CSU-Pueblo Graduation Survey Spring 2010

A total of 397 2009-2010 graduating students responded to the on-line Graduation Survey. Survey responses are summarized below.

Section I. Educational Experiences Within Your Academic Major

	Very		No		Very
	Satisfied	Satisfied	Opinion	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied
1. Overall, how satisfied are you with your academic experiences at CSU-Pueblo?	139(35%)	234(59%)	13(3%)	1(0%)	8(2%)
	<u>Fu</u>	ılly	Partia	lly No	t at all
2. To what extent did your experiences in your major meet your educational goals?	27	74(69%)	117(30	0%) 4(1%)

In terms of your experiences within your major, how satisfied are you with:

	Very		No		Very
	Satisfied	Satisfied	Opinion	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied
3. Your academic experiences?	149(38%)	225(57%)	12(3%)	10(3%)	0(0%)
4. The quality of the teaching?	118(30%)	240(61%)	24(6%)	14(3%)	1(0%)
5. Course requirements?	112(28%)	233(59%)	36(9%)	16(4%)	0(0%)
6. The relevance to your career goals?	151(38%)	190(48%)	36(9%)	19(5%)	1(0%)
7. The academic advising?	189(48%)	132(33%)	44(11%)	27(7%)	5(1%)
8. The availability of information regarding the					
requirements?	157(40%)	184(46%)	35(9%)	18(4%)	3(1%)
9. The faculty availability?	180(45%)	175(44%)	27(7%)	12(3%)	3(1%)
10. The availability of Job information related to your					
major?	90(23%)	166(42%)	78(20%)	52(13%)	10(2%)
11. The availability of computer technology?	125(32%)	183(46%)	32(8%)	45(11%)	12(3%)
12. The availability of required courses?	128(32%)	199(50%)	30(8%)	37(9%)	3(1%)
13. How satisfied are you with the opportunities to					
participate in faculty scholarly/creative work?	103(26%)	162(41%)	107(27%) 17(4%)	8(2%)

At this time, to what extent do you feel prepared for:

		Significantly	Moderately	Slightly	Insignificantly
14.	Employment within your major field of study?	148(37%)	190(48%)	49(12%)	9(2%)
15.	Graduate or professional school?	166(42%)	177(45%)	45(11%)	8(2%)

Section II: Your CSU-P General Education Experience

	Very	No			Very
	Satisfied	Satisfied	Opinion	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied
16. How satisfied are you with the general education	115(29%)	210(53%)	56(14%)	12(3%)	3(1%)
at CSU-Pueblo?					

To what extent do you feel your CSU-Pueblo General Education experiences have assisted you in improving your:

	Significantly	Moderately	Slightly	<u>Insignificantly</u>
17. Reading skills?	156(39%)	146(37%)	54(14%)	37(9%)
18. Writing skills?	186(47%)	149(38%)	36(9%)	22(6%)
19. Speaking skills?	198(50%)	131(33%)	37(9%)	27(7%)
20. Computing skills?	175(44%)	131(33%)	54(14%)	33(8%)
21. Research skills?	205(52%)	133(34%)	41(10%)	14(4%)
22. Basic math skills?	145(37%)	135(34%)	61(15%)	52(13%)
23. Ability to solve complex problems?	183(46%)	152(38%)	40(10%)	18(5%)
24. Ability to interpret numerical and graphic data?	165(42%)	145(37%)	45(11%)	38(10%)

To what extent do you feel your CSU-Pueblo General Education experiences have enhanced your appreciation of:

	Significantly	Moderately	Slightly	Insignificantly
25. Aesthetics (e.g. appreciation of fine arts)?	94(24%)	162(41%)	75(19%)	63(16%)
26. Ethical values and social/civic responsibilities?	145(37%)	143(36%)	66(17%)	40(10%)
27. Cultural diversity?	144(36%)	156(39%)	61(15%)	33(8%)
28. The interrelatedness of countries across the world?	121(31%)	157(40%)	64(16%)	52(13%)
29. Social, economic, and political systems?	123(31%)	156(39%)	74(19%)	41(10%)
30. The principles of physical and mental health?	127(32%)	170(43%)	60(15%)	37(9%)
31. Natural resources?	105(26%)	156(39%)	77(19%)	56(14%)
32. The process associated with scientific inquiry?	121(31%)	163(41%)	67(17%)	43(11%)

Section III. Financial Aid

To what extent do you agree with the following:

	Strongly	Neither Agree			Strongly
	Agree	Agree	or Disagree	Disagree	Disagree N/A
33. You were provided sufficient information about financial aid to make informed decisions	100(25%)	155(39%) 64(16%)	43(11%)	17(4%) 18(5%)
34. You are satisfied with the services provided to yo by the financial aid staff	ou 95(24%)	157(40%)) 59(15%)	39(10%)	25(6%) 22(6%)
35. If you had them, your financial aid issues were appropriately resolved	103(26%)	145(37%) 59(15%)	32(8%)	17(4%) 41(10%)
36. You received adequate financial aid to focus on your academics at CSU-Pueblo	107(27%)	157(40%) 56(14%)	35(9%)	16(4%) 25(6%)

37. Did you receive student loans? Yes - $\underline{262(66\%)}$ No - $\underline{135(34\%)}$ If yes, how much did you borrow? Avg: $\underline{\$17,816}$ Have you completed your required student loan exit counseling? Yes - $\underline{73(28\%)}$ No - $\underline{189(72\%)}$ Do you know how much your monthly student loan payments will be? Yes - $\underline{113(43\%)}$ No - $\underline{149(57\%)}$ Do you feel you may have borrowed too much? Yes - $\underline{103(39\%)}$ Somewhat No - $\underline{159(61\%)}$

38. Is there something about financial aid you wish you would have known before graduating?

Yes -53(13%), Please List: Information is forwarded to the Financial Aid Office No -340(86%)

39. Do you feel a personal finance course could have been beneficial?

Yes - <u>189(48%)</u> No - <u>124(31%)</u> Don't Know - <u>83(21%)</u>

Section IV. Student Services and Campus Life

Looking back on your CSU-Pueblo experiences, how satisfied are you with the:

		Very	No			Very
		Satisfied	Satisfied	Opinion I	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied
40.	Admissions process?	155(39%)	185(47%)	43(11%)	12(3%)	2(1%)
41.	Admissions counselors?	143(36%)	152(38%)	83(21%)	16(4%)	3(1%)
42.	Student orientation?	100(25%)	140(35%)	143(36%)	8(2%)	6(2%)
43.	Registration process?	133(34%)	196(49%)	53(13%)	14(4%)	1(0%)
44.	Records Office services?	133(34%)	179(45%)	66(17%)	15(4%)	4(1%)
45.	Health services?	124(31%)	135(34%)	116(29%)	16(4%)	6(2%)
46.	Counseling Center?	103(26%)	95(24%)	191(48%)	7(2%)	1(0%)
47.	The available space for relaxing or socializing	94(24%)	143(36%)	94(24%)	57(14%)	9(2%)
	between classes?					
48.	Bookstore?	99(25%)	174(44%)	67(17%)	43(11%)	14(4%)
49.	Food services?	78(20%)	117(30%)	140(35%)	39(10%)	23(6%)
50.	Campus safety?	111(28%)	157(40%)	106(27%)	19(5%)	4(1%)
	Extra-curricular activities?	112(28%)	142(36%)	131(33%)	• •	4(1%)
52.	Student activities and cultural events?	116(29%)	150(38%)	121(31%)	6(2%)	4(1%)
53.	Diversity of the campus?	123(31%)	155(39%)	106(27%)	• •	4(1%)
	Library services?	111(28%)	162(41%)	62(16%)	47(12%)	15(4%)
55.	Level of Computer Technology?	94(24%)	182(46%)	57(14%)	48(12%)	16(4%)
56.	Security Services?	103(26%)	153(39%)	125(32%)	2(1%)	3(1%)
57.	Disability Resource Office?	78(20%)	84(21%)	230(58%)	2(1%)	3(1%)
58.	Writing Room?	79(20%)	109(28%)	196(49%)	6(2%)	7(2%)
59.	Tutoring services?	85(21%)	117(30%)	178(44%)	13(3%)	4(1%)
60.	Academic Improvement Program (AIP)?	72(18%)	85(21%)	231(58%)	5(1%)	4(1%)
61.	Recreation Center?	156(39%)	136(34%)	97(24%)	6(2%)	2(1%)
62.	Residence life/housing?	72(18%)	90(23%)	218(55%)	4(1%)	4(1%)
63.	Diversity Resource Center?	78(20%)	84(21%)	227(57%)	4(1%)	4(1%)
64.	Career Center?	112(28%)	108(27%)	159(40%)	13(3%)	5(1%)
65.	Internship Fair/Career Fair at CSU-Pueblo?	109(28%)	100(25%)	157(40%)	26(7%)	5(1%)

Section V. Employment and Additional Education

66. What is your employment status?			eer Only 3%)	Unemployed 157(40%)
If employed,				
Place of employment				
Title				
Annual Salary (Select salary rang	e)			
<\$15K \$15K-\$19,999 \$20K-\$2	9,999 \$30K-\$39,9	9 \$40K-\$49,999	\$50K-\$59,99	<u>99 ≥\$60K N/A</u>
127(32%) 28(7%) 27(7%	5) 13(3%)	9(2%)	9(2%)	6(2%) 178(45%)
67. Is your current position directly rela	ted to your major?	<u>Yes</u> 115(29%)	<u>Somewhat</u>	44(11%) <u>No</u> 229(58%)
68. Are you currently seeking employment	ent?	<u>Yes</u> 274(69%)	No 119(30	%)
69. Have you been accepted to graduate	e/professional schoo	l? <u>Yes</u> 46(12%)	<u>No</u> 343(86	%)

To what extent have your educational experiences within	your major		
	Significantly Modera	tely Slightly In:	significantly N/A
70. Enhanced your ability to find a job?	162(41%) 136(34	%) 44(11%)	23(6%) 32(8%)
71. Impacted your ability to perform successfully on a job?	200(50%) 132(33	%) 24(6%)	12(3%) 29(7%)
72. Over the next 2 years, which of the following best desc	ribes your future plans	? (Select one)	
Pursue employment 20	0(50%)		
Start or raise a family 1	1(3%)		
Pursue volunteer service	1(0%)		
Enter the military or armed service	6(2%)		
Pursue additional undergraduate degree	6(2%)		
Pursue graduate or professional study 14	5(36%)		
Master's <u>101(25%)</u> Doctorate <u>22(6%)</u>	Other professi	onal/certificatio	n <u>22(6%)</u>
Other future plans 2	7(7%)		
Section VI: Alur	nni Association		
The CSU-Pueblo Alumni Association's mission is to "contin	ue and enhance the re	elationship amo	ng our alumni, the
university, and our communities." In order to realize this	mission, we welcome	your input.	
73. As a new CSU-Pueblo alumnus, what services would ass	ist you in achieving you	ır professional g	oals?
(Select all that apply):			,
Networking opportunities and events (including alu	mni online communiti	es) 213(54%))
Keep Informed of CSU-Pueblo Events		130(33%)	
Use of library		207(52%)	
Use of Recreation Center		204(51%)	
Career Center resources		208(52%)	
Alumni Discount Programs		207(52%)	
74. Would you be interested in (select all that apply):			
Alumni trips/events		94(24%)	1
Alumni awards dinner		81(20%)	
Fund-raising events		159(40%)	
Allowing your name, job title, posted on the webpa	ge	97(24%)	
University recruitment activities	80	86(22%)	
Serving on a committee		108(27%)	
Serving as a mentor		12(3%)	,
Other (please describe)		9(2%)	
Full Name:			
Last First	Middle	N	Maiden
Current address:			
Street Cit	v S	 tate	Zip
Permanent	,		 F-
Address:			
Street Cit	y S	tate	Zip
Phone/Cell () Pare	nt/Other Phone: ()	

Email: _____