



**I. EDUCATIONAL PRACTICES**

1. With regard to your degree program, how frequently did the following experiences occur at Illinois State University?

	<b>Never</b>	<b>Infrequently</b>	<b>Sometimes</b>	<b>Often</b>	<b>Very often</b>
Faculty were accessible outside of class.	<input type="radio"/>				
I was expected or required to work cooperatively with other students on projects, homework, and assignments.	<input type="radio"/>				
Faculty encouraged me to challenge my own ideas, the ideas of other students, and those presented in readings and other course materials.	<input type="radio"/>				
Faculty used appropriate teaching activities to help me learn.	<input type="radio"/>				
Faculty expectations for the quality of student work were high.	<input type="radio"/>				
Faculty provided me with timely feedback on my performance.	<input type="radio"/>				
Faculty emphasized that studying and planning were important to my academic success.	<input type="radio"/>				



**II. EDUCATIONAL EFFECTIVENESS**

2. In your view, how helpful was Illinois State University in your development in the following areas?

	<b>Not helpful</b>	<b>Slightly helpful</b>	<b>Moderately helpful</b>	<b>Very helpful</b>	<b>Extremely helpful</b>
Critical thinking ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sense of ethics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Diversity understanding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Citizenship	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of life (aside from financial benefits)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3. How do you rate the quality of your education relative to that of colleagues who graduated from other institutions?

- Inferior
- Below average
- Average
- Above average
- Superior



**III. MILNER LIBRARY**

4. Please respond to the following questions regarding your satisfaction with Milner Library.

	<b>Very dissatisfied</b>	<b>Dissatisfied</b>	<b>Neutral</b>	<b>Satisfied</b>	<b>Very satisfied</b>
Quality of collections (i.e., books, journals, electronic resources)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality and amount of library instruction related to your major.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality of the library space to meet your needs.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Interactions with library faculty and staff.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Your overall experience at Milner Library.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

5. 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
- Somewhat likely
- Very likely

6. Do you have any comments or suggestions for the library?

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**IV. EDUCATION**

7. Have you enrolled in a college or university since earning your degree at Illinois State University?\*
- Yes, full-time
  - Yes, part-time
  - No
8. Have you earned an additional degree since earning your degree from Illinois State University?\*
- Yes
  - No

Only those who respond 'Yes, full-time' or 'Yes, part-time' to item 7 AND/OR 'Yes' to item 8 are directed to page 5.



9. Since completing your degree at Illinois State University, which of the following additional post-secondary degrees have you earned or are you pursuing?
- Associate's
  - Second Bachelor's
  - Academic Master's (M.A., M.S., M.Ed., etc.)
  - Professional Master's (M.B.A., M.S.W., M.F.A., M.P.A., etc.) or Education Specialist
  - Medicine (M.D., D.O.)
  - Health Professional (dentistry, pharmacy, podiatry, optometry, etc.)
  - Theology/Divinity
  - Law (L.L.B., J.D.)

Doctorate (Ph.D., Ed.D., D.A., D.B.A., etc.)

Other, please specify:

10. In general, how well did your degree at Illinois State University prepare you for your additional degree program?

- Very poorly
- Poorly
- Inadequately
- Adequately
- Well
- Very well

11. If you are in graduate or professional school (or have completed a post-secondary degree), please indicate the name of the college or university you are attending (or attended) and the field of study:

College/university:

Field of study:



**V. EMPLOYMENT**

12. Indicate the time frame between your graduation and acceptance of your first job.

- Held the same job while enrolled
- Accepted before graduation
- Within one month of graduation
- Between one and three months
- Between three and six months
- Between six and nine months
- Between nine and twelve months
- More than twelve months
- Did not seek a job upon graduation

13. How well did your degree program prepare you for your career path?

- Very poorly
- Poorly
- Inadequately
- Adequately
- Well
- Very well

14. How many different employers (companies, firms, agencies, schools; not individual "supervisors") have you had since graduation?

- One
- Two
- Three to six
- More than six

15. Are you currently employed (including self-employed)? \*

- Yes, full-time
- Yes, part-time
- No, but am seeking employment
- No, and am not seeking employment

*Only those who respond 'Yes, full-time' or 'Yes, part-time' to item 15 are directed to page 7.*



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16. How satisfied are you with your current job?

- Very dissatisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Somewhat dissatisfied
- Somewhat satisfied
- Satisfied
- Very satisfied

17. What is the name of your place of employment?

18. Enter the five-digit zip code of your place of employment:

The value must be between 0 and 99999.

19. How would you classify your primary employer?

- Self-employed or private practice
- Business (industrial, commercial, or service)
- Professional firm (e.g., engineering, law)
- College or University
- Elementary/Secondary school (including cooperatives)

Health agency (e.g., hospital, clinic)

Federal, state, or local government

Armed Services

Non-profit (non-government)

Other, please specify:

20. From the list below, please indicate your primary occupation.

21. How closely related is your current job to your degree major?

Closely related

Somewhat related

Unrelated by choice

Unrelated not by choice

22. What is your annual gross income in your current job?





**VII. COMMENTS**

24. What was the strongest aspect of your degree program?

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25. What was the weakest aspect of your degree program?

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26. Additional comments?

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