

2013 GRADUATE SURVEY RESULTS

Physics

A&S Natural Sciences

College Of Arts And Sciences

Bachelor's Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	108	100%		2,027	100%		5,088	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned	90	83%		1,579	78%		4,010	79%	
Not delivered by post office	3	3%		131	6%		342	7%	
Returned by graduate	15	14%		317	16%		736	14%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working	10	67%		240	76%		582	79%	
Attending or waiting to attend school	7	47%		80	25%		153	21%	
Unemployed				29	9%		71	10%	

Master's Degree Recipients

TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATES SURVEYED	36	100%		208	100%		519	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned	30	83%		132	63%		336	65%	
Not delivered by post office	1	3%		23	11%		43	8%	
Returned by graduate	5	14%		53	25%		140	27%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working	4	80%		37	70%		102	73%	
Attending or waiting to attend school	3	60%		22	42%		49	35%	
Unemployed	1	20%		2	4%		12	9%	

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	18	100%		115	100%		225	100%	
Questionnaires:									
Not returned.....	10	56%		68	59%		128	57%	
Not delivered by post office	3	17%		6	5%		14	6%	
Returned by graduate	5	28%		41	36%		83	37%	
Responding graduates currently:									
Working	5	100%		40	98%		81	98%	
Attending or waiting to attend school				3	7%		8	10%	
Unemployed				1	2%		4	5%	

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

DEMOGRAPHIC SUMMARY - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

		<u>Physics</u>	<u>A&S Natural Sciences</u>	<u>College Of Arts And Sciences</u>
Working				
JOB IS:	Full-time, career field, permanent	3 33% ■	51 22% □	118 21% □
	Full-time, career field, will change	2 22% ■	65 28% □	171 30% □
	Full-time, outside career field	2 22% ■	40 17% □	93 16% □
	Full-time, temporary	1 11% ■	35 15% □	71 13% □
	Part-time	1 11% ■	43 18% □	114 20% □
WORK IS:	Definitely beneath my level	2 22% ■	55 24% □	133 23% □
	Somewhat beneath my level	2 22% ■	68 29% □	171 30% □
	At an appropriate level	5 56% ■	100 43% □	251 44% □
	At too advanced a level		9 4% ■	12 2% ■
ATTENDING SCHOOL?	Yes, related to UW education	1 10% ■	13 5% ■	19 3% ■
	Yes, career related, new area	1 10% ■	30 13% □	62 11% □
	Yes, not career related		2 1% ■	16 3% ■
	No	8 80% ■	194 81% □	482 83% □
MONTHLY INCOME:	Under \$1000	2 22% ■	25 11% □	73 13% □
	1000- 1499	1 11% ■	43 19% □	100 18% □
	1500- 1999	1 11% ■	26 11% □	73 13% □
	2000- 2499		41 18% □	90 16% □
	2500- 2999	1 11% ■	27 12% □	67 12% □
	3000- 3499	1 11% ■	19 8% □	50 9% □
	3500- 3999	1 11% ■	14 6% □	36 6% □
	4000- 4500	1 11% ■	8 3% ■	21 4% ■
	4500- 4999		3 1% ■	9 2% ■
	5000- 5499		2 1% ■	6 1% ■
	5500- 5999		2 1% ■	4 1% ■
	Over \$6000	1 11% ■	21 9% □	37 7% □
JOB LOCATION:	King, Pierce, Snohomish	6 75% ■	119 79% □	276 77% □
	Other Washington counties		11 7% □	25 7% □
	Alaska, Idaho, Oregon		2 1% ■	7 2% ■
	California, Hawaii		8 5% □	16 4% □
	Mountain states	1 12% ■	3 2% ■	5 1% ■
	Central states			3 1% ■
	Eastern states	1 12% ■	4 3% ■	11 3% ■
	International		4 3% ■	17 5% □
JOB SEARCH:	Newspaper ads			6 1% ■
	The Internet	3 30% ■	92 32% □	229 33% □
	Professional organization	2 20% ■	13 5% □	30 4% □
	Employment agency		5 2% ■	25 4% □
	Faculty advisor or committee		19 7% □	30 4% □
	Networking/personal contacts	3 30% ■	141 49% □	335 48% □
	UW Center for Career Services	2 20% ■	16 6% □	42 6% □

Attending School

LEVEL OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM: Bachelor's	8	11%	<input type="checkbox"/>	17	13%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Terminal Master	5	7%	<input type="checkbox"/>	8	6%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Master's/PhD	6	100%	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	30	40%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Professional	22	29%	<input type="checkbox"/>	33	24%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vocational	3	4%	<input type="checkbox"/>	9	7%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	7	9%	<input type="checkbox"/>	15	11%	<input type="checkbox"/>
ARE YOU ALSO EMPLOYED? Yes, by the school	4	57%	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	12	16%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, other part-time ...	15	19%	<input type="checkbox"/>	36	24%	<input type="checkbox"/>
Yes, other full-time ...	3	4%	<input type="checkbox"/>	7	5%	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	3	43%	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	47	61%	<input type="checkbox"/>

Unemployed

REASON NOT WORKING	Volunteering	9	31%	<input type="checkbox"/>	17	25%	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Raising a family	1	3%	<input type="checkbox"/>	9	13%	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Taking care of an ill relative						
	Traveling, etc.	3	10%	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	9%	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Looking for work	5	17%	<input type="checkbox"/>	18	26%	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Deciding what to do	3	10%	<input type="checkbox"/>	5	7%	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Taking time off	6	21%	<input type="checkbox"/>	8	12%	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Disillusioned about job search	2	7%	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	9%	<input type="checkbox"/>

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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

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None	6 43%	118 38%	286 40%
1 - 3	1 7%	65 21%	160 22%
4 - 6	3 21%	31 10%	76 11%
7 - 10	1 7%	26 8%	60 8%
Over 10	3 21%	68 22%	134 19%

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

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Less than \$100	9 64%	217 71%	480 68%
\$100 - 250	3 21%	44 14%	118 17%
\$250 - 500	1 7%	25 8%	56 8%
\$500 - 1000		9 3%	25 4%
Over \$1000	1 7%	10 3%	31 4%

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

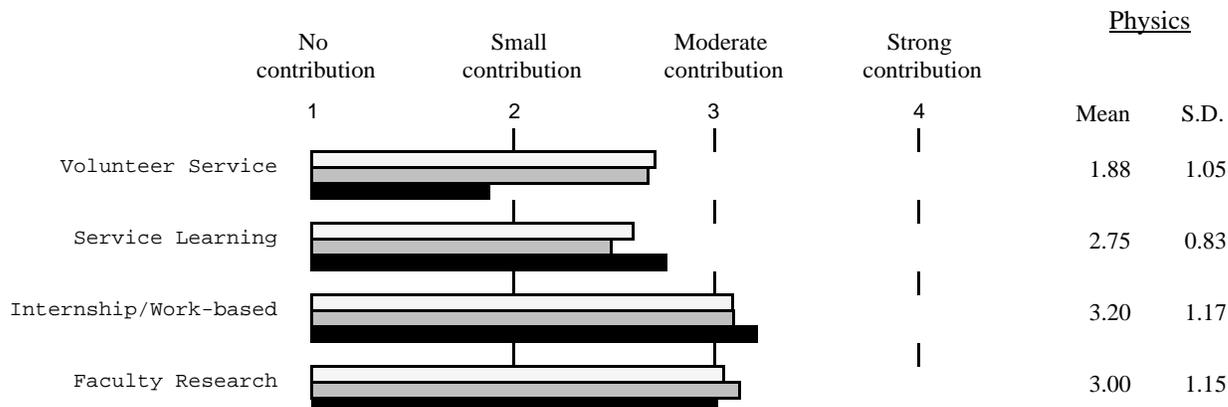
	Physics	A&S Natural Sciences	College Of Arts And Sciences
Strongly disagree	1 7%	15 5%	32 5%
Disagree	2 13%	19 6%	40 6%
Indifferent	2 13%	35 11%	72 10%
Agree	1 7%	94 31%	215 31%
Strongly agree	9 60%	142 47%	343 49%

While a UW student, did you participate in:

	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
Community volunteer service (outside of UW)	9	6	196	113	456	260
Community service as part of a UW course (Service learning)	4	11	112	196	267	445
A public service internship or other work-based learning (for credit or pay)	5	10	110	198	269	444
Faculty research beyond being a research subject	12	3	166	143	235	479

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

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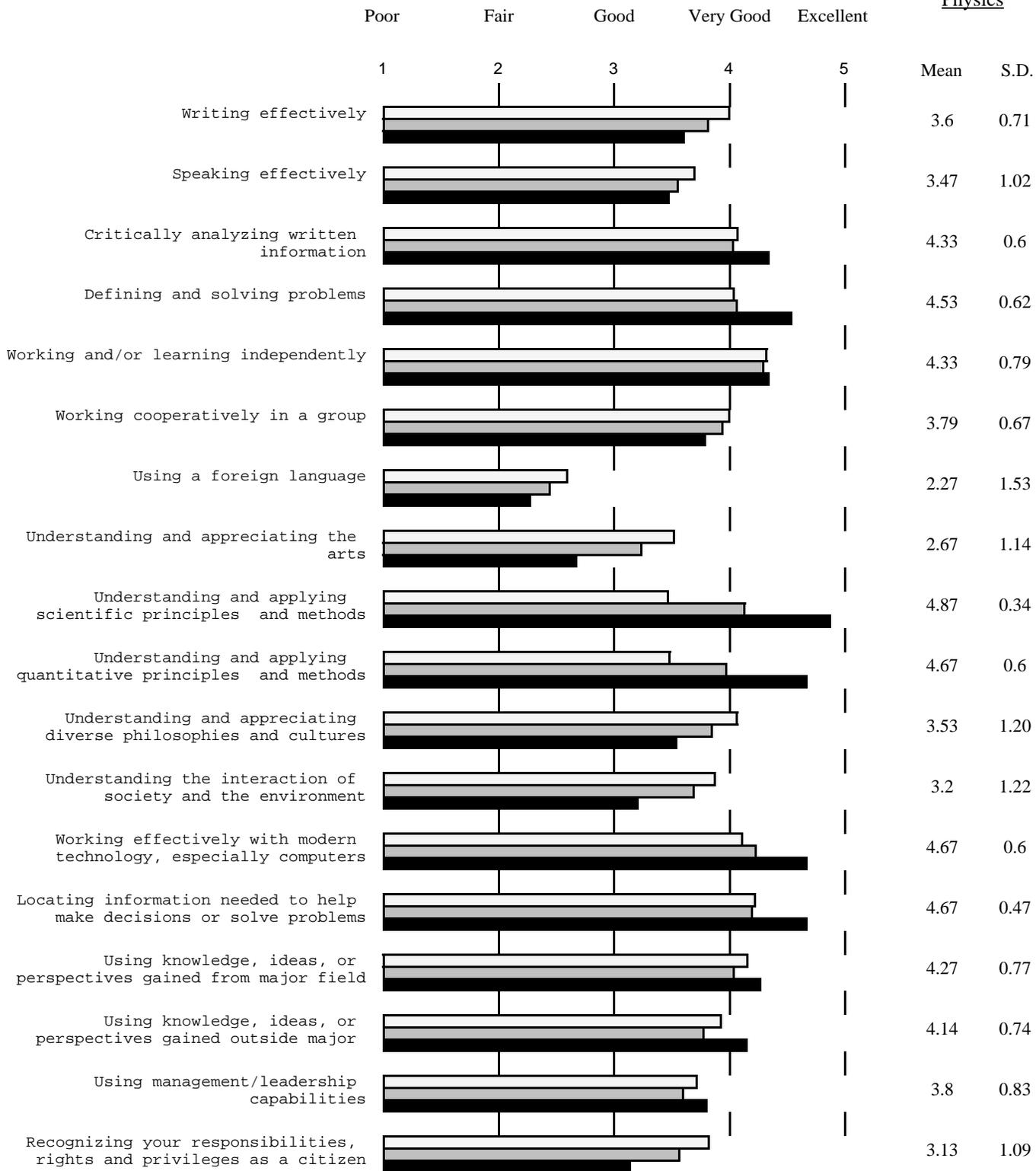


STUDENT OUTCOMES - Bachelor's Degree Recipients

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

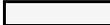
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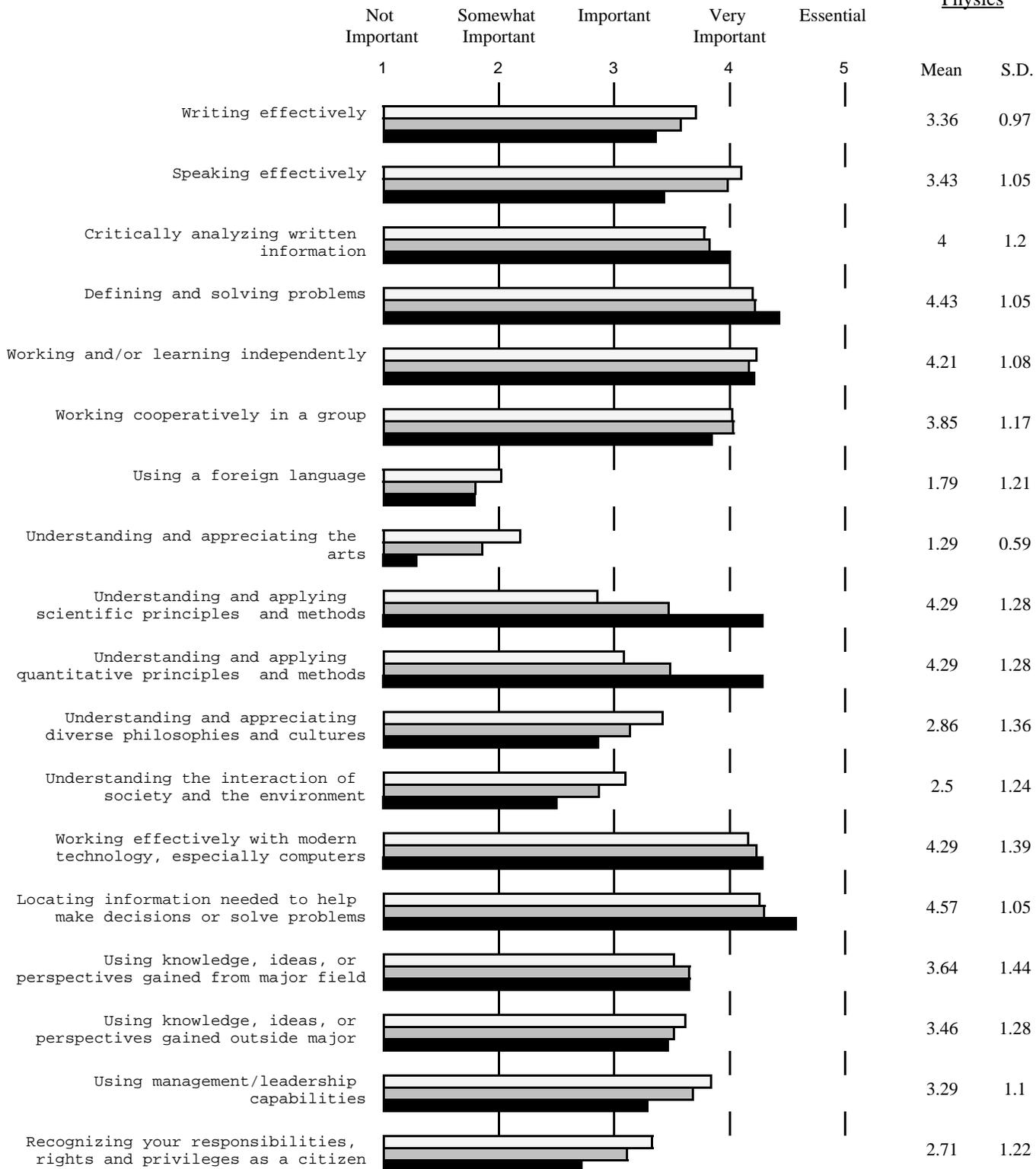


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NECESSITY: How important are each of these abilities to your current primary activity?

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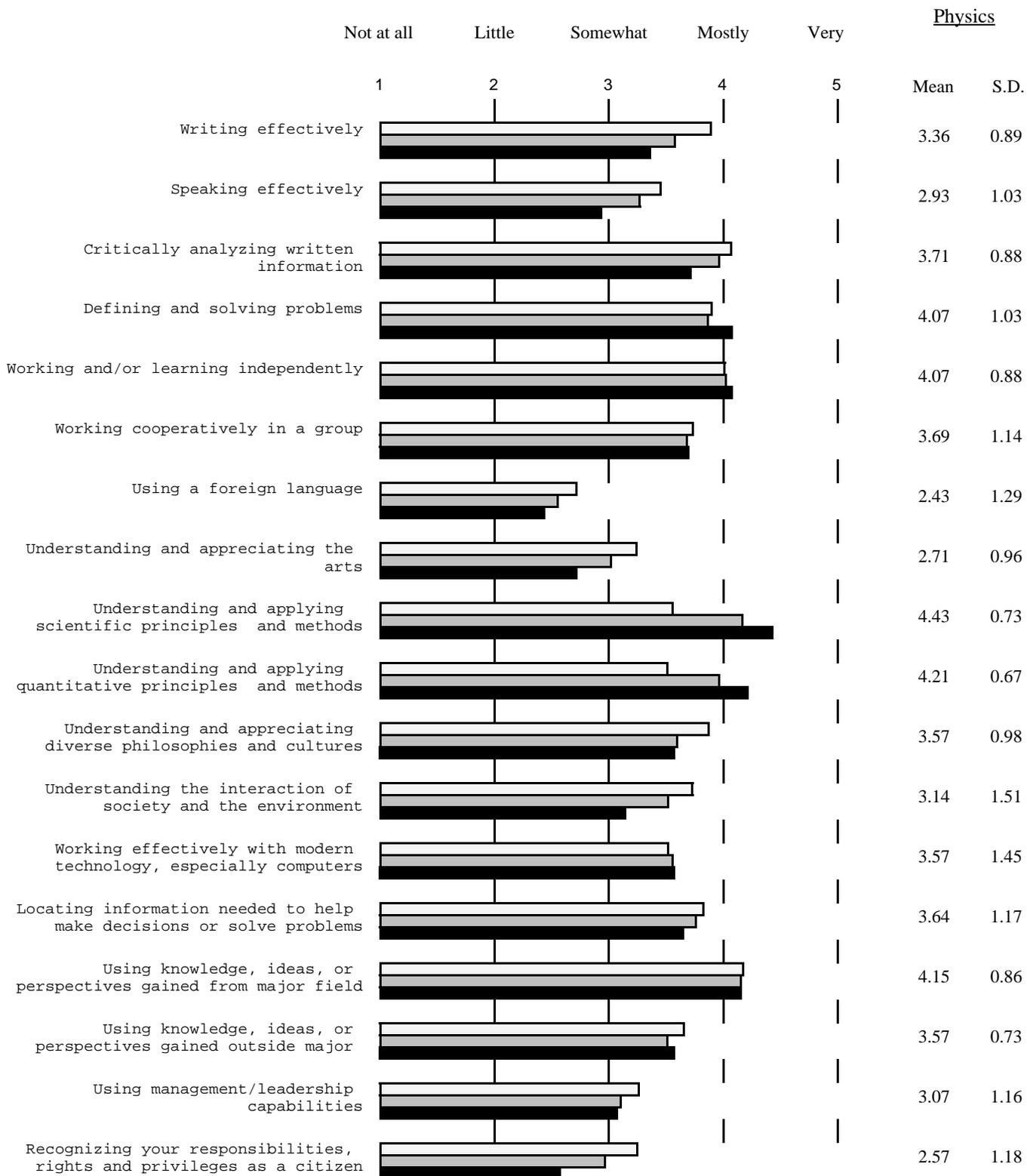
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SATISFACTION: How satisfied are you with the University of Washington's contribution to your development in each area?

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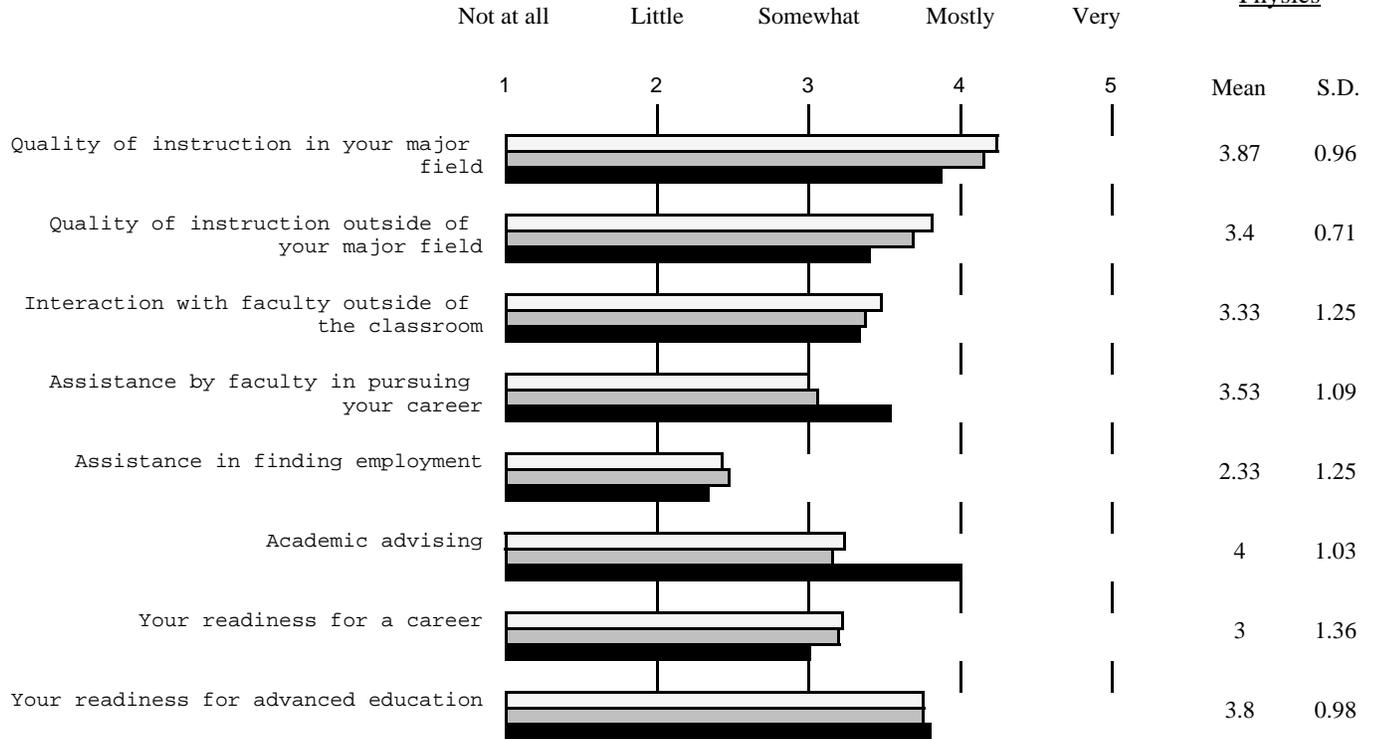


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In general, how satisfied are you with your UW education with regard to each of the following?

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CURRENT ACTIVITY ROSTER

Working

		Job Title	Employer
BACHELOR'S	Permanent in career:	Production Engineer	RAFI USA, Inc.
		Software Engineer	IBM Cloudant
		Software Engineer	Facebook, Inc.
	Career, change likely:	Software Test Engineer	TecAce Software Ltd.
		Biostatistical Scientist	Lancaster Laboratories
	Not career, full-time:	Peace Corps Volunteer	Peace Corps
	Not career, temporary:	CNC Operator and Rigger	MM Solutions
Part-time:		Janitor	Metropolitan Building Man
DOCTORATE	Permanent in career:	Software Engineer	Google
MASTER'S		R&D Scientist	Micro Encoder, Inc
		Teacher	Charles Wright Academy
		Research Scientist	UW

In School

	Program Level	Program	Field of study	Institution
BACHELOR'S	Masters/Doctoral	PhD	geophysics	Georgia Tech
		PhD	Plasma Physics	Princeton University
		Physics PhD	Physics	UC, Riverside
		Mechanical engineering	system design	UC Irvine
		5th Year Masters	Computer Engineering	UW
MASTER'S		Masters/PhD		UW