

**Illinois State University  
2013 Alumni Survey Institution Report**

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		2008 (n = 318)		2012 (n = 614)		Total (n = 932)		2008 (n = 97)		2012 (n = 181)		Total (n = 278)		Total (n = 1210)	
		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Faculty were accessible both inside and outside of class.	Never	1	.3%	2	.3%	3	.3%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.2%
	Infrequently	6	1.9%	7	1.1%	13	1.4%	1	1.0%	1	.6%	2	.7%	15	1.2%
	Sometimes	43	13.5%	54	8.9%	97	10.5%	10	10.3%	15	8.4%	25	9.1%	122	10.1%
	Often	154	48.4%	315	51.7%	469	50.6%	43	44.3%	76	42.5%	119	43.1%	588	48.9%
	Very often	114	35.8%	231	37.9%	345	37.2%	43	44.3%	87	48.6%	130	47.1%	475	39.5%
	Total	318	100.0%	609	100.0%	927	100.0%	97	100.0%	179	100.0%	276	100.0%	1203	100.0%
I was expected or required to work cooperatively with other students on projects, homework, and assignments.	Never	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	1	.1%
	Infrequently	7	2.2%	6	1.0%	13	1.4%	4	4.2%	3	1.7%	7	2.5%	20	1.7%
	Sometimes	72	22.7%	114	18.7%	186	20.1%	17	17.7%	27	15.0%	44	15.9%	230	19.1%
	Often	130	41.0%	251	41.1%	381	41.1%	32	33.3%	69	38.3%	101	36.6%	482	40.1%
	Very often	108	34.1%	239	39.2%	347	37.4%	43	44.8%	80	44.4%	123	44.6%	470	39.1%
	Total	317	100.0%	610	100.0%	927	100.0%	96	100.0%	180	100.0%	276	100.0%	1203	100.0%
Faculty encouraged me to challenge my own ideas, the ideas of other students, and those presented in course materials.	Never	0	.0%	8	1.3%	8	.9%	1	1.0%	1	.6%	2	.7%	10	.8%
	Infrequently	20	6.3%	25	4.1%	45	4.9%	2	2.1%	1	.6%	3	1.1%	48	4.0%
	Sometimes	86	27.3%	160	26.3%	246	26.6%	23	23.7%	27	14.9%	50	18.0%	296	24.6%
	Often	134	42.5%	247	40.6%	381	41.2%	34	35.1%	72	39.8%	106	38.1%	487	40.5%
	Very often	75	23.8%	169	27.8%	244	26.4%	37	38.1%	80	44.2%	117	42.1%	361	30.0%
	Total	315	100.0%	609	100.0%	924	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1202	100.0%
Faculty used appropriate teaching activities to help me learn.	Never	0	.0%	3	.5%	3	.3%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.2%
	Infrequently	5	1.6%	10	1.6%	15	1.6%	0	.0%	3	1.7%	3	1.1%	18	1.5%
	Sometimes	43	13.5%	89	14.5%	132	14.2%	7	7.2%	25	13.9%	32	11.6%	164	13.6%
	Often	160	50.3%	297	48.5%	457	49.1%	55	56.7%	86	47.8%	141	50.9%	598	49.5%
	Very often	110	34.6%	213	34.8%	323	34.7%	35	36.1%	66	36.7%	101	36.5%	424	35.1%
	Total	318	100.0%	612	100.0%	930	100.0%	97	100.0%	180	100.0%	277	100.0%	1207	100.0%
Faculty expectations for the quality of student work were high.	Never	0	.0%	2	.3%	2	.2%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	.2%
	Infrequently	8	2.5%	14	2.3%	22	2.4%	0	.0%	3	1.7%	3	1.1%	25	2.1%
	Sometimes	35	11.1%	65	10.7%	100	10.8%	11	11.3%	21	11.6%	32	11.5%	132	11.0%
	Often	152	48.1%	283	46.4%	435	47.0%	48	49.5%	71	39.2%	119	42.8%	554	46.0%
	Very often	121	38.3%	246	40.3%	367	39.6%	38	39.2%	86	47.5%	124	44.6%	491	40.8%
	Total	316	100.0%	610	100.0%	926	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1204	100.0%

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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Faculty provided me with timely feedback on my performance.	Never	0	.0%	3	.5%	3	.3%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	4	.3%
	Infrequently	2	.6%	14	2.3%	16	1.7%	3	3.1%	5	2.8%	8	2.9%	24	2.0%
	Sometimes	45	14.3%	107	17.6%	152	16.5%	8	8.3%	28	15.6%	36	13.0%	188	15.7%
	Often	153	48.6%	318	52.2%	471	51.0%	47	49.0%	83	46.1%	130	47.1%	601	50.1%
	Very often	115	36.5%	167	27.4%	282	30.5%	38	39.6%	63	35.0%	101	36.6%	383	31.9%
	Total	315	100.0%	609	100.0%	924	100.0%	96	100.0%	180	100.0%	276	100.0%	1200	100.0%
Faculty emphasized that studying and planning were important to my academic success.	Never	2	.6%	3	.5%	5	.5%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	5	.4%
	Infrequently	6	1.9%	13	2.1%	19	2.0%	3	3.1%	5	2.8%	8	2.9%	27	2.2%
	Sometimes	45	14.2%	78	12.8%	123	13.3%	18	18.6%	20	11.0%	38	13.7%	161	13.3%
	Often	145	45.6%	246	40.3%	391	42.1%	44	45.4%	76	42.0%	120	43.2%	511	42.4%
	Very often	120	37.7%	270	44.3%	390	42.0%	32	33.0%	80	44.2%	112	40.3%	502	41.6%
	Total	318	100.0%	610	100.0%	928	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1206	100.0%
How helpful was Illinois State University in the development of your critical thinking ability?	Not helpful	1	.3%	9	1.6%	10	1.2%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	10	.9%
	Slightly helpful	14	4.7%	17	3.0%	31	3.6%	3	3.6%	7	4.0%	10	3.9%	41	3.7%
	Moderately helpful	74	25.0%	125	22.0%	199	23.0%	20	23.8%	26	15.0%	46	17.9%	245	21.8%
	Very helpful	137	46.3%	250	43.9%	387	44.7%	39	46.4%	80	46.2%	119	46.3%	506	45.1%
	Extremely helpful	70	23.6%	168	29.5%	238	27.5%	22	26.2%	60	34.7%	82	31.9%	320	28.5%
	Total	296	100.0%	569	100.0%	865	100.0%	84	100.0%	173	100.0%	257	100.0%	1122	100.0%
How helpful was Illinois State University in the development of your sense of ethics?	Not helpful	7	2.4%	22	3.9%	29	3.4%	2	2.4%	6	3.5%	8	3.1%	37	3.3%
	Slightly helpful	25	8.5%	51	9.0%	76	8.8%	3	3.7%	6	3.5%	9	3.5%	85	7.6%
	Moderately helpful	90	30.6%	143	25.2%	233	27.0%	26	31.7%	47	27.3%	73	28.7%	306	27.4%
	Very helpful	106	36.1%	219	38.6%	325	37.7%	32	39.0%	73	42.4%	105	41.3%	430	38.5%
	Extremely helpful	66	22.4%	133	23.4%	199	23.1%	19	23.2%	40	23.3%	59	23.2%	258	23.1%
	Total	294	100.0%	568	100.0%	862	100.0%	82	100.0%	172	100.0%	254	100.0%	1116	100.0%
How helpful was Illinois State University in the development of your diversity understanding?	Not helpful	7	2.4%	31	5.5%	38	4.4%	0	.0%	4	2.3%	4	1.6%	42	3.7%
	Slightly helpful	25	8.4%	54	9.5%	79	9.1%	9	10.7%	14	8.1%	23	8.9%	102	9.1%
	Moderately helpful	98	33.0%	146	25.7%	244	28.2%	29	34.5%	49	28.3%	78	30.4%	322	28.7%
	Very helpful	116	39.1%	198	34.9%	314	36.3%	27	32.1%	71	41.0%	98	38.1%	412	36.8%
	Extremely helpful	51	17.2%	138	24.3%	189	21.9%	19	22.6%	35	20.2%	54	21.0%	243	21.7%
	Total	297	100.0%	567	100.0%	864	100.0%	84	100.0%	173	100.0%	257	100.0%	1121	100.0%

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How helpful was Illinois State University in the development of your citizenship?	Not helpful	18	6.1%	45	8.1%	63	7.4%	3	3.7%	10	5.9%	13	5.2%	76	6.9%
	Slightly helpful	39	13.2%	84	15.1%	123	14.4%	9	11.1%	32	18.8%	41	16.3%	164	14.9%
	Moderately helpful	98	33.1%	162	29.1%	260	30.5%	36	44.4%	51	30.0%	87	34.7%	347	31.5%
	Very helpful	96	32.4%	178	32.0%	274	32.2%	25	30.9%	53	31.2%	78	31.1%	352	31.9%
	Extremely helpful	45	15.2%	87	15.6%	132	15.5%	8	9.9%	24	14.1%	32	12.7%	164	14.9%
	Total	296	100.0%	556	100.0%	852	100.0%	81	100.0%	170	100.0%	251	100.0%	1103	100.0%
How helpful was Illinois State University in the development of your quality of life (aside from financial benefits)?	Not helpful	4	1.4%	33	5.8%	37	4.3%	3	3.6%	6	3.5%	9	3.5%	46	4.1%
	Slightly helpful	35	11.9%	65	11.5%	100	11.6%	6	7.2%	22	12.8%	28	11.0%	128	11.5%
	Moderately helpful	99	33.6%	141	25.0%	240	27.9%	29	34.9%	53	30.8%	82	32.2%	322	28.9%
	Very helpful	111	37.6%	203	35.9%	314	36.5%	35	42.2%	55	32.0%	90	35.3%	404	36.2%
	Extremely helpful	46	15.6%	123	21.8%	169	19.7%	10	12.0%	36	20.9%	46	18.0%	215	19.3%
	Total	295	100.0%	565	100.0%	860	100.0%	83	100.0%	172	100.0%	255	100.0%	1115	100.0%
How do you rate the quality of your education relative to that of colleagues who graduated from other institutions?	Inferior	1	.3%	6	1.1%	7	.8%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	8	.7%
	Below average	5	1.7%	19	3.3%	24	2.8%	0	.0%	6	3.5%	6	2.3%	30	2.7%
	Average	88	29.6%	119	20.9%	207	23.9%	21	25.3%	33	19.1%	54	21.1%	261	23.3%
	Above average	155	52.2%	311	54.7%	466	53.8%	44	53.0%	89	51.4%	133	52.0%	599	53.4%
	Superior	48	16.2%	114	20.0%	162	18.7%	18	21.7%	44	25.4%	62	24.2%	224	20.0%
	Total	297	100.0%	569	100.0%	866	100.0%	83	100.0%	173	100.0%	256	100.0%	1122	100.0%
How satisfied were you with the quality of collections (i.e., books, journals, electronic resources) at Milner Library?	Very dissatisfied	1	.3%	3	.5%	4	.5%	0	.0%	4	2.3%	4	1.6%	8	.7%
	Dissatisfied	6	2.1%	6	1.1%	12	1.4%	3	3.8%	2	1.2%	5	2.0%	17	1.5%
	Neutral	55	18.8%	112	19.9%	167	19.5%	21	26.3%	30	17.4%	51	20.2%	218	19.7%
	Satisfied	144	49.3%	275	48.8%	419	48.9%	39	48.8%	84	48.8%	123	48.8%	542	48.9%
	Very satisfied	86	29.5%	168	29.8%	254	29.7%	17	21.3%	52	30.2%	69	27.4%	323	29.2%
	Total	292	100.0%	564	100.0%	856	100.0%	80	100.0%	172	100.0%	252	100.0%	1108	100.0%
How satisfied were you with the quality and amount of library instruction related to your major?	Very dissatisfied	1	.3%	3	.5%	4	.5%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	5	.5%
	Dissatisfied	10	3.5%	29	5.2%	39	4.6%	5	6.1%	6	3.5%	11	4.3%	50	4.5%
	Neutral	94	32.5%	179	31.8%	273	32.0%	30	36.6%	40	23.3%	70	27.6%	343	31.0%
	Satisfied	127	43.9%	209	37.1%	336	39.4%	37	45.1%	73	42.4%	110	43.3%	446	40.3%
	Very satisfied	57	19.7%	143	25.4%	200	23.5%	10	12.2%	52	30.2%	62	24.4%	262	23.7%
	Total	289	100.0%	563	100.0%	852	100.0%	82	100.0%	172	100.0%	254	100.0%	1106	100.0%
How satisfied were you with the quality of the library space to meet your needs?	Very dissatisfied	1	.3%	10	1.8%	11	1.3%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	12	1.1%
	Dissatisfied	22	7.5%	49	8.7%	71	8.3%	5	6.1%	11	6.4%	16	6.3%	87	7.9%
	Neutral	37	12.7%	115	20.5%	152	17.8%	14	17.1%	33	19.3%	47	18.6%	199	18.0%
	Satisfied	126	43.2%	232	41.3%	358	41.9%	38	46.3%	72	42.1%	110	43.5%	468	42.3%
	Very satisfied	106	36.3%	156	27.8%	262	30.7%	25	30.5%	54	31.6%	79	31.2%	341	30.8%
	Total	292	100.0%	562	100.0%	854	100.0%	82	100.0%	171	100.0%	253	100.0%	1107	100.0%

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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
How satisfied were you with the interactions with library faculty and staff?	Very dissatisfied	1	.3%	1	.2%	2	.2%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	.2%
	Dissatisfied	2	.7%	14	2.5%	16	1.9%	0	.0%	3	1.8%	3	1.2%	19	1.7%
	Neutral	88	30.2%	190	33.9%	278	32.7%	27	32.5%	43	25.7%	70	28.0%	348	31.6%
	Satisfied	133	45.7%	195	34.8%	328	38.5%	34	41.0%	68	40.7%	102	40.8%	430	39.1%
	Very satisfied	67	23.0%	160	28.6%	227	26.7%	22	26.5%	53	31.7%	75	30.0%	302	27.4%
	Total	291	100.0%	560	100.0%	851	100.0%	83	100.0%	167	100.0%	250	100.0%	1101	100.0%
How satisfied were you with your overall experience at Milner Library?	Very dissatisfied	0	.0%	2	.4%	2	.2%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	.2%
	Dissatisfied	6	2.1%	6	1.1%	12	1.4%	0	.0%	7	4.1%	7	2.8%	19	1.7%
	Neutral	38	13.1%	94	16.8%	132	15.5%	17	21.0%	25	14.7%	42	16.7%	174	15.8%
	Satisfied	162	55.9%	282	50.4%	444	52.3%	47	58.0%	82	48.2%	129	51.4%	573	52.1%
	Very satisfied	84	29.0%	175	31.3%	259	30.5%	17	21.0%	56	32.9%	73	29.1%	332	30.2%
	Total	290	100.0%	559	100.0%	849	100.0%	81	100.0%	170	100.0%	251	100.0%	1100	100.0%
If access to a full-text library database were made available to alumni at no cost would you be likely to take advantage of this service?	Not likely	39	13.3%	49	8.7%	88	10.3%	8	9.6%	5	2.9%	13	5.1%	101	9.1%
	Somewhat likely	100	34.1%	163	29.1%	263	30.8%	16	19.3%	39	22.8%	55	21.7%	318	28.7%
	Very likely	154	52.6%	349	62.2%	503	58.9%	59	71.1%	127	74.3%	186	73.2%	689	62.2%
	Total	293	100.0%	561	100.0%	854	100.0%	83	100.0%	171	100.0%	254	100.0%	1108	100.0%
Have you enrolled in a college or university since earning your degree at Illinois State University?	Yes, full-time	64	21.8%	93	16.5%	157	18.3%	11	13.3%	19	11.1%	30	11.8%	187	16.8%
	Yes, part-time	78	26.5%	44	7.8%	122	14.2%	13	15.7%	6	3.5%	19	7.5%	141	12.7%
	No	152	51.7%	427	75.7%	579	67.5%	59	71.1%	146	85.4%	205	80.7%	784	70.5%
	Total	294	100.0%	564	100.0%	858	100.0%	83	100.0%	171	100.0%	254	100.0%	1112	100.0%
Have you earned an additional degree since earning your degree from Illinois State University?	Yes	80	27.2%	11	2.0%	91	10.6%	14	16.9%	9	5.3%	23	9.1%	114	10.3%
	No	214	72.8%	553	98.0%	767	89.4%	69	83.1%	162	94.7%	231	90.9%	998	89.7%
	Total	294	100.0%	564	100.0%	858	100.0%	83	100.0%	171	100.0%	254	100.0%	1112	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing an Associate's degree?	No	316	99.4%	612	99.7%	928	99.6%	96	99.0%	181	100.0%	277	99.6%	1205	99.6%
	Yes	2	.6%	2	.3%	4	.4%	1	1.0%	0	.0%	1	.4%	5	.4%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a second Bachelor's degree?	No	311	97.8%	612	99.7%	923	99.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1201	99.3%
	Yes	7	2.2%	2	.3%	9	1.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	9	.7%
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Have you earned or are you pursuing an Academic Master's degree?	No	243	76.4%	535	87.1%	778	83.5%	89	91.8%	172	95.0%	261	93.9%	1039	85.9%
	Yes	75	23.6%	79	12.9%	154	16.5%	8	8.2%	9	5.0%	17	6.1%	171	14.1%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a Professional Master's	No	291	91.5%	592	96.4%	883	94.7%	95	97.9%	178	98.3%	273	98.2%	1156	95.5%
	Yes	27	8.5%	22	3.6%	49	5.3%	2	2.1%	3	1.7%	5	1.8%	54	4.5%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a Medicine degree?	No	318	100.0%	613	99.8%	931	99.9%	97	100.0%	180	99.4%	277	99.6%	1208	99.8%
	Yes	0	.0%	1	.2%	1	.1%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	2	.2%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a Health Professional degree?	No	314	98.7%	611	99.5%	925	99.2%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1203	99.4%
	Yes	4	1.3%	3	.5%	7	.8%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	7	.6%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a Theology/Divinity degree?	No	318	100.0%	612	99.7%	930	99.8%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1208	99.8%
	Yes	0	.0%	2	.3%	2	.2%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	.2%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a Law degree?	No	315	99.1%	612	99.7%	927	99.5%	97	100.0%	180	99.4%	277	99.6%	1204	99.5%
	Yes	3	.9%	2	.3%	5	.5%	0	.0%	1	.6%	1	.4%	6	.5%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing a Doctorate degree?	No	309	97.2%	607	98.9%	916	98.3%	88	90.7%	170	93.9%	258	92.8%	1174	97.0%
	Yes	9	2.8%	7	1.1%	16	1.7%	9	9.3%	11	6.1%	20	7.2%	36	3.0%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
Have you earned or are you pursuing another degree?	No	295	92.8%	593	96.6%	888	95.3%	88	90.7%	177	97.8%	265	95.3%	1153	95.3%
	Yes	23	7.2%	21	3.4%	44	4.7%	9	9.3%	4	2.2%	13	4.7%	57	4.7%
	Total	318	100.0%	614	100.0%	932	100.0%	97	100.0%	181	100.0%	278	100.0%	1210	100.0%
In general, how well did your degree at Illinois State University prepare you for your additional degree program?	Very poorly	1	.7%	3	2.2%	4	1.4%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	4	1.2%
	Poorly	1	.7%	1	.7%	2	.7%	1	3.8%	0	.0%	1	1.8%	3	.9%
	Inadequately	1	.7%	2	1.5%	3	1.1%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.9%
	Adequately	41	28.9%	35	25.7%	76	27.3%	6	23.1%	6	20.7%	12	21.8%	88	26.4%
	Well	55	38.7%	30	22.1%	85	30.6%	6	23.1%	10	34.5%	16	29.1%	101	30.3%
	Very well	43	30.3%	65	47.8%	108	38.8%	13	50.0%	13	44.8%	26	47.3%	134	40.2%
Total	142	100.0%	136	100.0%	278	100.0%	26	100.0%	29	100.0%	55	100.0%	333	100.0%	

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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Indicate the time frame between your graduation and acceptance of your first job.	Held the same job while enrolled	24	8.2%	34	6.1%	58	6.8%	27	32.5%	36	21.1%	63	24.8%	121	11.0%
	Accepted before graduation	87	29.8%	142	25.5%	229	27.0%	26	31.3%	60	35.1%	86	33.9%	315	28.6%
	Within one month of graduation	32	11.0%	81	14.5%	113	13.3%	12	14.5%	16	9.4%	28	11.0%	141	12.8%
	Between one and three months	54	18.5%	98	17.6%	152	17.9%	6	7.2%	14	8.2%	20	7.9%	172	15.6%
	Between three and six months	23	7.9%	72	12.9%	95	11.2%	3	3.6%	16	9.4%	19	7.5%	114	10.3%
	Between six and nine months	20	6.8%	31	5.6%	51	6.0%	2	2.4%	5	2.9%	7	2.8%	58	5.3%
	Between nine and twelve months	12	4.1%	17	3.1%	29	3.4%	1	1.2%	6	3.5%	7	2.8%	36	3.3%
	More than twelve months	22	7.5%	22	3.9%	44	5.2%	1	1.2%	5	2.9%	6	2.4%	50	4.5%
	Did not seek a job upon graduation	18	6.2%	60	10.8%	78	9.2%	5	6.0%	13	7.6%	18	7.1%	96	8.7%
	Total	292	100.0%	557	100.0%	849	100.0%	83	100.0%	171	100.0%	254	100.0%	1103	100.0%
How well did your degree program prepare you for your career path?	Very poorly	3	1.0%	12	2.2%	15	1.8%	0	.0%	4	2.4%	4	1.6%	19	1.7%
	Poorly	6	2.1%	11	2.0%	17	2.0%	1	1.2%	1	.6%	2	.8%	19	1.7%
	Inadequately	21	7.2%	36	6.5%	57	6.7%	1	1.2%	4	2.4%	5	2.0%	62	5.7%
	Adequately	90	30.9%	147	26.5%	237	28.0%	19	22.9%	34	20.1%	53	21.0%	290	26.4%
	Well	103	35.4%	169	30.5%	272	32.2%	28	33.7%	68	40.2%	96	38.1%	368	33.5%
	Very well	68	23.4%	179	32.3%	247	29.2%	34	41.0%	58	34.3%	92	36.5%	339	30.9%
	Total	291	100.0%	554	100.0%	845	100.0%	83	100.0%	169	100.0%	252	100.0%	1097	100.0%
How many different employers have you had since graduation?	One	100	34.4%	350	64.9%	450	54.2%	45	54.2%	135	80.4%	180	71.7%	630	58.3%
	Two	99	34.0%	153	28.4%	252	30.4%	25	30.1%	27	16.1%	52	20.7%	304	28.1%
	Three to six	88	30.2%	32	5.9%	120	14.5%	13	15.7%	6	3.6%	19	7.6%	139	12.9%
	More than six	4	1.4%	4	.7%	8	1.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	8	.7%
	Total	291	100.0%	539	100.0%	830	100.0%	83	100.0%	168	100.0%	251	100.0%	1081	100.0%

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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Are you currently employed (including self-employed)?	Yes, full-time	256	87.7%	398	71.1%	654	76.8%	73	88.0%	137	80.1%	210	82.7%	864	78.1%
	Yes, part-time	17	5.8%	94	16.8%	111	13.0%	5	6.0%	17	9.9%	22	8.7%	133	12.0%
	No, but am seeking employment	14	4.8%	40	7.1%	54	6.3%	1	1.2%	8	4.7%	9	3.5%	63	5.7%
	No, and am not seeking employment	5	1.7%	28	5.0%	33	3.9%	4	4.8%	9	5.3%	13	5.1%	46	4.2%
	Total	292	100.0%	560	100.0%	852	100.0%	83	100.0%	171	100.0%	254	100.0%	1106	100.0%
How satisfied are you with your current job?	Very dissatisfied	7	2.6%	22	4.6%	29	3.9%	4	5.2%	6	3.9%	10	4.3%	39	4.0%
	Dissatisfied	9	3.3%	17	3.5%	26	3.5%	2	2.6%	4	2.6%	6	2.6%	32	3.3%
	Somewhat dissatisfied	15	5.6%	20	4.1%	35	4.7%	3	3.9%	7	4.6%	10	4.3%	45	4.6%
	Somewhat satisfied	31	11.5%	86	17.8%	117	15.6%	10	13.0%	19	12.4%	29	12.6%	146	14.9%
	Satisfied	99	36.7%	162	33.6%	261	34.7%	26	33.8%	52	34.0%	78	33.9%	339	34.5%
	Very satisfied	109	40.4%	175	36.3%	284	37.8%	32	41.6%	65	42.5%	97	42.2%	381	38.8%
Total	270	100.0%	482	100.0%	752	100.0%	77	100.0%	153	100.0%	230	100.0%	982	100.0%	
How would you classify your primary employer?	Self-employed or private practice	2	.7%	14	2.9%	16	2.1%	5	6.5%	12	7.9%	17	7.4%	33	3.4%
	Business (industrial, commercial, or service)	88	32.7%	181	37.9%	269	36.0%	16	20.8%	37	24.3%	53	23.1%	322	33.0%
	Professional firm (e.g., engineering, law)	8	3.0%	18	3.8%	26	3.5%	2	2.6%	14	9.2%	16	7.0%	42	4.3%
	College or University	22	8.2%	40	8.4%	62	8.3%	24	31.2%	39	25.7%	63	27.5%	125	12.8%
	Elementary/Secondary school (including cooperatives)	75	27.9%	116	24.3%	191	25.6%	14	18.2%	26	17.1%	40	17.5%	231	23.7%
	Health agency (e.g., hospital, clinic)	28	10.4%	39	8.2%	67	9.0%	8	10.4%	12	7.9%	20	8.7%	87	8.9%
	Federal, state, or local government	18	6.7%	14	2.9%	32	4.3%	3	3.9%	4	2.6%	7	3.1%	39	4.0%
	Armed Services	2	.7%	1	.2%	3	.4%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.3%
	Non-profit (non-government)	16	5.9%	33	6.9%	49	6.6%	3	3.9%	5	3.3%	8	3.5%	57	5.8%
	Other	10	3.7%	22	4.6%	32	4.3%	2	2.6%	3	2.0%	5	2.2%	37	3.8%
	Total	269	100.0%	478	100.0%	747	100.0%	77	100.0%	152	100.0%	229	100.0%	976	100.0%

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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Please indicate your primary occupation.	Management	24	9.3%	18	4.0%	42	5.9%	11	14.9%	16	11.0%	27	12.3%	69	7.4%
	Business Operations	19	7.3%	41	9.0%	60	8.4%	4	5.4%	15	10.3%	19	8.7%	79	8.5%
	Financial Specialists	15	5.8%	27	5.9%	42	5.9%	2	2.7%	15	10.3%	17	7.8%	59	6.3%
	Computer Specialists	9	3.5%	21	4.6%	30	4.2%	3	4.1%	5	3.4%	8	3.7%	38	4.1%
	Mathematical Scientists and Technicians	0	.0%	3	.7%	3	.4%	2	2.7%	1	.7%	3	1.4%	6	.6%
	Architects, Surveyors, and Cartographers	1	.4%	3	.7%	4	.6%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	4	.4%
	Engineers and Related Technicians	3	1.2%	8	1.8%	11	1.5%	0	.0%	2	1.4%	2	.9%	13	1.4%
	Life and Physical Scientists and Technicians	3	1.2%	3	.7%	6	.8%	3	4.1%	5	3.4%	8	3.7%	14	1.5%
	Social Scientists	1	.4%	2	.4%	3	.4%	1	1.4%	4	2.8%	5	2.3%	8	.9%
	Health: Doctors	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	1.4%	2	.9%	2	.2%
	Health: Registered Nurses	10	3.9%	25	5.5%	35	4.9%	1	1.4%	1	.7%	2	.9%	37	4.0%
	Health: Therapists	3	1.2%	6	1.3%	9	1.3%	4	5.4%	5	3.4%	9	4.1%	18	1.9%
	Health: Other Health Practitioners, Professionals, and Support Workers	13	5.0%	22	4.8%	35	4.9%	7	9.5%	13	9.0%	20	9.1%	55	5.9%
	Community and Social Service	7	2.7%	13	2.9%	20	2.8%	2	2.7%	1	.7%	3	1.4%	23	2.5%
	Legal: Attorneys/Judges	2	.8%	0	.0%	2	.3%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	.2%
	Legal: Legal Support Workers	1	.4%	2	.4%	3	.4%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.3%
	Education: Early Childhood Teachers	4	1.5%	6	1.3%	10	1.4%	1	1.4%	1	.7%	2	.9%	12	1.3%
	Education: Elementary School Teachers	17	6.6%	22	4.8%	39	5.5%	0	.0%	3	2.1%	3	1.4%	42	4.5%
	Education: Middle School Teachers	14	5.4%	19	4.2%	33	4.6%	3	4.1%	6	4.1%	9	4.1%	42	4.5%
	Education: Secondary School Teachers	30	11.6%	31	6.8%	61	8.6%	4	5.4%	6	4.1%	10	4.6%	71	7.6%



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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Please indicate your primary occupation (con't)	Education: Special Education Teachers	10	3.9%	30	6.6%	40	5.6%	2	2.7%	0	.0%	2	.9%	42	4.5%
	Education: Other, except administrators (See management	10	3.9%	28	6.2%	38	5.3%	12	16.2%	27	18.6%	39	17.8%	77	8.3%
	Library Occupations	5	1.9%	1	.2%	6	.8%	0	.0%	1	.7%	1	.5%	7	.8%
	Arts and Design Workers	0	.0%	11	2.4%	11	1.5%	0	.0%	1	.7%	1	.5%	12	1.3%
	Entertainers, Performers, Sports and Related Workers	1	.4%	4	.9%	5	.7%	0	.0%	1	.7%	1	.5%	6	.6%
	Media and Communication	8	3.1%	17	3.7%	25	3.5%	5	6.8%	5	3.4%	10	4.6%	35	3.8%
	Sales	12	4.6%	39	8.6%	51	7.2%	2	2.7%	4	2.8%	6	2.7%	57	6.1%
	Office Administration	17	6.6%	21	4.6%	38	5.3%	2	2.7%	2	1.4%	4	1.8%	42	4.5%
	Protective Services	7	2.7%	2	.4%	9	1.3%	0	.0%	1	.7%	1	.5%	10	1.1%
	Food Preparation and Serving	3	1.2%	4	.9%	7	1.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	7	.8%
	Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance	0	.0%	3	.7%	3	.4%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.3%
	Personal Care Service	1	.4%	3	.7%	4	.6%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	4	.4%
	Farming, Fishing, and Forestry	1	.4%	3	.7%	4	.6%	2	2.7%	0	.0%	2	.9%	6	.6%
	Construction and Extractive	2	.8%	3	.7%	5	.7%	1	1.4%	1	.7%	2	.9%	7	.8%
	Installation, Maintenance, and	1	.4%	2	.4%	3	.4%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	3	.3%
	Production	1	.4%	4	.9%	5	.7%	0	.0%	1	.7%	1	.5%	6	.6%
	Transportation and Material Moving	2	.8%	7	1.5%	9	1.3%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	9	1.0%
	Military	2	.8%	0	.0%	2	.3%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	2	.2%
	Total	259	100.0%	454	100.0%	713	100.0%	74	100.0%	145	100.0%	219	100.0%	932	100.0%

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		Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
How closely related is your current job to your degree major?	Closely related	147	54.9%	283	59.1%	430	57.6%	55	71.4%	116	75.8%	171	74.3%	601	61.5%
	Somewhat related	70	26.1%	107	22.3%	177	23.7%	18	23.4%	24	15.7%	42	18.3%	219	22.4%
	Unrelated by choice	29	10.8%	36	7.5%	65	8.7%	1	1.3%	6	3.9%	7	3.0%	72	7.4%
	Unrelated not by choice	22	8.2%	53	11.1%	75	10.0%	3	3.9%	7	4.6%	10	4.3%	85	8.7%
	Total	268	100.0%	479	100.0%	747	100.0%	77	100.0%	153	100.0%	230	100.0%	977	100.0%
What is your annual gross income in your current job?	Less than \$15,999	7	2.7%	75	16.2%	82	11.4%	5	6.7%	9	6.0%	14	6.2%	96	10.1%
	\$16,000 - \$30,999	24	9.3%	97	20.9%	121	16.8%	3	4.0%	13	8.6%	16	7.1%	137	14.5%
	\$31,000 - \$45,999	97	37.7%	186	40.1%	283	39.3%	15	20.0%	45	29.8%	60	26.5%	343	36.2%
	\$46,000 - \$60,999	62	24.1%	79	17.0%	141	19.6%	25	33.3%	44	29.1%	69	30.5%	210	22.2%
	\$61,000 - \$75,999	37	14.4%	19	4.1%	56	7.8%	9	12.0%	18	11.9%	27	11.9%	83	8.8%
	\$76,000 - \$90,999	21	8.2%	6	1.3%	27	3.7%	7	9.3%	7	4.6%	14	6.2%	41	4.3%
	\$91,000 - \$105,999	3	1.2%	1	.2%	4	.6%	6	8.0%	6	4.0%	12	5.3%	16	1.7%
	\$106,000 - \$120,999	3	1.2%	0	.0%	3	.4%	1	1.3%	8	5.3%	9	4.0%	12	1.3%
	\$121,000 - \$135,999	1	.4%	0	.0%	1	.1%	2	2.7%	0	.0%	2	.9%	3	.3%
	\$136,000 - \$150,999	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	1	1.3%	1	.7%	2	.9%	2	.2%
	More than \$151,000	2	.8%	1	.2%	3	.4%	1	1.3%	0	.0%	1	.4%	4	.4%
Total	257	100.0%	464	100.0%	721	100.0%	75	100.0%	151	100.0%	226	100.0%	947	100.0%	
What is your present attitude toward Illinois State University?	Strongly negative	2	.7%	4	.7%	6	.7%	0	.0%	0	.0%	0	.0%	6	.5%
	Negative	0	.0%	6	1.1%	6	.7%	1	1.2%	1	.6%	2	.8%	8	.7%
	Somewhat negative	5	1.7%	16	2.9%	21	2.5%	2	2.4%	3	1.8%	5	2.0%	26	2.4%
	Somewhat positive	20	6.9%	40	7.2%	60	7.1%	6	7.3%	13	7.6%	19	7.5%	79	7.2%
	Positive	113	39.1%	190	34.4%	303	36.0%	33	40.2%	62	36.5%	95	37.7%	398	36.4%
	Strongly positive	149	51.6%	297	53.7%	446	53.0%	40	48.8%	91	53.5%	131	52.0%	577	52.7%
	Total	289	100.0%	553	100.0%	842	100.0%	82	100.0%	170	100.0%	252	100.0%	1094	100.0%
What is your present attitude toward your degree program?	Strongly negative	3	1.0%	11	2.0%	14	1.7%	0	.0%	2	1.2%	2	.8%	16	1.5%
	Negative	6	2.1%	12	2.2%	18	2.1%	1	1.2%	2	1.2%	3	1.2%	21	1.9%
	Somewhat negative	7	2.4%	22	4.0%	29	3.4%	4	4.9%	4	2.4%	8	3.2%	37	3.4%
	Somewhat positive	37	12.8%	60	10.8%	97	11.5%	5	6.1%	13	7.6%	18	7.1%	115	10.5%
	Positive	114	39.4%	170	30.7%	284	33.7%	31	37.8%	57	33.5%	88	34.9%	372	34.0%
	Strongly positive	122	42.2%	278	50.3%	400	47.5%	41	50.0%	92	54.1%	133	52.8%	533	48.7%
	Total	289	100.0%	553	100.0%	842	100.0%	82	100.0%	170	100.0%	252	100.0%	1094	100.0%