2005 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

Bachelor's Degree Recipients

	Computing And Software Systems		All Professional		All Campus	
TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	65	100%	366	100%	603	100%
Questionnaires:						
Not returned	40	62%	241	66%	391	65%
Not delivered by post office	2	3%	18	5%	30	5%
Returned by graduate	23	35%	107	29%	182	30%
Responding graduates currently:						
Working	22	96%	100	93%	160	88%
Attending or waiting to attend school			13	12%	30	16%
Unemployed	1	4%	4	4%	13	7%

Master's Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED			88	100%	103	100%
Questionnaires:						
Not returned			50	57%	56	54%
Not delivered by post office			6	7%	7	7%
Returned by graduate			32	36%	40	39%
Responding graduates currently:						
Working			31	97%	36	90%
Attending or waiting to attend school			6	19%	7	18%
Unemployed			2	6%	5	12%

Subsequent tables for master's degree recipients are not included because of the low number of respondents.

Doctoral Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED

Questionnaires:
- Not returned
- Not delivered by post office
- Returned by graduate

Responding graduates currently:
- Working
- Attending or waiting to attend school
- Unemployed

Subsequent tables for doctoral degree recipients are not included because of the low number of respondents.

DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

Working

		Computing And Software Systems		All Professional		All Campus	
JOB IS:	Full-time, career field, permanent	17	77%	53	54%	70	45%
	Full-time, career field, will change	4	18%	35	35%	48	31%
	Full-time, outside career field			3	3%	11	7%
	Full-time, temporary	1	5%	3	3%	11	7%
	Part-time			5	5%	14	9%
WORK IS:	Definitely beneath my level	1	5%	13	13%	25	16%
	Somewhat beneath my level	5	23%	26	27%	47	31%
	At an appropriate level	16	73%	58	60%	80	53%
	At too advanced a level						
ATTENDING SCHOOL?	Yes, related to UW education	1	5%	6	6%	12	8%
	Yes, career related, new area			5	5%	8	5%
	Yes, not career related					1	1%
	No	21	95%	88	89%	136	87%
MONTHLY INCOME:	Under $1000			1	1%	6	4%
	1000- 1499			2	2%	8	5%
	1500- 1999	1	5%	4	4%	11	7%
	2000- 2499			13	13%	28	18%
	2500- 2999			7	7%	10	7%
	3000- 3499			16	16%	21	14%
	3500- 3999	2	9%	15	15%	18	12%
	4000- 4500	4	18%	8	8%	9	6%
	4500- 4999	4	18%	9	9%	10	7%
	5000- 5499	5	23%	9	9%	11	7%
	5500- 5999			3	3%	4	3%
	Over $6000	6	27%	12	12%	16	11%
JOB LOCATION:	King, Pierce, Snohomish	20	100%	83	91%	124	89%
	Other Washington counties			1	1%	3	2%
	Alaska, Idaho, Oregon					1	1%
	California, Hawaii			3	3%	4	3%
	Mountain states					3	2%
	Central states			1	1%	2	1%
	Eastern states			3	3%	3	2%
	International						
JOB SEARCH:	Newspaper ads			6	5%	11	6%
	The Internet	6	20%	30	27%	50	28%
	Professional organization	1	3%	3	3%	6	3%
	Employment agency	4	13%	5	4%	8	5%
	Faculty advisor or committee	5	17%	6	5%	8	5%
	Networking/personal contacts	10	33%	50	45%	79	45%
	UW Center for Career Services	4	13%	12	11%	14	8%

Attending School

LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM:	Bachelor's			4	33%	4	14%
	Terminal Master			1	8%	3	11%
	Master's/PhD			7	58%	14	50%
	Professional					7	25%
	Vocational						
	Other						
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED?	Yes, by the school			2	17%	2	7%
	Yes, other part-time			3	25%	8	28%
	Yes, other full-time			4	33%	6	21%
	No			3	25%	13	45%

Unemployed

REASON NOT WORKING	Volunteering						
	Raising a family					5	38%
	Taking care of an ill relative						
	Traveling, etc.					1	8%
	Looking for work			2	50%	4	31%
	Deciding what to do	1	100%	1	25%	2	15%
	Taking time off			1	25%	1	8%
	Disillusioned about job search						

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

During the past year, how many hours each month, on average, did you devoted to volunteer work or a community action program?

	Computing And Software Systems		All Professional		All Campus	
None	16	70%	54	51%	81	45%
1 - 3	2	9%	29	27%	43	24%
4 - 6	2	9%	12	11%	24	13%
7 - 10	1	4%	2	2%	11	6%
Over 10	2	9%	9	8%	20	11%

In the past year, approximately how much have you contrubuted monetarily to charities or philanthropies?

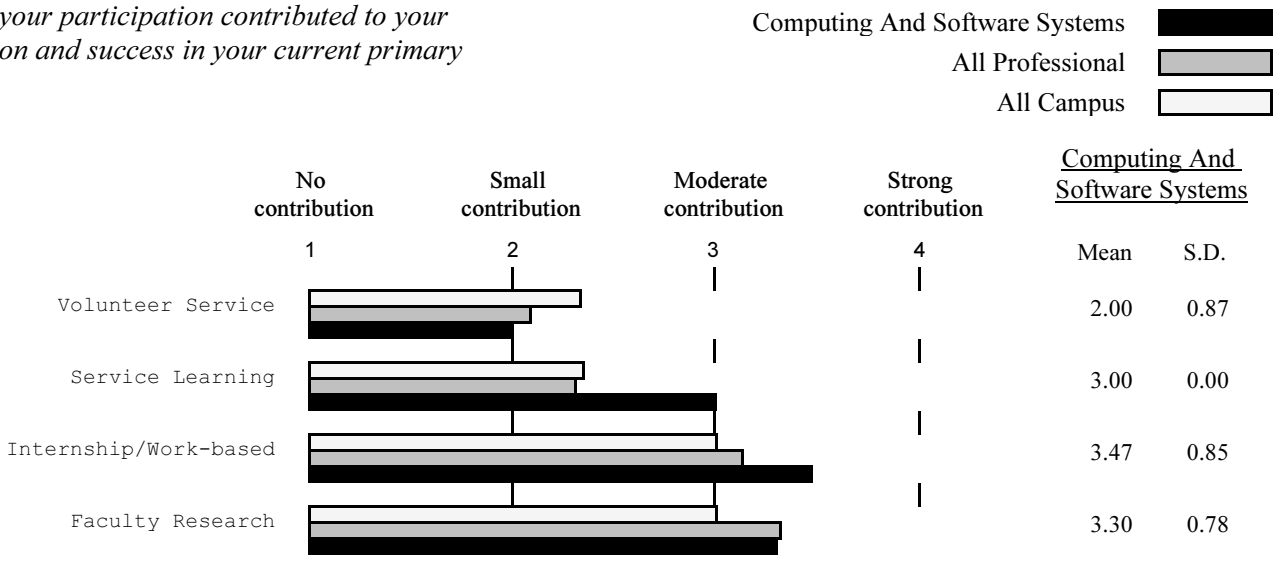
Less than $100	4	17%	41	39%	76	43%
$100 - 250	6	26%	25	24%	40	22%
$250 - 500	4	17%	16	15%	28	16%
$500 - 1000	4	17%	7	7%	15	8%
Over $1000	5	22%	17	16%	19	11%

If I had to make my college choice over again, I would choose to attend UW.

Strongly disagree			6	6%	10	6%
Disagree			1	1%	1	1%
Indifferent			1	1%	4	2%
Agree	9	41%	29	29%	48	28%
Strongly agree	13	59%	62	63%	106	63%

While a UW student, did you participate in:	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Community volunteer service (outside of UW)	8	15	35	68	75	98
Community service as part of a UW course (Service learning)	1	22	26	76	63	108
A public service internship or other work-based learning (for credit or pay)	17	6	39	62	54	117
Faculty research beyond being a research subject	10	13	22	80	34	137

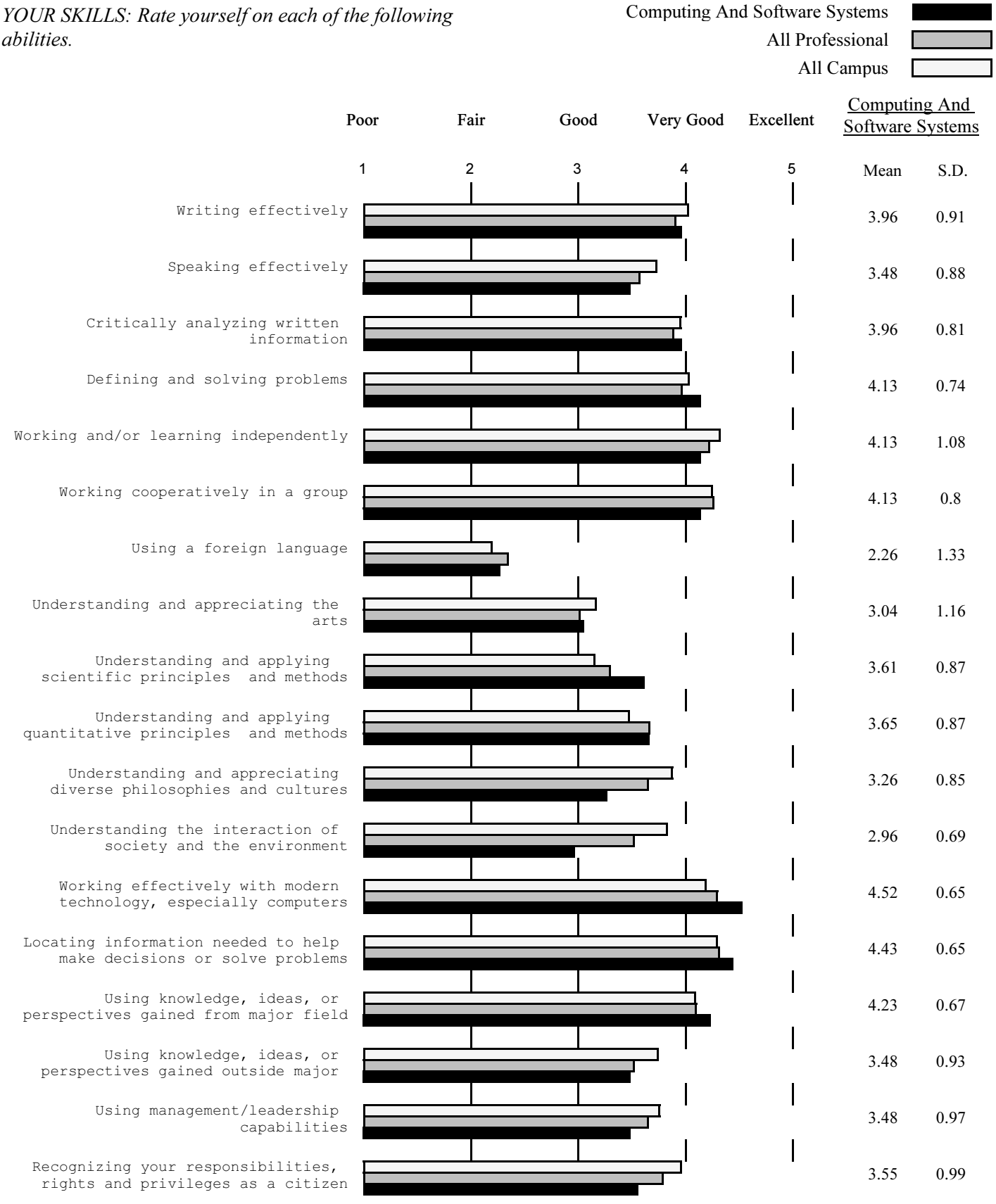
How has your participation contributed to your preparation and success in your current primary activity?



	Computing And Software Systems	
	Mean	S.D.
Volunteer Service	2.00	0.87
Service Learning	3.00	0.00
Internship/Work-based	3.47	0.85
Faculty Research	3.30	0.78

STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

YOUR SKILLS: Rate yourself on each of the following abilities.



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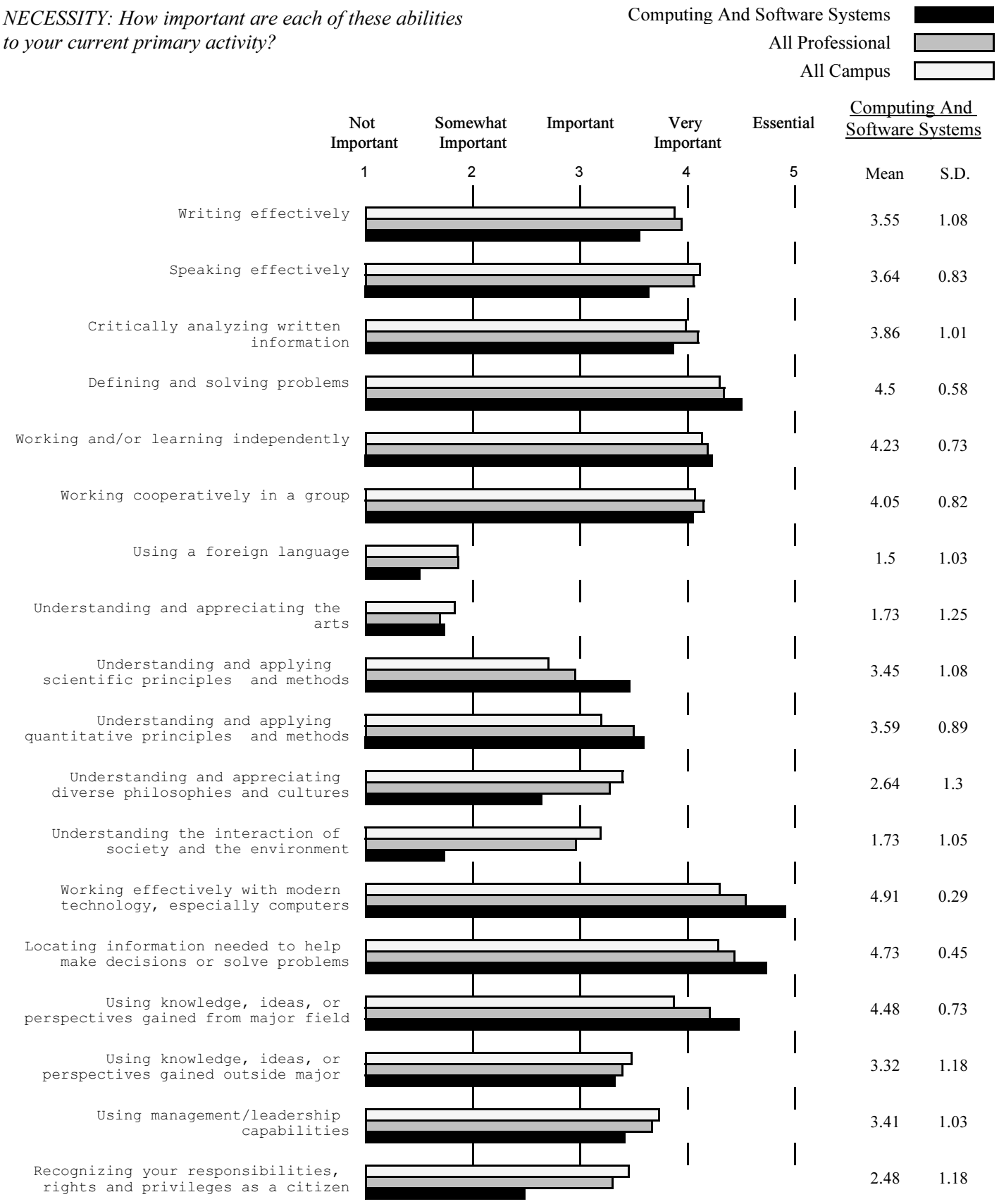
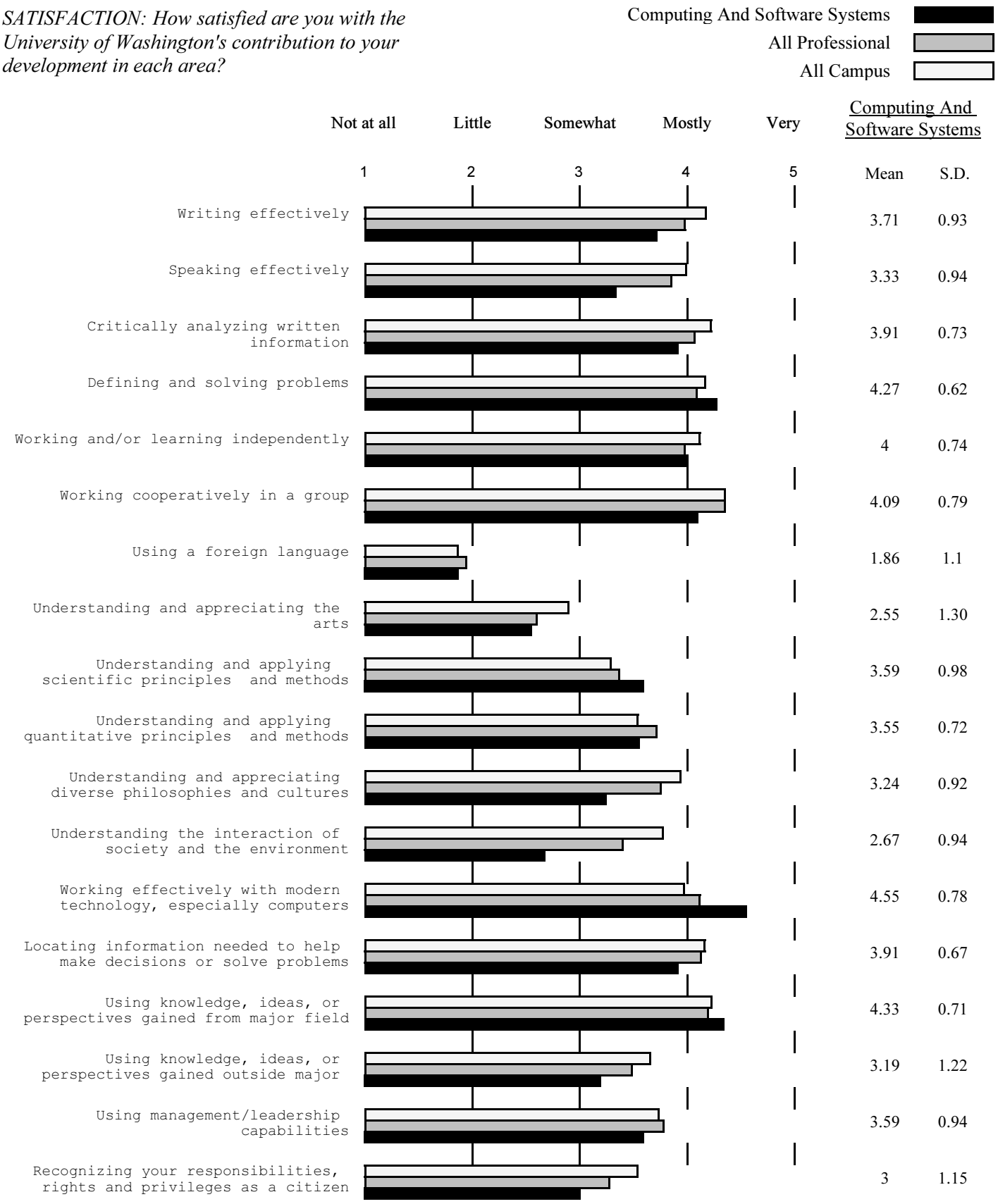
NECESSITY: How important are each of these abilities to your current primary activity?



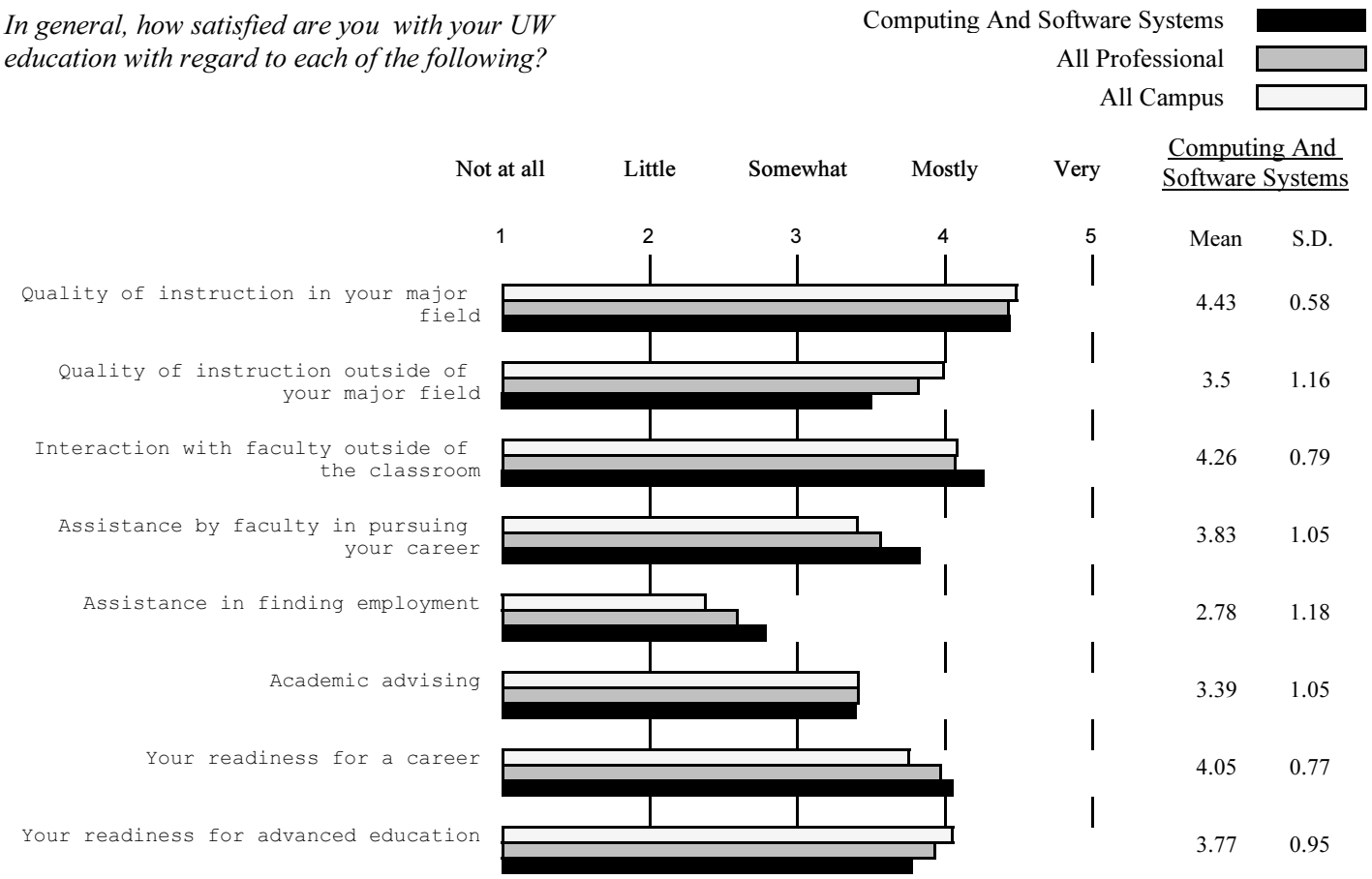
STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

SATISFACTION: How satisfied are you with the University of Washington's contribution to your development in each area?



STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

In general, how satisfied are you with your UW education with regard to each of the following?



	Computing And Software Systems	
	Mean	S.D.
Quality of instruction in your major field	4.43	0.58
Quality of instruction outside of your major field	3.5	1.16
Interaction with faculty outside of the classroom	4.26	0.79
Assistance by faculty in pursuing your career	3.83	1.05
Assistance in finding employment	2.78	1.18
Academic advising	3.39	1.05
Your readiness for a career	4.05	0.77
Your readiness for advanced education	3.77	0.95

CURRENT ACTIVITY ROSTER

Working		Job Title	Employer
BACHELOR'S	Permanent in career:	Software Engineer	SolutionsIQ
		Software Test Engineer	Microsoft Corporation
		Software Engineer	IBM
		Builder	Microsoft
		Software Engineer	Sonogite
		Software Developer	Resolute Solutions Corper
		Senior Software Engineer	General Software, Inc.
		SDET	Micrsoft
		Mgr. Technical Sucs	RAP Technology
		Software Engineer	NetAcquire Corp.
		Software Engineer	Disney Internet Group
		Programmer	Amaze Ent.
		Solutions Developer II	Avanade
		Software Development Engi	Microsoft
		SDET	Marchex
		Software Eng.	FileNet
	Career, change likely:	Test Software Engineer	Medtronic ERS
		Program Manager	Electronic Evidence Disc.
		Sr. Technical Analyst	EQUS Group Inc.
		Software Engineer	Drugstore.com
	Not career, temporary:	Software Test Engineer	Microsoft

Unemployed	Type of work seeking
BACHELOR'S	Consult