

B.C. University Student Outcomes 2001 Survey of 1996 Baccalaureate Graduates

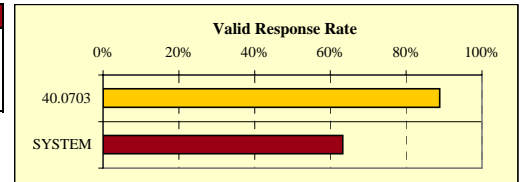
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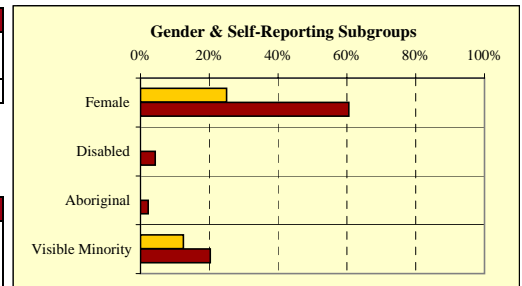
RESPONSE RATE

1. Survey Response Rate:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Baccalaureate Graduates Survey Cohort	10	9,531
Net Frame	9	8,613
Survey Respondents and Valid Response Rate	8	5,449
	89%	63%



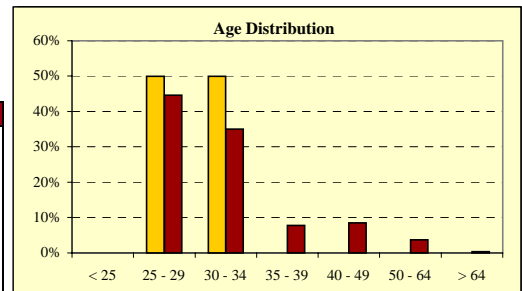
DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2. Gender:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Male	6	2,147
Female	2	3,302
Total	8	5,449
	100%	100%

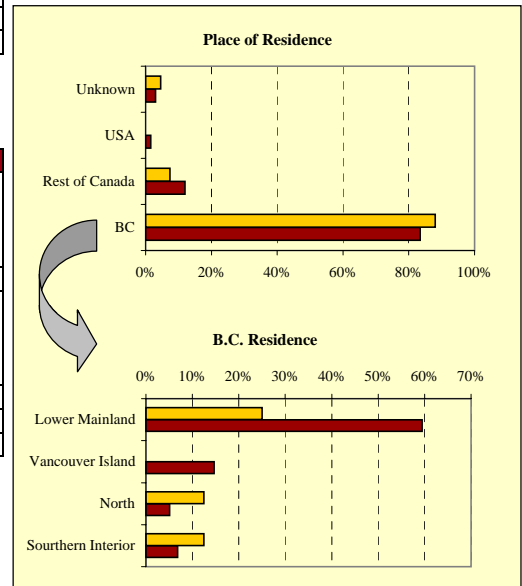


3. Self-Reporting Subgroups:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Disabled	-	234
Aboriginal	-	124
Visible Minority	1	1,104
	100%	100%

4. Age (at time of survey):	40.0703	SYSTEM
< 25	-	2
25 to 29	4	2,413
30 to 34	4	1,895
35 to 39	-	421
40 to 49	-	461
50 to 64	-	199
> 64	-	19
Unknown	-	39
Total	8	5,410
Mean Age:	29.9	32.4



5. Place of Residence (at time of survey):	40.0703	SYSTEM
BC - Lower Mainland	2	3,241
BC - Vancouver Island	-	800
BC - North	1	276
BC - Southern Interior	1	372
B.C. Subtotal	4	4,689
Canada - Alberta	2	193
Canada - Ontario	-	212
Canada - Other	1	91
U.S.A.	1	146
Non-B.C. Subtotal	4	642
Unknown	-	118
Total	8	5,449



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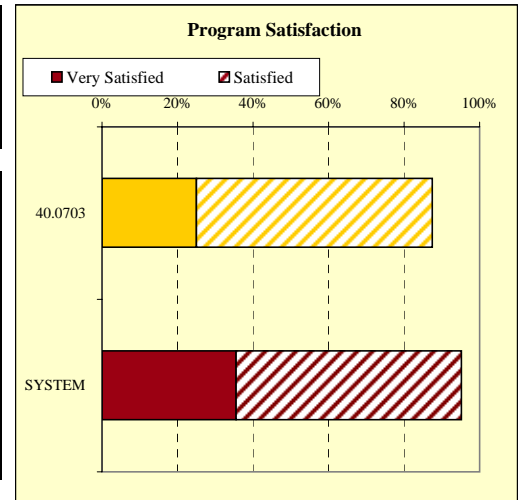
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EDUCATION SATISFACTION & PROGRAM EVALUATION

6. Program Satisfaction:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Very Satisfied	2 25%	1,932 36%
Satisfied	5 63%	3,246 60%
Dissatisfied	1 13%	228 4%
Very Dissatisfied	- 0%	30 1%
Total	8 100%	5,436 100%

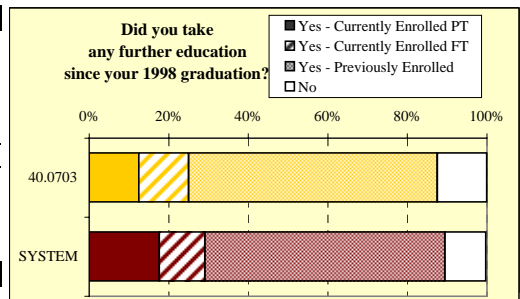


7. Would you select the same program again?	40.0703	SYSTEM
Yes	5 63%	3,866 73%
No, because . . . (multiple response question)	3	1,420
. . . not enough course variety offered	- 0%*	23 1%*
. . . skills acquired were not very useful	- 0%*	136 7%*
. . . courses were poorly taught	- 0%*	29 2%*
. . . program was too general	1 25%*	149 8%*
. . . courses were not practical	1 25%*	242 13%*
. . . interests have changed	2 50%*	356 20%*
. . . little or no career opportunities	- 0%*	511 28%*
. . . disagree with grading system	- 0%*	2 0%*
. . . disliked institution	- 0%*	6 0%*
. . . other	- 0%*	368 20%*

* Percent of total responses, among those who would not take program again

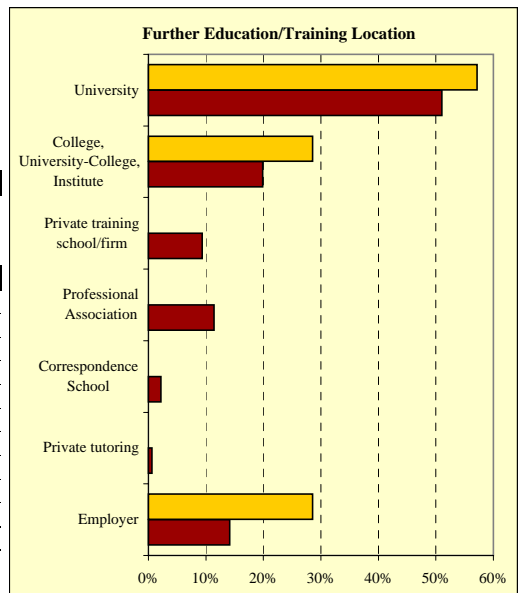
FURTHER EDUCATION

8. Took further education since 1996 graduation?	40.0703	SYSTEM
Yes:	7 88%	4,885 90%
Not currently enrolled	5 63%	3,285 60%
Currently enrolled full-time	1 13%	628 12%
Currently enrolled part-time	1 13%	961 18%
No	1 13%	564 10%
Total	8 100%	5,449 100%



9. Further education/training location (multiple resp.):*	40.0703	SYSTEM
University	4 57%*	2,494 51%*
College, University-College, Institute	2 29%*	972 20%*
Private training school/firm	- 0%*	457 9%*
Professional Association	- 0%*	557 11%*
Correspondence School	- 0%*	105 2%*
Private Tutoring	- 0%*	29 1%*
Employer	2 29%*	691 14%*
Other	- 0%*	163 3%*
Total Respondents	7	4,885

* Percent of respondents



10. Main Reason for Further Education:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Pursue another Bachelor degree	1 13%	315 6%
Pursue Masters studies	1 13%	566 10%
Pursue Doctoral studies	- 0%	138 3%
Career / job / employment related	5 63%	3,421 63%
Challenge myself intellectually	1 13%	446 8%
To please parents/family	- 0%	3 0%
Did not have a primary/main reason for enrolling	- 0%	13 0%
Required by employer	- 0%	173 3%
Other	- 0%	382 7%
Total	8 100%	5,457 100%

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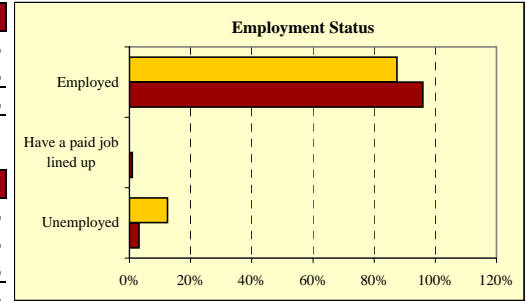
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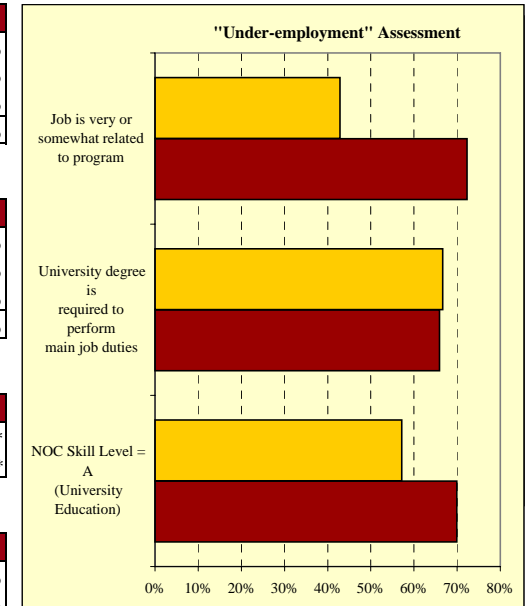
EMPLOYMENT

11. Labour Force Status:	40.0703	SYSTEM
In Labour Force (working or seeking work)	8 100%	4,952 91%
Not in Labour Force	- 0%	497 9%
Grand Total	8 100%	5,449 100%



12. Employment Status of those IN Labour Force:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Employed	7 88%	4,749 96%
Have a paid job lined up	- 0%	49 1%
Unemployed	1 13%	154 3%
Total Labour Force	8 100%	4,952 100%

13. Status of Graduates NOT in Labour Force:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Attending School FT	N/A	225 45%
Attending School PT	N/A	27 5%
Other	N/A	245 49%
Total NOT in Labour Force	-	497 100%



14. Employment Type:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Paid worker	5 71%	4,135 87%
Self-employed	1 14%	379 8%
Both a paid worker and self-employed	1 14%	235 5%
Total Employed	7 100%	4,749 100%

15. Job Characteristics:	40.0703	SYSTEM
I hold more than one job	1 14%*	706 15%*
My main job is full-time (>= 30 hours per week)	7 100%**	4,014 86%**

* of total employed ** of those who provided data on hours/week worked

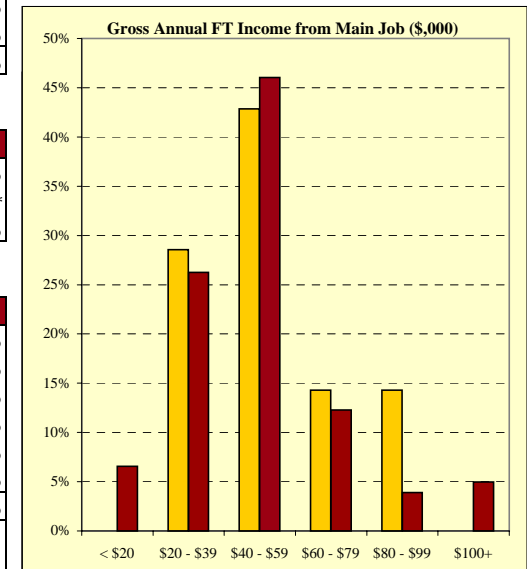
16. How related is your main job to your program?:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Very Related	2 29%	1,940 41%
Somewhat Related	1 14%	1,492 31%
Not Very Related	3 43%	601 13%
Not At All Related	1 14%	712 15%
Total	7 100%	4,745 100%

17. "Under-employment" Assessment:	40.0703	SYSTEM
Job is very or somewhat related to program	3 43%	3,432 72%
University degree is required to perform main job duties	4 67%*	3,000 66%*
NOC Skill Level = A (University Education)	4 57%	3,300 70%

* of total valid responses

18. Gross Annual Income from Main Job:*	40.0703	SYSTEM
Less than \$20,000	- 0%	284 7%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	2 29%	1,138 26%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	3 43%	1,996 46%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	1 14%	533 12%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1 14%	169 4%
\$100,000 and Above	- 0%	215 5%
Total	7 100%	4,335 100%
Median Annual Income (full-time)	\$45,000	\$45,680
Average Annual Income (full-time)	\$48,754	\$54,596

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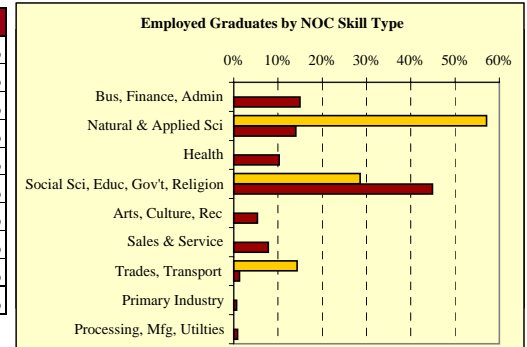
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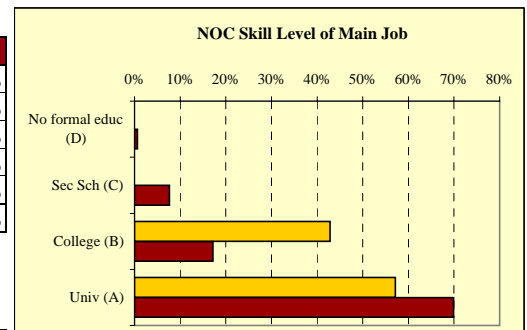
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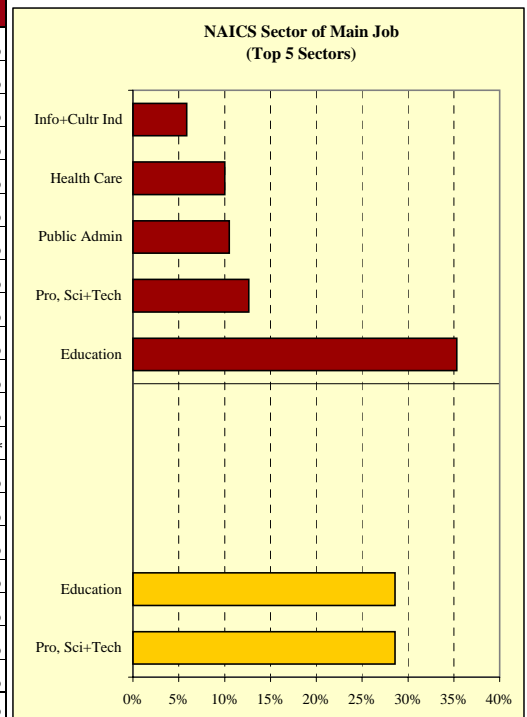
19. NOC Skill Type of Main Job:	40.0703	SYSTEM		
Business, Finance and Administration	-	0%	703	15%
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	4	57%	659	14%
Health	-	0%	482	10%
Social Sciences, Educ., Gov't Services, Religion	2	29%	2,112	45%
Arts, Culture, Recreation and Sport	-	0%	252	5%
Sales and Service	-	0%	366	8%
Trades, Transport and Eqp. Operators and Related	1	14%	62	1%
Unique to the Primary Industry	-	0%	31	1%
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	-	0%	40	1%
Total	7	100%	4,707	100%



20. NOC Skill Level of Main Job:	40.0703	SYSTEM		
A. University education	4	57%	3,300	70%
B. College education/trade apprenticeship	3	43%	811	17%
C. Secondary school + job-specific training	-	0%	361	8%
D. No formal education	-	0%	29	1%
No Skill Level assigned (management)	-	0%	218	5%
Total	7	100%	4,719	100%



21. NAICS Sector of Main Job:	40.0703	SYSTEM		
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	*	*	48	1%
Mining and Oil and Gas Extraction	*	*	17	0%
Utilities	*	*	20	0%
Construction	*	*	33	1%
Manufacturing	*	*	271	6%
Wholesale Trade	*	*	46	1%
Retail Trade	*	*	157	3%
Transportation and Warehousing	*	*	76	2%
Information and Cultural Industries	*	*	275	6%
Finance and Insurance	*	*	231	5%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	*	*	31	1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	2	29%	594	13%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	*	*	*	*
Admin., Support, Waste Mgmt., Remediation Svcs.	*	*	28	1%
Education Services	2	29%	1659	35%
Health Care and Social Assistance	*	*	471	10%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	*	*	89	2%
Accommodation and Food services	*	*	61	1%
Other Service (except Public Administration)	*	*	97	2%
Public Administration	*	*	494	11%
Total	7	100%	4698	100%



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EMPLOYMENT, continued

22a. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of 40.0703 Graduates:				40.0703	
NOC	NOC	Skill Level Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary	
2113	A	Geologists, Geochemists & Geophys	29%	\$78,500	
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	29%	\$43,000	
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22b. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of Graduates from All Institutions:				SYSTEM	
NOC	NOC	Skill Level Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary	
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	11%	\$43,000	
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten Teacher	11%	\$42,000	
4112	A	Lawyers & Quebec Notaries	3%	\$75,000	
3152	A	Registered Nurses	3%	\$51,474	
1111	A	Financial Auditors & Acnts	2%	\$58,250	
2173	A	Software Engineers	2%	\$72,000	
1122	A	Occs in Bus Srvc to Mgmt	2%	\$65,000	
4212	B	Community & Social Srvc Workers	1%	\$36,000	
4131	A	College & Other Voc Instructors	1%	\$41,600	
1114	A	Other Financial Officers	1%	\$56,000	

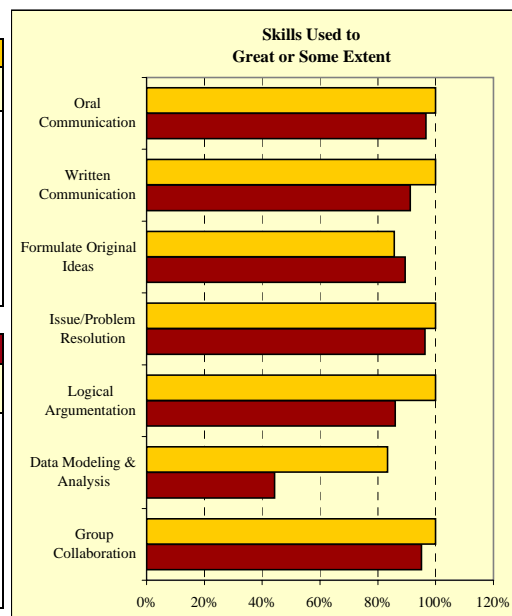
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SKILLS USED IN EMPLOYMENT

23a. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?	40.0703					# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent		
Oral Communication	86%	14%	0%	0%		7
Written Communication	71%	29%	0%	0%		7
Formulate Original Ideas	71%	14%	14%	0%		7
Issue/Problem Resolution	100%	0%	0%	0%		7
Logical Argumentation	71%	29%	0%	0%		7
Data Modeling & Analysis	33%	50%	17%	0%		6
Group Collaboration	71%	29%	0%	0%		7

23b. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?	SYSTEM					# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent		
Oral Communication	81%	16%	3%	1%		4,741
Written Communication	69%	22%	6%	3%		4,737
Formulate Original Ideas	54%	36%	8%	2%		4,737
Issue/Problem Resolution	77%	19%	3%	1%		4,741
Logical Argumentation	52%	34%	11%	3%		4,731
Data Modeling & Analysis	19%	25%	29%	27%		4,723
Group Collaboration	77%	18%	4%	1%		4,741



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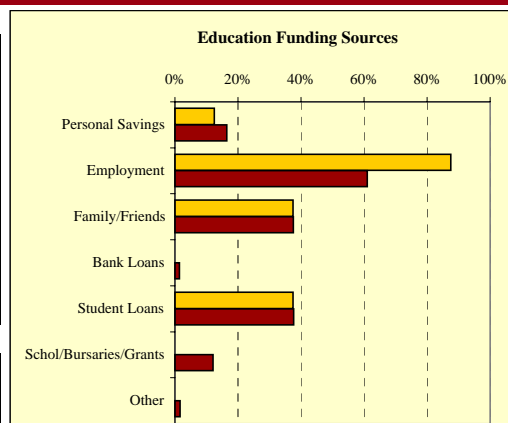
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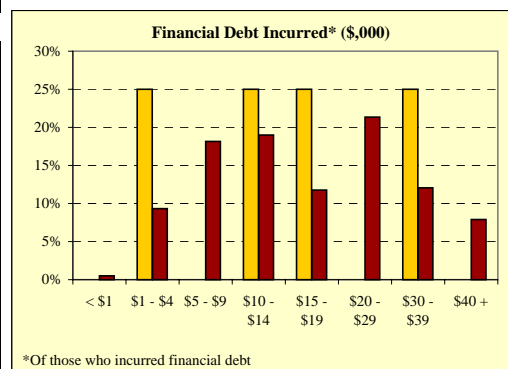
24. Education Funding Sources (2 sources per respondent):	40.0703		SYSTEM	
Personal Savings	1	13%*	898	16%*
Employment	7	88%*	3,323	61%*
Family/Friends	3	38%*	2,048	38%*
Bank Loans	-	0%*	75	1%*
Student Loans	3	38%*	2,051	38%*
Scholarships/Bursaries/Grants	-	0%*	661	12%*
Other	-	0%*	90	2%*
Total Respondents	8		5,449	

* Percentage of respondents who identified this source



25. Financial Debt Incurred to Finance Univ. Education:	40.0703		SYSTEM	
Incurred any form of financial debt	4	50%*	2,471	47%*
Incurred government-sponsored student loan debt	4	50%*	2,106	40%*

* Percentage of respondents who provided data



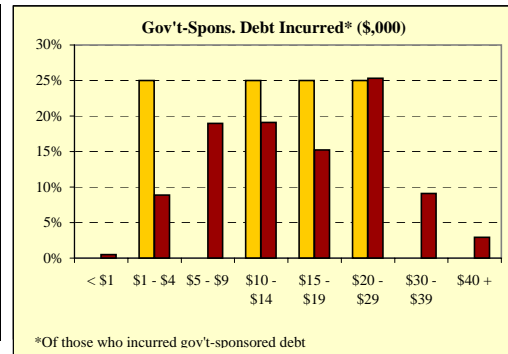
*Of those who incurred financial debt

26. Financial Debt Amount:*	40.0703		SYSTEM	
< \$1,000	-	0%	12	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1	25%	231	9%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	0%	448	18%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1	25%	469	19%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1	25%	291	12%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	-	0%	527	21%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1	25%	298	12%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	195	8%
Total	4	100%	2,471	100%
Median Financial Debt	\$14,000		\$15,000	

*includes only cases where financial debt was incurred

27. Government-Sponsored Student Loan Debt Amount:*	40.0703		SYSTEM	
< \$1,000	-	0%	10	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1	25%	187	9%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	0%	399	19%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1	25%	402	19%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1	25%	321	15%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1	25%	533	25%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	-	0%	192	9%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	62	3%
Total	4	100%	2,106	100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt	\$14,000		\$15,000	

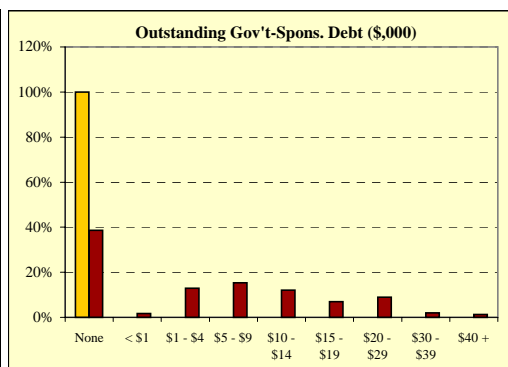
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*Of those who incurred gov't-sponsored debt

28. Outstanding Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Amount:*	40.0703		SYSTEM	
None - Loan repaid in full	2	100%	747	39%
< \$1,000	-	0%	34	2%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	-	0%	249	13%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	-	0%	296	15%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	-	0%	234	12%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	-	0%	136	7%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	-	0%	174	9%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	-	0%	39	2%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	26	1%
Total	2	100%	1,935	100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding	\$0		\$3,600	

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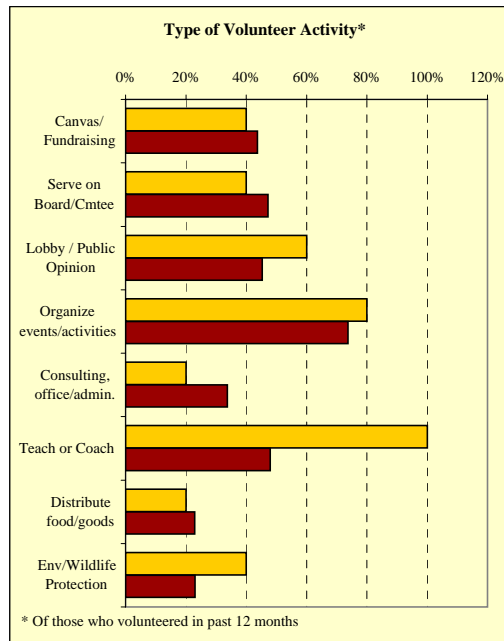
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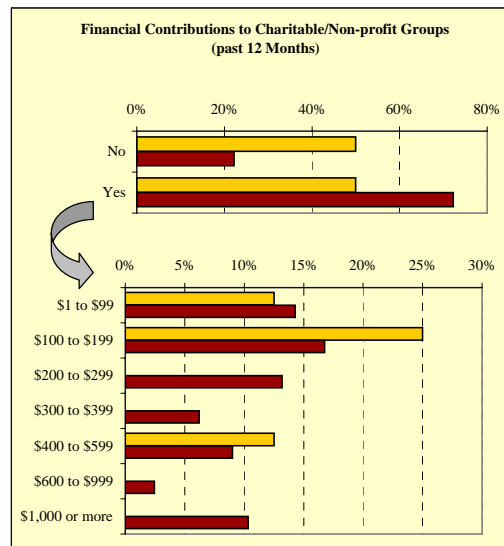
29.	In the past 12 months, have you acted as an unpaid volunteer?	40.0703	SYSTEM
	No	3 38%	2,237 41%
	Yes	5 63%	3,162 59%
	Volunteer Hours/Week (Median)	2	1

30.	In the past 12 months, as an unpaid volunteer for an organization did you...	40.0703	SYSTEM
	do any canvassing, campaigning or fundraising?	2 40%*	1,382 44%*
	serve as an unpaid member of a board or committee?	2 40%*	1,492 47%*
	provide information or help to educate, influence public opinion, or lobby others?	3 60%*	1,431 45%*
	help to organize/supervise activities/events for an organization?	4 80%*	2,331 74%*
	do any consulting, executive, office or administrative work?	1 20%*	1,067 34%*
	teach or coach for an organization?	5 100%*	1,517 48%*
	collect, serve or deliver food or other goods?	1 20%*	723 23%*
	engage in any activities aimed at protecting the environment or wildlife?	2 40%*	728 23%*

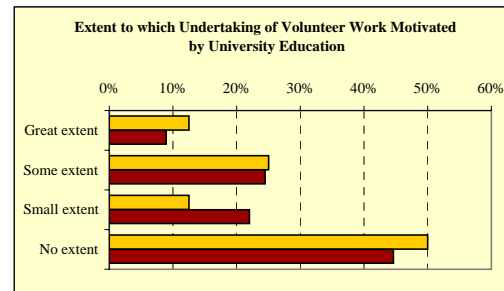
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31.	Financial contributions to charitable or non-profit groups in past 12 months	40.0703	SYSTEM
	\$0 (None)	4 50%	1,212 22%
	\$1 to \$99	1 13%	778 14%
	\$100 to \$199	2 25%	913 17%
	\$200 to \$299	- 0%	719 13%
	\$300 to \$399	- 0%	339 6%
	\$400 to \$599	1 13%	491 9%
	\$600 to \$999	- 0%	134 2%
	\$1,000 or more	- 0%	563 10%
	Median Annual Contribution	\$100	\$200



32.	Member or Participant in...	40.0703	SYSTEM
	Union/Professional Association (work-related)	4 50%	3,621 66%
	Political organization	- 0%	283 5%
	Cultural, educational or hobby organization	1 13%	1,776 33%
	Sports or recreation organization	5 63%	2,369 43%
	Religious-affiliated group	- 0%	1,020 19%
	School group, civic, or community association	4 50%	1,449 27%
	Other	1 13%	470 9%



33.	To what extent did your university education motivate you to undertake volunteer work?	40.0703	SYSTEM
	Great extent	1 13%*	474 9%*
	Some extent	2 25%*	1,298 24%*
	Small extent	1 13%*	1,168 22%*
	No extent	4 50%*	2,367 45%*

*percentages are of those who thought question was applicable