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# Graduating Student Survey Spring 2020 Total UHCL with no Written Comments

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### Graduating Student Survey Spring 2020 Summary

The purpose of the Graduating Student Survey is to determine the level of satisfaction of graduating students concerning their recent higher education experience at University of Houston-Clear Lake (UHCL). The graduating student's opinions are solicited regarding which areas or issues should be improved to ensure that UHCL maintains the highest quality of instruction. The percentage of students who would recommend UHCL to family or friends is included in the UHCL progress card each year and is shown on the next page.

The online Graduating Student Survey is conducted in fall and spring semesters using Qualtrics survey software. UHCL launched its semi-annual survey to graduating students for the spring 2020 on March 21, 2020 and the survey was active through May 31, 2020. All students who applied for graduation during the spring 2020 semester were sent an invitation to complete the survey. The data can be divided by college, by degree level, by gender, by ethnicity, by program or any of the above combinations. The average completion time for the survey is 10 minutes. A short summary of data collected in the Graduating Student Survey Spring 2020 by UHCL and by individual schools is contained in the following pages.

The final reports are posted online under Graduating Student Survey at:

https://www.uhcl.edu/about/administrative-offices/institutional-effectiveness/institutional-research/survey-data.aspx

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**UHCL**

**Demographics Information:**

- Respondents: A total of 1,256 UHCL graduating students were invited to participate in spring 2020; the response rate was 23.7% (n=298) compared to fall 2019 (29.4%), spring 2019 (28.3%), fall 2018 (28.4%), spring 2018 (26.9%), and fall 2017 (24.1%).

- Gender: Sixty-one respondents chose not to answer this question.

  Males      26.2% (n=62)
  Females   73.8% (n=175)

- Ethnicity: Sixty respondents chose not to answer this question.

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  |---|---|
  | White | 37.4% (n=89) |
  | Black | 9.7% (n=23) |
  | Hispanic | 30.3% (n=72) |
  | Asian | 16.4% (n=39) |
  | American Indian | 0.0% (n=0) |
  | International | 0.8% (n=2) |
  | Multi-racial | 5.5% (n=13) |
  | Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 0.0% (n=0) |

- Question: "If you currently have, or will be starting a new job, to what extent is it related to your major or area of student at UHCL?" One hundred thirty-four respondents chose not to answer this question.

  50.6% (n=83) said Directly related
  28.0% (n=46) said Somewhat related
  21.3% (n=35) said Not related

**Overall Satisfaction:**

- "Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received from UHCL?" Fifty-nine respondents chose not to answer this question.

  90.4% of the respondents (n=216) said they considered the education received at UHCL to be at least Good.

- "In your opinion, did UHCL provide an education worthy of your yearly tuition and fees?" Fifty-eight respondents chose not to answer this question.

  84.2% (n=202) said Yes
  15.8% (n=38) said No

- "Would you still choose the same program of study?" Fifty-nine respondents chose not to answer this question.

  70.7% (n=169) said Yes
  12.1% (n=29) said No
  17.2% (n=41) said Not Sure

- "Will you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?" Forty-five respondents chose not to answer this question.

  93.8% (n=225) said Yes
  6.3% (n=15) said No

# College of Business (COB)

## Demographics Information:

- Respondents: A total of 431 BUS graduating students were invited to participate in spring 2020; the response rate was 19.5% (n=84) compared with fall 2019 (21.0%), spring 2019 (25.1%), fall 2018 (22.3%), spring 2018 (23.8%), and fall 2017 (19.9%).

- Gender: Eighteen BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

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  | Males | 24.2% (n=16) |
  | Females | 75.8% (n=50) |

- Ethnicity: Nineteen BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

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  |---|---|
  | White | 46.2% (n=30) |
  | Black | 15.4% (n=10) |
  | Hispanic | 21.5% (n=14) |
  | Asian | 15.4% (n=10) |
  | American Indian | 0.0% (n=0) |
  | International | 1.5% (n=1) |
  | Multi-racial | 0.0% (n=0) |
  | Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 0.0% (n=0) |

- Question: "If you currently have, or will be starting a new job, to what extent is it related to your major or area of study at UHCL?" Thirty-seven BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

  44.7% (n=21) said Directly related
  44.7% (n=21) said Somewhat related
  10.6% (n=5) said Not related

## Overall Satisfaction:

- "Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received from UHCL?" Seventeen BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

  85.1% of the respondents (n=57) said they considered the education received at UHCL to be at least Good.

- "In your opinion, did UHCL provide an education worthy of your yearly tuition and fees?" Seventeen BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

  82.1% (n=55) said Yes
  17.9% (n=12) said No

- "Would you still choose the same program of study?" Eighteen BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

  62.1% (n=41) said Yes
  12.1% (n=8) said No
  25.8% (n=17) said Not Sure

- "Will you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?" Seventeen BUS respondents chose not to answer this question.

  88.1% (n=59) said Yes
  11.9% (n=8) said No

# College of Education (COE)

## Demographics Information:

- Respondents: A total of 159 COE graduating students were invited to participate in spring 2020; the response rate was 28.9% (n=46) compared to fall 2019 (39.5%), spring 2019 (27.0%), fall 2018 (34.1%), spring 2018 (35.3%), and fall 2017 (28.6%).

- Gender: Five COE respondent chose not to answer this question.

  Males       12.2% (n=5)
  Females    87.8% (n=36)

- Ethnicity: Five COE respondent chose not to answer this question.

  White                                29.3% (n=12)
  Black                                  7.3% (n=3)
  Hispanic                            41.5% (n=17)
  Asian                                  7.3% (n=3)
  American Indian                  0.0% (n=0)
  International                        0.0% (n=0)
  Multi-racial                        14.6% (n=6)
  Hawaiian/Pacific Islander   0.0% (n=0)

- Question: "If you currently have, or will be starting a new job, to what extent is it related to your major or area of study at UHCL?" Eleven COE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  77.1% (n=27) said Directly related
  17.1% (n=6) said Somewhat related
   5.7% (n=2) said Not related

## Overall Satisfaction:

- "Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received from UHCL?" Four COE respondent chose not to answer this question.

  100.0% of the respondents (n=42) said they considered the education received at UHCL to be at least Good.

- "In your opinion, did UHCL provide an education worthy of your yearly tuition and fees?" Five COE respondent chose not to answer this question.

  87.8% (n=36) said Yes
  12.2% (n=5) said No

- "Would you still choose the same program of study?" Four COE respondent chose not to answer this question.

  83.3% (n=35) said Yes
   7.1% (n=3) said No
   9.5% (n=4) said Not Sure

- "Will you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?" Five COE respondent chose not to answer this question.

  100.0% (n=41) said Yes
    0.0% (n=2) said No

# College of Human Sciences and Humanities (HSH)

## Demographics Information:

- Respondents: A total of 362 HSH graduating students were invited to participate in spring 20; the response rate was 28.7% (n=104) compared to fall 2019 (31.6%), spring 2019 (33.3%), fall 2018 (35.0%), spring 2018 (25.7%), and fall 2017 (27.9%).

- Gender: Fourteen HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

    Males      22.2% (n=20)
    Females    77.8% (n=90)

- Ethnicity: Fourteen HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

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    |---|---|
    | White | 41.8% (n=38) |
    | Black | 7.7% (n=7) |
    | Hispanic | 35.2% (n=32) |
    | Asian | 9.9% (n=9) |
    | American Indian | 0.0% (n=0) |
    | International | 1.1% (n=1) |
    | Multi-racial | 4.4% (n=4) |
    | Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 0.0% (n=0) |

- Question: "If you currently have, or will be starting a new job, to what extent is it related to your major or area of study at UHCL?" Forty-five HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

    35.6% (n=21) said Directly related
    25.4% (n=15) said Somewhat related
    39.0% (n=23) said Not related

## Overall Satisfaction:

- "Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received from UHCL?" Fifteen HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

- 94.4% of the respondents (n=84) said they considered the education received at UHCL to be at least Good.

- "In your opinion, did UHCL provide an education worthy of your yearly tuition and fees?" Thirteen HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

    89.0% (n=81) said Yes
    11.0% (n=10) said No

- "Would you still choose the same program of study?" Fourteen HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

    75.6% (n=68) said Yes20
    10.0% (n=9) said No
    14.4% (n=13) said Not Sure

- "Will you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?" Thirteen HSH respondents chose not to answer this question.

    95.6% (n=87) said Yes
    4.4% (n=4) said No

# College of Science and Engineering (CSE)

**Demographics Information:**

- Respondents: A total of 305 CSE graduating students were invited to participate in spring 2020; the response rate was 18.4% (n=56) compared to fall 2019 (28.2%), spring 2019 (25.0%), fall 2018 (24.7%), spring 2018 (25.7%), and fall 2017 (18.8%).

- Gender: Sixteen CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  Males      52.5% (n=21)
  Females    47.5% (n=19)

- Ethnicity: Fifteen CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  | | |
  |---|---|
  | White | 22.0% (n=9) |
  | Black | 7.3% (n=3) |
  | Hispanic | 22.0% (n=9) |
  | Asian | 41.5% (n=17) |
  | American Indian | 0.0% (n=0) |
  | International | 0.0% (n=0) |
  | Multi-racial | 7.3% (n=3) |
  | Hawaiian/Pacific Islander | 0.0% (n=0) |

- Question: "If you currently have, or will be starting a new job, to what extent is it related to your major or area of study at UHCL?" Thirty-three CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  60.9% (n=14) said Directly related
  17.4% (n=4) said Somewhat related
  21.7% (n=5) said Not related

**Overall Satisfaction:**

- "Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received from UHCL?" Fifteen CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  80.5% of the respondents (n=33) said they considered the education received at UHCL to be at least Good.

- "In your opinion, did UHCL provide an education worthy of your yearly tuition and fees?" Fifteen CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  73.2% (n=30) said Yes
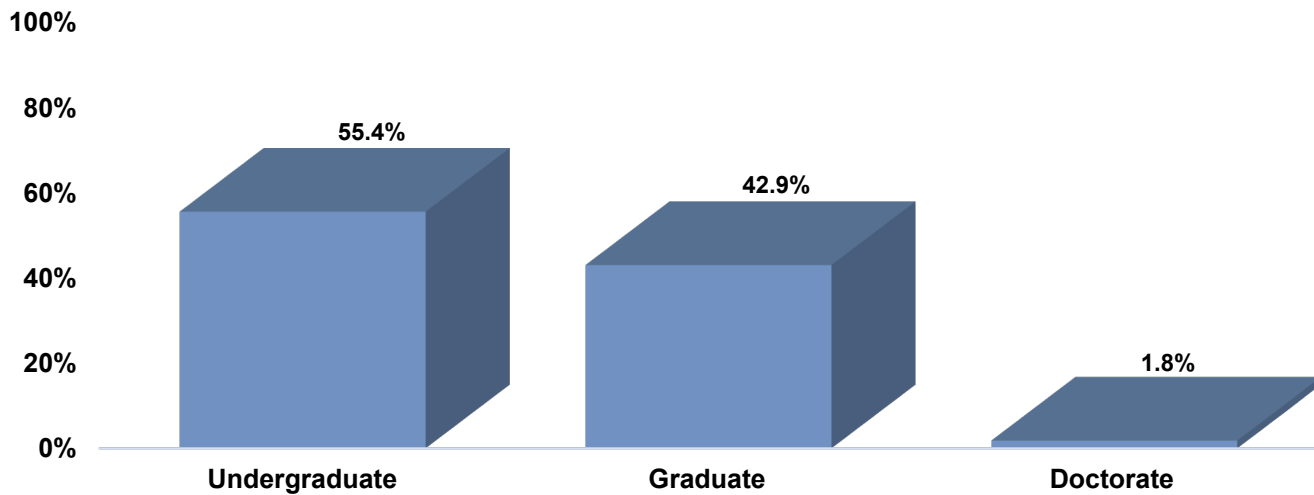  26.8% (n=11) said No

- "Would you still choose the same program of study?" Fifteen CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  61.0% (n=25) said Yes
  22.0% (n=9) said No
  17.1% (n=7) said Not Sure

- "Will you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?" Fifteen CSE respondents chose not to answer this question.

  92.7% (n=38) said Yes
  7.3% (n=3) said No

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### What will be your degree level?



| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Undergraduate | 155 | 55.4% |
| Graduate | 120 | 42.9% |
| Doctorate | 5 | 1.8% |
| Total | 280 | 100.0% |

Note 1: There were a total of *1,256 UHCL* students who applied for graduation for the spring 2020 class. *298 UHCL* students participated in the Graduating Student Survey resulting in a *23.7%* overall response rate.
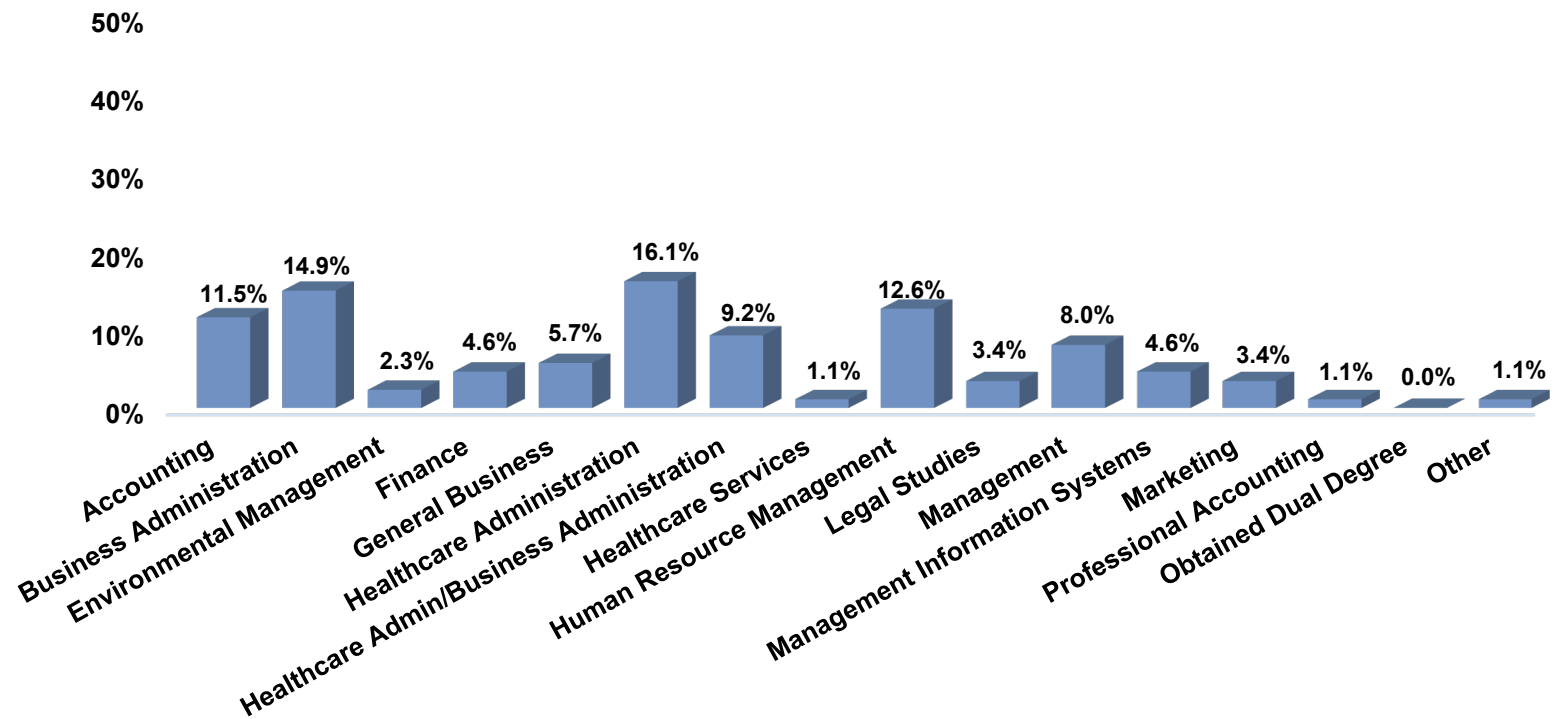
Note 2:  All NON-answered questions are EXCLUDED. Please note that this will change the TOTAL number of responses for each question since data vary according to whether students chose to respond or not respond to questions.  Effective spring 2017, all completed and partial responses are included in the Graduate Student Survey reports.

**From which college will you receive your degree? (A response to this question is required)**
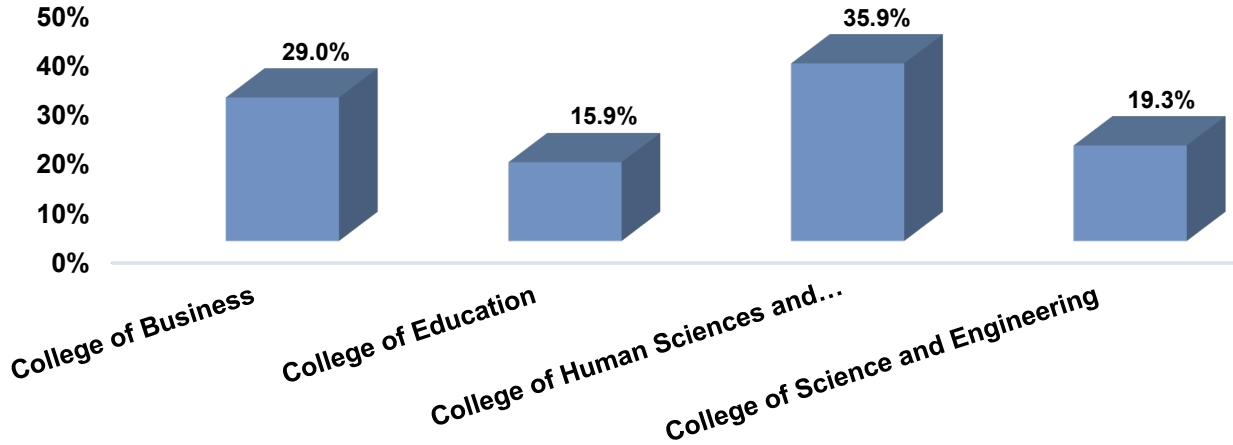


| Answer | Response | % |
|--------|---------|---|
| College of Business | 84 | 29.0% |
| College of Education | 46 | 15.9% |
| College of Human Sciences and Humanities | 104 | 35.9% |
| College of Science and Engineering | 56 | 19.3% |
| Total | 290 | 100.0% |

# What is your primary degree program in the College of Business? {Choose one}



| Degree Program | Percentage |
|---|---|
| Accounting | 11.5% |
| Business Administration | 14.9% |
| Environmental Management | 2.3% |
| Finance | 4.6% |
| General Business | 5.7% |
| Healthcare Administration | 16.1% |
| Healthcare Admin/Business Administration | 9.2% |
| Healthcare Services | 1.1% |
| Human Resource Management | 12.6% |
| Legal Studies | 3.4% |
| Management | 8.0% |
| Management Information Systems | 4.6% |
| Marketing | 3.4% |
| Professional Accounting | 1.1% |
| Obtained Dual Degree | 0.0% |
| Other | 1.1% |

# What is your primary degree program in the College Business? (continued)

| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Accounting | 10 | 11.5% |
| Business Administration | 13 | 14.9% |
| Environmental Management | 2 | 2.3% |
| Finance | 4 | 4.6% |
| General Business | 5 | 5.7% |
| Healthcare Administration | 14 | 16.1% |
| Healthcare Admin/Business Administration | 8 | 9.2% |
| Healthcare Services | 1 | 1.1% |
| Human Resource Management | 11 | 12.6% |
| Legal Studies | 3 | 3.4% |
| Management | 7 | 8.0% |
| Management Information Systems | 4 | 4.6% |
| Marketing | 3 | 3.4% |
| Professional Accounting | 1 | 1.1% |
| Obtained Dual Degree | 0 | 0.0% |
| Other | 1 | 1.1% |
| Total | 87 | 100.0% |

## What is your primary degree program in the College of Education? {Choose one}



Bar chart values:
- Addiction Counseling: 0.0%
- Counseling: 0.0%
- Curriculum & Instruction: 5.5%
- Educational Management: 1.8%
- Educational Leadership: 7.3%
- Instructional Design and...: 3.6%
- Interdisciplinary Studies: 38.2%
- Master Teacher Certification: 0.0%
- Multicultural Studies in...: 0.0%
- Post-Baccalaureate Teacher...: 3.6%
- Reading: 0.0%
- School Library & Information...: 3.6%
- UHCL Certifications (not state...: 0.0%
- Obtained Dual Degree: 0.0%
- Other: 3.6%
- Early Childhood Care and...: 1.8%
- Clinical Mental Health Counseling: 0.0%
- Early Childhood Education: 29.1%
- Master of Arts in Teaching: 1.8%

# What is your primary degree program in the College of Education? (continued)

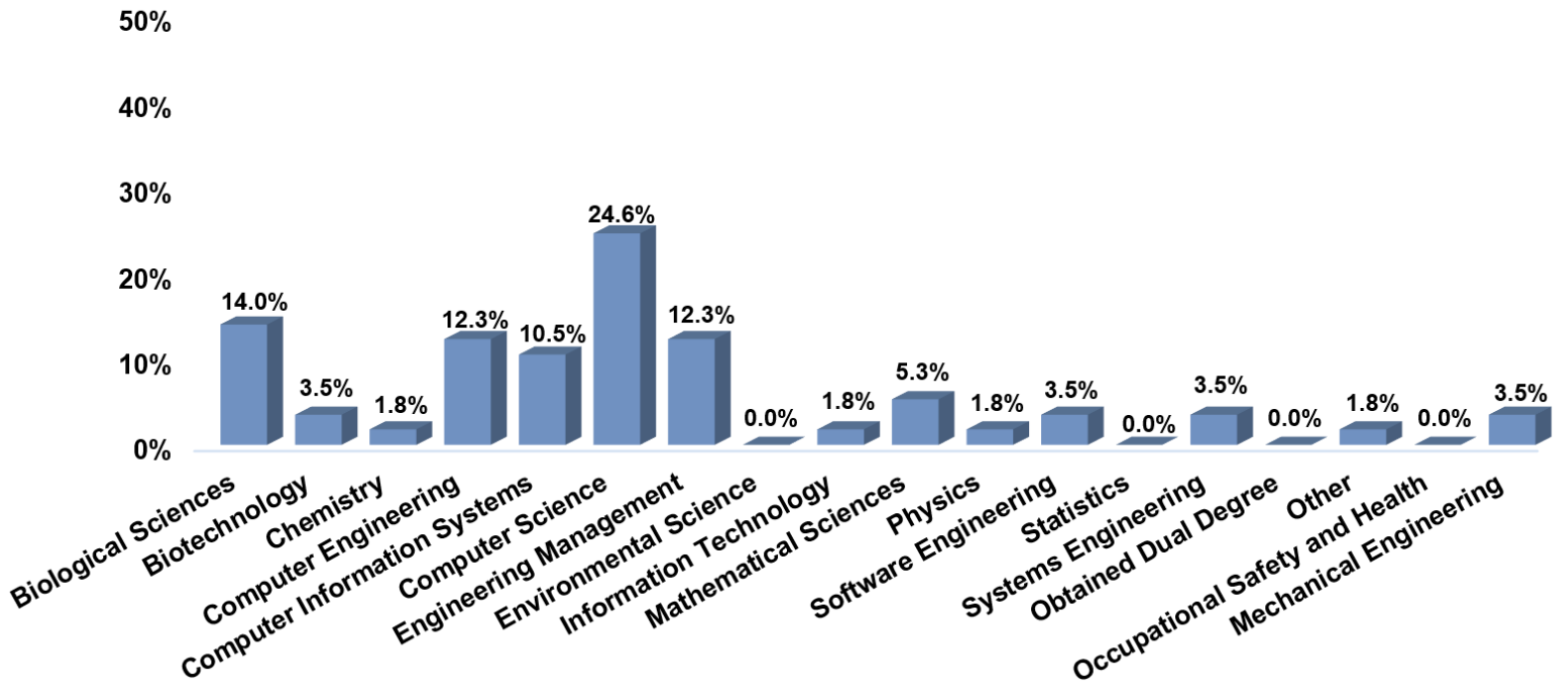| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Addiction Counseling | 0 | 0.0% |
| Counseling | 0 | 0.0% |
| Curriculum & Instruction | 3 | 5.5% |
| Educational Management | 1 | 1.8% |
| Educational Leadership | 4 | 7.3% |
| Instructional Design and Technology | 2 | 3.6% |
| Interdisciplinary Studies | 21 | 38.2% |
| Master Teacher Certification | 0 | 0.0% |
| Multicultural Studies in Education | 0 | 0.0% |
| Post-Baccalaureate Teacher Certification | 2 | 3.6% |
| Reading | 0 | 0.0% |
| School Library & Information Science | 2 | 3.6% |
| UHCL Certifications (not state certifications) | 0 | 0.0% |
| Obtained Dual Degree | 0 | 0.0% |
| Other | 2 | 3.6% |
| Early Childhood Care and Education | 1 | 1.8% |
| Clinical Mental Health Counseling | 0 | 0.0% |
| Early Childhood Education | 16 | 29.1% |
| Master of Arts in Teaching | 1 | 1.8% |
| Total | 55 | 100.0% |

# What is your primary degree program in the College of Human Sciences and Humanities? {Choose one}



Bar chart showing primary degree program percentages:

- Anthropology: 1.9%
- Behavior Analysis: 2.8%
- Clinical Psychology: 4.6%
- (6.5%)
- Criminology: 4.6%
- (8.3%)
- Digital Media Studies: 2.8%
- (0.9%)
- Family Therapy: 2.8%
- (6.5%)
- (4.6%)
- Geography: 8.3%
- (0.9%)
- Humanities: 6.5%
- (2.8%)
- Literature: 5.6%
- (0.9%)
- Health Service Psychology Psy.D.: 0.9%
- (0.0%)
- Public Service Leadership: 14.8%
- (2.8%)
- Social Work: 2.8%
- (0.0%)
- Women's Studies: 1.9%
- (0.0%)
- (0.0%)
- (1.9%)
- Other: 3.7%

| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Anthropology | 2 | 1.9% |
| Art and Design | 3 | 2.8% |
| Behavior Analysis | 5 | 4.6% |
| Behavioral Sciences - General | 7 | 6.5% |
| Clinical Psychology | 5 | 4.6% |
| Communication | 9 | 8.3% |
| Criminology | 3 | 2.8% |
| Cross-Cultural Studies | 1 | 0.9% |
| Digital Media Studies | 3 | 2.8% |
| Exercise & Health Sciences | 7 | 6.5% |
| Family Therapy | 5 | 4.6% |
| Fitness & Human Performance | 9 | 8.3% |
| Geography | 1 | 0.9% |
| History | 7 | 6.5% |
| Humanities | 3 | 2.8% |
| Industrial/Organizational Psychology | 6 | 5.6% |
| Literature | 1 | 0.9% |
| Nursing | 1 | 0.9% |
| Health Service Psychology PsyD | 0 | 0.0% |
| Psychology | 16 | 14.8% |
| Public Service Leadership | 3 | 2.8% |
| School Psychology | 3 | 2.8% |
| Social Work | 0 | 0.0% |
| Sociology | 2 | 1.9% |
| Women's Studies | 0 | 0.0% |
| Obtained a Dual Degree | 0 | 0.0% |
| Other | 2 | 1.9% |
| Criminal Justice & Criminology | 4 | 3.7% |
| Total | 108 | 100.0% |

# What is your primary degree program in the College of Science and Engineering? {Choose one}



Bar chart values:
- Biological Sciences: 14.0%
- Biotechnology: 3.5%
- Chemistry: 1.8%
- Computer Engineering: 12.3%
- Computer Information Systems: 10.5%
- Computer Science: 24.6%
- Engineering Management: 12.3%
- Environmental Science: 0.0%
- Information Technology: 1.8%
- Mathematical Sciences: 5.3%
- Physics: 1.8%
- Software Engineering: 3.5%
- Statistics: 0.0%
- Systems Engineering: 3.5%
- Obtained Dual Degree: 0.0%
- Other: 1.8%
- Occupational Safety and Health: 0.0%
- Mechanical Engineering: 3.5%

## What is your primary degree program in the College of Science and Engineering? (continued)

| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---:|---:|
| Biological Science | 8 | 14.0% |
| Biotechnology | 2 | 3.5% |
| Chemistry | 1 | 1.8% |
| Computer Engineering | 7 | 12.3% |
| Computer Information Systems | 6 | 10.5% |
| Computer Science | 14 | 24.6% |
| Engineering Management | 7 | 12.3% |
| Environmental Science | 0 | 0.0% |
| Information Technology | 1 | 1.8% |
| Mathematical Sciences | 3 | 5.3% |
| Physics | 1 | 1.8% |
| Software Engineering | 2 | 3.5% |
| Statistics | 0 | 0.0% |
| Systems Engineering | 2 | 3.5% |
| Obtained Dual Degree | 0 | 0.0% |
| Other | 1 | 1.8% |
| Occupational Safety and Health | 0 | 0.0% |
| Mechanical Engineering | 2 | 3.5% |
| Total | 57 | 100.0% |

**While attending UHCL, did you take any classes away from the main UHCL campus (e.g., Sugar Land, Pearland, Medical Center, etc.)?**
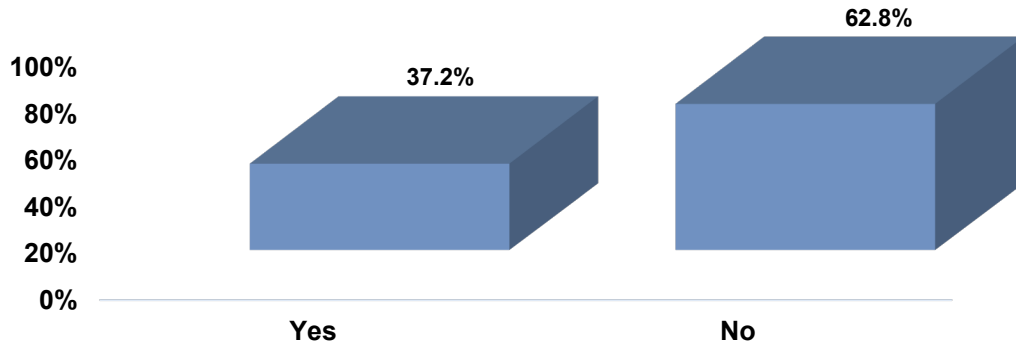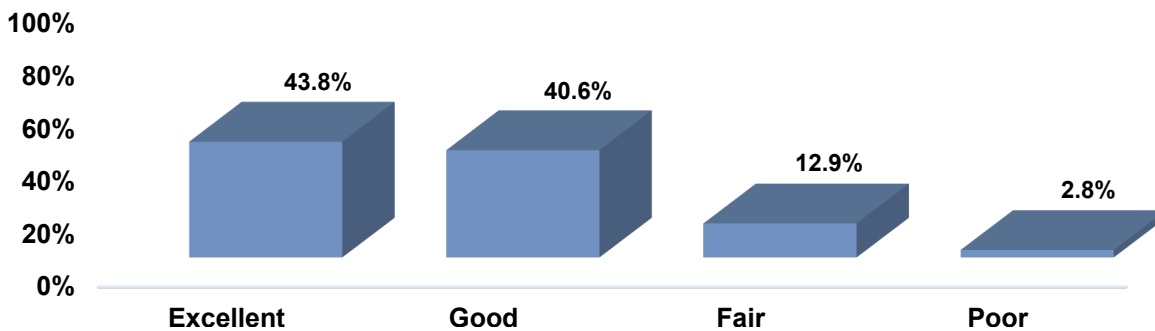


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Yes | 100 | 37.2% |
| No | 169 | 62.8% |
| Total | 269 | 100.0% |

**While attending UHCL, did you take any web-based/internet classes?**

87.3%

12.7%
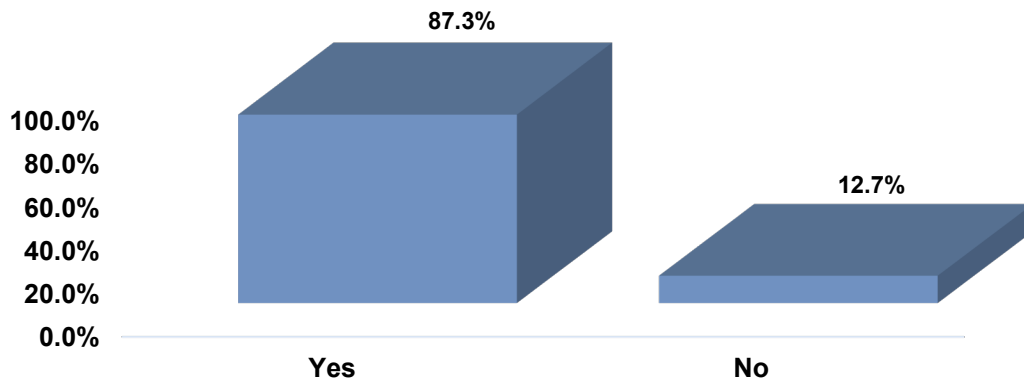
| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Yes | 234 | 87.3% |
| No | 34 | 12.7% |
| Total | 268 | 100.0% |

**If you did take web-based/internet courses at UHCL, how would you rate your overall experience using that format?**



| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Excellent | 109 | 43.8% |
| Good | 101 | 40.6% |
| Fair | 32 | 12.9% |
| Poor | 7 | 2.8% |
| Total | 249 | 100.0% |

| Min Value | Max Value | Average Value | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 4 | 3.3 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 249 | 249 |

# Experiences with Faculty



Legend: ■ Strongly Agree ■ Agree ■ Disagree ■ Strongly Disagree
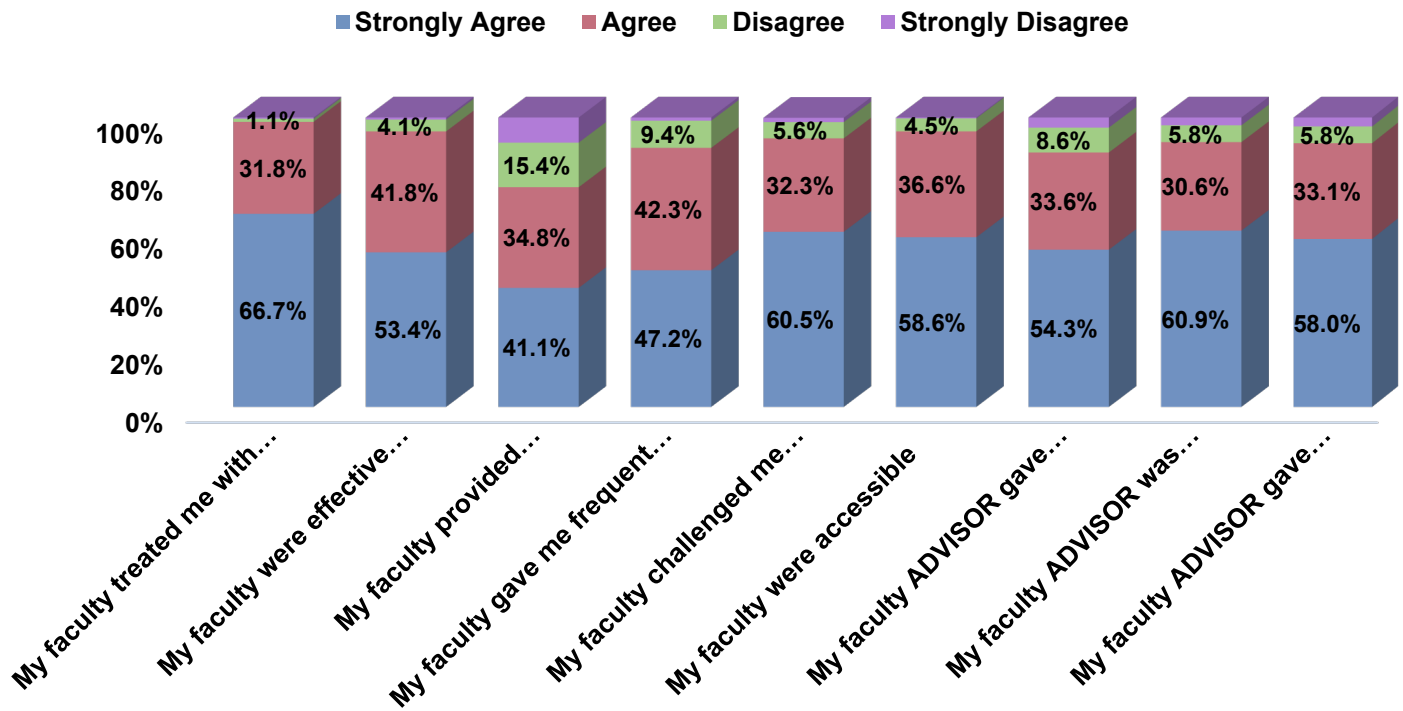
| Bar | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Agree | Strongly Agree |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| My faculty treated me with… | 1.1% | | 31.8% | 66.7% |
| My faculty were effective… | 4.1% | | 41.8% | 53.4% |
| My faculty provided… | | 15.4% | 34.8% | 41.1% |
| My faculty gave me frequent… | | 9.4% | 42.3% | 47.2% |
| My faculty challenged me… | 5.6% | | 32.3% | 60.5% |
| My faculty were accessible | 4.5% | | 36.6% | 58.6% |
| My faculty ADVISOR gave… | 8.6% | | 33.6% | 54.3% |
| My faculty ADVISOR was… | 5.8% | | 30.6% | 60.9% |
| My faculty ADVISOR gave… | 5.8% | | 33.1% | 58.0% |

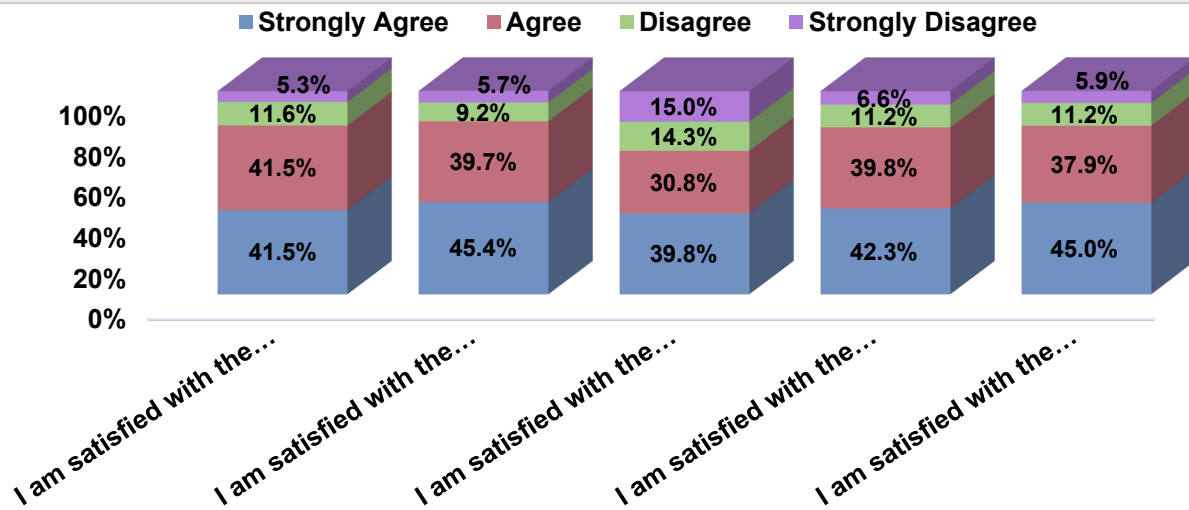| Question | Strongly Agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly Disagree | Response | Average Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| My faculty treated me with respect. | 178 | 85 | 3 | 1 | 267 | 3.7 |
| My faculty were effective teachers | 143 | 112 | 11 | 2 | 268 | 3.5 |
| My faculty provided guidance on obtaining employment in my field. | 104 | 88 | 39 | 22 | 253 | 3.1 |
| My faculty gave me frequent and prompt feedback regarding academic work. | 126 | 113 | 25 | 3 | 267 | 3.4 |
| My faculty challenged me academically. | 161 | 86 | 15 | 4 | 266 | 3.5 |
| My faculty were accessible | 157 | 98 | 12 | 1 | 268 | 3.5 |
| My faculty ADVISOR gave me accurate information about my program/major. | 139 | 86 | 22 | 9 | 256 | 3.4 |
| My faculty ADVISOR was courteous. | 157 | 79 | 15 | 7 | 258 | 3.5 |
| My faculty ADVISOR gave me the time I needed to discuss my program/major. | 149 | 85 | 15 | 8 | 257 | 3.5 |

# Experiences with Faculty (continued)

| Statistic | Min Value | Max Value | Mean | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| My advisors provided accurate information about degree requirements and course sequencing. | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 262 | 262 |
| My advisors were knowledgeable of campus policies and procedures. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 255 | 255 |
| My advisors were accessible. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 261 | 261 |
| My advisors cared about me as a person. | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 253 | 253 |

# Academic Advising



Legend: ■ Strongly Agree ■ Agree ■ Disagree ■ Strongly Disagree

| Question | Strongly Agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly Disagree | Response | Average Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| My advisors provided accurate information about degree requirements and course sequencing. | 151 | 82 | 19 | 10 | 262 | 3.4 |
| My advisors were knowledgeable of campus policies and procedures. | 152 | 87 | 11 | 5 | 255 | 3.5 |
| My advisors were accessible. | 152 | 83 | 18 | 8 | 261 | 3.5 |
| My advisors cared about me as a person. | 139 | 81 | 24 | 9 | 253 | 3.4 |

| Statistic | Min Value | Max Value | Mean | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **My advisors provided accurate information about degree requirements and course sequencing.** | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 262 | 262 |
| **My advisors were knowledgeable of campus policies and procedures.** | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 255 | 255 |
| **My advisors were accessible.** | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 261 | 261 |
| **My advisors cared about me as a person.** | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 253 | 253 |

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# Class Availability



Legend: ■ Strongly Agree ■ Agree ■ Disagree ■ Strongly Disagree

| Question | Strongly Agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly Disagree | Response | Average Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| I am satisfied with the availability of day classes (before 4 p.m.). | 86 | 86 | 24 | 11 | 207 | 3.2 |
| I am satisfied with the availability of night classes (after 4 p.m.). | 104 | 91 | 21 | 13 | 229 | 3.3 |
| I am satisfied with the availability of weekend classes. | 53 | 41 | 19 | 20 | 133 | 3.0 |
| I am satisfied with the availability of web-based classes. | 102 | 96 | 27 | 16 | 241 | 3.2 |
| I am satisfied with the availability of off-campus classes. | 76 | 64 | 19 | 10 | 169 | 3.2 |

| Statistic | Min Value | Max Value | Mean | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **I am satisfied with the availability of day classes (before 4 p.m.).** | 1 | 4 | 3.2 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 207 | 207 |
| **I am satisfied with the availability of night classes (after 4 p.m.).** | 1 | 4 | 3.3 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 229 | 229 |
| **I am satisfied with the availability of weekend classes.** | 1 | 4 | 3.0 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 133 | 133 |
| **I am satisfied with the availability of web-based classes.** | 1 | 4 | 3.2 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 241 | 241 |
| **I am satisfied with the availability of off-campus classes.** | 1 | 4 | 3.2 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 169 | 169 |

# Preparation for Professional Life



■ **Strongly Agree**  ■ **Agree**  ■ **Disagree**  ■ **Strongly Disagree**
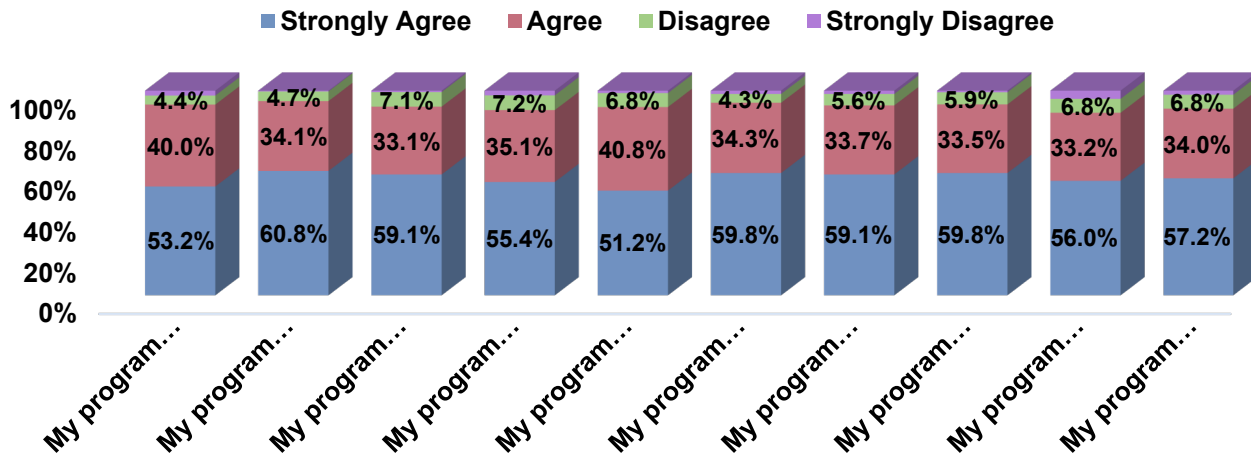
| Question | Strongly Agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly Disagree | Response | Average Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| My program provided the skills and knowledge needed for employment in my field. | 133 | 100 | 11 | 6 | 250 | 3.4 |
| My program prepared me to think critically. | 155 | 87 | 12 | 1 | 255 | 3.6 |
| My program prepared me to write effectively. | 150 | 84 | 18 | 2 | 254 | 3.5 |
| My program prepared me to speak effectively. | 139 | 88 | 18 | 6 | 251 | 3.4 |
| My program prepared me to apply and manage information technology effectively. | 128 | 102 | 17 | 3 | 250 | 3.4 |
| My program prepared me to work effectively in a team environment. | 152 | 87 | 11 | 4 | 254 | 3.5 |
| My program helped me to develop an awareness of local and global diversity. | 149 | 85 | 14 | 4 | 252 | 3.5 |
| My program prepared me to address the ethical commitments of professional life. | 152 | 85 | 15 | 2 | 254 | 3.5 |
| My program has made me more reflective about my personal morality. | 140 | 83 | 17 | 10 | 250 | 3.4 |
| My program has helped me become more conscientious about my role as a responsible citizen. | 143 | 85 | 17 | 5 | 250 | 3.5 |

| Statistic | Min Value | Max Value | Mean | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| My program provided the skills and knowledge needed for employment in my field. | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 250 | 250 |
| My program prepared me to think critically. | 1 | 4 | 3.6 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 255 | 255 |
| My program prepared me to write effectively. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 254 | 254 |
| My program prepared me to speak effectively. | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 251 | 251 |
| My program prepared me to apply and manage information technology effectively. | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 250 | 250 |
| My program prepared me to work effectively in a team environment. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 254 | 254 |
| My program helped me to develop an awareness of local and global diversity. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 252 | 252 |
| My program prepared me to address the ethical commitments of professional life. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 254 | 254 |
| My program has made me more reflective about my personal morality. | 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 250 | 250 |
| My program has helped me become more conscientious about my role as a responsible citizen. | 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 250 | 250 |

# Participation and Involvement
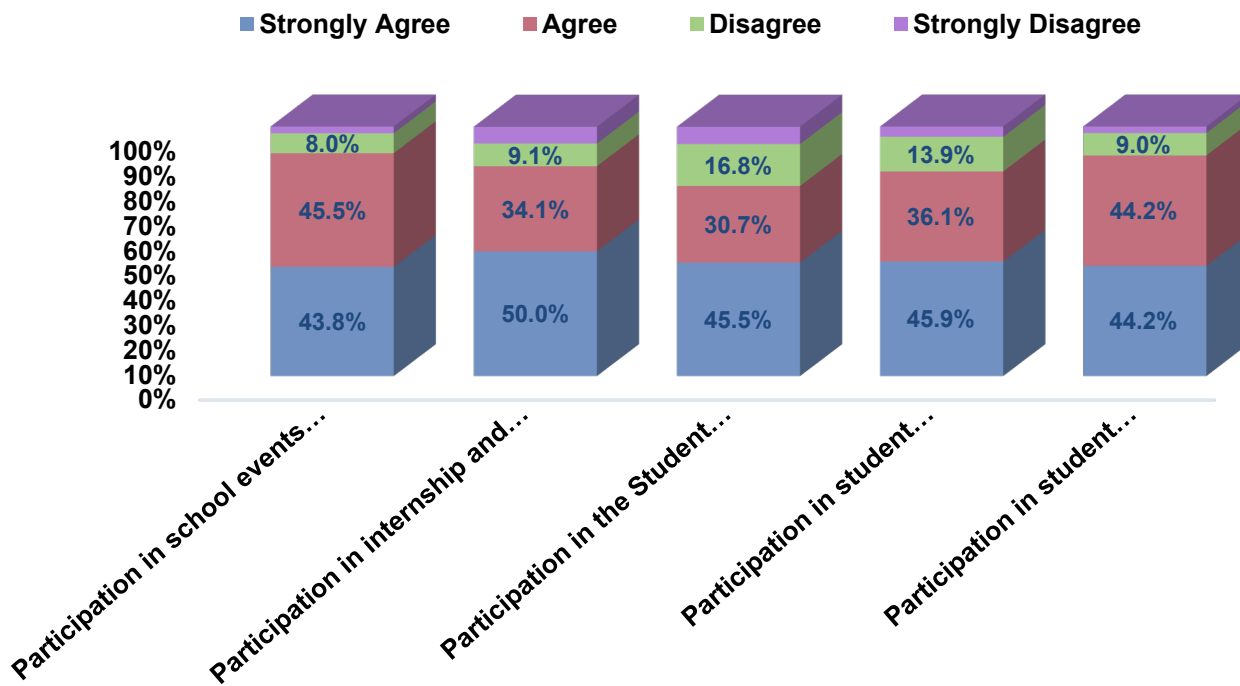


| Question | Strongly Agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly Disagree | Response | Average Value |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Participation in school events made me feel more connected to the university. | 77 | 80 | 14 | 5 | 176 | 3.3 |
| Participation in internship and co-op projects made me feel more connected to those in my program/major. | 82 | 56 | 15 | 11 | 164 | 3.3 |
| Participation in the Student Government Association provided an opportunity for my voice to be heard in the university. | 46 | 31 | 17 | 7 | 101 | 3.2 |
| Participation in student leadership training provided the skills for me to have a successful academic career. | 56 | 44 | 17 | 5 | 122 | 3.2 |
| Participation in student organizations provided an opportunity for me to learn from my peers. | 69 | 69 | 14 | 4 | 156 | 3.3 |

# Participation and Involvement (continued)

| Statistic | Min Value | Max Value | Mean | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Participation in school events made me feel more connected to the university.** | 1 | 4 | 3.3 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 176 | 176 |
| **Participation in internship and co-op projects made me feel more connected to those in my program/major.** | 1 | 4 | 3.3 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 164 | 164 |
| **Participation in the Student Government Association provided an opportunity for my voice to be heard in the university.** | 1 | 4 | 3.2 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 101 | 101 |
| **Participation in student leadership training provided the skills for me to have a successful academic career.** | 1 | 4 | 3.2 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 122 | 122 |
| **Participation in student organizations provided an opportunity for me to learn from my peers.** | 1 | 4 | 3.3 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 156 | 156 |

**Plans following Graduation:**

**What is your current status? (mark all that apply)**
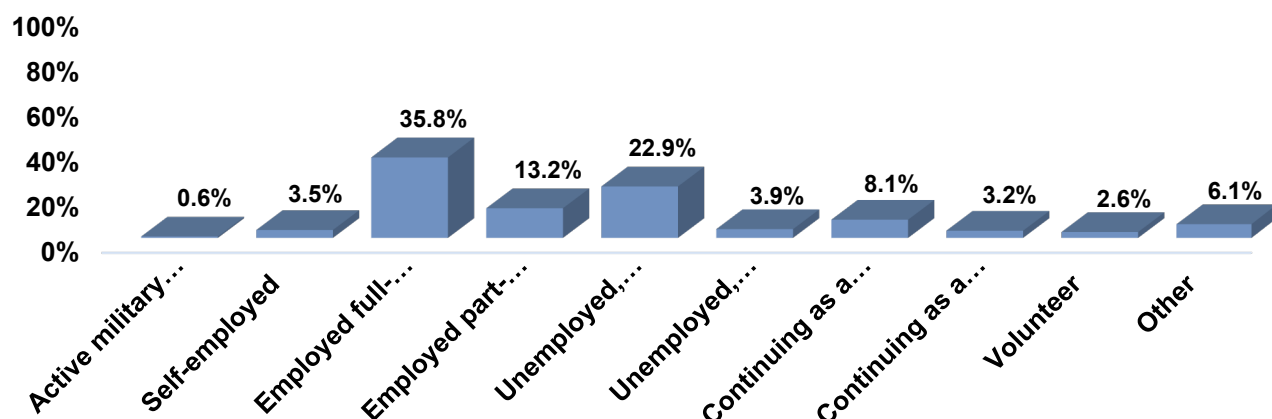


| Answer | Response | % |
|--------|---------:|---:|
| Active military service or dependent | 2 | 0.6% |
| Self-employed | 11 | 3.5% |
| Employed full-time | 111 | 35.8% |
| Employed part-time | 41 | 13.2% |
| Unemployed, seeking work | 71 | 22.9% |
| Unemployed, not seeking employment | 12 | 3.9% |
| Continuing as a full-time student at a 4-yr college after graduation | 25 | 8.1% |
| Continuing as a part-time student at a 4-yr college after graduation | 10 | 3.2% |
| Volunteer | 8 | 2.6% |
| Other | 19 | 6.1% |
| Total | 310 | 100.0% |

# What is your current status? (continued)

| Other |
|---|
| Continuing to a PhD program after graduation |
| Looking for career |
| On campus part time. Seeking for career employment |
| Internship II |
| Student Teacher, seeking work |
| Internship |
| Full time Intern |
| Life-long learner |
| Graduate student |
| Already hired by district |
| Entering a full time PhD program after graduation |
| Medical School |
| Have accepted a job, have not started |
| Caregiver to a family member |
| Graduate assistantship |
| Intern |
| Attending graduate school |
| Student |

**If you currently have, or will be starting a new job, to what extent is it related to your major or area of study at UHCL?**
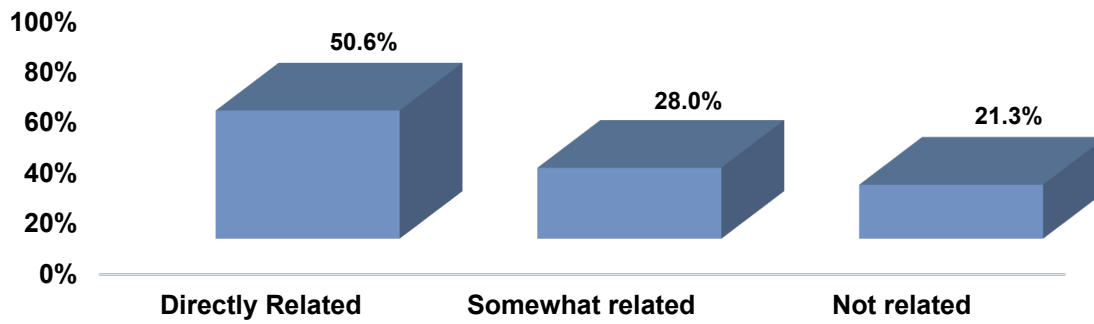


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Directly Related | 83 | 50.6% |
| Somewhat related | 46 | 28.0% |
| Not related | 35 | 21.3% |
| Total | 164 | 100.0% |

# How did you find your position? (Please check all that apply)
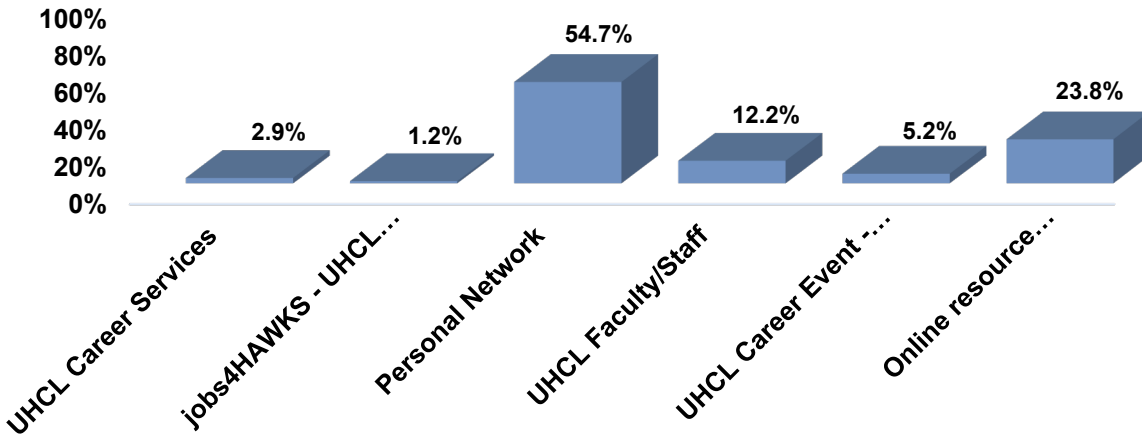


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| UHCL Career Services | 5 | 2.9% |
| jobs4HAWKS - UHCL online Resume Database | 2 | 1.2% |
| Personal Network | 94 | 54.7% |
| UHCL Faculty/Staff | 21 | 12.2% |
| UHCL Career Event - Jobfair, Networking Reception or Employer Spotlight | 9 | 5.2% |
| Online resource (please specify) | 41 | 23.8% |
| Total | 172 | 100.0% |

# How did you find your position? (continued)

| Online Resource (please specify) |
| --- |
| Not employed for my profession yet |
| Indeed.com |
| Google |
| Indeed |
| Staffing Agency |
| Got job before attending UHCL |
| Papparazzi |
| ApplyTexas |
| Internet |
| Already had position when enrolled |
| website |
| Zip Recruiter |
| Pathways to STEM Careers |
| Zip recruiter |
| My friend |
| Indeed |
| Applied in my Internship II district |
| Self-employed |
| Craiglist Ad |
| Contracting Company Website |
| High School Swim Coach |
| Med school applications |
| Job Website |
| Virtual Job Fair through CCISD |
| LinkedIn |
| Elementary teacher |
| Indeed.com |
| Walgreens.com |
| indeed |
| Current employer |
| Company website |
| LinkedIn |
| My own search and application |
| Galveston county job postings |
| Been employed for 19 years |
| Employed for 19 years |
| Career Builders |

**I would like to speak with a Career Counselor regarding (please note that you must provide your contact information below if you wish us to contact you):**
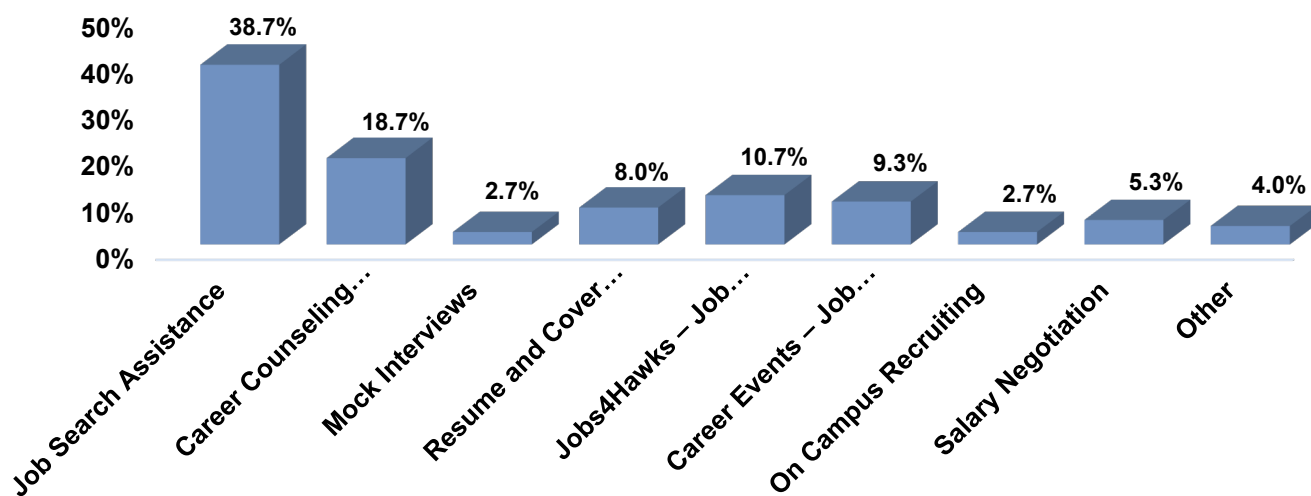


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Job Search Assistance | 29 | 38.7% |
| Career Counseling and Career Assessments | 14 | 18.7% |
| Mock Interviews | 2 | 2.7% |
| Resume and Cover Letter Assistance | 6 | 8.0% |
| Jobs4Hawks – Job Postings Database | 8 | 10.7% |
| Career Events – Job Fairs, Networking Events, and Workshops | 7 | 9.3% |
| On Campus Recruiting | 2 | 2.7% |
| Salary Negotiation | 4 | 5.3% |
| Other | 3 | 4.0% |
| Total | 75 | 100.0% |

**Contact information: Please note that if you provide the contact information below, your responses to this survey will no longer be anonymous.**

| Statistic | Value |
|---|---|
| Respondents | 54 |

**What is your current position?**

| Job Title | Employer | City | State |
|---|---|---|---|
| Teacher | Pasadena ISD | Pasadena | Texas |
| Data Entry | CCR | Stafford | TX |
| Psychometrist | UTHealth | Houston | TX |
| Resource Planner | Industrial Specialists | Dickinson | Texas |
| Director of Compliance | Community Health Choice | Houston | TX |
| Owner | Cleaning Service Company | League City | TX |
| Teacher | Alief ISD | Houston | Texas |
| PCA | Texas Children's Hospital | HOUSTON | TEXAS |
| PCA | Texas Children's Hospital | Houston | Texas |
| Teacher Development Specialist | Explorer Elementary | Colorado Springs | CO |
| Bookseller | Barnes and Noble | Pearland | Texas |
| Account Executive | TUYA Technologies | Houston | texas |
| Information Technology Lead | NASA | Houston | Texas |
| Doctoral Student | Marquette University | Milwaukee | WI |
| Manager | IFC | Houston | TX |
| Cyber Transport Systems Technician | Texas Air National Guard | Houston | Texas |
| Financial Analyst | M.D, Anderson Cancer Center | Houston | Texas |
| Office manager | JLMD | Houston | Tx |
| Inclusion Teachers Aide | Pasadena ISD-Milstead MS | Houston | Tx |
| Caregiver | Private | Houston | Texas |
| bilingual aide | deer park ISD | DEER PARK | TX |
| Senior Tax Analyst | HR Block | Pasadena | Texas |
| Behavior Analyst Intern | Texana Center CCA | Rosenberg | Texas |
| Engineer | KBR Inc. | Houston | Texas |
| Office Assistant I | Memorial Hermann Hospital | Houston | Texas |

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| Statistic | Value |
|---|---|
| Respondents | 147 |

# What industry best describes your current place of employment? (choose all that apply)



Chart showing percentages by industry:

- Accounting/Finance: 5.3%
- Aerospace: 3.6%
- Communications: 2.2%
- Counseling: 3.1%
- Education (Admin/Support): 13.3%
- Education (Teaching): 14.2%
- Engineering & Mgmt Services: 4.9%
- Environmental: 1.3%
- Health related: 9.3%
- Human Resources: 4.4%
- Utilities/Public Works: 0.9%
- Social Services: 3.1%
- Transportation: 1.8%
- Medical related: 8.4%
- Manufacturing: 1.3%
- Computer Information Systems: 1.3%
- Construction: 2.2%
- Other: 6.7%
- Government (local, state or…): 4.4%
- Legal Services/Criminal Justice: 1.3%
- Marketing/Advertising: 3.6%
- Real Estate/ Land Management: 0.9%
- Retail: 2.2%

**Which industry best describes your current place of employment? (continued))**

| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Accounting/Finance | 12 | 5.3% |
| Aerospace | 8 | 3.6% |
| Communications | 5 | 2.2% |
| Counseling | 7 | 3.1% |
| Education (Admin/Support) | 30 | 13.3% |
| Education (Teaching) | 32 | 14.2% |
| Engineering & Mgmt Services | 11 | 4.9% |
| Environmental | 3 | 1.3% |
| Health related | 21 | 9.3% |
| Human Resources | 10 | 4.4% |
| Utilities/Public Works | 2 | 0.9% |
| Social Services | 7 | 3.1% |
| Transportation | 4 | 1.8% |
| Medical related | 19 | 8.4% |
| Manufacturing | 3 | 1.3% |
| Computer Information Systems | 3 | 1.3% |
| Construction | 5 | 2.2% |
| Other | 15 | 6.7% |
| Government (local, state or federal including education) | 10 | 4.4% |
| Legal Services/Criminal Justice | 3 | 1.3% |
| Marketing/Advertising | 8 | 3.6% |
| Real Estate/ Land Management | 2 | 0.9% |
| Retail | 5 | 2.2% |
| Total | 225 | 100.0% |

# Which industry best describes your current place of employment? (continued)

| Other |
|---|
| food |
| Service Industry |
| Security/Logistics |
| Restaurant |
| Residential Life |
| Research |
| Property Tax |
| Oil & Gas |
| Non Destructive Testing (Oil and Gas) |
| Entertainment and Fashion |
| Dog Training/Animal Services |
| Coaching |

# What best describes your current professional position?
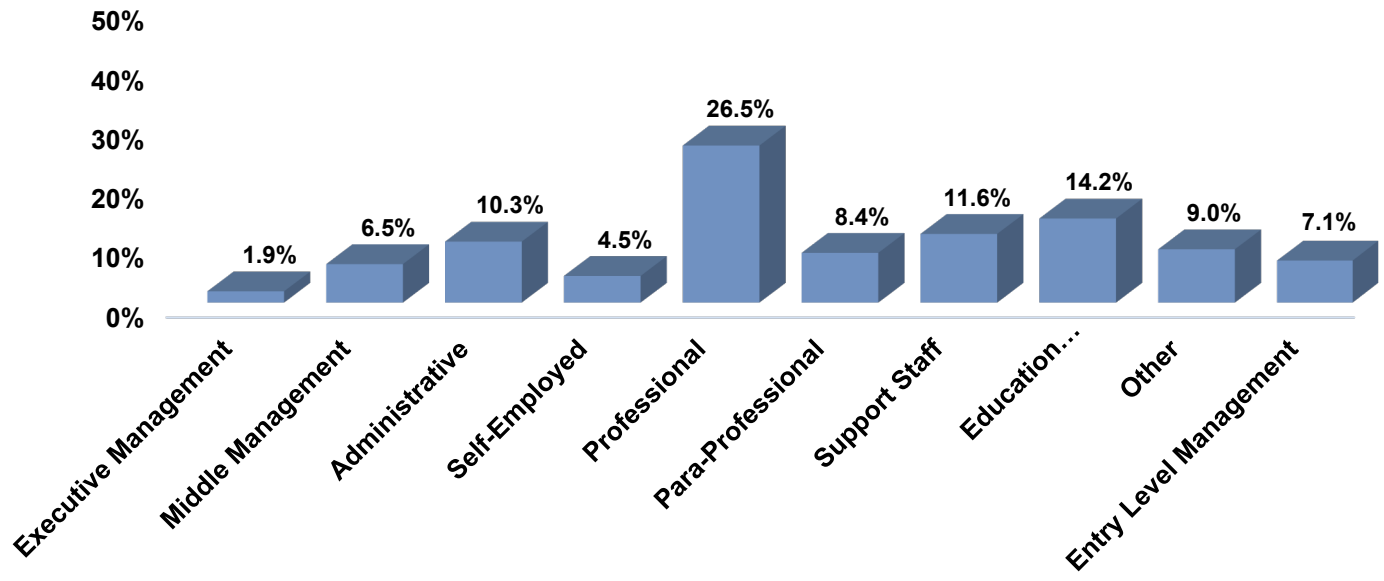


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Executive Management | 3 | 1.9% |
| Middle Management | 10 | 6.5% |
| Administrative | 16 | 10.3% |
| Self-Employed | 7 | 4.5% |
| Professional | 41 | 26.5% |
| Para-Professional | 13 | 8.4% |
| Support Staff | 18 | 11.6% |
| Education Professional/Teacher | 22 | 14.2% |
| Other | 14 | 9.0% |
| Entry Level Management | 11 | 7.1% |
| Total | 155 | 100.0% |

# What best describes your current professional position? (continued)

| Other |
|---|
| Salesperson |
| Doctoral Student |
| Intern |
| Student |
| Swim Coach |
| Sales |
| Intern |
| n/a |
| Jewelry |
| Intern |
| Line Level |

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# What is your current yearly salary range?...
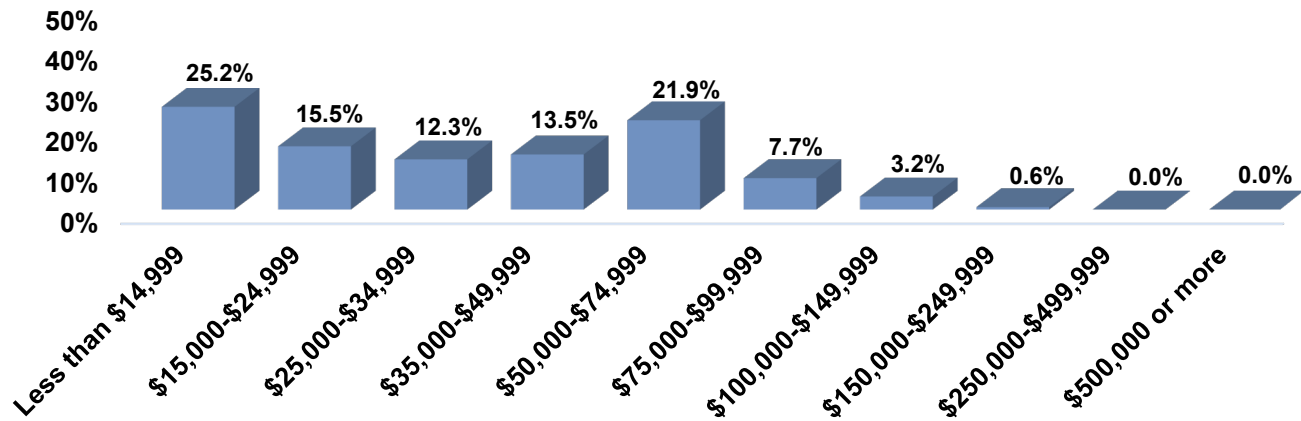


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Less than $14,999 | 39 | 25.2% |
| $15,000-$24,999 | 24 | 15.5% |
| $25,000-$34,999 | 19 | 12.3% |
| $35,000-$49,999 | 21 | 13.5% |
| $50,000-$74,999 | 34 | 21.9% |
| $75,000-$99,999 | 12 | 7.7% |
| $100,000-$149,999 | 5 | 3.2% |
| $150,000-$249,999 | 1 | 0.6% |
| $250,000-$499,999 | 0 | 0.0% |
| $500,000 or more | 0 | 0.0% |
| Total | 155 | 100.0% |

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# How useful is what you learned at UHCL in your day-to-day work at your place of employment?
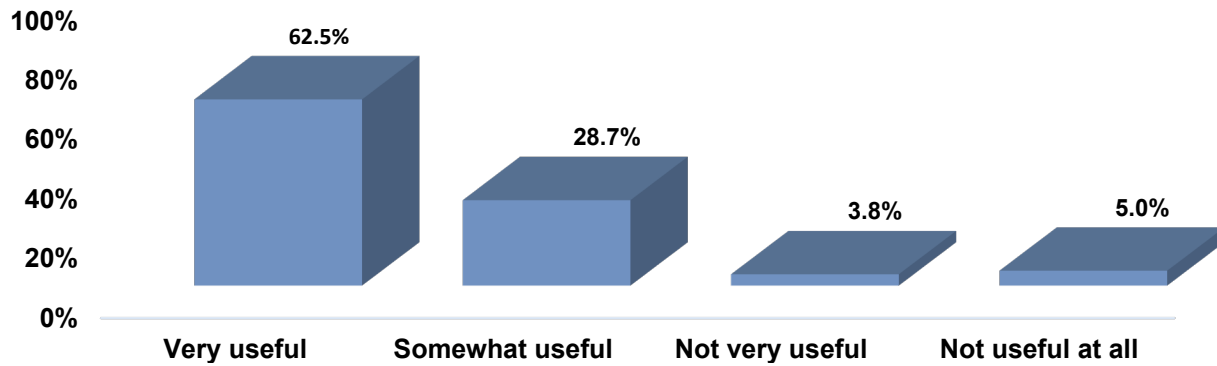


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Very useful | 100 | 62.5% |
| Somewhat useful | 46 | 28.7% |
| Not very useful | 6 | 3.8% |
| Not useful at all | 8 | 5.0% |
| Total | 160 | 100.0% |

| Min Value | Max Value | Average Value | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 160 | 160 |

**If you have plans for additional education, where are you planning to attend?**

| Text Entry |
| --- |
| UHCL |
| UHCL |
| UHCL |
| UH |
| UHcl, UH Downtown |
| UH-ClearLake |
| Chicago, IL Online |
| Maybe UHCL for my graduate |
| Texas Women's University |
| New York University |
| Some online MBA School |
| UHCL |
| University of Houston-Clear Lake |
| I will be attending Des Moines university for medical school |
| Community college then University |
| UHcl |
| UHCL Grad School |
| Texas Chiropractic College |
| UHCL |
| University of Houston-Clear Lake |
| University of Houston Clear Lake |
| Don't know yet. |
| n/a |
| UHCL |
| University of Houston main campus |
| I have just recently been accepted to the University of Houston Graduate College of Social Work |
| Boston, MA |
| UHCL for graduate school |

**If you plan to attend another institution, what is the name of that university?**

| Text Entry |
| --- |
| N/A |
| n/a |
| UH |
| N/A |
| National Louis University |
| Texas Woman University University of Phoenix University of Texas in Tyler  A&M University |
| Texas women's university |
| New York University |
| N/A |
| Des Moines University |
| UHCL Pearland, San Jacinto community college |
| N/A |
| Don't know yet. |
| n/a |
| University of Houston main campus |
| University of Houston Main Campus |
| New England School of Law |
| UHCL |

**If you plan to continue your education, what is the highest degree you plan to earn (choose ONE response)?**
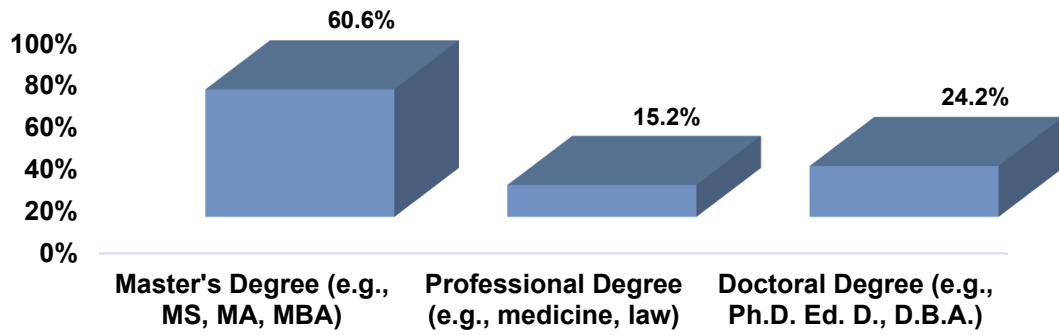


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Master's Degree (e.g., MS, MA, MBA) | 20 | 60.6% |
| Professional Degree (e.g., medicine, law) | 5 | 15.2% |
| Doctoral Degree (e.g., Ph.D. Ed. D., D.B.A.) | 8 | 24.2% |
| Total | 33 | 100.0% |

## DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

**Gender:**
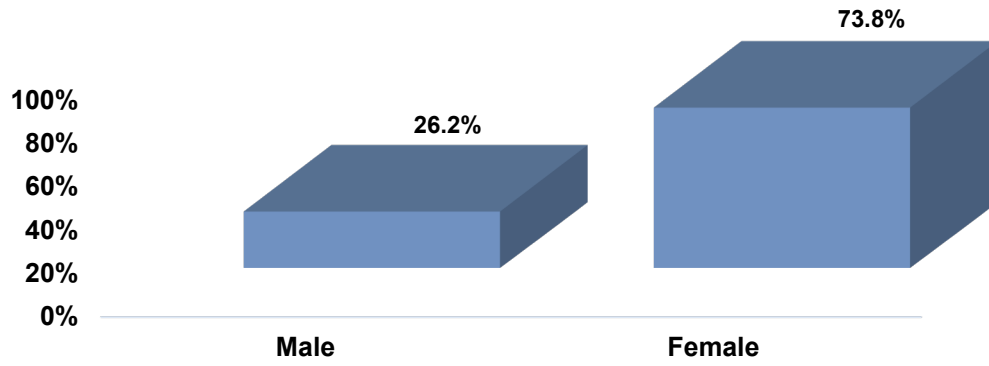


| Answer | Response | % |
|--------|----------|-----|
| Male | 62 | 26.2% |
| Female | 175 | 73.8% |
| Total | 237 | 100.0% |

**Ethnicity:**
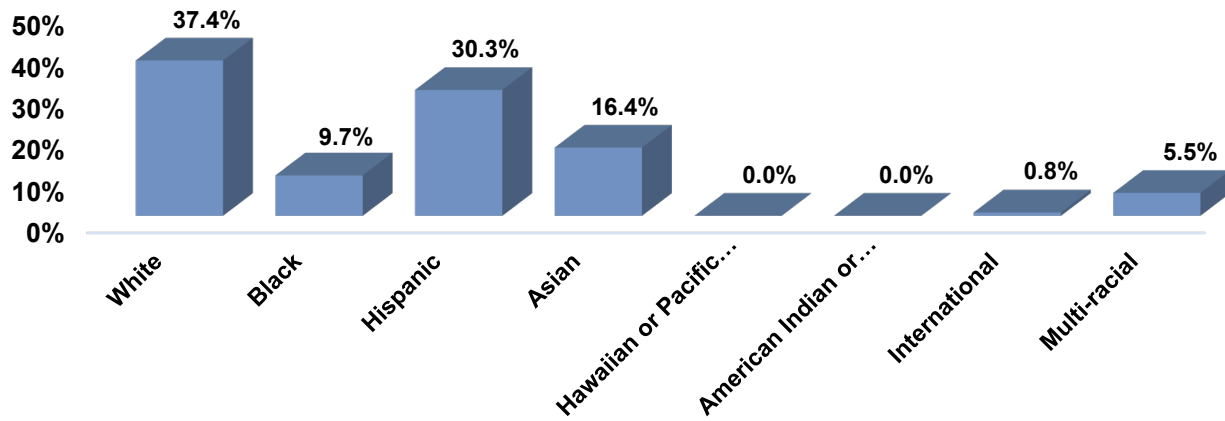


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| White | 89 | 37.4% |
| Black | 23 | 9.7% |
| Hispanic | 72 | 30.3% |
| Asian | 39 | 16.4% |
| Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.0% |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 0 | 0.0% |
| International | 2 | 0.8% |
| Multi-racial | 13 | 5.5% |
| Total | 238 | 100.0% |

**Citizenship:**
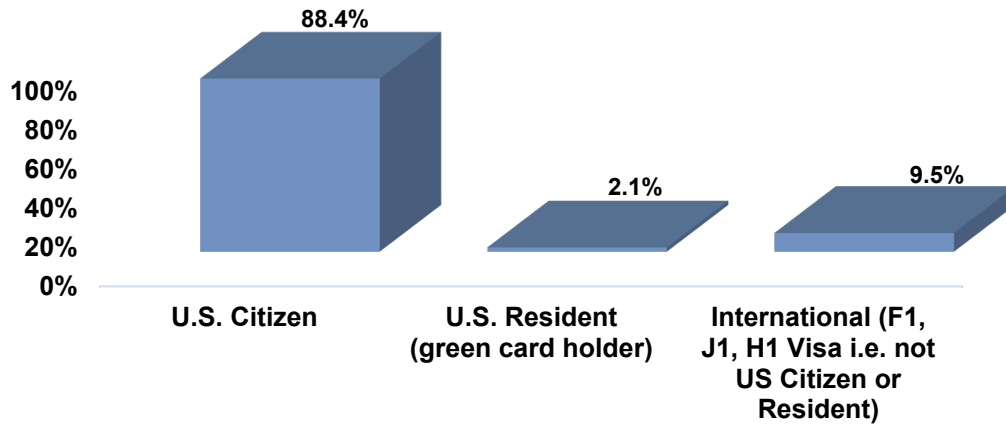


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| U.S. Citizen | 214 | 88.4% |
| U.S. Resident (green card holder) | 5 | 2.1% |
| International (F1, J1, H1 Visa i.e. not US Citizen or Resident) | 23 | 9.5% |
| Total | 242 | 100.0% |

**OTHER INFORMATION**

**Are you the first person in your family to obtain a degree?**
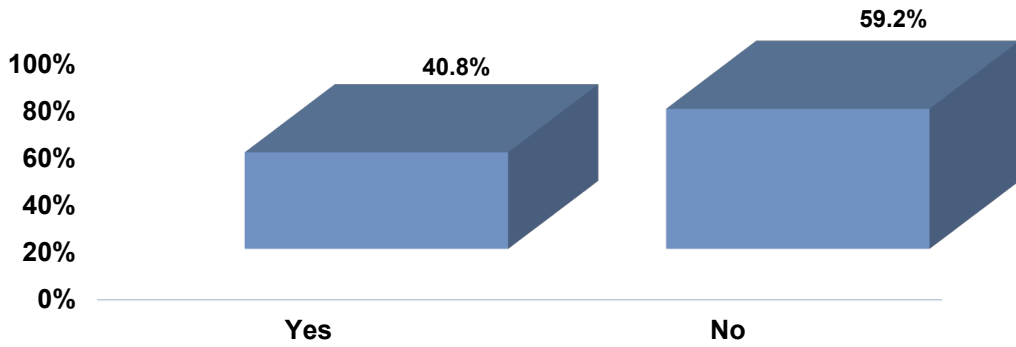


| Answer | Response | % |
|--------|----------|-----|
| Yes | 97 | 40.8% |
| No | 141 | 59.2% |
| Total | 238 | 100.0% |

**What is the highest level of education achieved by your MOTHER or female guardian?**
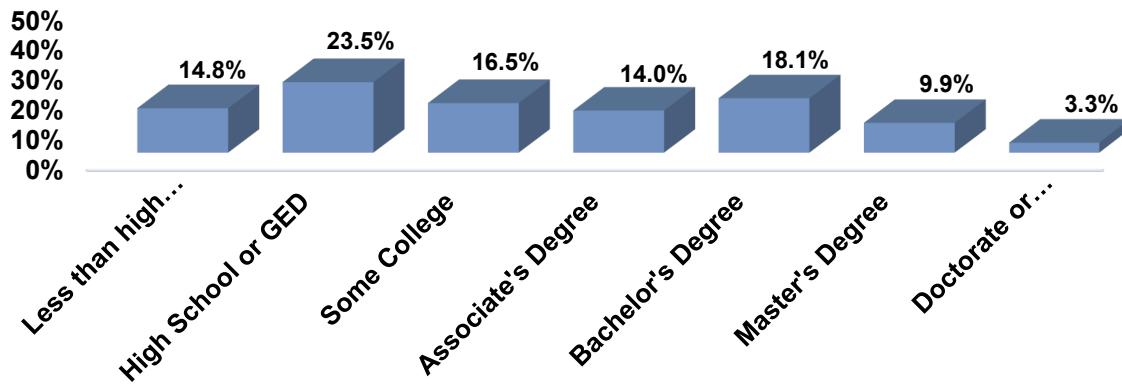


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Less than high school | 36 | 14.8% |
| High School or GED | 57 | 23.5% |
| Some College | 40 | 16.5% |
| Associate's Degree | 34 | 14.0% |
| Bachelor's Degree | 44 | 18.1% |
| Master's Degree | 24 | 9.9% |
| Doctorate or Professional Degree | 8 | 3.3% |
| Total | 243 | 100.0% |

**What is the highest level of education achieved by your FATHER or male guardian?**
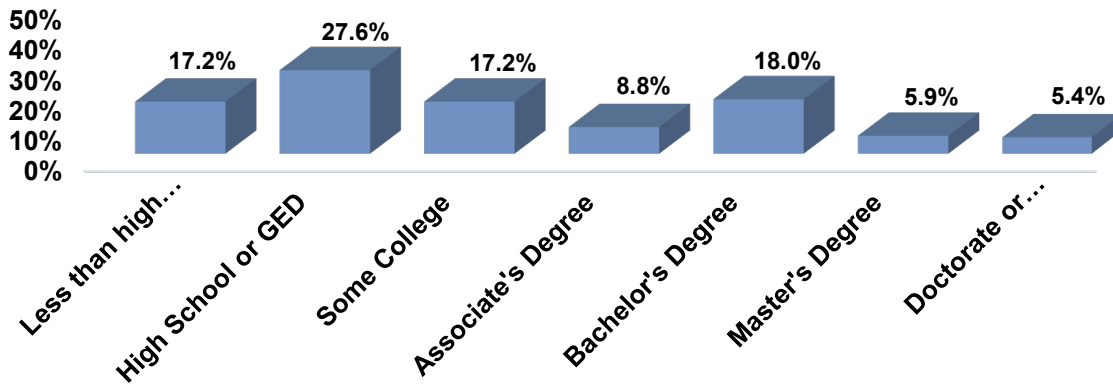


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Less than high school | 41 | 17.2% |
| High School or GED | 66 | 27.6% |
| Some College | 41 | 17.2% |
| Associate's Degree | 21 | 8.8% |
| Bachelor's Degree | 43 | 18.0% |
| Master's Degree | 14 | 5.9% |
| Doctorate or Professional Degree | 13 | 5.4% |
| Total | 239 | 100.0% |

**What was your primary reason for obtaining a degree?**
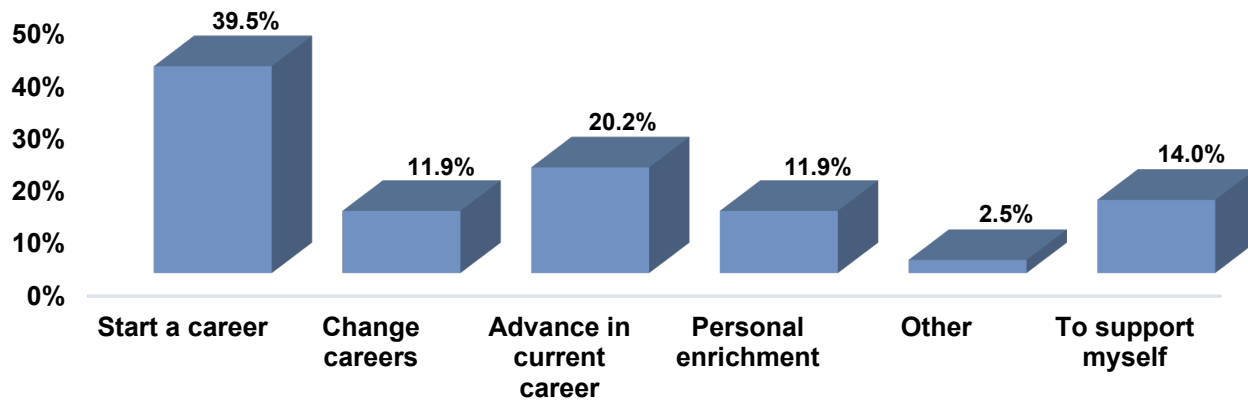


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Start a career | 96 | 39.5% |
| Change careers | 29 | 11.9% |
| Advance in current career | 49 | 20.2% |
| Personal enrichment | 29 | 11.9% |
| Other | 6 | 2.5% |
| To support myself | 34 | 14.0% |
| Total | 243 | 100.0% |

**CONCLUSION**

**Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received at UHCL?**
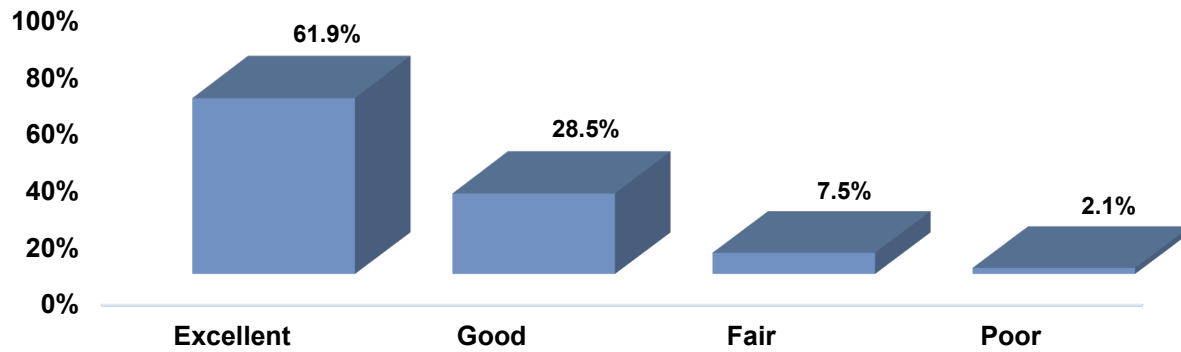


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Excellent | 148 | 61.9% |
| Good | 68 | 28.5% |
| Fair | 18 | 7.5% |
| Poor | 5 | 2.1% |
| Total | 239 | 100.0% |

| Min Value | Max Value | Average Value | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 4 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 239 | 239 |

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**Looking back, how would you evaluate your overall experiences?**
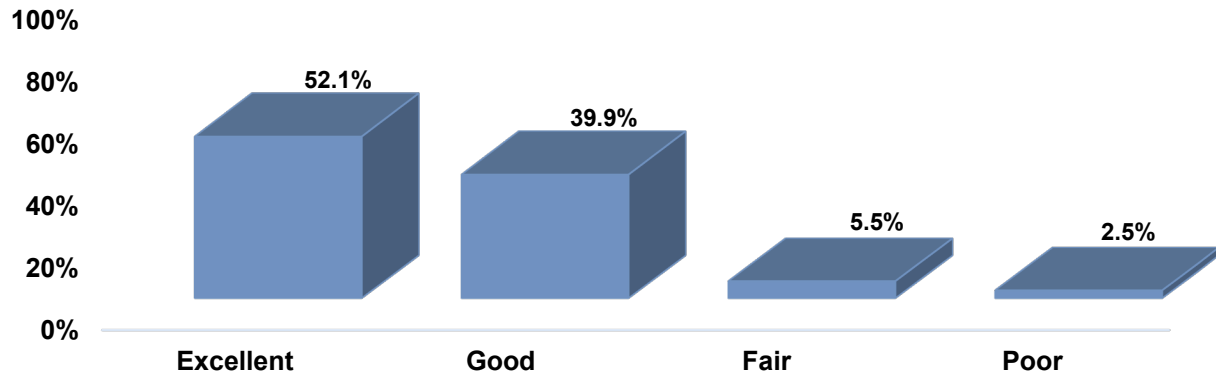


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Excellent | 124 | 52.1% |
| Good | 95 | 39.9% |
| Fair | 13 | 5.5% |
| Poor | 6 | 2.5% |
| Total | 238 | 100.0% |

| Min Value | Max Value | Average Value | Variance | Standard Deviation | Total Responses | Total Respondents |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 4 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 238 | 238 |

**In your opinion, did UHCL provide an education worthy of your yearly tuition and fees?**
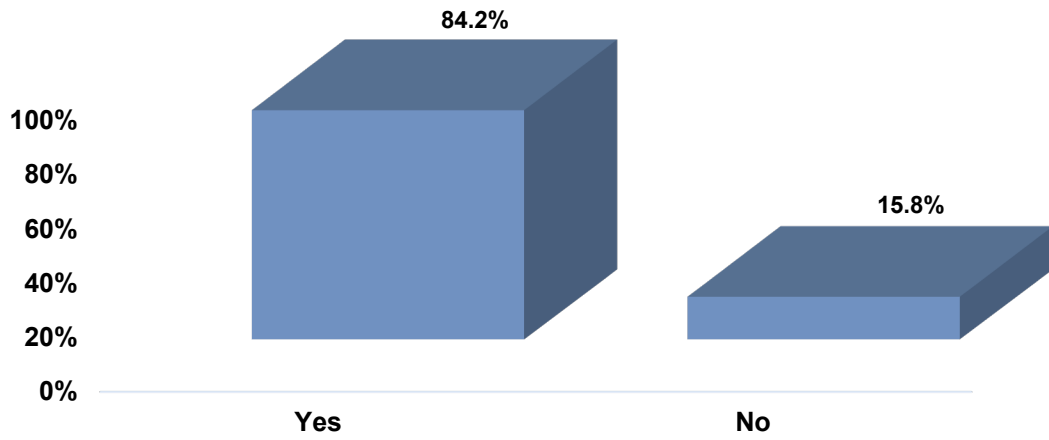


| Answer | Response | % |
|--------|----------|-----|
| Yes | 202 | 84.2% |
| No | 38 | 15.8% |
| Total | 240 | 100.0% |

# Would you still choose to attend UHCL?
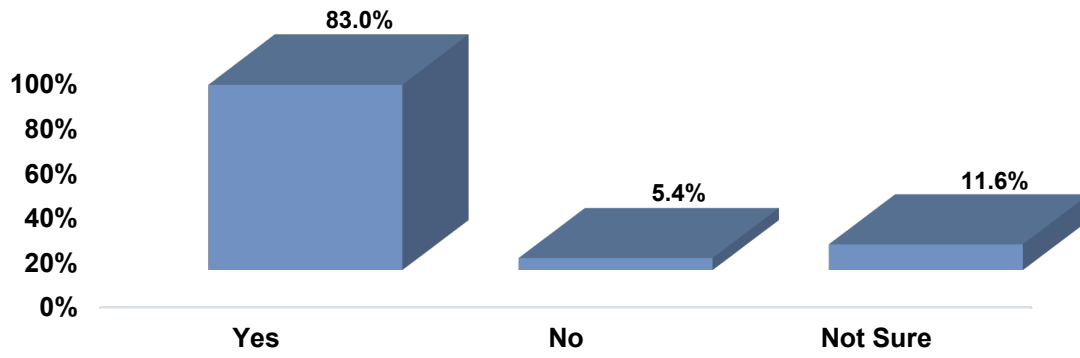
| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Yes | 200 | 83.0% |
| No | 13 | 5.4% |
| Not Sure | 28 | 11.6% |
| Total | 241 | 100.0% |

**Please explain:**

| Statistic | Value |
|---|---|
| Respondents | 52 |

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# Would you still choose the same program of study?
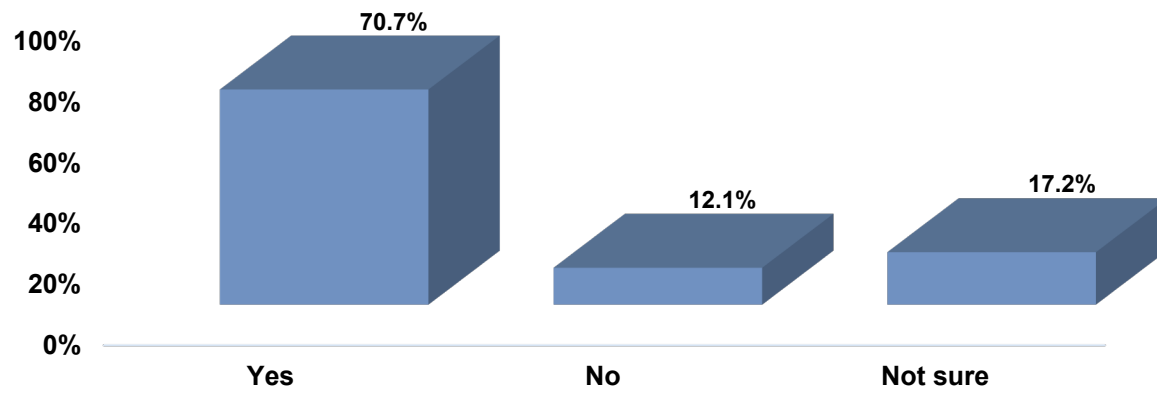


| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Yes | 169 | 70.7% |
| No | 29 | 12.1% |
| Not sure | 41 | 17.2% |
| Total | 239 | 100.0% |

**Please explain:**

| Statistic | Value |
|---|---|
| Respondents | 49 |

# Would you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?

93.8%

6.3%

100%
80%
60%
40%
20%
0%

Yes

No
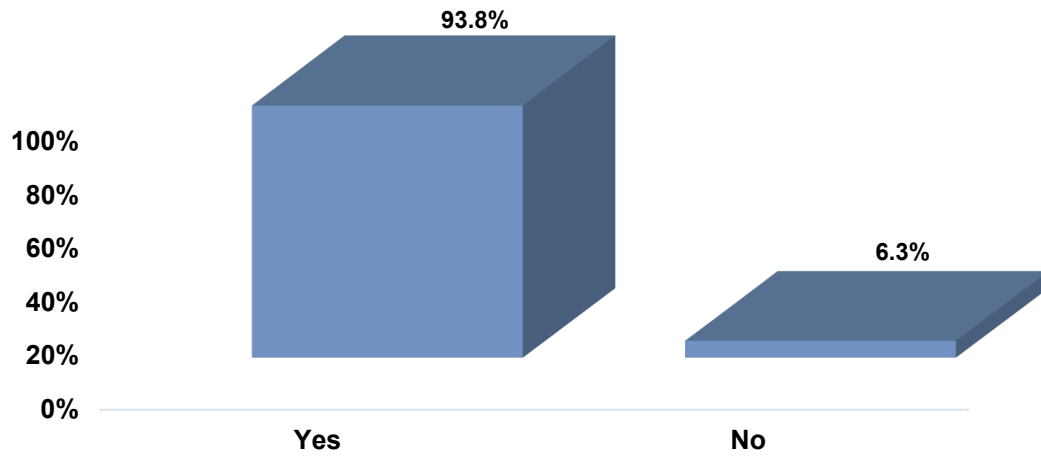
| Answer | Response | % |
|---|---|---|
| Yes | 225 | 93.8% |
| No | 15 | 6.3% |
| Total | 240 | 100.0% |

**Please explain:**

| Statistic | Value |
|---|---|
| Respondents | 37 |

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**Additional Comments for any issues or concerns you may have:**

| Statistic | Value |
|---|---|
| Respondents | 24 |

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