

2009 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

A&S Social Sciences College Of Arts And Sciences All Campus

Bachelor's Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	2,213	100%		4,797	100%		6,687	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned	1,629	74%		3,496	73%		4,861	73%	
Not delivered by post office	146	7%		277	6%		390	6%	
Returned by graduate	438	20%		1,024	21%		1,436	21%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working	339	77%		747	73%		1,081	75%	
Attending or waiting to attend school	86	20%		269	26%		349	24%	
Unemployed	53	12%		115	11%		152	11%	

Master's Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	157	100%		491	100%		2,545	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned	101	64%		313	64%		1,498	59%	
Not delivered by post office	10	6%		21	4%		91	4%	
Returned by graduate	46	29%		157	32%		956	38%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working	26	57%		101	64%		814	85%	
Attending or waiting to attend school	21	46%		63	40%		148	15%	
Unemployed	6	13%		13	8%		76	8%	

Doctoral Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	56	100%		233	100%		1,097	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned.....	23	41%		121	52%		589	54%	
Not delivered by post office	1	2%		13	6%		53	5%	
Returned by graduate	32	57%		99	42%		455	41%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working	31	97%		91	92%		418	92%	
Attending or waiting to attend school				6	6%		57	13%	
Unemployed	1	3%		7	7%		24	5%	

DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

	<u>A&S Social Sciences</u>		<u>College Of Arts And Sciences</u>		<u>All Campus</u>	
Working						
JOB IS:						
Full-time, career field, permanent	65	20% █	145	20% █	292	28% █
Full-time, career field, will change	94	28% █	189	26% █	279	27% █
Full-time, outside career field	79	24% █	155	22% █	187	18% █
Full-time, temporary	34	10% █	76	11% █	97	9% █
Part-time	60	18% █	152	21% █	186	18% █
WORK IS:						
Definitely beneath my level	101	31% █	200	28% █	251	25% █
Somewhat beneath my level	92	28% █	191	27% █	246	24% █
At an appropriate level	128	39% █	303	43% █	510	50% █
At too advanced a level	4	1% █	9	1% █	16	2% █
ATTENDING SCHOOL?						
Yes, related to UW education	12	4% █	38	5% █	57	5% █
Yes, career related, new area	34	10% █	82	11% █	100	9% █
Yes, not career related	13	4% █	26	4% █	34	3% █
No	278	82% █	595	80% █	876	82% █
MONTHLY INCOME:						
Under \$1000	41	12% █	96	13% █	117	11% █
1000- 1499	64	19% █	134	19% █	160	15% █
1500- 1999	39	12% █	99	14% █	121	12% █
2000- 2499	57	17% █	122	17% █	159	15% █
2500- 2999	45	14% █	86	12% █	121	12% █
3000- 3499	33	10% █	60	8% █	109	11% █
3500- 3999	20	6% █	36	5% █	63	6% █
4000- 4500	13	4% █	29	4% █	68	7% █
4500- 4999	4	1% █	10	1% █	31	3% █
5000- 5499	6	2% █	15	2% █	26	3% █
5500- 5999	1	1% █	2	1% █	13	1% █
Over \$6000	10	3% █	29	4% █	50	5% █
JOB LOCATION:						
King, Pierce, Snohomish	214	75% █	474	76% █	666	74% █
Other Washington counties	17	6% █	38	6% █	65	7% █
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	4	1% █	12	2% █	25	3% █
California, Hawaii	14	5% █	30	5% █	41	5% █
Mountain states	5	2% █	7	1% █	17	2% █
Central states	8	3% █	12	2% █	18	2% █
Eastern states	16	6% █	34	5% █	43	5% █
International	7	2% █	15	2% █	22	2% █
JOB SEARCH:						
Newspaper ads	8	2% █	19	2% █	23	2% █
The Internet	122	33% █	253	32% █	347	29% █
Professional organization	22	6% █	45	6% █	74	6% █
Employment agency	18	5% █	32	4% █	42	3% █
Faculty advisor or committee	13	4% █	35	4% █	72	6% █
Networking/personal contacts	163	44% █	373	47% █	564	46% █
UW Center for Career Services	24	6% █	41	5% █	92	8% █

Attending School

LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Bachelor's	7	9% ■	13	5% □	21	7% □
Terminal Master	7	9% ■	27	11% □	35	11% □
Master's/PhD	39	51% ■	107	43% □	154	48% □
Professional	17	22% ■	73	30% □	79	25% □
Vocational	3	4% ■	10	4% □	12	4% □
Other	4	5% ■	16	7% □	18	6% □
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school	19	22% ■	55	21% □	69	21% □
Yes, other part-time ...	15	18% ■	53	20% □	67	20% □
Yes, other full-time ...	10	12% ■	19	7% □	20	6% □
No	41	48% ■	137	52% □	180	54% □

Unemployed

REASON NOT WORKING	Volunteering	5	11% ■	13	13% □	18	13% □
Raising a family	1	2% ■	8	8% □	8	6% □	
Taking care of an ill relative	1	2% ■	2	2% ■	2	1% ■	
Traveling, etc.	2	4% ■	5	5% □	7	5% □	
Looking for work	24	51% ■	46	46% □	66	49% □	
Deciding what to do	7	15% ■	16	16% □	19	14% □	
Taking time off	2	4% ■	3	3% ■	4	3% ■	
Disillusioned about job search	5	11% ■	8	8% □	10	7% □	

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

A&S Social Sciences

College Of Arts And Sciences

All Campus

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

	A&S Social Sciences	College Of Arts And Sciences	All Campus
None	175 40%	398 39%	581 41%
1 - 3	115 26%	244 24%	373 26%
4 - 6	44 10%	120 12%	149 11%
7 - 10	38 9%	83 8%	98 7%
Over 10	65 15%	169 17%	213 15%

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

	A&S Social Sciences	College Of Arts And Sciences	All Campus
Less than \$100	279 64%	676 67%	913 65%
\$100 - 250	74 17%	162 16%	236 17%
\$250 - 500	36 8%	79 8%	99 7%
\$500 - 1000	25 6%	41 4%	75 5%
Over \$1000	19 4%	48 5%	81 6%

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

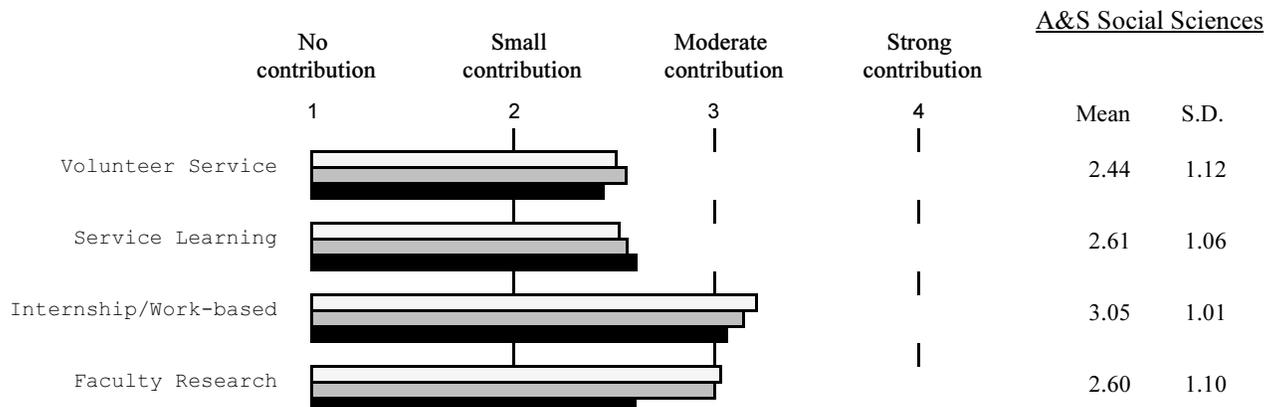
	A&S Social Sciences	College Of Arts And Sciences	All Campus
Strongly disagree	13 3%	26 3%	39 3%
Disagree	17 4%	53 5%	73 5%
Indifferent	38 9%	90 9%	118 9%
Agree	131 31%	305 32%	433 32%
Strongly agree	217 52%	493 51%	700 51%

While a UW student, did you participate in:

	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Community volunteer service (outside of UW)	281	139	648	334	877	505
Community service as part of a UW course (Service learning)	166	253	335	644	450	928
A public service internship or other work-based learning (for credit or pay)	152	267	290	688	439	939
Faculty research beyond being a research subject	79	340	296	683	389	988

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

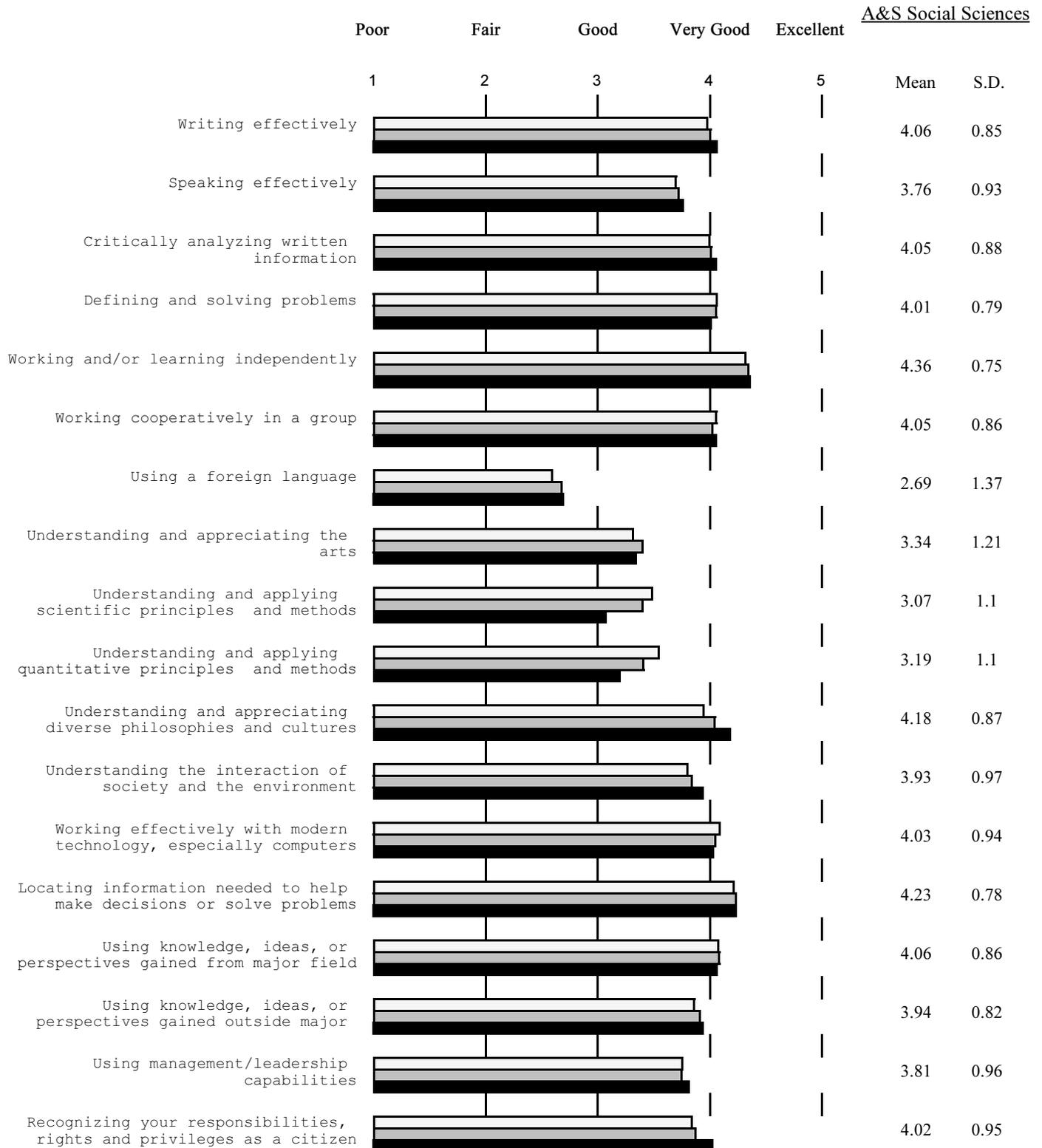
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STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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

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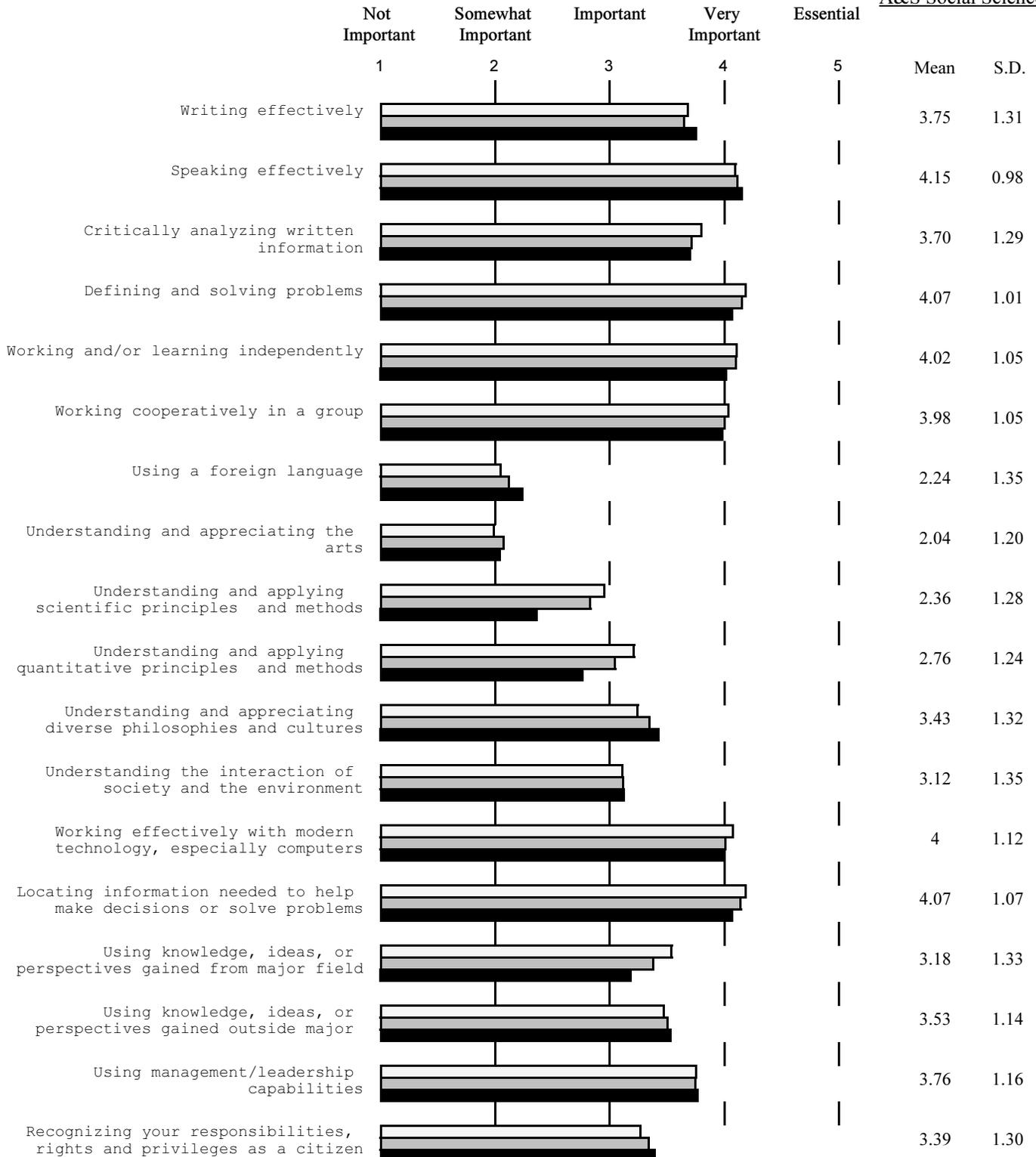


STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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

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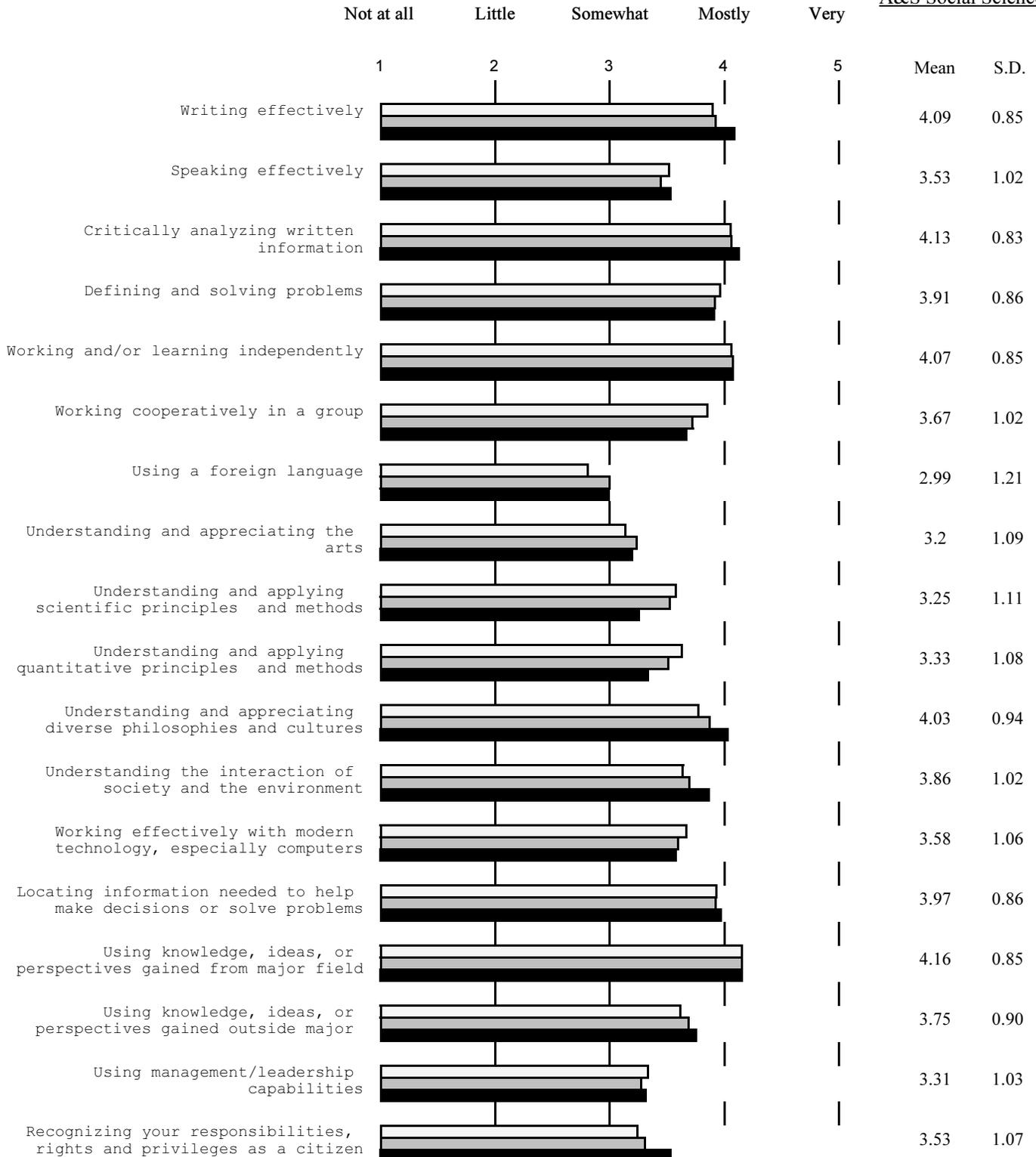


STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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

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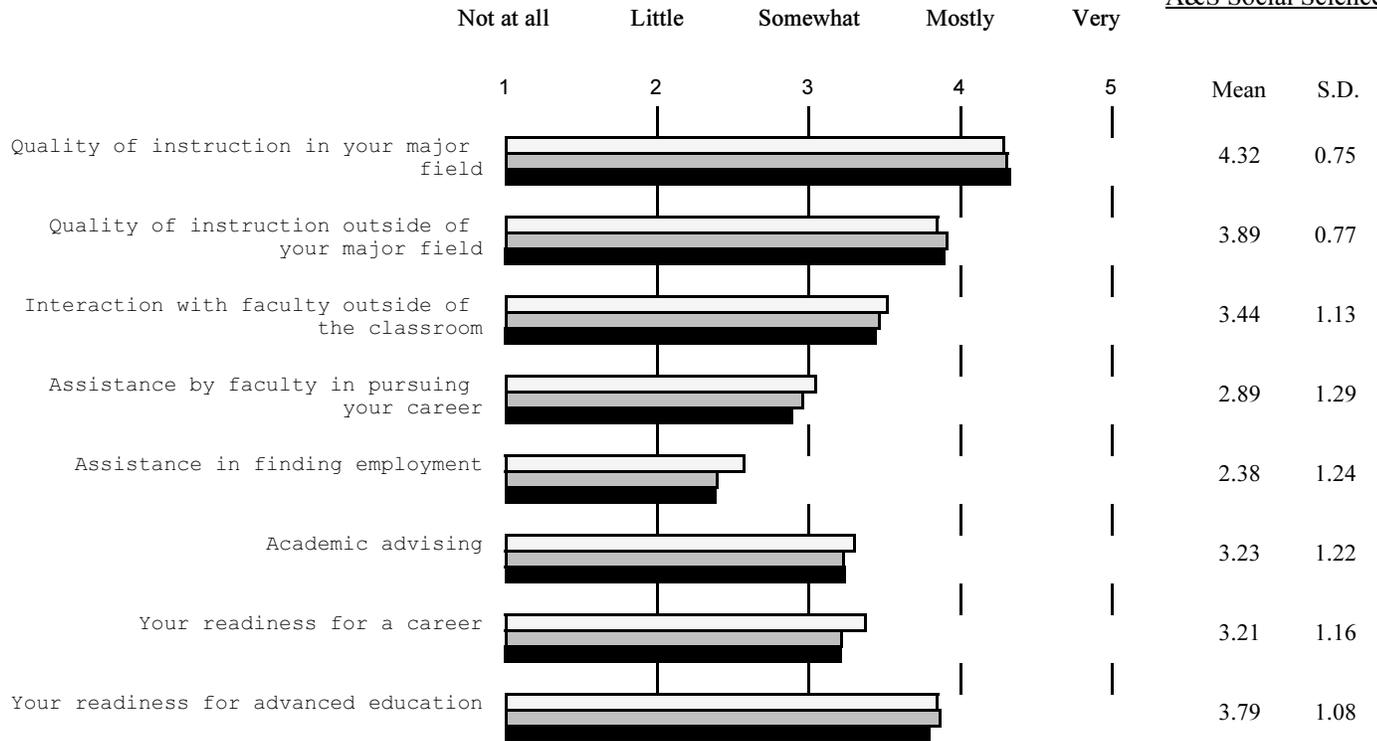


STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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

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DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients

	<u>A&S Social Sciences</u>		<u>College Of Arts And Sciences</u>		<u>All Campus</u>	
Working						
JOB IS:						
Full-time, career field, permanent ...	8	31% ■■■	38	38% ■■■	448	56% ■■■
Full-time, career field, will change	4	15% ■■	17	17% ■■	194	24% ■■
Full-time, outside career field	4	15% ■■	13	13% ■■	36	4% ■
Full-time, temporary	5	19% ■■	10	10% ■■	32	4% ■
Part-time	5	19% ■■	23	23% ■■	95	12% ■■
WORK IS:						
Definitely beneath my level	8	31% ■■■	22	22% ■■	73	9% ■■
Somewhat beneath my level	5	19% ■■	20	20% ■■	179	22% ■■
At an appropriate level	12	46% ■■■■	57	57% ■■■■	549	68% ■■■■
At too advanced a level	1	4% ■	1	1% ■	3	1% ■
ATTENDING SCHOOL?						
Yes, post-graduate in my degree	5	19% ■■	14	14% ■■	67	8% ■■
Yes, career related, new area	6	23% ■■	13	13% ■■	87	11% ■■
Yes, not career related	2	8% ■	7	7% ■	23	3% ■
No	13	50% ■■■■	66	66% ■■■■	627	78% ■■■■
MONTHLY INCOME:						
Under \$500	2	8% ■	2	2% ■	10	1% ■
\$500 - 999	4	16% ■■	11	11% ■■	16	2% ■
1000- 1499	1	4% ■	14	14% ■■	34	4% ■■
1500- 1999	1	4% ■	7	7% ■	48	6% ■■
2000- 2499	4	16% ■■	11	11% ■■	65	8% ■■
2500- 2999	3	12% ■■	8	8% ■■	70	9% ■■
3000- 3499	2	8% ■	8	8% ■■	80	10% ■■
3500- 3999	4	16% ■■	11	11% ■■	65	8% ■■
4000- 4500	1	4% ■	5	5% ■■	75	9% ■■
Over \$4500	3	12% ■■	23	23% ■■	338	42% ■■■
JOB LOCATION:						
King, Pierce, Snohomish	11	48% ■■■■	52	57% ■■■■	504	69% ■■■■
Other Washington counties	1	4% ■	2	2% ■	40	5% ■■
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon	1	4% ■	4	4% ■■	24	3% ■■
California, Hawaii	2	9% ■■	11	12% ■■	48	7% ■■
Mountain states	2	9% ■■	7	8% ■■	33	5% ■■
Central states			2	2% ■	21	3% ■■
Eastern states	6	26% ■■	12	13% ■■	50	7% ■■
International			2	2% ■	9	1% ■
JOB SEARCH:						
Newspaper ads	2	10% ■■	2	3% ■	21	3% ■
World wide web/internet	10	50% ■■■■	43	57% ■■■■	320	51% ■■■■
Employment agency	3	15% ■■	7	9% ■■	34	5% ■■
Professional organization	2	10% ■■	9	12% ■■	111	18% ■■
Faculty advisor or committee	3	15% ■■	15	20% ■■	137	22% ■■

DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Master's Degree Recipients

	<u>A&S Social Sciences</u>		<u>College Of Arts And Sciences</u>		<u>All Campus</u>	
Attending School						
LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate					1	1% ↓
Master's			5	8% □	14	10% □
Doctoral	20	100% █████	54	87% █████	121	84% █████
Professional ...			1	2% ↓	5	3% ↓
Vocational			1	2% ↓	1	1% ↓
Other			1	2% ↓	2	1% ↓
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school	12	57% █████	40	69% █████	67	54% █████
Yes, other part-time	2	10% █	5	9% □	8	6% □
Yes, other full-time	1	5% ↓	3	5% □	21	17% □
No	6	29% █	10	17% □	28	23% □

Unemployed						
LOOKING FOR WORK? Yes, career field only	1	17% █	4	31% █████	24	34% █████
Yes, any field	1	17% █	2	15% █████	8	11% █████
Yes, may be temporary	2	33% █████	3	23% █████	18	25% █████
No, traveling, etc.	1	17% █	2	15% █████	7	10% █████
No, deciding what to do	1	17% █	1	8% □	6	8% □
No, not at present			1	8% □	8	11% □

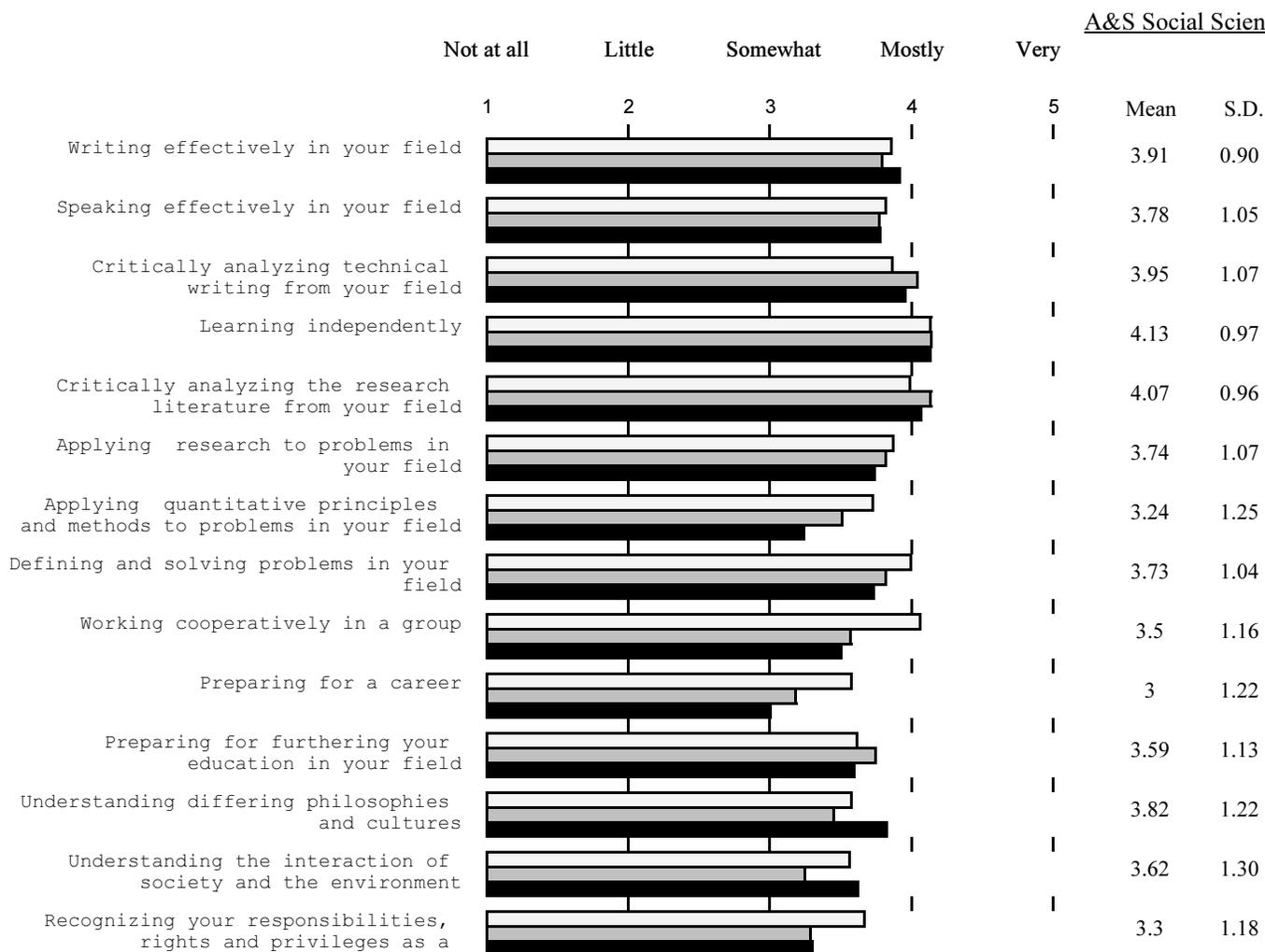
TYPE OF EMPLOYER - Master's Degree Recipients

Business (for profit)	7	16% █	21	14% □	224	25% □
Business (not for profit)	2	5% ↓	8	5% □	53	6% □
Education (K-12)	1	2% ↓	10	7% □	82	9% □
Education (post-secondary)						
Univ/college tenure-track faculty	9	20% █████	18	12% □	36	4% ↓
Univ/college non-tenure-track faculty	2	5% ↓	9	6% □	32	4% ↓
Univ/college research or administrative ...	2	5% ↓	13	9% □	53	6% □
Postdoctoral appointment	2	5% ↓	10	7% □	18	2% ↓
Government agency	3	7% █	5	3% ↓	116	13% □
Industry	2	5% ↓	11	7% □	63	7% □
Law firm					10	1% ↓
Medical faculty	1	2% ↓	7	5% □	79	9% □
Military	2	5% ↓	5	3% ↓	12	1% ↓
Private practice			2	1% ↓	10	1% ↓
Self-employed	4	9% █	14	9% □	30	3% ↓
Social service agency	2	5% ↓	2	1% ↓	42	5% □
Other	5	11% █	15	10% □	51	6% □

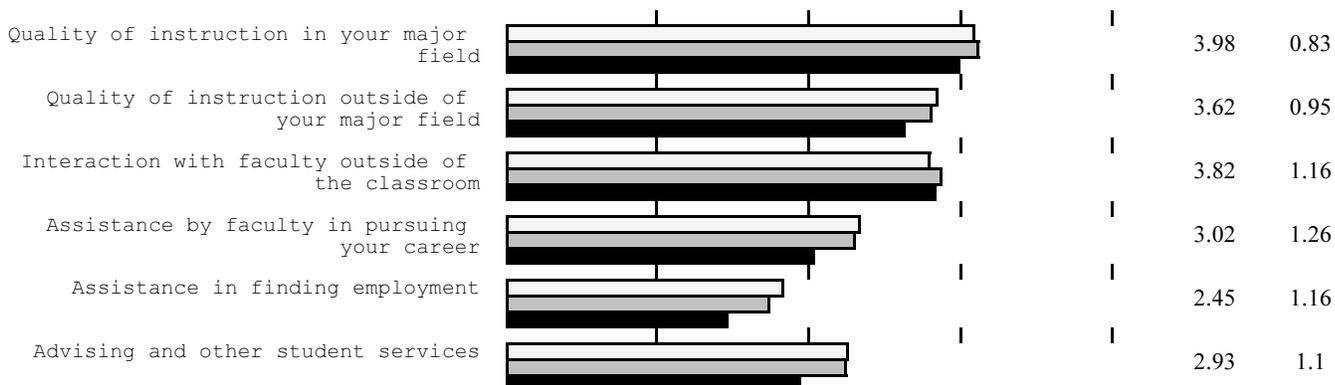
STUDENT OUTCOMES - Master's Degree Recipients

How satisfied are you with the University of Washington's contribution to your professional and academic growth in each of the following areas?

A&S Social Sciences 
College Of Arts And Sciences 
All Campus 



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



DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Doctoral Degree Recipients

	A&S Social Sciences		College Of Arts And Sciences		All Campus	
Working						
JOB IS:						
Full-time, career field, permanent ...	11	35%	31	34%	225	54%
Full-time, career field, will change	9	29%	33	36%	112	27%
Full-time, outside career field	3	10%	5	5%	7	2%
Full-time, temporary.....	2	6%	10	11%	31	7%
Part-time	6	19%	12	13%	40	10%
WORK IS:						
Definitely beneath my level	4	13%	7	8%	20	5%
Somewhat beneath my level	12	39%	24	26%	58	14%
At an appropriate level	15	48%	60	66%	339	81%
At too advanced a level						
ATTENDING SCHOOL?						
Yes, post-graduate in my degree			1	1%	16	4%
Yes, career related, new area					10	2%
Yes, not career related			2	2%	11	3%
No	31	100%	88	97%	381	91%
MONTHLY INCOME:						
Under \$500			2	2%	2	1%
\$500 - 999	1	3%	2	2%	4	1%
1000- 1499	3	10%	5	5%	8	2%
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2500- 2999	5	16%	12	13%	48	12%
3000- 3499	1	3%	8	9%	54	13%
3500- 3999	5	16%	17	19%	45	11%
4000- 4500	4	13%	10	11%	45	11%
Over \$4500	7	23%	22	24%	167	40%
JOB LOCATION:						
King, Pierce, Snohomish	7	25%	28	33%	182	48%
Other Washington counties	1	4%	5	6%	30	8%
Alaska, Idaho, Oregon			1	1%	20	5%
California, Hawaii	2	7%	6	7%	30	8%
Mountain states	1	4%	6	7%	20	5%
Central states	7	25%	10	12%	20	5%
Eastern states	7	25%	23	27%	65	17%
International	3	11%	5	6%	12	3%
JOB SEARCH:						
Newspaper ads					4	1%
World wide web/internet	13	38%	38	40%	128	33%
Employment agency			1	1%	8	2%
Professional organization	8	24%	19	20%	108	28%
Faculty advisor or committee	13	38%	36	38%	143	37%

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	<u>A&S Social Sciences</u>	<u>College Of Arts And Sciences</u>	<u>All Campus</u>
Attending School			
LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Undergraduate			
Master's			1 2% <input type="checkbox"/>
Doctoral	5 83% <input type="checkbox"/>		26 50% <input type="checkbox"/>
Professional ...			22 42% <input type="checkbox"/>
Vocational			
Other	1 17% <input type="checkbox"/>		3 6% <input type="checkbox"/>
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school			10 28% <input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, other part-time			1 3% <input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, other full-time			5 14% <input type="checkbox"/>
No	2 100% <input type="checkbox"/>		20 56% <input type="checkbox"/>

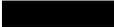
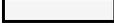
Unemployed			
LOOKING FOR WORK? Yes, career field only			6 27% <input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, any field		1 14% <input type="checkbox"/>	1 5% <input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, may be temporary	1 100% <input type="checkbox"/>	3 43% <input type="checkbox"/>	5 23% <input type="checkbox"/>
No, traveling, etc.		3 43% <input type="checkbox"/>	6 27% <input type="checkbox"/>
No, deciding what to do			1 5% <input type="checkbox"/>
No, not at present			3 14% <input type="checkbox"/>

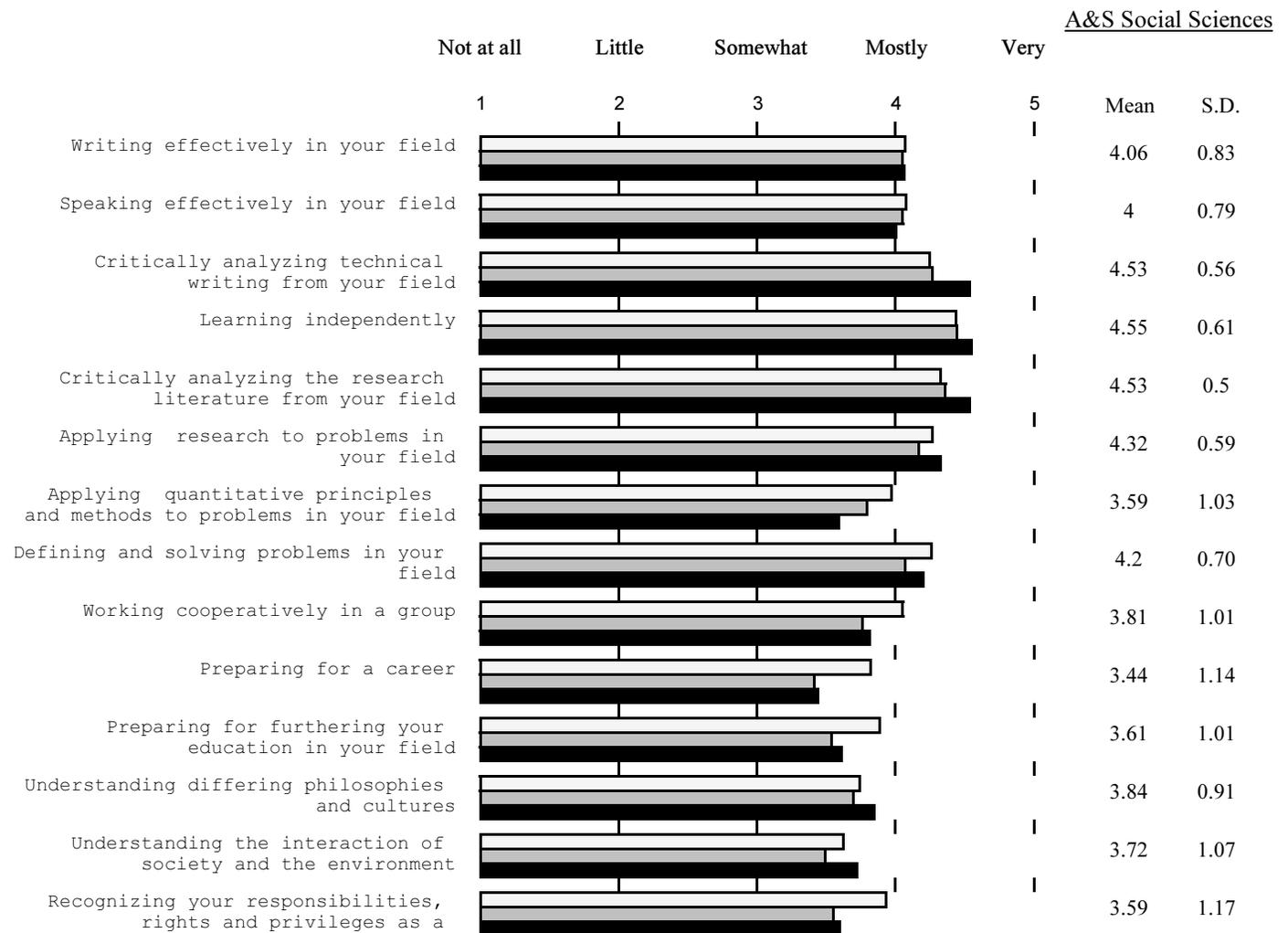
TYPE OF EMPLOYER - Doctoral Degree Recipients

Business (for profit)	1 3% <input type="checkbox"/>	9 9% <input type="checkbox"/>	41 9% <input type="checkbox"/>
Business (not for profit)	3 9% <input type="checkbox"/>	5 5% <input type="checkbox"/>	12 3% <input type="checkbox"/>
Education (K-12)		2 2% <input type="checkbox"/>	20 5% <input type="checkbox"/>
Education (post-secondary)			
Univ/college tenure-track faculty	10 31% <input type="checkbox"/>	19 20% <input type="checkbox"/>	30 7% <input type="checkbox"/>
Univ/college non-tenure-track faculty	7 22% <input type="checkbox"/>	21 22% <input type="checkbox"/>	33 8% <input type="checkbox"/>
Univ/college research or administrative ...	2 6% <input type="checkbox"/>	3 3% <input type="checkbox"/>	14 3% <input type="checkbox"/>
Postdoctoral appointment	6 19% <input type="checkbox"/>	24 25% <input type="checkbox"/>	64 15% <input type="checkbox"/>
Government agency	2 6% <input type="checkbox"/>	5 5% <input type="checkbox"/>	33 8% <input type="checkbox"/>
Industry		4 4% <input type="checkbox"/>	9 2% <input type="checkbox"/>
Law firm			28 6% <input type="checkbox"/>
Medical faculty		2 2% <input type="checkbox"/>	121 28% <input type="checkbox"/>
Military			2 1% <input type="checkbox"/>
Private practice		1 1% <input type="checkbox"/>	13 3% <input type="checkbox"/>
Self-employed		1 1% <input type="checkbox"/>	10 2% <input type="checkbox"/>
Social service agency			1 1% <input type="checkbox"/>
Other	1 3% <input type="checkbox"/>	1 1% <input type="checkbox"/>	6 1% <input type="checkbox"/>

STUDENT OUTCOMES - Doctoral Degree Recipients

How satisfied are you with the University of Washington's contribution to your professional and academic growth in each of the following areas?

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

