

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

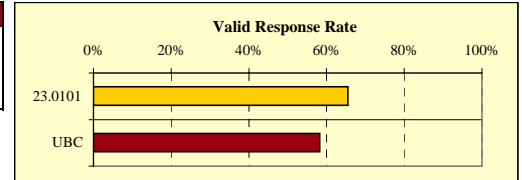
Detailed Summary of Survey Results
University of British Columbia

6 Digit CIP: 23.0101: English Language & Literature, General

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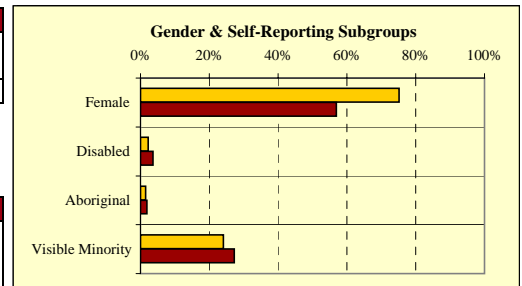
RESPONSE RATE

1. Survey Response Rate:	23.0101	UBC		
Baccalaureate Graduates Survey Cohort	233		4,701	
Net Frame	203		4,135	
Survey Respondents and Valid Response Rate	133	66%	2,409	58%



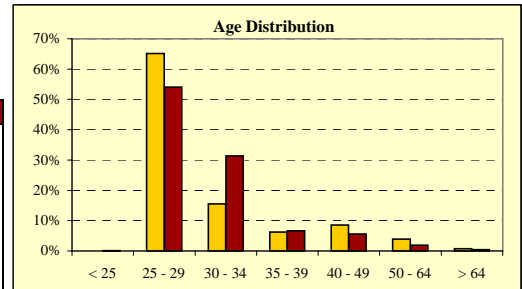
DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2. Gender:	23.0101	UBC		
Male	33	25%	1,037	43%
Female	100	75%	1,372	57%
Total	133	100%	2,409	100%

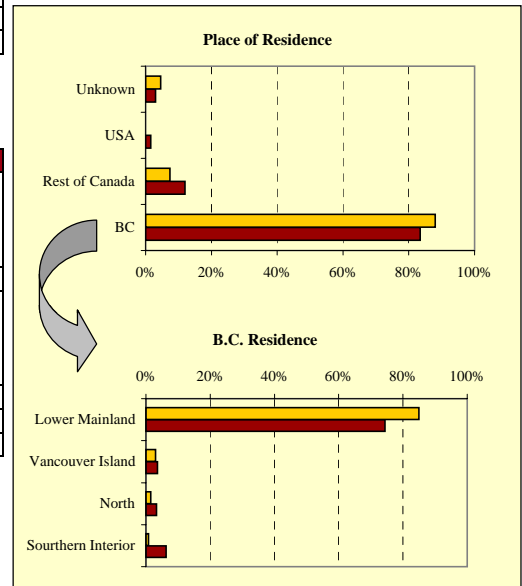


3. Self-Reporting Subgroups:	23.0101	UBC		
Disabled	3	2%	88	4%
Aboriginal	2	2%	45	2%
Visible Minority	32	24%	657	27%

4. Age (at time of survey):	23.0101	UBC		
< 25	-	0%	2	0%
25 to 29	84	65%	1,281	54%
30 to 34	20	16%	742	31%
35 to 39	8	6%	158	7%
40 to 49	11	9%	133	6%
50 to 64	5	4%	44	2%
> 64	1	1%	10	0%
Unknown	4	3%	39	2%
Total	129	100%	2,370	100%
Mean Age:	31.9		31.2	

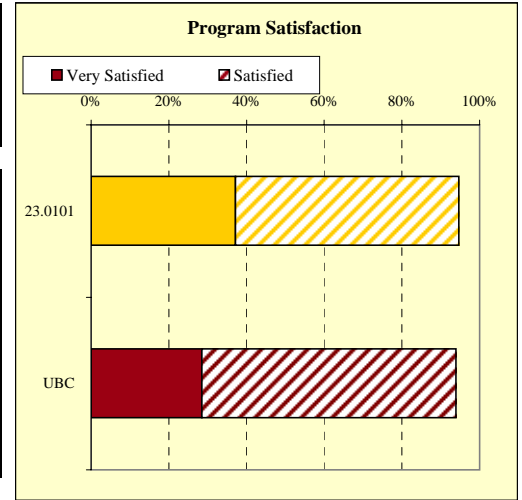


5. Place of Residence (at time of survey):	23.0101	UBC		
BC - Lower Mainland	113	85%	1,793	74%
BC - Vancouver Island	4	3%	86	4%
BC - North	2	2%	78	3%
BC - Southern Interior	1	1%	150	6%
B.C. Subtotal	120	90%	2,107	87%
Canada - Alberta	1	1%	55	2%
Canada - Ontario	8	6%	99	4%
Canada - Other	-	0%	41	2%
U.S.A.	2	2%	64	3%
Non-B.C. Subtotal	11	8%	259	11%
Unknown	2	2%	43	2%
Total	133	100%	2,409	100%



EDUCATION SATISFACTION & PROGRAM EVALUATION

6. Program Satisfaction:	23.0101		UBC	
Very Satisfied	49	37%	685	29%
Satisfied	76	58%	1,573	65%
Dissatisfied	7	5%	128	5%
Very Dissatisfied	-	0%	16	1%
Total	132	100%	2,402	100%

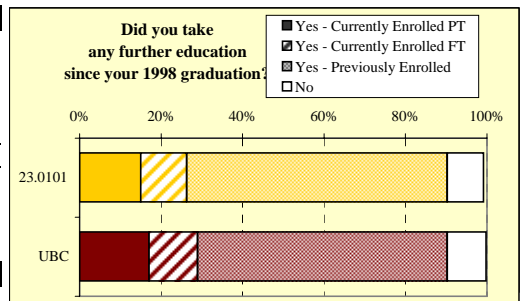


7. Would you select the same program again?	23.0101		UBC	
Yes	93	73%	1,660	71%
No, because . . . (multiple response question)	34		665	
. . . not enough course variety offered	2	4%*	8	1%*
. . . skills acquired were not very useful	5	10%*	58	7%*
. . . courses were poorly taught	-	0%*	20	2%*
. . . program was too general	3	6%*	49	6%*
. . . courses were not practical	8	16%*	117	14%*
. . . interests have changed	11	22%*	186	22%*
. . . little or no career opportunities	13	27%*	207	25%*
. . . disagree with grading system	-	0%*	2	0%*
. . . disliked institution	-	0%*	3	0%*
. . . other	7	14%*	185	22%*

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

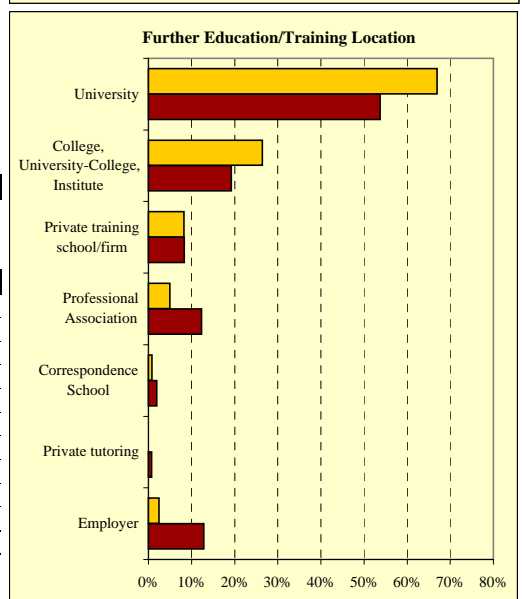
FURTHER EDUCATION

8. Took further education since 1996 graduation?	23.0101		UBC	
Yes:	121	91%	2,178	90%
Not currently enrolled	85	64%	1,476	61%
Currently enrolled full-time	15	11%	288	12%
Currently enrolled part-time	20	15%	411	17%
No	12	9%	231	10%
Total	133	100%	2,409	100%



9. Further education/training location (multiple resp.):*	23.0101		UBC	
University	81	67%*	1,170	54%*
College, University-College, Institute	32	26%*	418	19%*
Private training school/firm	10	8%*	181	8%*
Professional Association	6	5%*	268	12%*
Correspondence School	1	1%*	42	2%*
Private Tutoring	-	0%*	16	1%*
Employer	3	2%*	279	13%*
Other	2	2%*	69	3%*
Total Respondents	121		2,178	

* Percent of respondents



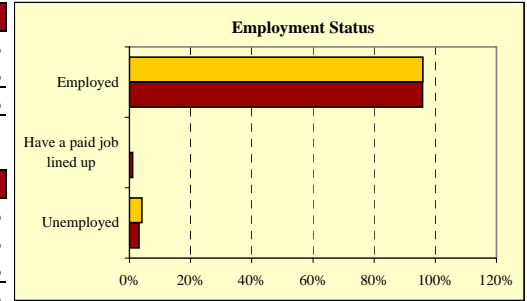
10. Main Reason for Further Education:	23.0101		UBC	
Pursue another Bachelor degree	15	11%	164	7%
Pursue Masters studies	10	7%	263	11%
Pursue Doctoral studies	5	4%	71	3%
Career / job / employment related	90	67%	1,515	62%
Challenge myself intellectually	4	3%	195	8%
To please parents/family	-	0%	2	0%
Did not have a primary/main reason for enrolling	-	0%	6	0%
Required by employer	3	2%	63	3%
Other	8	6%	162	7%
Total	135	100%	2,441	100%

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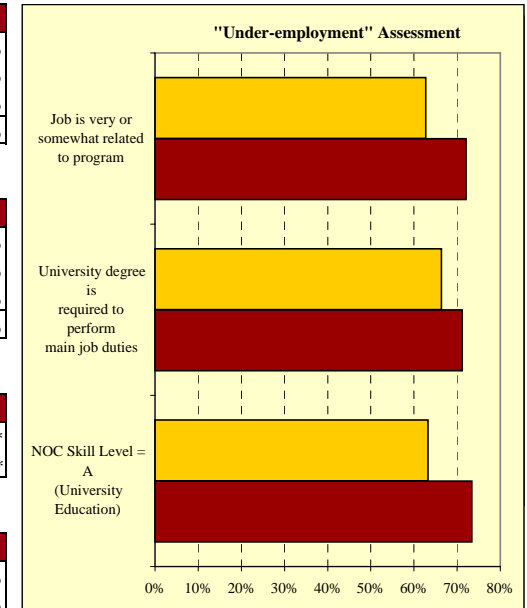
EMPLOYMENT

11. Labour Force Status:	23.0101	UBC
In Labour Force (working or seeking work)	123 92%	2,198 91%
Not in Labour Force	10 8%	211 9%
Grand Total	133 100%	2,409 100%



12. Employment Status of those IN Labour Force:	23.0101	UBC
Employed	118 96%	2,107 96%
Have a paid job lined up	- 0%	22 1%
Unemployed	5 4%	69 3%
Total Labour Force	123 100%	2,198 100%

13. Status of Graduates NOT in Labour Force:	23.0101	UBC
Attending School FT	4 40%	106 50%
Attending School PT	2 20%	13 6%
Other	4 40%	92 44%
Total NOT in Labour Force	10 100%	211 100%



14. Employment Type:	23.0101	UBC
Paid worker	106 90%	1,845 88%
Self-employed	8 7%	171 8%
Both a paid worker and self-employed	4 3%	91 4%
Total Employed	118 100%	2,107 100%

15. Job Characteristics:	23.0101	UBC
I hold more than one job	18 15%*	297 14%*
My main job is full-time (>= 30 hours per week)	87 76%**	1,822 88%**

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

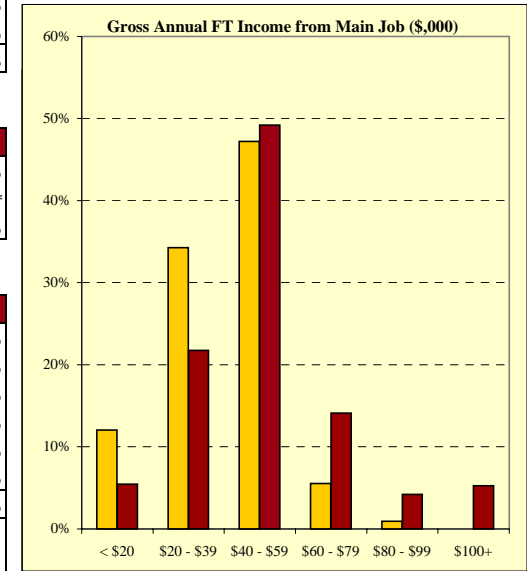
16. How related is your main job to your program?:	23.0101	UBC
Very Related	35 30%	896 43%
Somewhat Related	39 33%	623 30%
Not Very Related	20 17%	270 13%
Not At All Related	24 20%	316 15%
Total	118 100%	2,105 100%

17. "Under-employment" Assessment:	23.0101	UBC
Job is very or somewhat related to program	74 63%	1,519 72%
University degree is required to perform main job duties	75 66%*	1,444 71%*
NOC Skill Level = A (University Education)	74 63%	1,536 73%

* of total valid responses

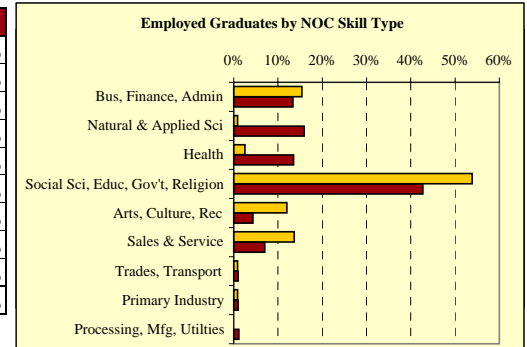
18. Gross Annual Income from Main Job:*	23.0101	UBC
Less than \$20,000	13 12%	104 5%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	37 34%	415 22%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	51 47%	938 49%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	6 6%	269 14%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1 1%	80 4%
\$100,000 and Above	- 0%	100 5%
Total	108 100%	1,906 100%
Median Annual Income (full-time)	\$43,500	\$47,000
Average Annual Income (full-time)	\$43,555	\$57,205

* where data provided

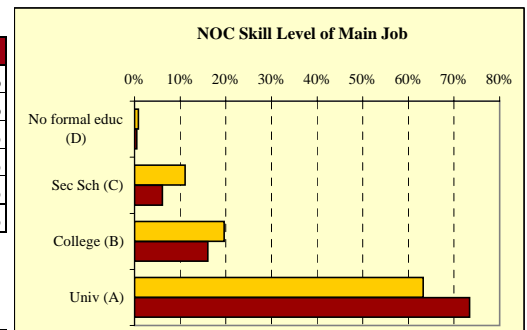


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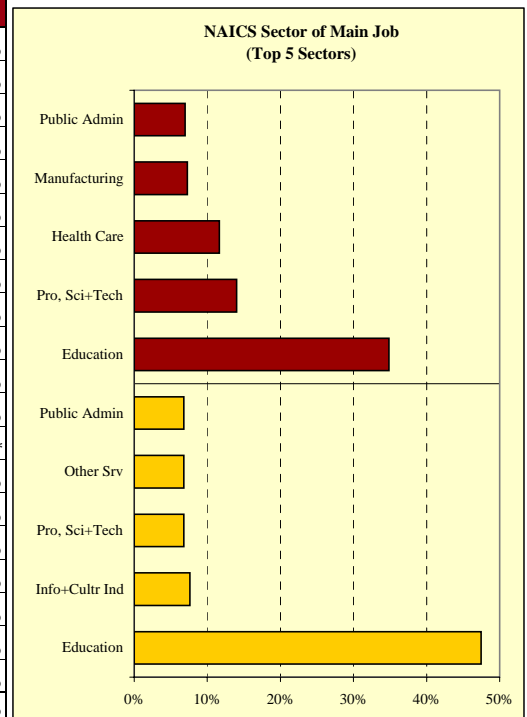
19. NOC Skill Type of Main Job:	23.0101	UBC		
Business, Finance and Administration	18	15%	280	13%
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	1	1%	332	16%
Health	3	3%	282	13%
Social Sciences, Educ., Gov't Services, Religion	63	54%	894	43%
Arts, Culture, Recreation and Sport	14	12%	90	4%
Sales and Service	16	14%	147	7%
Trades, Transport and Eqp. Operators and Related	1	1%	21	1%
Unique to the Primary Industry	1	1%	21	1%
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	-	0%	24	1%
Total	117	100%	2,091	100%



20. NOC Skill Level of Main Job:	23.0101	UBC		
A. University education	74	63%	1,536	73%
B. College education/trade apprenticeship	23	20%	336	16%
C. Secondary school + job-specific training	13	11%	128	6%
D. No formal education	1	1%	10	0%
No Skill Level assigned (management)	6	5%	83	4%
Total	117	100%	2,093	100%



21. NAICS Sector of Main Job:	23.0101	UBC		
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	*	*	32	2%
Mining and Oil and Gas Extraction	*	*	10	0%
Utilities	*	*	11	1%
Construction	*	*	18	1%
Manufacturing	*	*	152	7%
Wholesale Trade	*	*	16	1%
Retail Trade	*	*	84	4%
Transportation and Warehousing	*	*	36	2%
Information and Cultural Industries	9	8%	109	5%
Finance and Insurance	*	*	97	5%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	*	*	12	1%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	8	7%	292	14%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	*	*	*	*
Admin., Support, Waste Mgmt., Remediation Svcs.	*	*	10	0%
Education Services	56	47%	727	35%
Health Care and Social Assistance	*	*	243	12%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	*	*	34	2%
Accommodation and Food services	6	5%	21	1%
Other Service (except Public Administration)	8	7%	38	2%
Public Administration	8	7%	145	7%
Total	118	100%	2087	100%



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EMPLOYMENT, continued

22a. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of 23.0101 Graduates:

			23.0101	
NOC	Skill Level Description		% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	18%	\$45,000
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten Teacher	12%	\$40,000
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22b. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of Graduates from University of British Columbia:

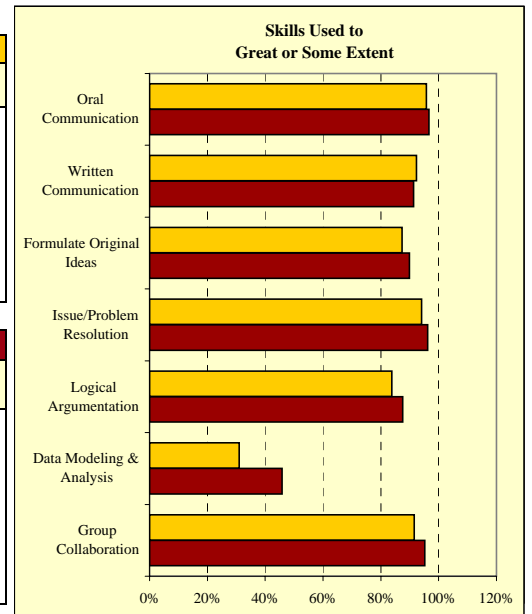
			UBC	
NOC	Skill Level Description		% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	13%	\$44,000
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten Teacher	10%	\$42,000
4112	A	Lawyers & Quebec Notaries	4%	\$77,500
3152	A	Registered Nurses	3%	\$51,000
1111	A	Financial Auditors & Acnts	2%	\$62,000
3131	A	Pharmacists	2%	\$65,208
2173	A	Software Engineers	2%	\$60,500
1122	A	Oecs in Bus Srvc to Mgmt	2%	\$60,500
4131	A	College & Other Voc Instructors	1%	\$40,000
6221	B	Tech Sales Specialists, Wholesale	1%	\$65,000

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SKILLS USED IN EMPLOYMENT

23a. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?

	23.0101				# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent	
Oral Communication	85%	11%	4%	0%	118
Written Communication	79%	13%	5%	3%	117
Formulate Original Ideas	58%	30%	7%	6%	118
Issue/Problem Resolution	69%	25%	5%	1%	118
Logical Argumentation	53%	31%	11%	5%	117
Data Modeling & Analysis	9%	22%	36%	33%	116
Group Collaboration	63%	29%	8%	1%	118



23b. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?

	UBC				# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent	
Oral Communication	81%	16%	3%	1%	2,103
Written Communication	69%	22%	6%	2%	2,102
Formulate Original Ideas	53%	37%	8%	2%	2,101
Issue/Problem Resolution	78%	18%	3%	1%	2,102
Logical Argumentation	53%	35%	10%	3%	2,097
Data Modeling & Analysis	20%	26%	31%	24%	2,093
Group Collaboration	77%	18%	4%	1%	2,103

EDUCATION FINANCING

24. Education Funding Sources (2 sources per respondent):	23.0101		UBC	
Personal Savings	20	15%*	409	17%*
Employment	77	58%*	1,450	60%*
Family/Friends	61	46%*	980	41%*
Bank Loans	-	0%*	32	1%*
Student Loans	41	31%*	845	35%*
Scholarships/Bursaries/Grants	18	14%*	336	14%*
Other	2	2%*	36	1%*
Total Respondents	133		2,409	

* Percentage of respondents who identified this source

25. Financial Debt Incurred to Finance Univ. Education:	23.0101		UBC	
Incurred any form of financial debt	51	40%*	996	43%*
Incurred government-sponsored student loan debt	45	35%*	856	37%*

* Percentage of respondents who provided data

26. Financial Debt Amount:*	23.0101		UBC	
< \$1,000	1	2%	5	1%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	8	16%	92	9%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	12	24%	188	19%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	6	12%	215	22%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	7	14%	124	12%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	9	18%	209	21%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	6	12%	115	12%
\$40,000 or More	2	4%	48	5%
Total	51	100%	996	100%
Median Financial Debt	\$13,500		\$14,000	

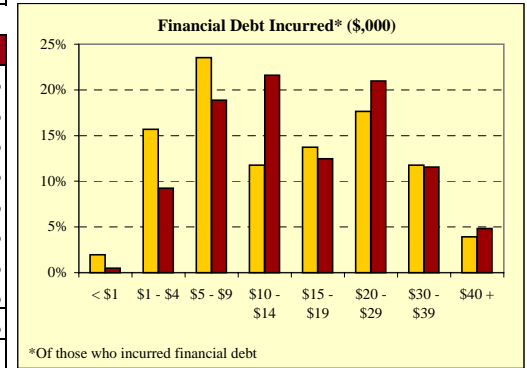
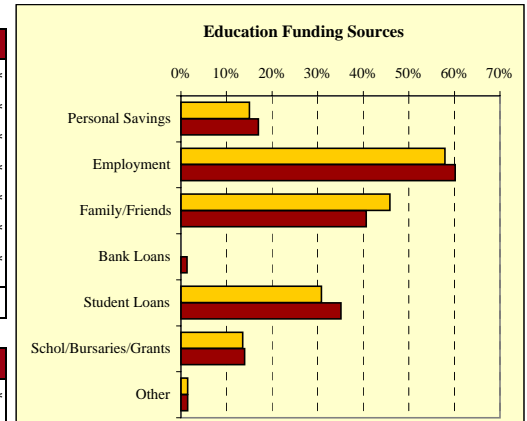
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27. Government-Sponsored Student Loan Debt Amount:*	23.0101		UBC	
< \$1,000	1	2%	6	1%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	6	13%	74	9%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	24%	172	20%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	6	13%	184	21%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	6	13%	126	15%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	11	24%	206	24%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	4	9%	75	9%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	13	2%
Total	45	100%	856	100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt	\$13,500		\$14,000	

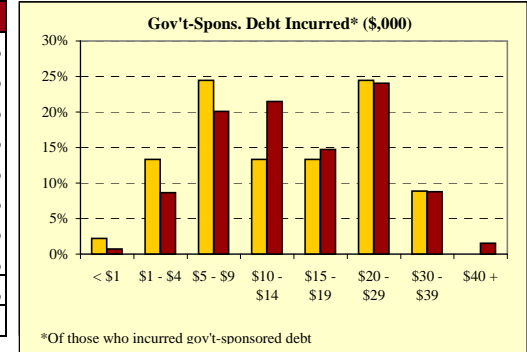
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28. Outstanding Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Amount:*	23.0101		UBC	
None - Loan repaid in full	15	34%	348	44%
< \$1,000	1	2%	8	1%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	8	18%	106	14%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	5	11%	127	16%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	2	5%	73	9%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	5	11%	50	6%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	8	18%	54	7%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	-	0%	12	2%
\$40,000 or More	-	0%	6	1%
Total	44	100%	784	100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding	\$2,750		\$2,000	

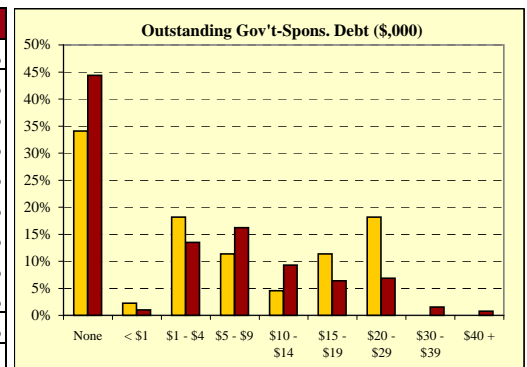
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*Of those who incurred financial debt



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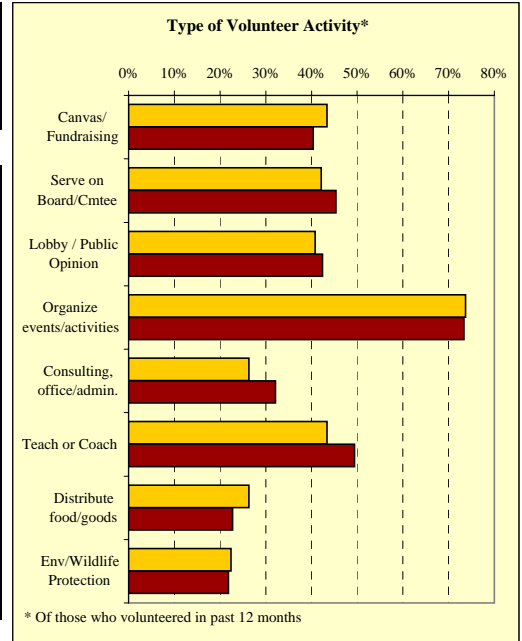


SPECIAL SECTION ON COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT / VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY

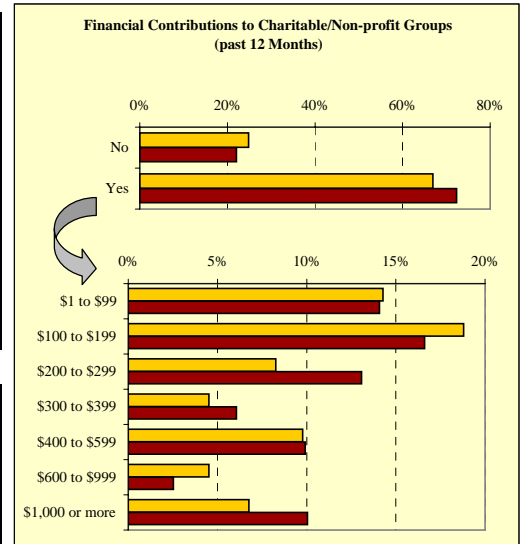
29. In the past 12 months, have you acted as an unpaid volunteer?	23.0101		UBC	
No	56	42%	1,046	44%
Yes	76	58%	1,339	56%
Volunteer Hours/Week (Median)	2		1	

30. In the past 12 months, as an unpaid volunteer for an organization did you...	23.0101		UBC	
do any canvassing, campaigning or fundraising?	33	43%*	541	40%*
serve as an unpaid member of a board or committee?	32	42%*	607	45%*
provide information or help to educate, influence public opinion, or lobby others?	31	41%*	568	42%*
help to organize/supervise activities/events for an organization?	56	74%*	982	73%*
do any consulting, executive, office or administrative work?	20	26%*	430	32%*
teach or coach for an organization?	33	43%*	662	49%*
collect, serve or deliver food or other goods?	20	26%*	305	23%*
engage in any activities aimed at protecting the environment or wildlife?	17	22%*	292	22%*

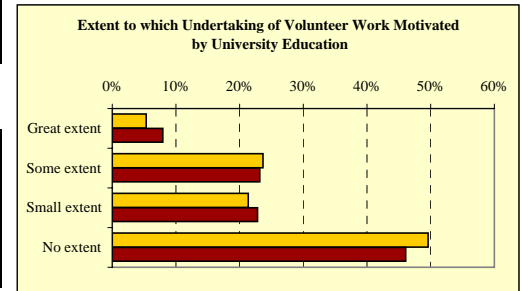
*percentages are of those who have acted as an unpaid volunteer in the past 12 months



31. Financial contributions to charitable or non-profit groups in past 12 months	23.0101		UBC	
\$0 (None)	33	25%	531	22%
\$1 to \$99	19	14%	339	14%
\$100 to \$199	25	19%	400	17%
\$200 to \$299	11	8%	315	13%
\$300 to \$399	6	5%	146	6%
\$400 to \$599	13	10%	239	10%
\$600 to \$999	6	5%	61	3%
\$1,000 or more	9	7%	242	10%
Median Annual Contribution	\$200		\$200	



32. Member or Participant in...	23.0101		UBC	
Union/Professional Association (work-related)	83	62%	1,655	69%
Political organization	6	5%	108	4%
Cultural, educational or hobby organization	43	32%	772	32%
Sports or recreation organization	47	35%	1,074	45%
Religious-affiliated group	20	15%	492	20%
School group, civic, or community association	38	29%	612	25%
Other	13	10%	195	8%



33. To what extent did your university education motivate you to undertake volunteer work?	23.0101		UBC	
Great extent	7	5%*	186	8%*
Some extent	31	24%*	544	23%*
Small extent	28	21%*	535	23%*
No extent	65	50%*	1,081	46%*

*percentages are of those who thought question was applicable