

# 2012-2013 SENIOR SURVEY COLLEGE OF EDUCATION SURVEY REPORT

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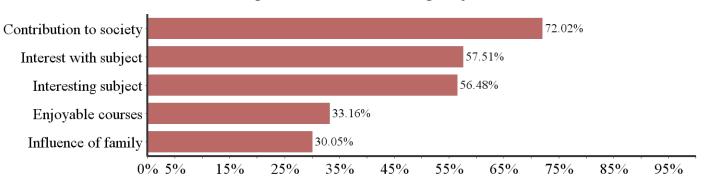
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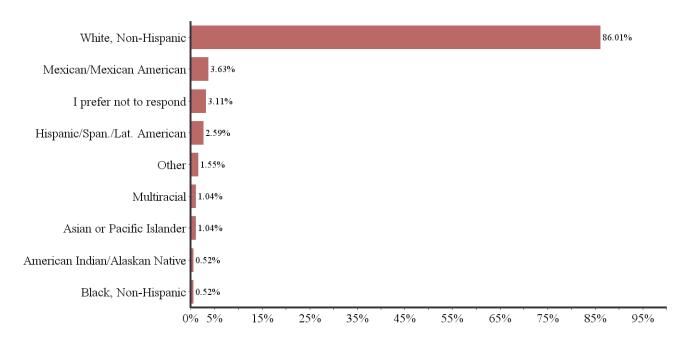
#### Introduction

- In the College of Education, there were 193 responses.
- 99% reported that they had a *positive* (21%) or *very positive* (78%) attitude toward K-State.
- 99% indicated that they definitely (78%) or probably (21%) would recommend K-State to others.
- 81% were female, while 19% were male.
- 98% reported that they were U.S. citizens.
- 81% reported that they were involved in volunteer work during their K-State career
- 0% reported that their plans after graduation were to engage in volunteer service (Peace Corps, Americorp, etc.).



**Top 5 Reasons for Choosing Major** 

#### Ethnicity/Race of Respondents



#### K-State 2025 Thematic Goal I

#### Research, Scholarly, and Creative Activities, and Discovery

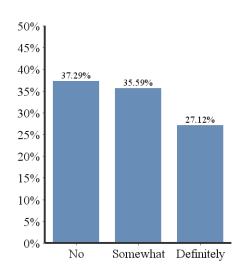
60 respondents (32%) reported that they were involved in a research or creative endeavor. Of those respondents...

- 73% reported being involved for 1 semester
- 19% reported being involved for 2 semesters
- 8% reported being involved for 3 semesters
- 0% reported being involved for 4 semesters
- **0%** reported being involved for 5 semesters

## What types of dissemination of your undergraduate research/creative endeavor did you successfully achieve?

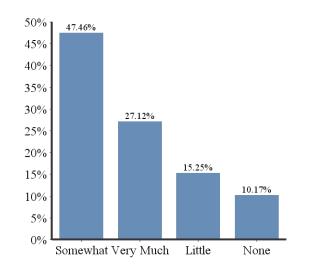
# Class presentation Public performance/exhibition on campus Research seminar presentation Oral presentation outside campus Peer reviewed publication Public exhibition outside campus 6.78% Poster at a conference outside of campus 0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%

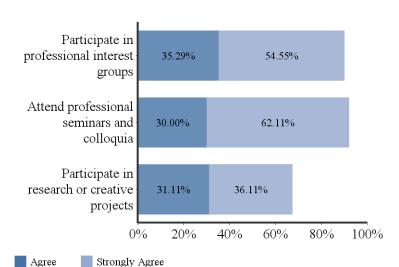
## Did your undergraduate research/creative endeavor contribute to your career choice?



# To what extent do you feel the undergraduate research/creative endeavor experience contributed to your undergraduate academic success?

#### Students in my major are encouraged to:



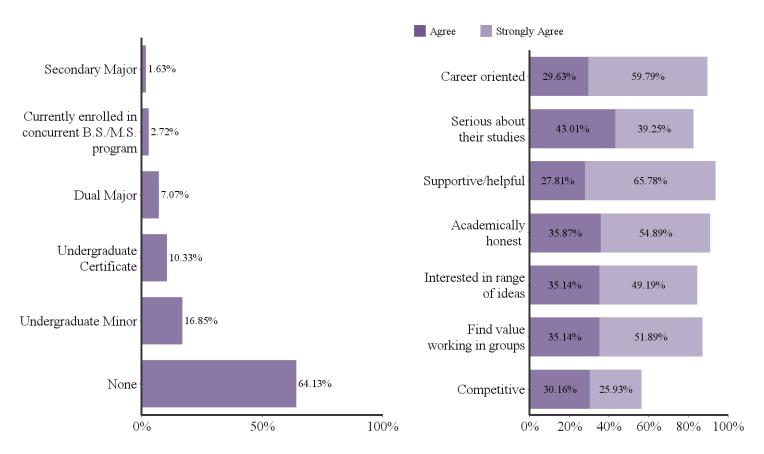


### K-State 2025 Thematic Goal II Undergraduate Educational Experience

- **86%** reported that they *strongly agreed* (51%) or *agreed* (35%) that their majors were academically stimulating.
- 83% reported that they felt a sense of belonging among students, student groups, and activities.
- **84%** reported that they felt a *moderate* to *strong emphasis* on the development of academic, scholarly, and intellectual qualities.
- 82% reported that they felt a *moderate* to *strong* emphasis on the development of being able to be critical, evaluative, and analytical.
- 83% reported that they felt a *moderate* to *strong* emphasis on the personal relevance and practical value of their courses.
- 82% reported that they felt a *moderate* to *strong* emphasis on the development of vocational and occupational competence.
- **68%** reported that they felt a *moderate* to *strong* emphasis on the development of aesthetic, expressive, and creative qualities.

#### Did you also graduate with any of the following?

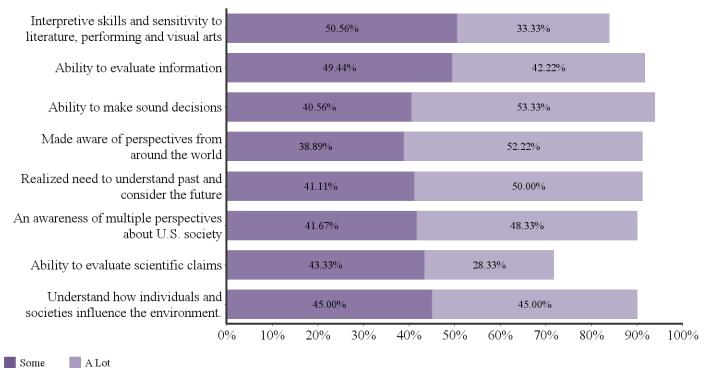
#### Students in my major are:



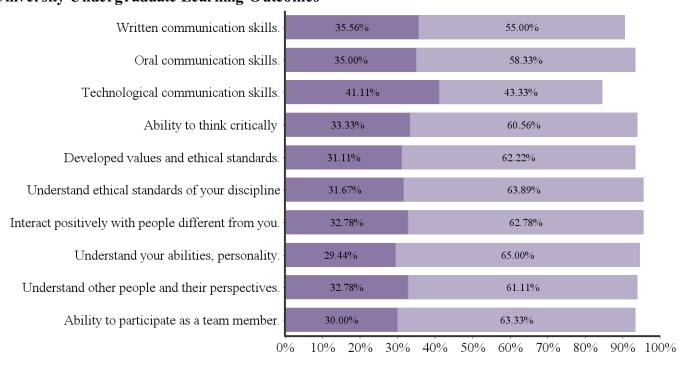
#### Progress made in each of the following areas as a result of K-State experience:

53% reported that they felt they made *a lot* of progress in **gaining a broad general education about different** fields of **knowledge**, and 44% reported that they felt they made *some* progress. This is an area of both the K-State 8 outcomes and the University Undergraduate outcomes.

#### **K-State 8 General Education Outcomes**



#### **University Undergraduate Learning Outcomes**



# K-State 2025 Thematic Goal V Faculty and Staff

- **84%** reported that they *strongly agreed* (44%) or *agreed* (40%) that students in their major were encouraged to become personally acquainted with the department's faculty.
- When asked about relationships with faculty, 88% of respondents reported that faculty are approachable, understanding, and helpful. 59% reported the same for academic advisors, and 46% felt the graduate teaching assistants were helpful.

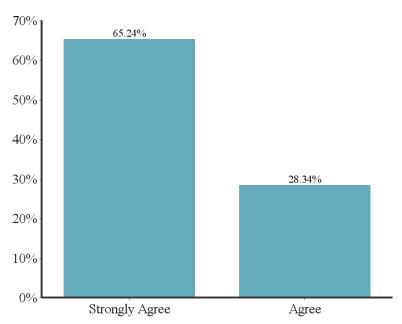
# How often did you interact with faculty outside of class time?

# 70% | 65% | 61.38% | 60% | 55% | 45% | 45% | 35% | 25% | 20% | 19.05% | 18.52%

1.06%

Never

# I found my major to be characterized by mutual respect between undergraduates and professors.



#### In my major, faculty/staff:

Rarely

Often

Occasionally

15% 10%

5%

