| 4. Separated | 0,3 | 1 |
| 5. Widowed | 0,0 | 0 |
| 6. With domestic partner | 17,7 | 63 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 356 |
| Missing data | 21,4 | 97 |
| Total | | 453 |

43. How many children (under your responsibility), if any, do you have?

| | | None (0) | 1 child (1) | 2 children (2) | 3 children (3) | 4 children or more (4) | N total |
|--|---|----------|-------------|----------------|----------------|------------------------|---------|
| 1. Living with you and under 13 years old [Children_2] | N | 315 | 20 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 349 |
| | % | 90,3 | 5,7 | 3,2 | 0,6 | 0,3 | |
| 2. Living with you and 13 years and older [Children_3] | N | 321 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 336 |
| | % | 95,5 | 2,4 | 1,5 | 0,3 | 0,3 | |

44. What is your present citizenship status? [CITIZEN]

| Response | % | N |
|---|------|-----|
| 1. Canadian Citizen | 62,4 | 222 |
| 2. Canadian Permanent Resident | 3,4 | 12 |
| 3. Citizen of another country with a student visa or other non-immigrant visa | 32,6 | 116 |
| 4. Other citizenship status (please specify) | 1,7 | 6 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 356 |
| Missing data | 21,4 | 97 |
| Total | | 453 |

45. Please indicate whether you consider yourself to be a member of one or more of the following categories.

(Choose all that apply)

| Response | % | N |
|---|------|-----|
| 1. Caucasian / White [gWhite] | 50,7 | 180 |
| 2. Black (e.g. African, African American, African Canadian, Caribbean) [gBlack] | 8,5 | 30 |
| 3. East Asian (e.g. Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Polynesian) [gEastAsia] | 12,4 | 44 |
| 4. South Asian (e.g. Indian, Pakistani, Sri Lankan, Bangladeshi) [gSouthAsia] | 14,4 | 51 |
| 5. Southeast Asian (e.g. Burmese, Cambodian, Filipino, Laotian, Malaysian, Thai, Vietnamese) [gSouthEastAsia] | 3,7 | 13 |
| 6. West Asian (e.g. Arabian, Armenian, Iranian, Israeli, Lebanese, Palestinian, Syrian, Turkish) [gWestAsia] | 6,5 | 23 |
| 7. Latin American (e.g. Mexican, indigenous Central and South American) [gLatinAm] | 4,5 | 16 |
| 8. Another category (please specify) [gOther] | 3,7 | 13 |
| 9. I prefer not to respond [gNoAnswer] | 3,1 | 11 |
| Total respondents | --- | 355 |
| Missing data | 21,6 | 98 |
| Total | | 453 |

46. Do you self-identify with, or have ancestry as a Canadian Indigenous person (status or non-status Indian, Métis or Inuit)? [ABORIGINAL_2]

| Response | % | N |
|--------------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Yes, First Nations | 1,1 | 4 |
| 2. Yes, Métis | 0,9 | 3 |
| 3. Yes, Inuit / Inuk | 0,0 | 0 |
| 4. Yes, other (please specify) | 0,0 | 0 |
| 5. No | 95,2 | 336 |
| 6. I prefer not to answer | 2,8 | 10 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 353 |
| Missing data | 22,1 | 100 |
| Total | | 453 |

47. Do you self-identify with any disability or impairment?

[DisablSelfID] << Hidden question. Responses calculated by using the answers to the following question.

| Response | % | N |
|----------------------------|------|-----|
| 1. Yes | 25,6 | 92 |
| 2. No | 68,3 | 246 |
| 3. I prefer not to respond | 6,1 | 22 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 360 |
| Missing data | 20,5 | 93 |
| Total | | 453 |

48. Please specify which disability or impairment you self-identify to. (Select all that apply) << Response Required

| Response | % | N |
|--|------|-----|
| 1. Sensory (vision or hearing) [Disabl_Sense] | 3,1 | 11 |
| 2. Mobility [Disabl_Mobil] | 1,9 | 7 |
| 3. Learning and other neurodevelopmental (e.g. ADHD, Dyslexia) [Disabl_Learn] | 6,9 | 25 |
| 4. Mental health (e.g. Depression, Bipolar, Post-Traumatic Syndrome disorder, Obsessive compulsive disorder, Generalized anxiety disorder) [Disabl_Mental] | 18,9 | 68 |
| 5. Autism spectrum (e.g. Autism, Asperger's) [Disabl_Autism] | 0,6 | 2 |
| 6. Chronic (e.g. Crohn's, Colitis, Multiple Sclerosis) [Disabl_Chronic] | 4,2 | 15 |
| 7. A disability or impairment not listed above (please specify) [Disabl_Else] | 0,8 | 3 |
| 8. I don't self-identify any disability or impairment [Disabl_None] | 68,3 | 246 |
| 9. I prefer not to respond [Disabl_NotRespond] | 6,1 | 22 |
| Total respondents | --- | 360 |
| Missing data | 20,5 | 93 |
| Total | | 453 |

49. If you informed your university about your disability or impairment, how would you rate your institution's efforts to accommodate your disability or impairment in your graduate program?

(Show if [DisablSelfID] = Yes) [DisablRate]

| Response | % | N |
|-------------------|------|----|
| 1. Excellent | 5,6 | 5 |
| 2. Very good | 5,6 | 5 |
| 3. Good | 11,1 | 10 |
| 4. Fair | 7,8 | 7 |
| 5. Poor | 17,8 | 16 |
| 6. Not applicable | 52,2 | 47 |
| Total respondents | 100 | 90 |
| Missing data | 2,2 | 2 |
| Total | | 92 |

14. PROJET SUMMARY

| | 2022 | 2019 | 2016 |
|---|------------|------------|------------|
| Number of students invited to participate | 8 057 | 7 630 | 6 861 |
| Responses received (partially or totally completed) | 2 124 | 1 446 | 1 243 |
| Response rate | 26,4% | 19,0% | 18,1% |
| Survey Open Date | 2022-02-01 | 2019-02-11 | 2016-02-01 |
| Survey Close Date | 2022-04-12 | 2019-04-08 | 2016-03-16 |
| Number of days open for data collection | 70 | 56 | 44 |