

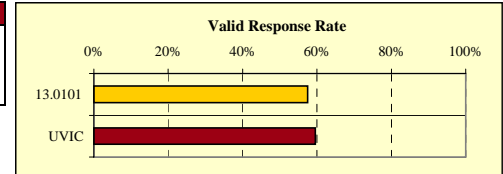
# B.C. University Student Outcomes 2005 Survey of 2000 Baccalaureate Graduates

Detailed Summary of Survey Results  
University of Victoria  
6 Digit CIP: 13.0101: Education, General

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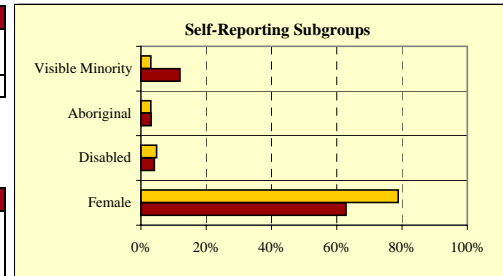
## RESPONSE RATE

1. Survey Response Rate:	13.0101		UVIC	
2000 Baccalaureate Graduates Survey Cohort	317		2,974	
Net Frame	287		2,661	
Survey Respondents and Valid Response Rate	165	57%	1,584	60%



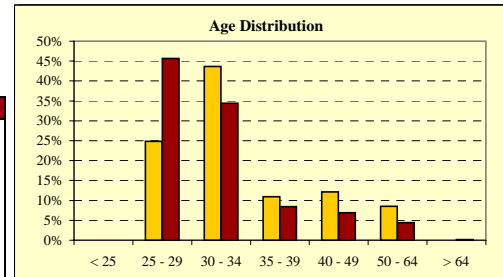
## DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2. Gender:	13.0101		UVIC	
Male	35	21%	588	37%
Female	130	79%	996	63%
Total	165	100%	1,584	100%

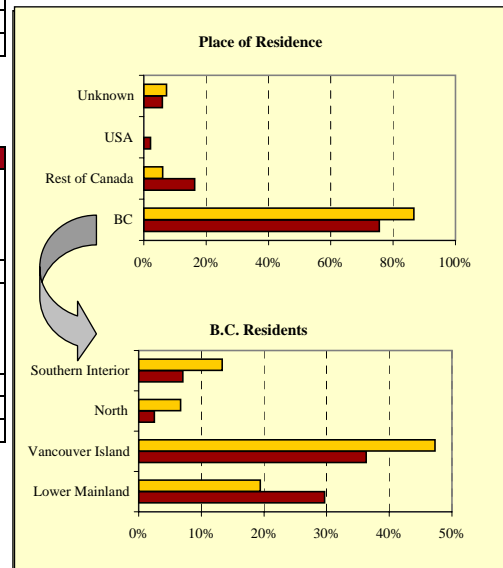


3. Self-Reporting Subgroups:	13.0101		UVIC	
Disabled	8	5%	65	4%
Aboriginal	5	3%	49	3%
Visible Minority	5	3%	189	12%

4. Age (at time of survey):	13.0101		UVIC	
< 25	-	0%	-	0%
25 to 29	41	25%	723	46%
30 to 34	72	44%	545	34%
35 to 39	18	11%	134	8%
40 to 49	20	12%	109	7%
50 to 64	14	8%	70	4%
> 64	-	0%	3	0%
Unknown	-	0%	-	0%
Total	165	100%	1,584	100%
Mean Age:	34.5		32.3	

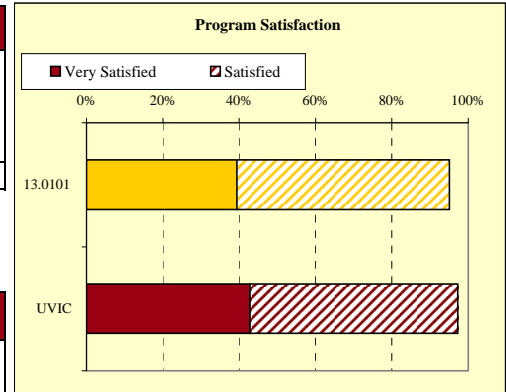


5. Place of Residence (at time of survey):	13.0101		UVIC	
BC - Lower Mainland	32	19%	470	30%
BC - Vancouver Island	78	47%	575	36%
BC - North	11	7%	40	3%
BC - Southern Interior	22	13%	112	7%
BC Subtotal	143	87%	1,197	76%
Canada - Alberta	8	5%	115	7%
Canada - Ontario	-	0%	90	6%
Canada - Other	2	1%	54	3%
U.S.A.	-	0%	34	2%
Non-BC Subtotal	10	6%	293	18%
Unknown	12	7%	94	6%
Total	165	100%	1,584	100%

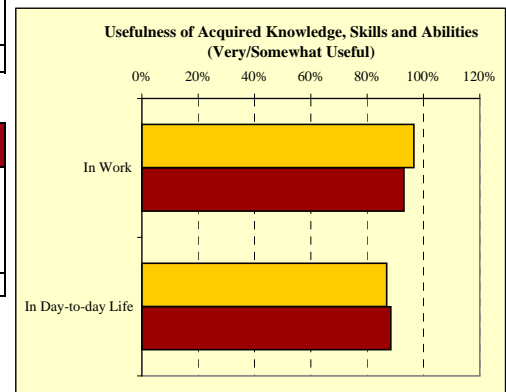


**EDUCATION EVALUATION**

8. Program Satisfaction:	13.0101		UVIC	
Very Satisfied	65	39%	678	43%
Satisfied	92	56%	862	54%
Dissatisfied	8	5%	34	2%
Very Dissatisfied	-	0%	8	1%
Total	165	100%	1,582	100%

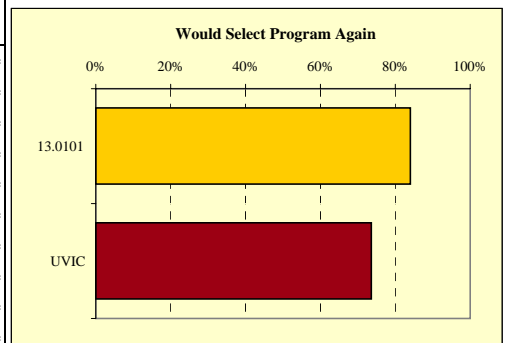


6. Usefulness of Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities Acquired at University in Work:	13.0101		UVIC	
Very Useful	80	55%	713	52%
Somewhat Useful	61	42%	553	41%
Not Very Useful	4	3%	73	5%
Not at All Useful	1	1%	21	2%
Total	146	100%	1,360	100%



7. Usefulness of Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities Acquired at University in Day-to-day Life:	13.0101		UVIC	
Very Useful	44	30%	505	37%
Somewhat Useful	83	57%	695	51%
Not Very Useful	16	11%	130	10%
Not at All Useful	3	2%	28	2%
Total	146	100%	1,358	100%

9. Would you select the same program again?	13.0101		UVIC	
Yes	131	84%	1,111	74%
No, because . . . (multiple response question)	25		399	
. . . interests have changed	5	17%*	138	27%*
. . . courses were not practical	3	10%*	76	15%*
. . . little or no career opportunities	13	43%*	169	33%*
. . . not enough course variety	1	3%*	5	1%*
. . . skills acquired were not very useful	1	3%*	25	5%*
. . . courses were poorly taught	2	7%*	13	3%*
. . . program was too general	2	7%*	63	12%*
. . . did not agree with grading system	-	0%*	3	1%*
. . . did not like institution	-	0%*	7	1%*
. . . other	3	10%*	19	4%*

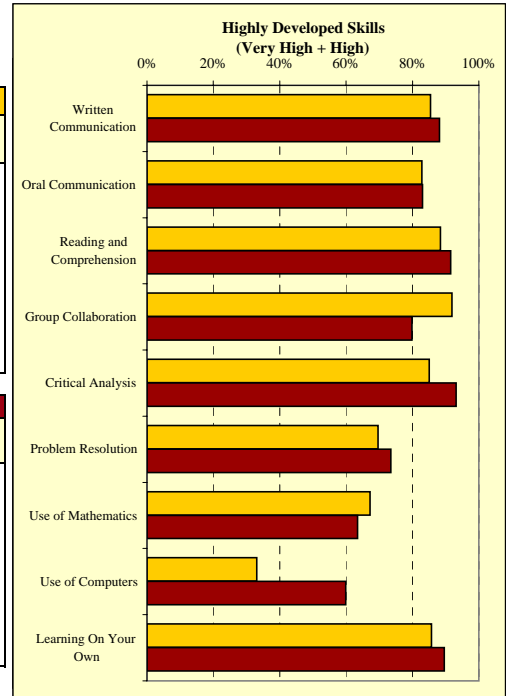


\* Percent of total responses, among those who would not take program again

**SKILL DEVELOPMENT**

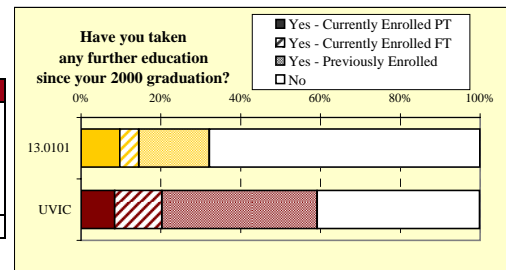
14a. To what degree did university help you develop the following skills?	13.0101				
	Very High	High	Low	Very Low	# Resp.
Written Communication	22%	64%	14%	1%	158
Oral Communication	22%	61%	17%	0%	163
Reading and Comprehension	17%	71%	11%	1%	156
Group Collaboration	35%	57%	8%	0%	160
Critical Analysis	20%	65%	14%	1%	161
Problem Resolution	11%	58%	29%	1%	158
Use of Mathematics Appropriate to Field	11%	56%	27%	6%	131
Use of Computers Appropriate to Field	6%	27%	54%	13%	151
Learning On Your Own	19%	67%	14%	1%	154

14b. To what degree did university help you develop the following skills?	UVIC				
	Very High	High	Low	Very Low	# Resp.
Written Communication	30%	58%	11%	1%	1,549
Oral Communication	22%	61%	16%	1%	1,547
Reading and Comprehension	32%	60%	8%	0%	1,528
Group Collaboration	25%	55%	19%	1%	1,497
Critical Analysis	39%	54%	6%	0%	1,569
Problem Resolution	15%	58%	25%	1%	1,513
Use of Mathematics Appropriate to Field	16%	48%	30%	7%	1,139
Use of Computers Appropriate to Field	15%	44%	35%	6%	1,354
Learning On Your Own	31%	58%	10%	1%	1,539

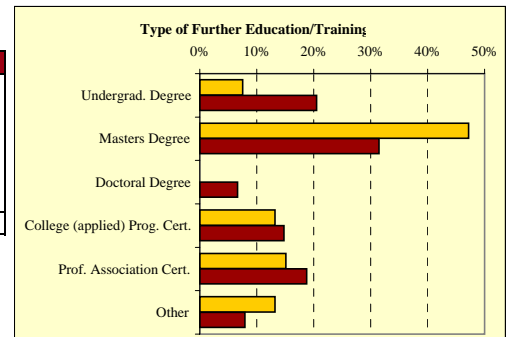


**FURTHER EDUCATION**

15. Took further formal education since 2000 graduation	13.0101	UVIC
Yes:	53	938
Not currently enrolled	29	616
Currently enrolled full-time	8	187
Currently enrolled part-time	16	134
No	112	646
Total	165	1,584



16. Type of Formal Post-Secondary Education	13.0101	UVIC
Undergraduate Degree	4	189
Masters Degree	25	290
Doctoral Degree	-	61
College (applied) Program Certification	7	136
Professional Association Certification	8	173
Other	7	73
Total Respondents	64	922

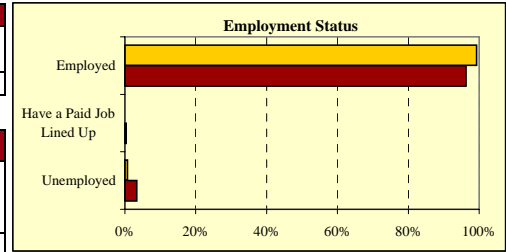


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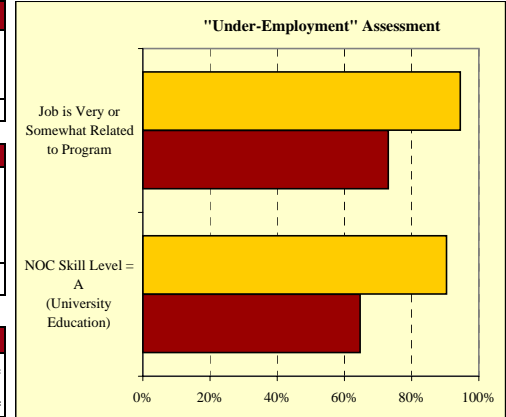
**EMPLOYMENT**

17. Labour Force Status:	13.0101	UVIC
In Labour Force (working or seeking work)	147 89%	1,414 89%
Not in Labour Force	18 11%	168 11%
Grand Total	165 100%	1,582 100%



18. Employment Status of those IN Labour Force:	13.0101	UVIC
Employed	146 99%	1,362 96%
Have a Paid Job Lined Up	- 0%	5 0%
Unemployed	1 1%	47 3%
Total Labour Force	147 100%	1,414 100%

19. Status of Graduates NOT in Labour Force:	13.0101	UVIC
Attending School FT	2 11%	82 49%
Attending School PT	1 6%	7 4%
Other	15 83%	79 47%
Total NOT in Labour Force	18 100%	168 100%

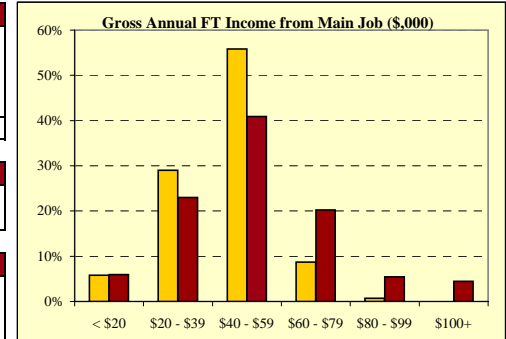


20. Employment Type:	13.0101	UVIC
Paid worker	135 92%	1,170 86%
Self-employed	4 3%	111 8%
Both a paid worker and self-employed	7 5%	80 6%
Total Employed	146 100%	1,362 100%

21. Job Characteristics:	13.0101	UVIC
I hold more than one job	25 17%*	180 13%*
My main job is full-time (>= 30 hours per week)	109 77%**	1,161 87%**

\* of total employed      \*\* of those who provided data on hours/week worked

22. How related is your main job to your program?	13.0101	UVIC
Very Related	113 77%	554 41%
Somewhat Related	25 17%	439 32%
Not Very Related	2 1%	164 12%
Not At All Related	6 4%	202 15%
Total	146 100%	1,359 100%



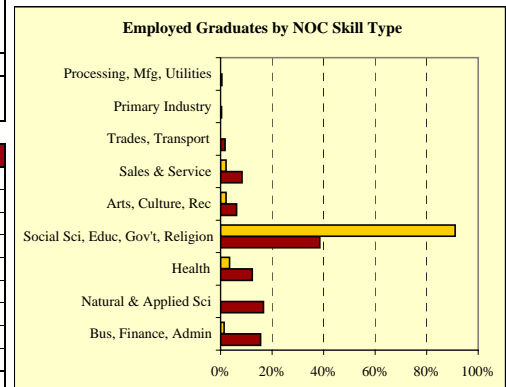
23. "Under-employment" Assessment:	13.0101	UVIC
Job is very or somewhat related to program	138 95%	993 73%
NOC Skill Level = A (University Education)	132 90%	877 65%

\* of total valid responses

24. Gross Annual Income from Main Job:*	13.0101	UVIC
Less than \$20,000	8 6%	74 6%
\$20,000 to \$39,999	40 29%	288 23%
\$40,000 to \$59,999	77 56%	512 41%
\$60,000 to \$79,999	12 9%	253 20%
\$80,000 to \$99,999	1 1%	68 5%
\$100,000 and Above	- 0%	56 4%
Total	138 100%	1,251 100%
Median Annual Income (full-time)	\$45,000	\$50,000
Average Annual Income (full-time)	\$45,917	\$55,364

\* where data provided

25. NOC Skill Type of Main Job:	13.0101	UVIC
Business, Finance and Administration	2 1%	208 15%
Natural and Applied Sciences and Related	- 0%	223 17%
Health	5 3%	165 12%
Social Sciences, Educ., Gov't Services, Religion	133 91%	518 39%
Arts, Culture, Recreation and Sport	3 2%	83 6%
Sales and Service	3 2%	111 8%
Trades, Transport and Eqp. Operators and Related	- 0%	24 2%
Unique to the Primary Industry	- 0%	5 0%
Unique to Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities	- 0%	6 0%
Total	146 100%	1,343 100%

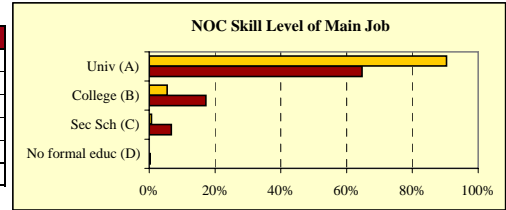


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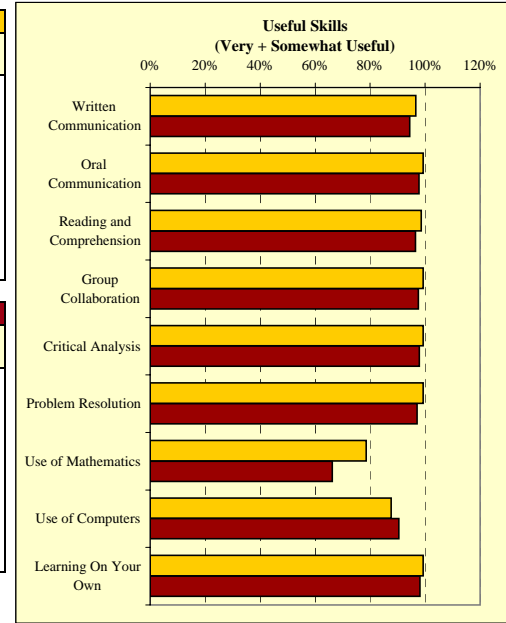
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**EMPLOYMENT, continued**

26. NOC Skill Level of Main Job:	13.0101	UVIC
A. University education	132	90%
B. College education/trade apprenticeship	8	5%
C. Secondary school + job-specific training	1	1%
D. No formal education	-	0%
No skill level assigned (management)	5	3%
Total	146	100%



27a. How useful are the following skills and abilities in doing your main job?	13.0101				# Resp.
	Very Useful	Somewhat Useful	Not Very Useful	Not at all Useful	
Written Communication	79%	18%	3%	0%	146
Oral Communication	92%	8%	1%	0%	146
Reading and Comprehension	86%	12%	1%	0%	146
Group Collaboration	91%	8%	0%	1%	146
Critical Analysis	79%	20%	1%	0%	146
Problem Resolution	92%	8%	1%	0%	146
Use of Mathematics Appropriate to Field	41%	37%	11%	10%	145
Use of Computers Appropriate to Field	45%	42%	9%	3%	146
Learning On Your Own	82%	18%	0%	1%	146



27b. How useful are the following skills and abilities in doing your main job?	UVIC				# Resp.
	Very Useful	Somewhat Useful	Not Very Useful	Not at all Useful	
Written Communication	78%	17%	4%	1%	1,361
Oral Communication	86%	11%	2%	1%	1,362
Reading and Comprehension	79%	18%	3%	0%	1,361
Group Collaboration	84%	14%	2%	1%	1,361
Critical Analysis	82%	16%	2%	0%	1,361
Problem Resolution	81%	16%	2%	1%	1,361
Use of Mathematics Appropriate to Field	29%	37%	16%	18%	1,351
Use of Computers Appropriate to Field	62%	28%	5%	4%	1,359
Learning On Your Own	76%	22%	1%	1%	1,360

28a. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of 13.0101 Graduates:					13.0101
NOC	NOC	Skill Level	Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten	Teacher	37.0%	\$45,000
4141	A	Secondary School	Teachers	28.8%	\$45,000
0313	N/A	Administrators of Elem/Sec	Education	2.7%	\$72,000
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\*\*percentages cited are of those for whom occupational data was provided, full-time and part-time

28b. Top 10 Full-time Occupations of Graduates from University of Victoria:					UVIC
NOC	NOC	Skill Level	Description	% Employed FT in this Occ.**	Median FT Salary
4141	A	Secondary School	Teachers	6.2%	\$44,100
3152	A	Registered Nurses		5.2%	\$60,000
4142	A	Elem & Kindergarten	Teacher	5.1%	\$44,000
4112	A	Lawyers & Quebec Notaries		3.9%	\$75,000
4152	A	Social Workers		2.9%	\$54,500
2133	A	Electrical & Electronics Engineers		1.8%	\$65,000
2173	A	Software Engineers		1.7%	\$63,000
4165	A	Health Policy Researchers		1.6%	\$55,000
1111	A	Financial Auditors & Acnts		1.5%	\$45,000
2174	A	Computer Programmers/Interactive Media Developers		1.4%	\$60,000

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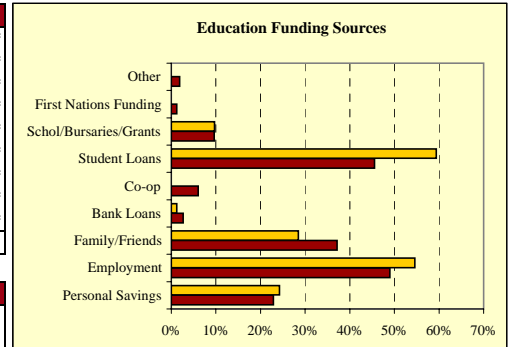
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**EDUCATION FINANCING**

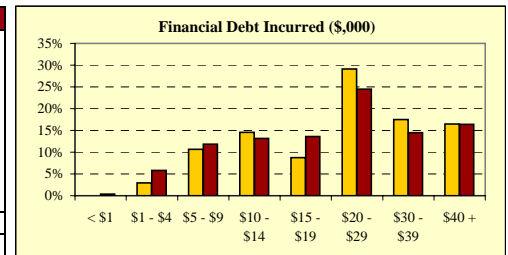
29. Education Funding Sources (2 sources per respondent):	13.0101		UVIC	
Personal Savings	40	24%*	362	23%*
Employment	90	55%*	776	49%*
Family/Friends	47	28%*	588	37%*
Bank Loans	2	1%*	42	3%*
Student Loans	98	59%*	721	46%*
Scholarships/Bursaries/Grants	16	10%*	152	10%*
Co-op	-	0%*	95	6%*
First Nations Funding	-	0%*	19	1%*
Other	-	0%*	29	2%*
<b>Total Respondents</b>	<b>165</b>		<b>1,584</b>	

\* Percentage of respondents who identified this source



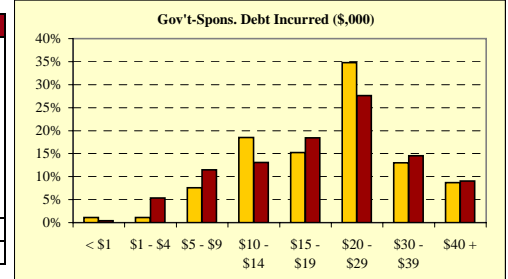
30. Financial Debt Incurred to Finance Univ. Education:	13.0101		UVIC	
Incurred any form of financial debt	103	62%*	830	52%
Incurred government-sponsored student loan debt	92	56%*	742	47%

\* Percentage of respondents who provided data



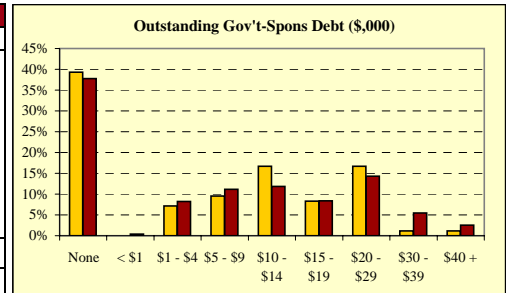
31. Financial Debt Amount:*	13.0101		UVIC	
< \$1,000	-	0%	3	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	3	3%	48	6%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	11	11%	98	12%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	15	15%	109	13%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	9	9%	113	14%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	30	29%	203	24%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	18	17%	120	14%
\$40,000 or More	17	17%	136	16%
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Median Financial Debt</b>	<b>\$25,000</b>		<b>\$20,000</b>	

\*includes only cases where financial debt was incurred



32. Government-Sponsored Student Loan Debt Amount:*	13.0101		UVIC	
< \$1,000	1	1%	3	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	1	1%	40	5%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	7	8%	85	11%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	17	18%	97	13%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	14	15%	137	18%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	32	35%	205	28%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	12	13%	108	15%
\$40,000 or More	8	9%	67	9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>742</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Median Gov't-Sponsored Student Loan Debt</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>		<b>\$20,000</b>	

\*includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred



33. Outstanding Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Amount:*	13.0101		UVIC	
None - Loan repaid in full	33	39%	271	38%
< \$1,000	-	0%	3	0%
\$1,000 to \$4,999	6	7%	59	8%
\$5,000 to \$9,999	8	10%	80	11%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	14	17%	85	12%
\$15,000 to \$19,999	7	8%	60	8%
\$20,000 to \$29,999	14	17%	103	14%
\$30,000 to \$39,999	1	1%	39	5%
\$40,000 or More	1	1%	18	3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Median Gov't-Sponsored Loan Debt Outstanding</b>	<b>\$6,750</b>		<b>\$6,000</b>	

\*includes only cases where government-sponsored debt was incurred, and valid "amount remaining" was provided

**SPECIAL SECTION ON CITIZENSHIP**

34. To what extent did your university experience lead you to develop and use effective leadership skills?	13.0101		UVIC	
To a great extent	62	38%	412	26%
To some extent	80	48%	802	51%
To a small extent	19	12%	274	17%
To no extent at all	4	2%	90	6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1,578</b>	<b>100%</b>

35. To what extent did your university experience lead you to appreciate your rights, responsibilities and privileges as a citizen?	13.0101		UVIC	
To a great extent	51	31%	455	29%
To some extent	80	48%	732	46%
To a small extent	27	16%	283	18%
To no extent at all	7	4%	107	7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1,577</b>	<b>100%</b>

36. In the past 12 months, as an unpaid volunteer, have you...	13.0101		UVIC	
worked for any type of organization?	112	68%	927	59%
done any canvassing, campaigning or fundraising?	52	47%	426	46%
done any coaching, mentoring or tutoring?	88	79%	522	56%
engaged in any activities aimed at bringing about social or environmental change?	64	57%	509	55%
helped organize or supervise activities or events for an organization?	83	75%	639	69%
done any consulting, executive, office or administrative work?	28	25%	350	38%
collected, served or delivered food or other goods?	35	31%	225	24%
been involved in the identification and description of practical community problems?	19	17%	278	30%
Average hours volunteered over last 12 months *	150		127	

\*includes only cases where volunteer activity was reported

37. To what extent did your entire university experience – including extra-curricular and social activities – motivate you to participate in volunteering? *	13.0101		UVIC	
To a great extent	8	7%	136	15%
To some extent	41	37%	303	33%
To a small extent	26	23%	234	25%
To no extent at all	37	33%	253	27%
<b>Total</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>926</b>	<b>100%</b>

\*includes only cases where volunteer activity was reported

38. Are you a member or participant in...	13.0101		UVIC	
a work-related organization such as a union or professional association?	151	92%	911	58%
a political organization?	8	5%	99	6%
a cultural, education or hobby organization?	69	42%	543	34%
a sports or recreation organization?	74	45%	721	46%
a religious-affiliated group?	42	25%	216	14%
a school group, a neighbourhood, civic or community association?	71	43%	370	23%
Avg. charitable contributions over last 12 months *	\$631		\$702	

\*includes only cases where financial contributions were reported

39. To what extent did your entire university experience – including extra-curricular and social activities – motivate you to contribute financially to charitable or non-profit organizations?	13.0101		UVIC	
To a great extent	3	2%	54	4%
To some extent	24	17%	292	23%
To a small extent	30	22%	332	27%
To no extent at all	81	59%	572	46%
<b>Total</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1,250</b>	<b>100%</b>

