

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

Detailed Summary of Survey Results

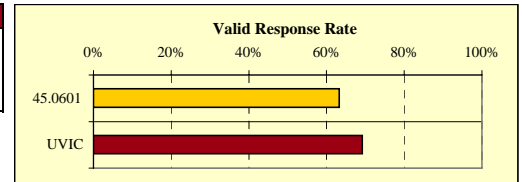
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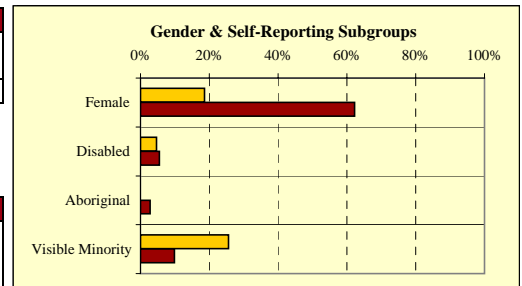
RESPONSE RATE

1. Survey Response Rate:	45.0601	UVIC
Baccalaureate Graduates Survey Cohort	74	2,392
Net Frame	68	2,199
Survey Respondents and Valid Response Rate	43 63%	1,522 69%



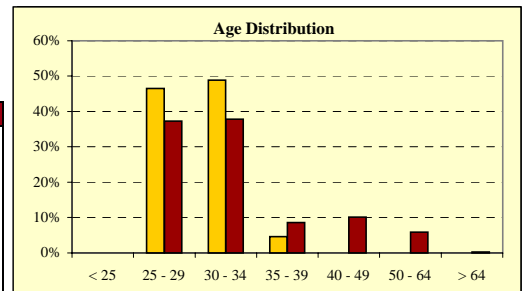
DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2. Gender:	45.0601	UVIC
Male	35 81%	575 38%
Female	8 19%	947 62%
Total	43 100%	1,522 100%

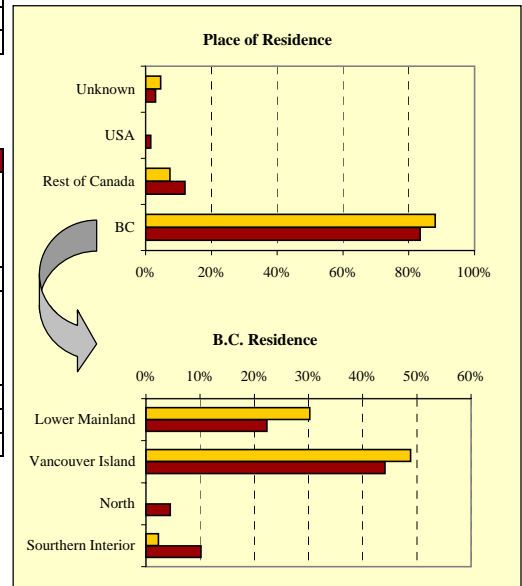


3. Self-Reporting Subgroups:	45.0601	UVIC
Disabled	2 5%	84 6%
Aboriginal	- 0%	42 3%
Visible Minority	11 26%	150 10%

4. Age (at time of survey):	45.0601	UVIC
< 25	- 0%	- 0%
25 to 29	20 47%	567 37%
30 to 34	21 49%	576 38%
35 to 39	2 5%	131 9%
40 to 49	- 0%	154 10%
50 to 64	- 0%	90 6%
> 64	- 0%	4 0%
Unknown	- 0%	- 0%
Total	43 100%	1,522 100%
Mean Age:	30.2	33.4

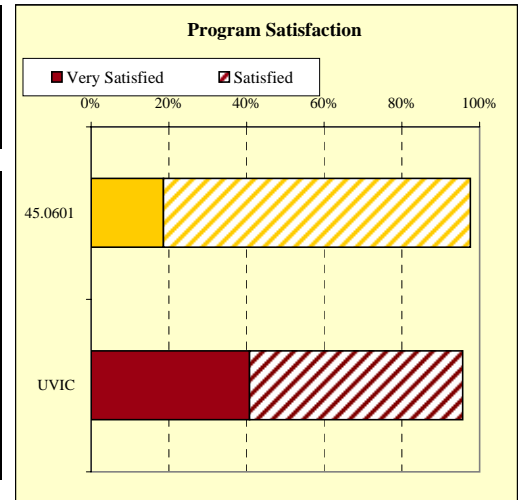


5. Place of Residence (at time of survey):	45.0601	UVIC
BC - Lower Mainland	13 30%	340 22%
BC - Vancouver Island	21 49%	671 44%
BC - North	- 0%	68 4%
BC - Southern Interior	1 2%	155 10%
B.C. Subtotal	35 81%	1,234 81%
Canada - Alberta	2 5%	94 6%
Canada - Ontario	2 5%	74 5%
Canada - Other	1 2%	38 2%
U.S.A.	1 2%	46 3%
Non-B.C. Subtotal	6 14%	252 17%
Unknown	2 5%	36 2%
Total	43 100%	1,522 100%



EDUCATION SATISFACTION & PROGRAM EVALUATION

6. Program Satisfaction:	45.0601		UVIC	
Very Satisfied	8	19%	620	41%
Satisfied	34	79%	835	55%
Dissatisfied	1	2%	57	4%
Very Dissatisfied	-	0%	8	1%
Total	43	100%	1,520	100%

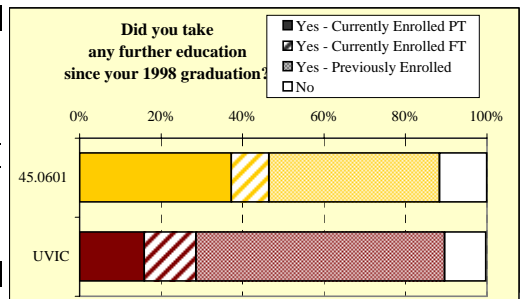


7. Would you select the same program again?	45.0601		UVIC	
Yes	21	49%	1,086	73%
No, because . . . (multiple response question)	22		394	
. . . not enough course variety offered	-	0%*	5	1%*
. . . skills acquired were not very useful	3	9%*	30	6%*
. . . courses were poorly taught	-	0%*	6	1%*
. . . program was too general	3	9%*	44	9%*
. . . courses were not practical	9	27%*	72	14%*
. . . interests have changed	8	24%*	90	18%*
. . . little or no career opportunities	6	18%*	166	33%*
. . . disagree with grading system	-	0%*	-	0%*
. . . disliked institution	-	0%*	1	0%*
. . . other	4	12%*	89	18%*

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

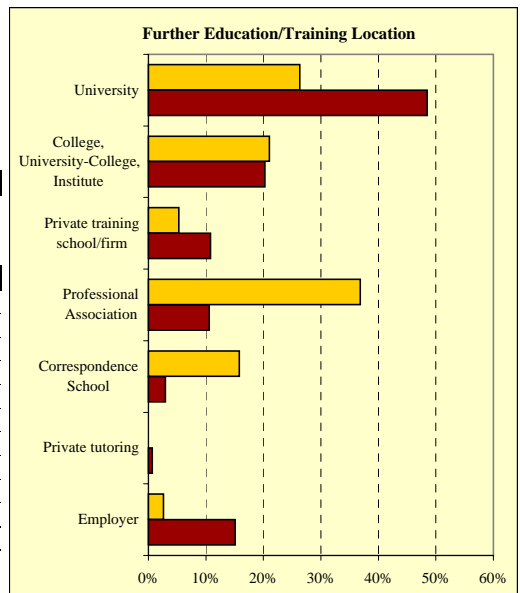
FURTHER EDUCATION

8. Took further education since 1996 graduation?	45.0601		UVIC	
Yes:	38	88%	1,368	90%
Not currently enrolled	18	42%	929	61%
Currently enrolled full-time	4	9%	194	13%
Currently enrolled part-time	16	37%	241	16%
No	5	12%	154	10%
Total	43	100%	1,522	100%



9. Further education/training location (multiple resp.):*	45.0601		UVIC	
University	10	26%*	663	48%*
College, University-College, Institute	8	21%*	277	20%*
Private training school/firm	2	5%*	148	11%*
Professional Association	14	37%*	145	11%*
Correspondence School	6	16%*	40	3%*
Private Tutoring	-	0%*	9	1%*
Employer	1	3%*	206	15%*
Other	2	5%*	53	4%*
Total Respondents	38		1,368	

* Percent of respondents



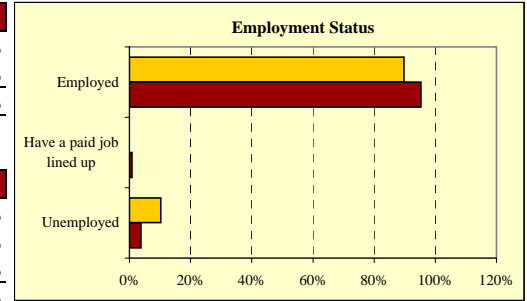
10. Main Reason for Further Education:	45.0601		UVIC	
Pursue another Bachelor degree	2	5%	74	5%
Pursue Masters studies	3	7%	166	11%
Pursue Doctoral studies	-	0%	35	2%
Career / job / employment related	32	74%	965	63%
Challenge myself intellectually	1	2%	115	7%
To please parents/family	-	0%	1	0%
Did not have a primary/main reason for enrolling	-	0%	4	0%
Required by employer	3	7%	63	4%
Other	2	5%	114	7%
Total	43	100%	1,537	100%

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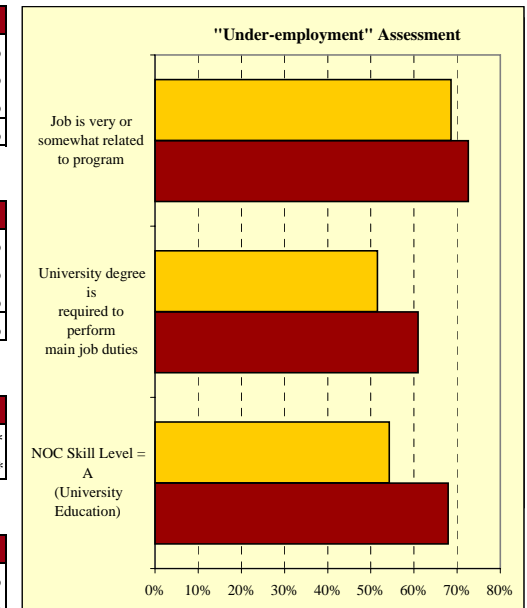
EMPLOYMENT

11. Labour Force Status:	45.0601		UVIC	
In Labour Force (working or seeking work)	39	91%	1,362	89%
Not in Labour Force	4	9%	160	11%
Grand Total	43	100%	1,522	100%



12. Employment Status of those IN Labour Force:	45.0601		UVIC	
Employed	35	90%	1,298	95%
Have a paid job lined up	-	0%	12	1%
Unemployed	4	10%	52	4%
Total Labour Force	39	100%	1,362	100%

13. Status of Graduates NOT in Labour Force:	45.0601		UVIC	
Attending School FT	2	50%	73	46%
Attending School PT	-	0%	7	4%
Other	2	50%	80	50%
Total NOT in Labour Force	4	100%	160	100%



14. Employment Type:	45.0601		UVIC	
Paid worker	32	91%	1,109	85%
Self-employed	2	6%	113	9%
Both a paid worker and self-employed	1	3%	76	6%
Total Employed	35	100%	1,298	100%

15. Job Characteristics:	45.0601		UVIC	
I hold more than one job	1	3%*	221	17%*
My main job is full-time (>= 30 hours per week)	32	94%**	1,062	83%**

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

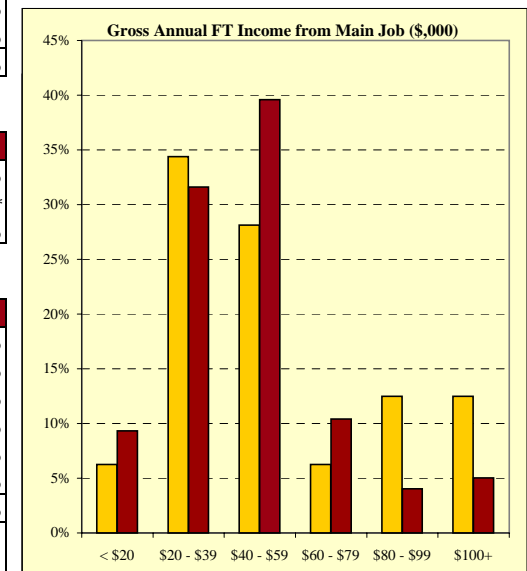
16. How related is your main job to your program?	45.0601		UVIC	
Very Related	7	20%	495	38%
Somewhat Related	17	49%	447	34%
Not Very Related	5	14%	150	12%
Not At All Related	6	17%	204	16%
Total	35	100%	1,296	100%

17. "Under-employment" Assessment:	45.0601		UVIC	
Job is very or somewhat related to program	24	69%	942	73%
University degree is required to perform main job duties	17	52%*	752	61%*
NOC Skill Level = A (University Education)	19	54%	877	68%

* of total valid responses

18. Gross Annual Income from Main Job:*	45.0601		UVIC	
Less than \$20,000	2	6%	111	9%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	11	34%	376	32%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	9	28%	471	40%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	2	6%	124	10%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	4	13%	48	4%
\$100,000 and Above	4	13%	60	5%
Total	32	100%	1,190	100%
Median Annual Income (full-time)	\$49,200		\$45,000	
Average Annual Income (full-time)	\$62,291		\$52,942	

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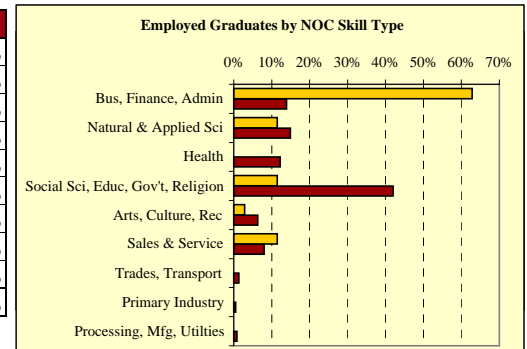


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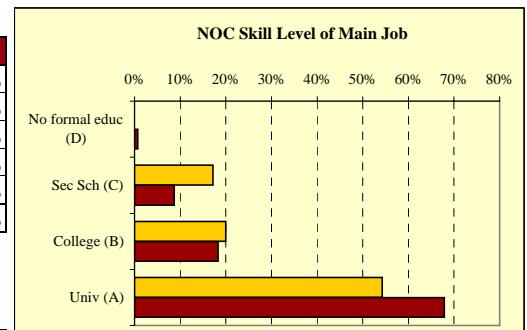
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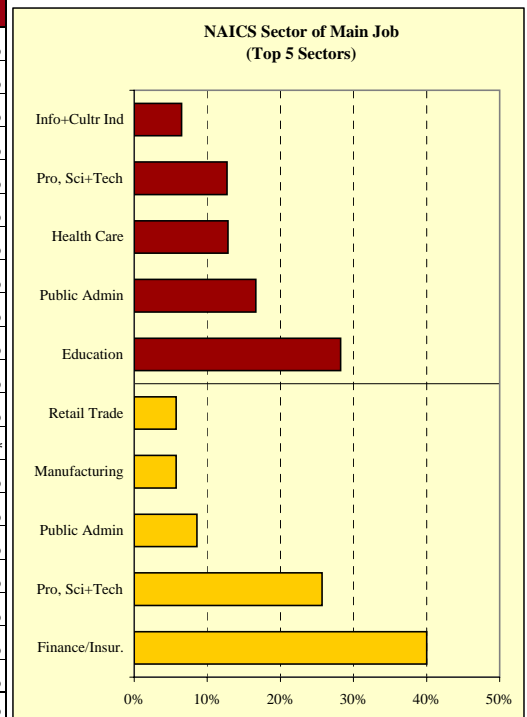
19. NOC Skill Type of Main Job:	45.0601	UVIC		
Business, Finance and Administration	22	63%	179	14%
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	4	11%	192	15%
Health	-	0%	158	12%
Social Sciences, Educ., Gov't Services, Religion	4	11%	541	42%
Arts, Culture, Recreation and Sport	1	3%	82	6%
Sales and Service	4	11%	103	8%
Trades, Transport and Eqp. Operators and Related	-	0%	17	1%
Unique to the Primary Industry	-	0%	6	0%
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	-	0%	11	1%
Total	35	100%	1,289	100%



20. NOC Skill Level of Main Job:	45.0601	UVIC		
A. University education	19	54%	877	68%
B. College education/trade apprenticeship	7	20%	236	18%
C. Secondary school + job-specific training	6	17%	112	9%
D. No formal education	-	0%	9	1%
No Skill Level assigned (management)	3	9%	58	4%
Total	35	100%	1,292	100%



21. NAICS Sector of Main Job:	45.0601	UVIC		
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting	*	*	10	1%
Mining and Oil and Gas Extraction	*	*	6	0%
Utilities	*	*	2	0%
Construction	*	*	2	0%
Manufacturing	2	6%	67	5%
Wholesale Trade	*	*	13	1%
Retail Trade	2	6%	36	3%
Transportation and Warehousing	*	*	19	1%
Information and Cultural Industries	2	6%	83	6%
Finance and Insurance	14	40%	56	4%
Real Estate and Rental and Leasing	*	*	5	0%
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	9	26%	163	13%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	*	*	*	*
Admin., Support, Waste Mgmt., Remediation Svcs.	*	*	6	0%
Education Services	*	*	363	28%
Health Care and Social Assistance	*	*	165	13%
Arts, Entertainment and Recreation	*	*	29	2%
Accommodation and Food services	*	*	18	1%
Other Service (except Public Administration)	*	*	28	2%
Public Administration	3	9%	214	17%
Total	35	100%	1285	100%



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EMPLOYMENT, continued

22a. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of 45.0601 Graduates:

			45.0601	
NOC	NOC	Skill Level Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
1114	A	Other Financial Officers	20%	\$65,000
1111	A	Financial Auditors & Acnts	14%	\$39,500
4112	A	Lawyers & Quebec Notaries	6%	\$66,100
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22b. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of Graduates from University of Victoria:

			UVIC	
NOC	NOC	Skill Level Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4141	A	Secondary School Teachers	7%	\$40,000
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten Teacher	7%	\$42,000
3152	A	Registered Nurses	5%	\$52,416
4112	A	Lawyers & Quebec Notaries	4%	\$70,000
4152	A	Social Workers	2%	\$50,000
4212	B	Community & Social Srvc Workers	2%	\$34,034
2173	A	Software Engineers	2%	\$80,000
4131	A	College & Other Voc Instructors	2%	\$43,477
1122	A	Occs in Bus Srvc to Mgmt	2%	\$65,000
2174	A	Computer Programmers/Interactive Media Developers	1%	\$52,000

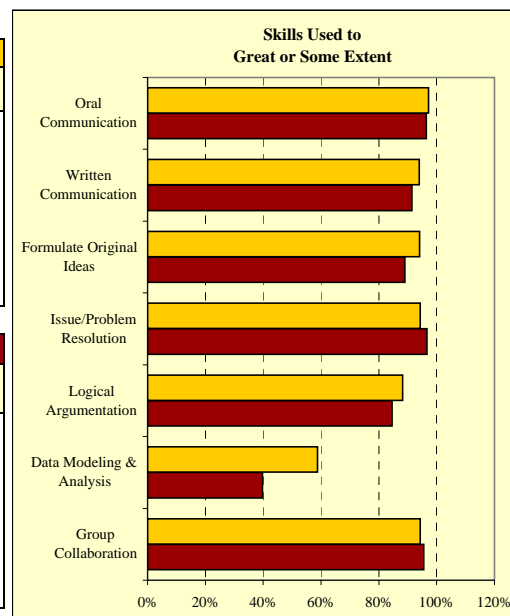
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SKILLS USED IN EMPLOYMENT

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

	45.0601				# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent	
Oral Communication	71%	26%	3%	0%	35
Written Communication	73%	21%	6%	0%	33
Formulate Original Ideas	50%	44%	6%	0%	34
Issue/Problem Resolution	71%	23%	6%	0%	35
Logical Argumentation	74%	15%	9%	3%	34
Data Modeling & Analysis	29%	29%	35%	6%	34
Group Collaboration	57%	37%	6%	0%	35



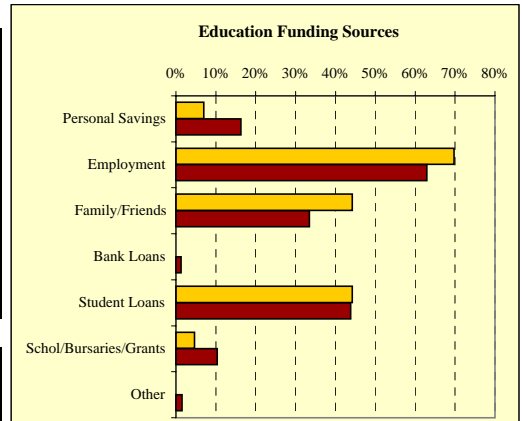
23b. To what extent do you use [the following skills] in your main job?

	UVIC				# Resp.
	Great Extent	Some Extent	Small Extent	No Extent	
Oral Communication	80%	17%	3%	1%	1,295
Written Communication	68%	24%	6%	3%	1,292
Formulate Original Ideas	55%	34%	8%	3%	1,294
Issue/Problem Resolution	76%	21%	3%	1%	1,296
Logical Argumentation	51%	33%	12%	3%	1,293
Data Modeling & Analysis	16%	24%	29%	31%	1,291
Group Collaboration	79%	17%	4%	1%	1,296

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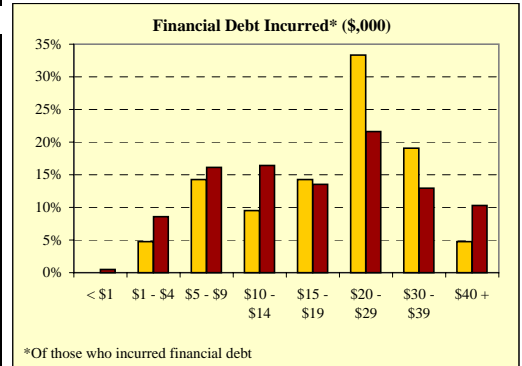
24. Education Funding Sources (2 sources per respondent):	45.0601		UVIC	
Personal Savings	3	7%*	248	16%*
Employment	30	70%*	958	63%*
Family/Friends	19	44%*	509	33%*
Bank Loans	-	0%*	20	1%*
Student Loans	19	44%*	667	44%*
Scholarships/Bursaries/Grants	2	5%*	157	10%*
Other	-	0%*	23	2%*
Total Respondents	43		1,522	

* Percentage of respondents who identified this source



25. Financial Debt Incurred to Finance Univ. Education:	45.0601		UVIC	
Incurred any form of financial debt	21	49%*	805	55%*
Incurred government-sponsored student loan debt	21	49%*	700	48%*

* Percentage of respondents who provided data



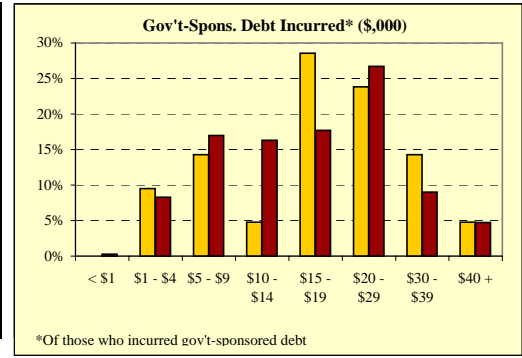
*Of those who incurred financial debt

26. Financial Debt Amount:*	45.0601		UVIC	
< \$1,000	-	0%	4	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1	5%	69	9%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	14%	130	16%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	2	10%	132	16%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	3	14%	109	14%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	7	33%	174	22%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	4	19%	104	13%
\$40,000 or More	1	5%	83	10%
Total	21	100%	805	100%
Median Financial Debt	\$20,000		\$17,000	

*includes only cases where financial debt was incurred

27. Government-Sponsored Student Loan Debt Amount:*	45.0601		UVIC	
< \$1,000	-	0%	2	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	2	10%	58	8%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	14%	119	17%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1	5%	114	16%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	6	29%	124	18%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	5	24%	187	27%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	3	14%	63	9%
\$40,000 or More	1	5%	33	5%
Total	21	100%	700	100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt	\$18,000		\$16,400	

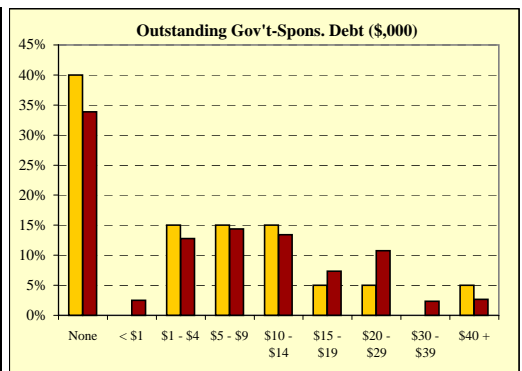
*includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred



*Of those who incurred gov't-sponsored debt

28. Outstanding Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Amount:*	45.0601		UVIC	
None - Loan repaid in full	8	40%	217	34%
< \$1,000	-	0%	16	2%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	3	15%	82	13%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	3	15%	92	14%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	3	15%	86	13%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	1	5%	47	7%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	1	5%	69	11%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	-	0%	15	2%
\$40,000 or More	1	5%	17	3%
Total	20	100%	641	100%
Median Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding	\$2,750		\$5,000	

*includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred, and valid "amount remaining" was provided



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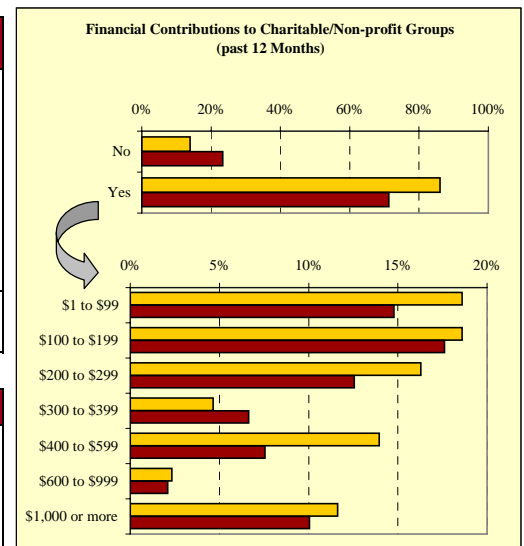
29. In the past 12 months, have you acted as an unpaid volunteer?	45.0601		UVIC	
No	23	53%	590	39%
Yes	20	47%	921	61%
Volunteer Hours/Week (Median)	1		1	



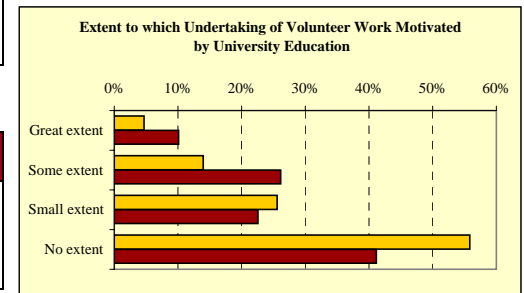
30. In the past 12 months, as an unpaid volunteer for an organization did you...	45.0601		UVIC	
do any canvassing, campaigning or fundraising?	11	55%*	421	46%*
serve as an unpaid member of a board or committee?	9	45%*	436	47%*
provide information or help to educate, influence public opinion, or lobby others?	4	20%*	444	48%*
help to organize/supervise activities/events for an organization?	12	60%*	663	72%*
do any consulting, executive, office or administrative work?	4	20%*	313	34%*
teach or coach for an organization?	7	35%*	413	45%*
collect, serve or deliver food or other goods?	5	25%*	211	23%*
engage in any activities aimed at protecting the environment or wildlife?	6	30%*	228	25%*

*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	45.0601		UVIC	
\$0 (None)	6	14%	356	23%
\$1 to \$99	8	19%	225	15%
\$100 to \$199	8	19%	268	18%
\$200 to \$299	7	16%	191	13%
\$300 to \$399	2	5%	101	7%
\$400 to \$599	6	14%	115	8%
\$600 to \$999	1	2%	32	2%
\$1,000 or more	5	12%	153	10%
Median Annual Contribution	\$200		\$200	



32. Member or Participant in...	45.0601		UVIC	
Union/Professional Association (work-related)	15	35%	963	63%
Political organization	2	5%	93	6%
Cultural, educational or hobby organization	11	26%	496	33%
Sports or recreation organization	18	42%	647	43%
Religious-affiliated group	4	9%	238	16%
School group, civic, or community association	7	16%	406	27%
Other	3	7%	162	11%



33. To what extent did your university education motivate you to undertake volunteer work?	45.0601		UVIC	
Great extent	2	5%*	150	10%*
Some extent	6	14%*	388	26%*
Small extent	11	26%*	335	23%*
No extent	24	56%*	611	41%*

*percentages are of those who thought question was applicable