

Graduating Student Survey College of Education Fall 2022

By the Office of Planning and Assessment

University of Houston-Clear Lake

Summary of the Survey

The purpose of the Graduating Student Survey is to determine the level of satisfaction of students with their recent higher education experience at the University of Houston-Clear Lake (UHCL). In addition, we solicit the student's opinions regarding which areas or issues need improvement to ensure that UHCL maintains the highest quality of instruction and support. Finally, the percentage of students who would recommend UHCL to family or friends is included in the UHCL progress card each year and is on the next page.

We conduct the Graduating Student Surveys in the fall and spring semesters using Qualtrics, a cloud-based software often used to capture a user's experience. The Office of Planning and Assessment sent an invitation on October 24th to all students who applied for graduation during the Fall 2022 semester to complete the survey. The survey was active through December 12th, 2022. You'll find the data grouped by college, degree level, gender, ethnicity, and program. The following pages summarize data collected in the Graduating Student Survey Fall 2022 by UHCL on the College of Education.

The final reports are posted online at:

<https://www.uhcl.edu/about/administrative-offices/institutional-research/survey-data>

College of Education

Demographics

Respondents:

200 graduating COE students were invited to participate. During this collection period, 83 students started the survey. The response rate for this survey is 41.5%.

Spring	2022	37.7%
Fall	2021	44.4%
Spring	2021	27.1%
Fall	2020	Not Captured
Spring	2020	23.7%
Fall	2019	39.5%
Spring	2019	27.0%

Ethnicity:

American Indian or Alaskan Native	1.2%	1
Asian	1.2%	1
Black	13.2%	13
Hispanic	42.2%	35
International	0.0%	0
Multi-racial	3.6%	3
White	27.7%	23
Other	0.0%	0
No Response	10.8%	9

Gender:

Female	80.7%	67
Male	7.2%	6
Other	1.2%	1
No Response	10.8%	9

Citizenship:

International	1.2%	1
U.S. Citizen	83.1%	69
U.S. Resident (Green Card)	3.6%	3
No Response	12.0%	10

**College of Education
Overall Satisfaction**

“Looking back, how would you evaluate the overall education you received from UHCL?”

Excellent	60.2%	50
Good	25.3%	21
Fair	2.4%	2
Poor	0.0%	0
No Response	12.0%	10

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

Yes	80.7%	67
No	8.4%	7
No Response	10.8%	9

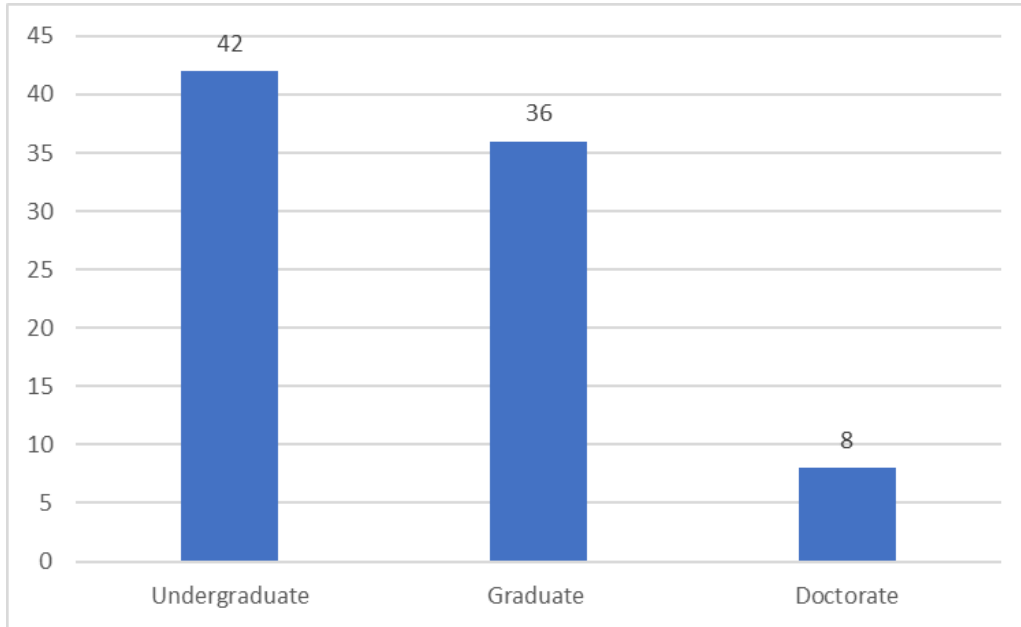
“Would you still choose the same program of study?”

Yes	68.6%	57
No	8.4%	7
Not sure	12.0%	10
No Response	10.8%	9

“Will you recommend UHCL to friends and family considering college?”

Yes	87.9%	73
No	0.0%	0
No Response	12.0%	10

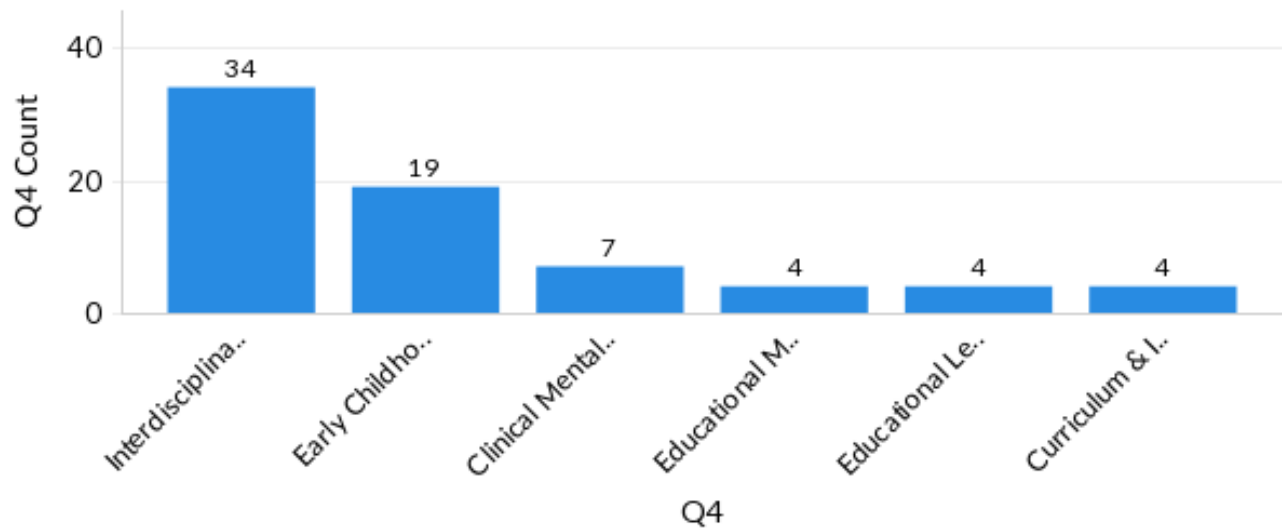
What will be your degree level?



Degree	# Responses	Percentage
Undergraduate	42	48.8%
Graduate	36	41.8%
Doctorate	8	9.3%
Grand Total	86	

What is your primary degree program in the College of Education?

Top 5



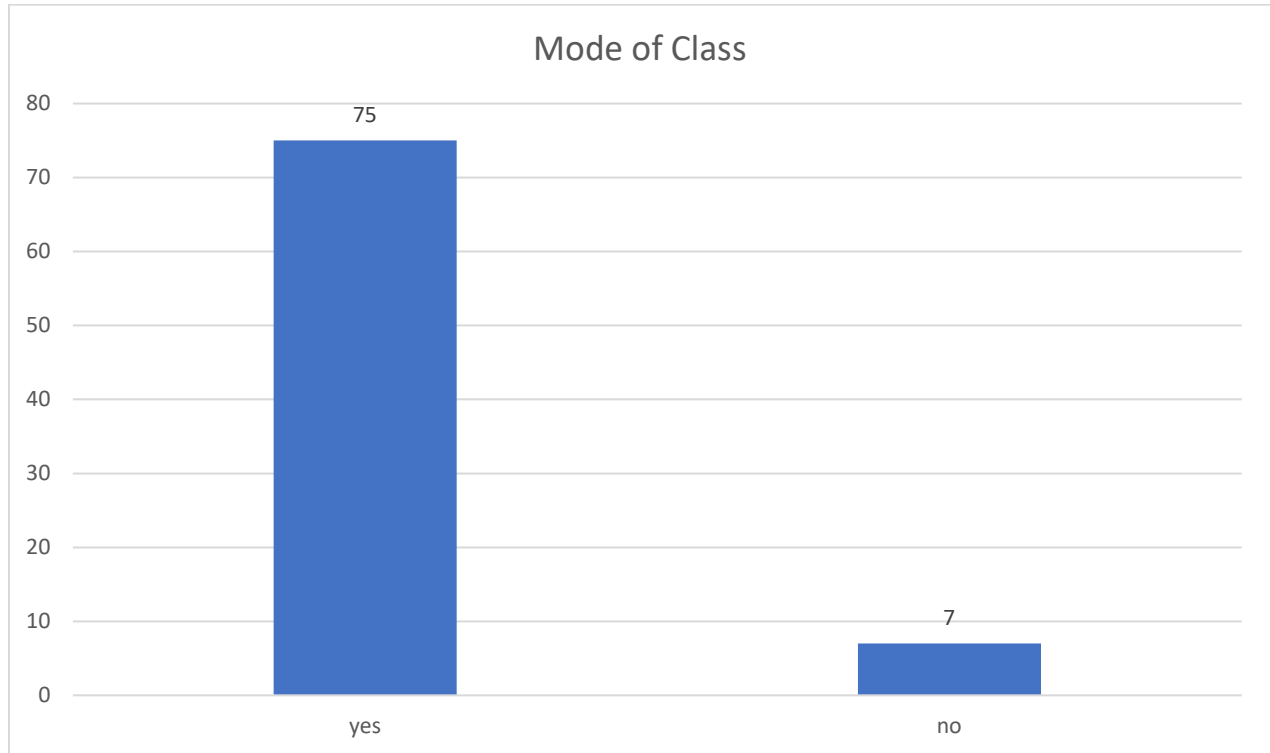
Degree	# Responses	Percentage
Interdisciplinary Studies	34	41.0
Early Childhood Education	19	22.9
Clinical mental Health Counseling	7	8.4
Educational Management	4	4.8
Educational Leadership	4	4.8
Curriculum & Instruction	4	4.8
Early Childhood care and Education	3	3.6
School Library & Information Science	2	2.4
Reading	2	2.4
Multicultural Studies in Education	1	1.2
Masters of Arts in Teaching	1	1.2
Instructional Design and Technology	1	1.2
Counseling	1	1.2

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



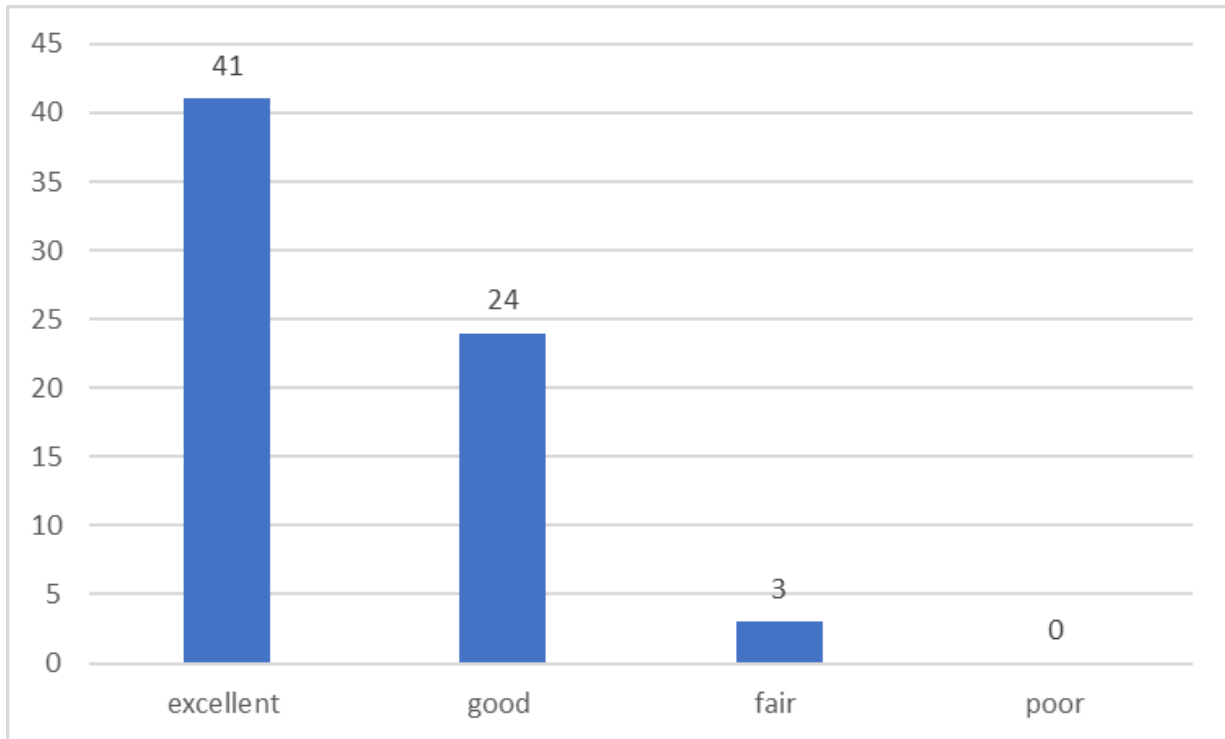
Response	Count	Percentage
Yes	39	47.5
No	43	52.4
Grand Total	82	

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



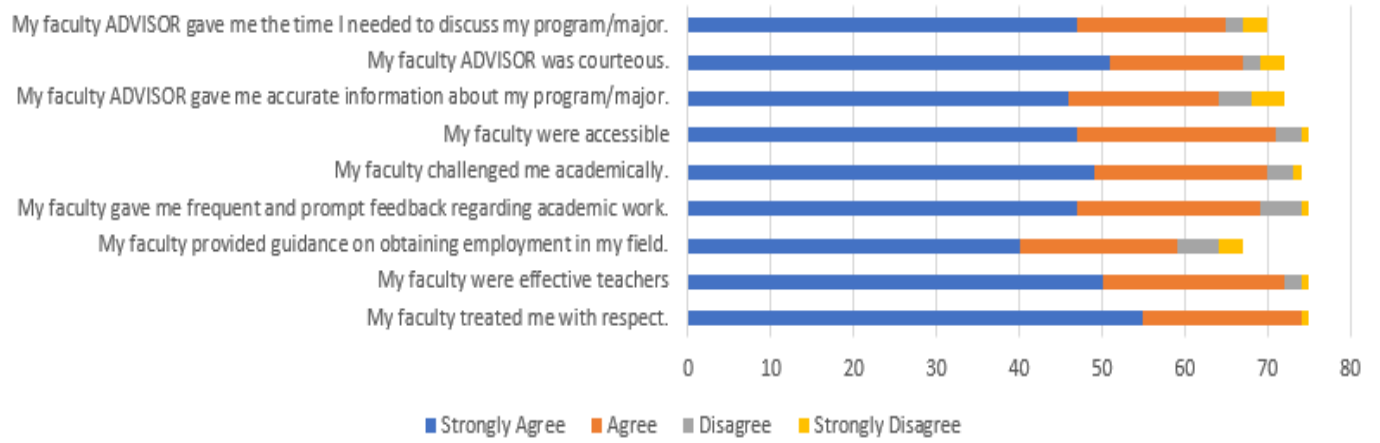
Response	Count	Percentage
Yes	75	91.4%
No	7	8.5%
Grand Total	82	

While attending UHCL, if you did take any web-based or internet courses at UHCL, how would you rate your overall experience using that format?

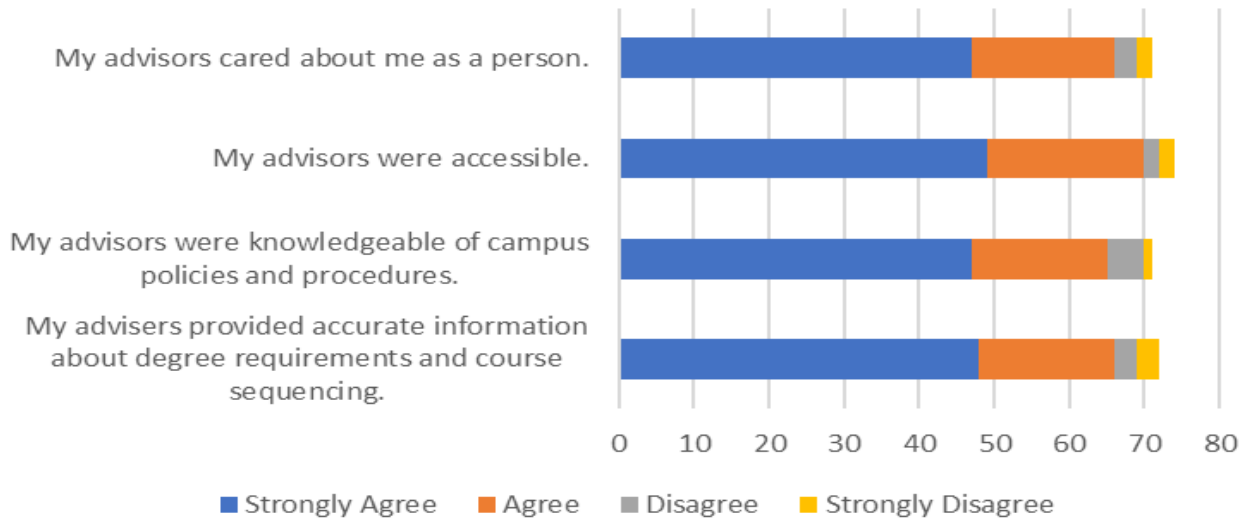


Response	Count	Percentage
Excellent	41	60.2%
Good	24	35.2%
Fair	3	4.4%
poor	0	0.0%
Grand Total	68	

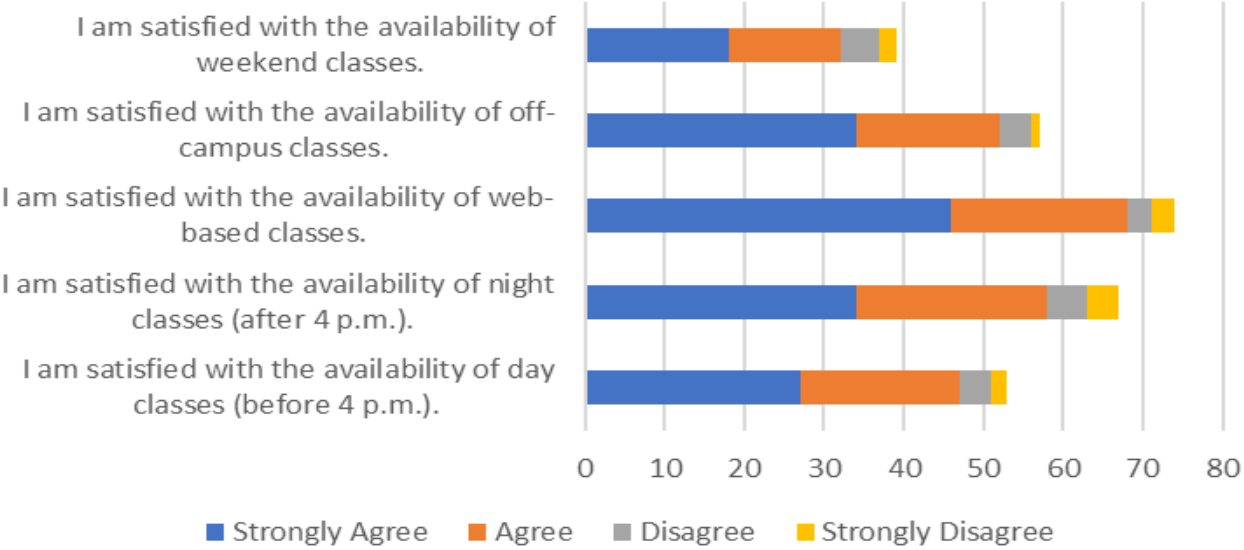
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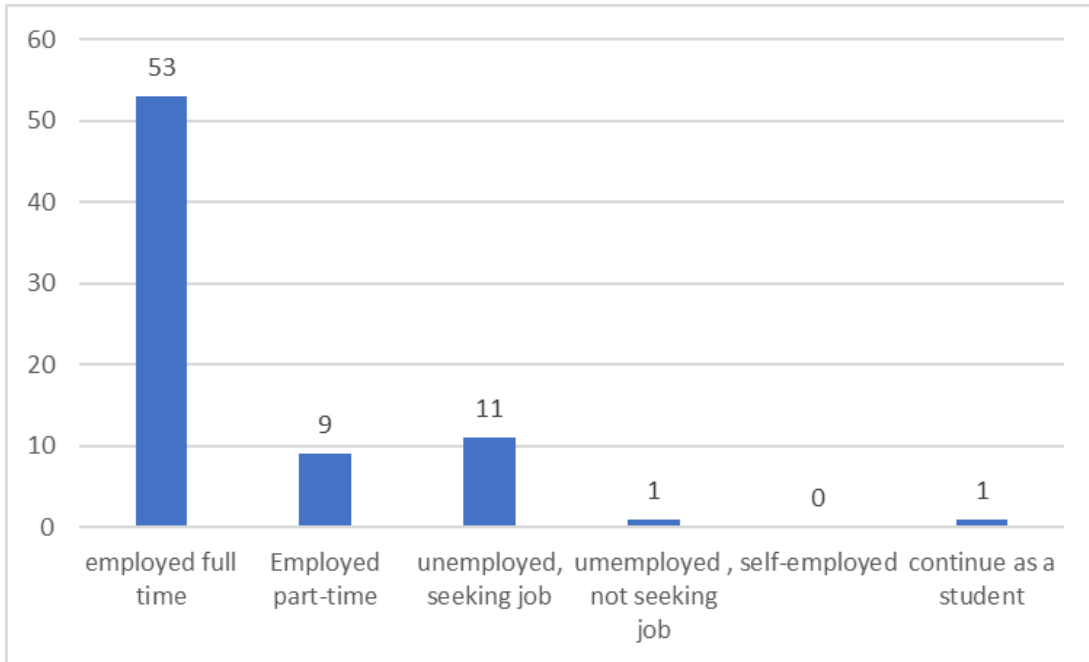
Academic Advising



Class Availability

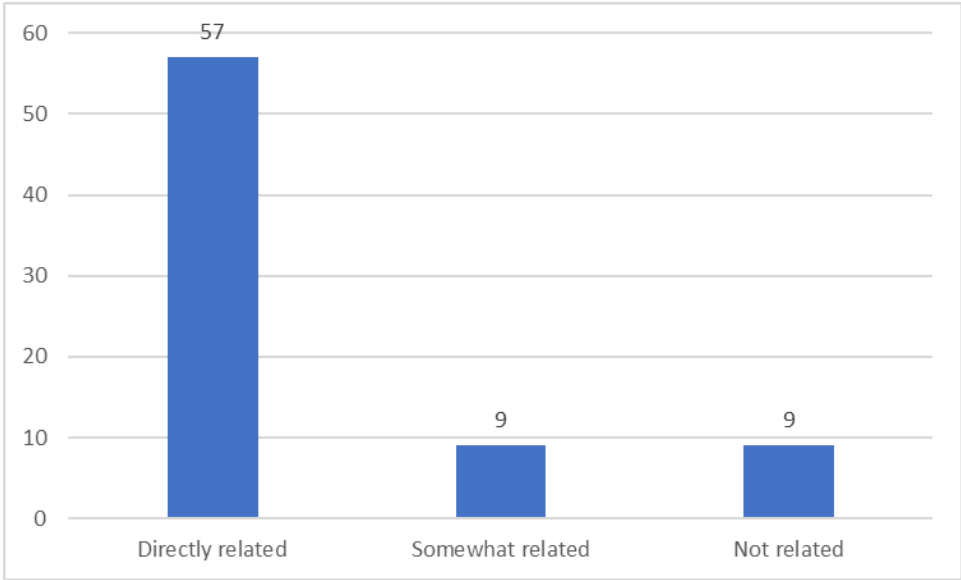


What is your current status?



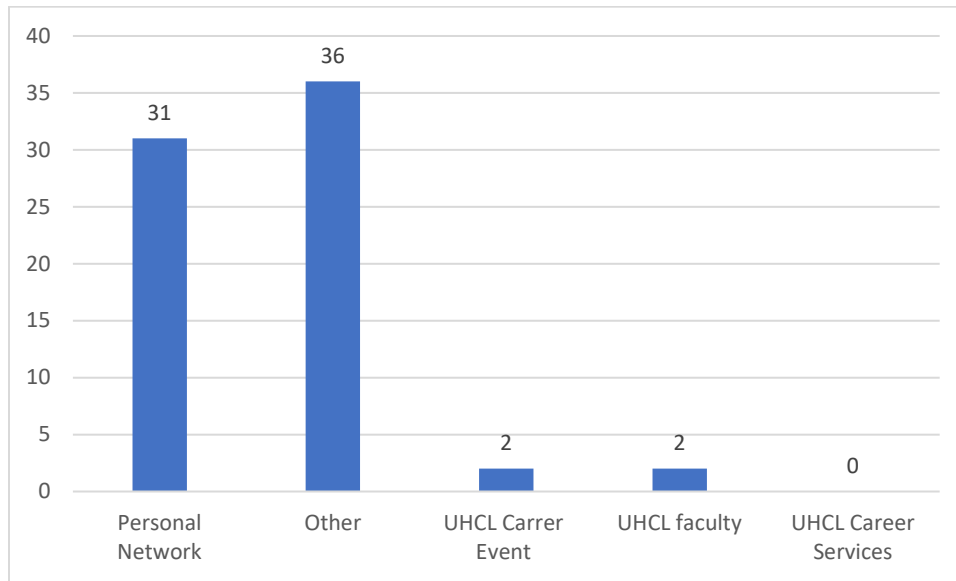
Status	Count	Percentage
Employed full-time	53	70.6
Employed part-time	9	12.0
Unemployed, seeking work	11	14.6
Unemployed, not seeking employment	1	1.3
Continuing as a full-time student after graduation	1	1.3
Self-employed	0	0.0
Total	75	

To what extent is your employment related to your major or area of study at UHCL?



Related	Count	Percentage
Directly related	57	76
Somewhat related	9	12
Not related	9	12
Total	75	

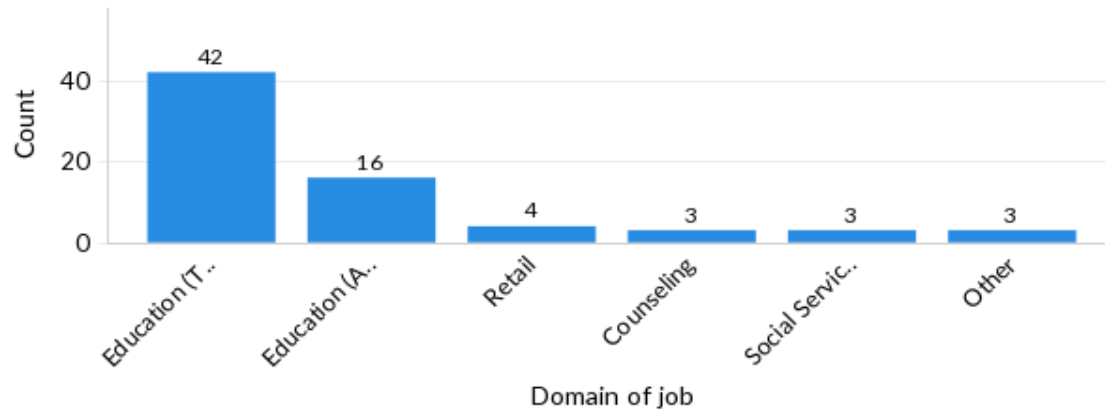
How did you find your position?



Source	Count	Percentage
Personal Network	31	43.6
Other	36	50.7
UHCL Career Event- Job fair, Networking Reception or Employer Spotlight	2	2.8
UHCL Faculty/Staff	2	2.8
UHCL Career Services	0	0.0

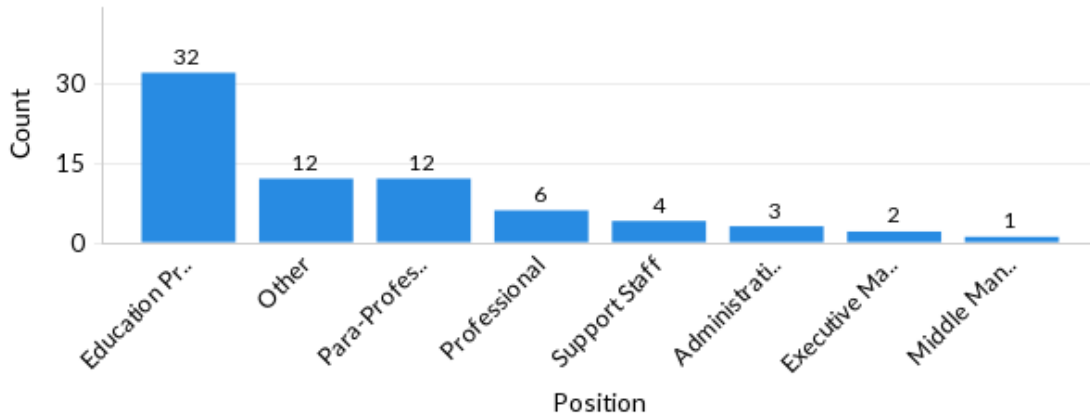
Which industry best describes your current place of employment?

Top 5



Industry	Count	Percentage
Education (Teaching)	42	57.5
Education (Admin/staff)	16	21.9
Retail	4	5.4
Counseling	3	4.1
Social Services	3	4.1
Other	3	4.1
Human Resources	1	1.3
Manufacturing	1	1.3

What best describes your current professional position?



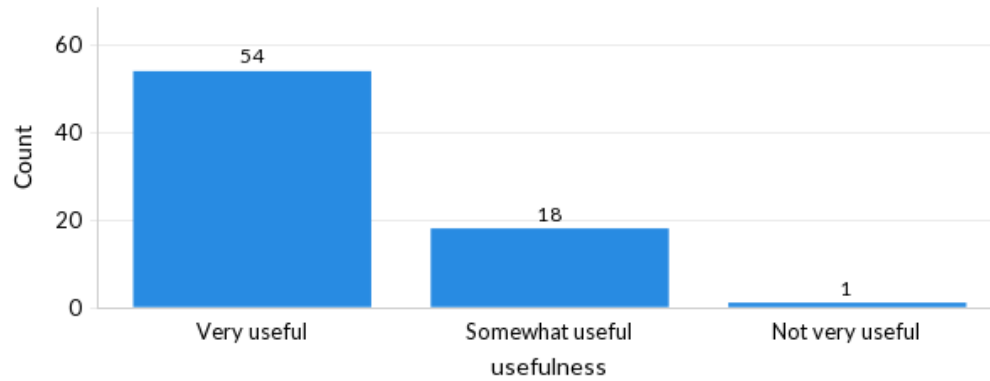
Position	Count	Percentage
Education Professional/Teacher	32	44.4
Other	12	16.6
Para-Professional	12	16.6
Professional	6	8.3
Support Staff	4	5.5
Administrative	3	4.1
Executive Management	2	2.7
Middle Management	1	1.3

What is your current yearly salary range?



Salary	Count	Percentage
Less than \$14,999	16	22.8
\$15,000 - \$24,999	5	7.1
\$25,000 - \$34,999	9	12.8
\$35,000 - \$49,999	18	25.7
\$50,000 - \$74,999	15	21.4
\$75,000 - \$99,999	7	10.0

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



Row Labels	Count	Percentage
Very Useful	54	72.9
Somewhat useful	18	24.3
Not very useful	1	1.3
Other	1	1.3

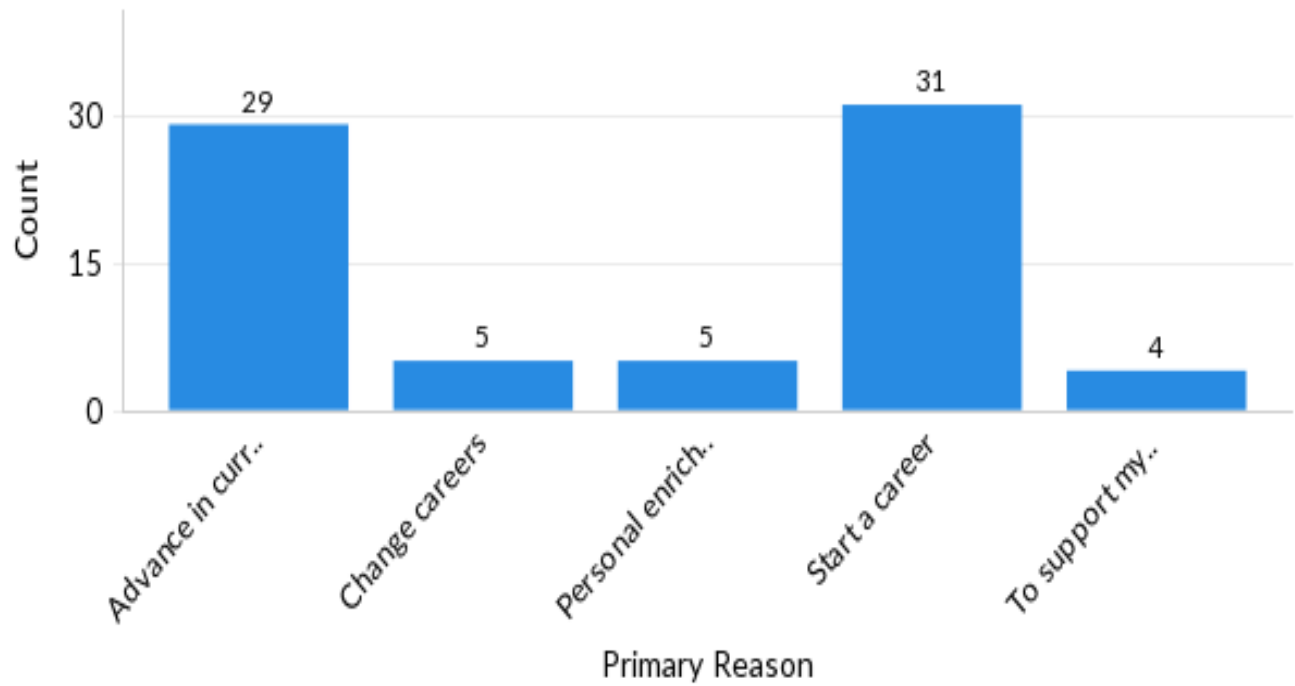
If you have plans for additional education, where are you planning to attend?

No Response

If you plan to continue your education, what is the highest degree you plan to earn?

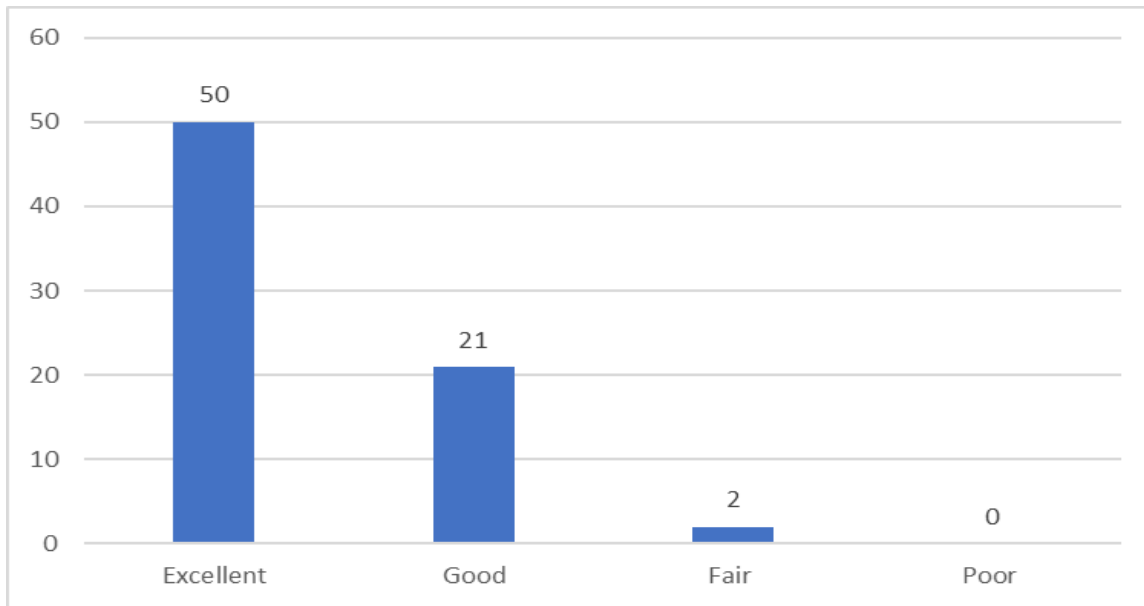
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What was your primary reason for obtaining a degree?



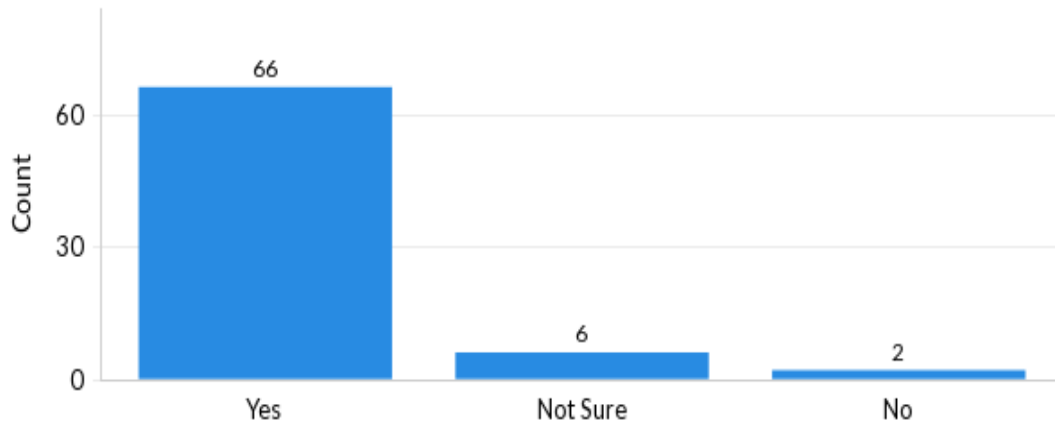
Reason	Count	Percentage
Advance in current career	29	39.1
Change Career	5	6.7
Personal Enrichment	5	6.7
Start a career	31	41.8
To support myself	4	5.4

Looking back, how would you evaluate your overall experience?



Review	Count	Percentage
Excellent	50	68.4
Good	21	28.7
Fair	2	2.7
Poor	0	0

Would you still choose to attend UHCL?



Preference	Count	Percentage
Yes	66	89.1
No	6	8.1
Not sure	2	2.7

End of Report