# 2015 Senior Exit Survey (N= 1073)



# **Academic Experience**

# To what extent did your Suffolk University course work enhance your skills in:

	To a Great	To Some		To No Extent			
	Extent	Extent	To a Little Extent	at All	No Opinion	N	Mean
Writing effectively	41.3%	43.3%	10.9%	2.1%	2.4%	1,069	3.27
Listening comprehension	37.6%	44.9%	10.9%	3.3%	3.3%	1,068	3.21
Reading comprehension	34.7%	43.1%	15.8%	3.5%	2.9%	1,067	3.12
Public speaking	48.8%	35.2%	10.5%	3.6%	2.0%	1,070	3.32
Thinking analytically	54.9%	36.3%	5.6%	1.9%	1.3%	1,064	3.46
Critical thinking	55.3%	34.6%	7.0%	1.5%	1.6%	1,068	3.46
Problem Solving	48.5%	39.6%	8.1%	2.0%	1.9%	1,067	3.37
Mathematics	20.8%	33.7%	24.1%	15.9%	5.4%	1,067	2.63
Using computer technology	32.6%	33.7%	19.9%	10.5%	3.3%	1,068	2.91
Working in a group	48.0%	32.5%	11.6%	5.0%	2.9%	1,067	3.27

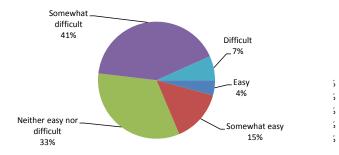
Mean Scale: To a Great Extent = 4, To Some Extent = 3, To a Little Extent = 2, To No Extent at All = 1

#### Please rate your level of satisfaction with the following with regard to courses IN YOUR MAJOR.

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat				
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Variety of courses offered	39.1%	40.7%	7.0%	7.9%	4.2%	1.1%	1,070	4.04
Number of electives offered	34.6%	35.9%	12.6%	9.7%	5.4%	1.8%	1,071	3.86
Class size	69.7%	21.5%	5.6%	1.0%	0.8%	1.3%	1,071	4.6
Quality of instruction	44.9%	36.6%	11.0%	4.5%	1.9%	1.1%	1,068	4.19
Knowledge gained from courses	52.3%	36.1%	6.1%	2.7%	1.6%	1.1%	1,068	4.36
Relevance of courses to your intended career	45.8%	34.0%	11.4%	4.2%	2.6%	2.1%	1,071	4.18
Skills learned	49.9%	36.5%	8.1%	3.1%	1.3%	1.1%	1,069	4.32
Opportunities for interaction with other students	53.7%	27.4%	11.2%	4.0%	1.8%	1.8%	1,068	4.3
Opportunities for interaction with teaching faculty	53.6%	29.9%	10.1%	3.0%	1.5%	1.9%	1,072	4.34



# Overall, how easy or difficult were courses taken in YOUR MAJOR? (N= 1072)

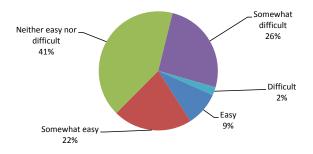


# Please rate your satisfaction with the following as applied to courses NOT IN YOUR MAJOR:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat				
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Variety of courses offered	34.8%	34.9%	16.1%	6.4%	3.6%	4.1%	1,072	3.95
Number of electives offered	35.7%	32.6%	16.0%	8.0%	3.3%	4.4%	1,072	3.94
Class size	48.9%	29.1%	13.6%	3.6%	1.0%	3.6%	1,071	4.26
Quality of instruction	33.3%	37.8%	17.1%	6.4%	2.8%	2.6%	1,072	3.95
Knowledge gained from courses	34.7%	38.2%	15.3%	6.1%	2.9%	2.9%	1,073	3.99
Skills learned	34.5%	35.4%	18.2%	5.5%	3.3%	3.1%	1,070	3.95
Opportunities for interaction with other students	39.3%	32.9%	16.3%	4.6%	2.8%	4.1%	1,073	4.06
Opportunities for interaction with teaching faculty	40.1%	31.6%	17.7%	4.2%	2.2%	4.1%	1,072	4.08
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# Overall, how easy or difficult were courses taken in your NOT IN YOUR MAJOR? (N= 1072)



# How successful do you feel you were at:

		Somewhat	Neither Successful	Somewhat				
	Successful	Successful	nor Unsuccessful	Unsuccessful	Unsuccessful	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Meeting academic expectations	52.1%	36.4%	7.5%	2.1%	0.7%	1.2%	1,073	4.39
Developing effective study skills	45.8%	38.0%	9.0%	4.3%	1.1%	1.8%	1,072	4.25
Managing your time effectively	46.6%	34.9%	11.7%	4.5%	0.9%	1.3%	1,073	4.23
Getting to know the faculty	38.6%	35.5%	15.4%	5.8%	2.4%	2.2%	1,072	4.04

Mean Scale: Successful = 4, Somewhat Successful = 3, Neither Successful nor Unsuccessful = 2, Unsuccessful = 1

# To what extent did your Suffolk University education help improve your ability to:

	To a Great	To Some		To No Extent			
	Extent	Extent	To a Little Extent	at All	No Opinion	N	Mean
Function effectively as a member of a team	46.2%	40.3%	8.4%	2.4%	2.7%	1,073	3.34
Function independently without supervision	54.9%	32.8%	6.7%	2.1%	3.4%	1,072	3.45
Relate to people of different backgrounds	60.3%	28.7%	5.8%	2.2%	3.0%	1,072	3.52
Be innovative	45.0%	39.2%	10.2%	2.9%	2.7%	1,071	3.3
Be open to innovation from others	50.0%	37.5%	8.1%	1.8%	2.6%	1,072	3.39
Identify ethical issues	54.0%	32.0%	7.7%	3.0%	3.4%	1,073	3.42
Resolve ethical issues	47.8%	35.4%	9.2%	3.9%	3.7%	1,072	3.32

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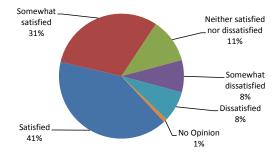
# **Faculty and Academic Advising**

Please indicate your level of agreement with the following about faculty in your major program.

	Strongly		Neither Agree nor		Strongly			
	Agree	Agree	Disagree	Disagree	Disagree	No Opinion	N	Mean
Set high expectations for learning	40.2%	42.7%	12.0%	2.6%	0.8%	1.7%	1,071	4.21
Respect diverse ways of learning	40.2%	40.4%	13.0%	3.6%	0.8%	2.0%	1,073	4.18
Encourage active involvement in the classroom	45.1%	39.4%	10.9%	2.3%	0.7%	1.7%	1,072	4.28
Promote student-faculty interaction	42.0%	37.8%	13.3%	4.2%	0.9%	1.8%	1,071	4.18
Give frequent feedback	37.0%	40.4%	14.8%	4.6%	1.4%	1.9%	1,071	4.09
Create ways for you to work cooperatively with other stur	41.6%	39.9%	13.3%	2.3%	0.8%	2.1%	1,070	4.22
Provide opportunities for learning beyond the classroom.	37.2%	36.4%	14.6%	6.3%	3.6%	1.8%	1,072	3.99
Present material with a global perspective	39.6%	35.4%	17.2%	3.4%	1.9%	2.5%	1,065	4.1

Mean Scale: Strongly Agree = 5, Agree = 4, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Disagree = 2, Strongly Disagree = 1

#### Overall, how satisfied are you with your academic advising? (N= 1071)



Please indicate your level of agreement with the following about experience with your faculty adviser.

	Strongly		Neither Agree nor		Strongly			
	Agree	Agree	Disagree	Disagree	Disagree	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Sufficient access to faculty adviser	39.6%	32.7%	13.2%	6.6%	4.9%	3.0%	1,072	3.98
Sufficient time with faculty adviser	37.2%	31.6%	14.6%	9.0%	4.7%	3.0%	1,072	3.9
Always cared about your academic success	38.5%	27.0%	18.3%	7.5%	6.1%	2.7%	1,073	3.87
Always cared about your welfare	36.7%	27.0%	19.7%	7.1%	5.6%	3.8%	1,070	3.85
Provided accurate information about registration & deadl	38.5%	32.0%	13.7%	7.0%	5.7%	3.1%	1,070	3.93
Provided accurate information about degree requirement	40.1%	31.6%	11.6%	7.3%	6.6%	2.8%	1,071	3.94
Provided guidance about post-graduation plans	30.0%	21.6%	18.1%	13.4%	12.1%	4.7%	1,072	3.46
Knowledge of campus polices	34.7%	28.5%	20.1%	6.0%	5.7%	5.0%	1,072	3.85
Overall, I am satisfied with my faculty adviser	37.2%	29.5%	15.7%	6.2%	7.8%	3.6%	1,071	3.85

Mean Scale: Strongly Agree = 5, Agree = 4, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Disagree = 2, Strongly Disagree = 1



# **University and Student Services**

# Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following facilities and centers:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat		Did not use/ No	Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Opinion	Responses	Mean
Sawyer Library	55.0%	28.7%	6.1%	4.1%	2.2%	3.9%	1,070	4.35
NESAD Library	14.1%	11.8%	11.8%	0.8%	1.6%	59.9%	1,067	3.89
Computer Labs	41.5%	34.8%	11.6%	3.9%	2.5%	5.7%	1,064	4.16
Interfaith Center/Campus Ministries	14.1%	12.1%	12.1%	1.4%	1.4%	58.8%	1,070	3.88
Health and Wellness	28.3%	23.9%	12.5%	4.6%	5.1%	25.7%	1,068	3.88
Counseling Center	23.2%	16.4%	10.9%	2.0%	3.4%	44.2%	1,069	3.97
Career Development Center	20.4%	20.5%	14.3%	8.6%	9.7%	26.4%	1,067	3.45

Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied = 3, Somewhat Dissatisfied = 2, Dissatisfied = 1

# Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following offices:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat		Did not use/ No	Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Opinion	Responses	Mean
Financial Aid Office	27.9%	25.0%	16.4%	5.6%	5.4%	19.6%	1,070	3.8
Student Accounts Office	30.5%	24.3%	18.0%	3.0%	3.9%	20.2%	1,068	3.93
Registrars Office	38.4%	30.9%	16.7%	4.5%	3.7%	5.8%	1,067	4.02
Residential Life Office	20.6%	20.4%	15.9%	4.4%	4.5%	34.2%	1,069	3.73
Off-Campus Housing Office	16.2%	15.7%	15.6%	3.1%	4.2%	45.2%	1,071	3.67
Student Activities Office	19.6%	17.8%	15.7%	1.9%	3.6%	41.5%	1,070	3.82
CIPS/Study Abroad Office	18.1%	16.1%	13.8%	1.8%	2.1%	48.0%	1,070	3.89
CIPS/International Student Services	17.1%	13.0%	13.0%	0.8%	0.9%	55.2%	1,066	3.99
Dean of Students Office	27.1%	20.8%	13.2%	1.9%	3.4%	33.7%	1,068	4.0
Office of Diversity Services	19.7%	15.6%	12.7%	0.7%	1.5%	50.0%	1,067	4.02

Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied = 3, Somewhat Dissatisfied = 2, Dissatisfied = 1

# Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following Academic Success services:

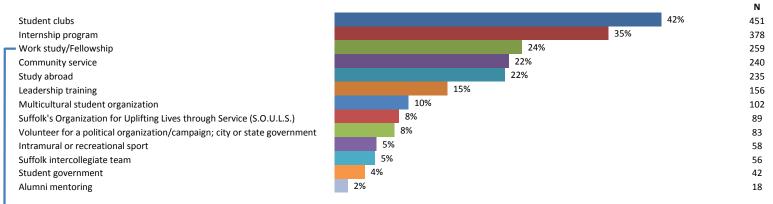
	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Did not use/ No Opinion	Total Responses	Mean
CLAS/Study Groups	20.1%	12.5%	11.7%	0.8%	1.2%	53.7%	1,071	4.07
CLAS/Math Tutoring	21.2%	14.8%	11.3%	1.0%	2.1%	49.6%	1,070	403
CLAS/English Tutoring	15.8%	10.8%	11.0%	0.4%	1.2%	60.8%	1,068	4.01
CLAS/Writing Tutoring	18.7%	13.2%	11.6%	0.9%	1.3%	54.2%	1,068	4.03
Office of Disability Services	13.9%	9.6%	12.8%	0.4%	0.9%	62.3%	1,061	3.94
Undergraduate Academic Advising Center	24.2%	21.8%	13.3%	2.4%	3.4%	34.9%	1,069	3.94
Center for Academic Access Opportunity (CAAO)	12.4%	11.4%	12.1%	0.4%	1.3%	62.4%	1,069	3.89
Student Success Advising (Appointments)	14.1%	12.2%	12.6%	0.6%	1.7%	58.8%	1,071	3.89

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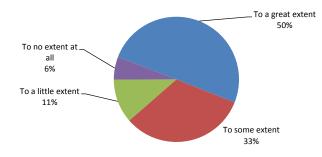


# **Extracurricular and Non-Academic Experience**

While at Suffolk University, did you participate in any of the following? Please select all that apply.



apuring your work study/fellowship experience to what extent did your the department/office staff give academic support? (N= 255)



# Please rate your satisfaction with the following:

		Somewhat	Neither satisfied	Somewhat			Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Responses	Mean
Campus social events & activities	23.0%	25.7%	16.7%	9.1%	7.3%	18.1%	1,069	3.59
Opportunities to participate in civic engagement	20.0%	20.7%	18.1%	4.0%	4.1%	33.1%	1,068	3.72
Opportunities to participate in community service	25.0%	21.6%	16.6%	3.6%	4.1%	29.1%	1,067	3.84
Exposure to student clubs/organizations	25.7%	25.0%	16.1%	7.7%	6.6%	18.9%	1,068	3.68
Networking opportunities (i.e., job fairs, meet-ups)	25.0%	26.8%	16.7%	8.9%	6.8%	15.7%	1,067	3.64

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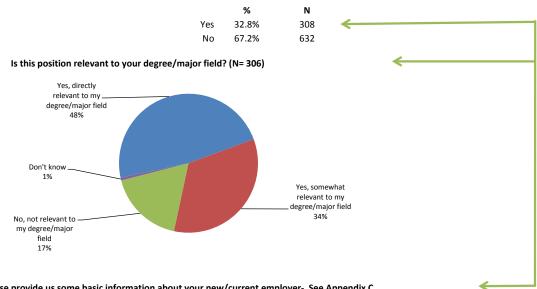
# **Post-Graduation Plans**

Please indicate your immediate and future plans after graduation

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	Ν	%	N	%
Attend graduate/professional school	180	16.8%	557	51.9%
Work full-time	798	74.4%	438	40.8%
- Work part-time	331	30.8%	81	7.5%
Participate in community service organization(s)	264	24.6%	194	18.1%
Serve in Armed Forces/Peace Corp	7	0.7%	51	4.8%
Travel	522	48.6%	462	43.1%
Doing volunteer work	312	29.1%	250	23.3%
Stay at home to be with or start a family	86	8.0%	198	18.5%
Not sure	135	12.6%	104	9.7%
Other - See Appendix A	38	3.5%	25	2.3%

What is the name of the Institution you will be attending and your field of study? - See Appendix B

Have you currently accepted an employment position? (N= 940)



Please provide us some basic information about your new/current employer- See Appendix C



# **Overall Assessment of the Suffolk Exerience**

What are the three greatest strengths of your degree program? - Appendix D

What do you think are three weaknesses that need to be improved in your degree program? -See Appendix E

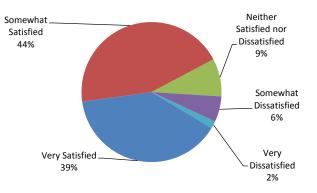
If you could do it all over again, would you still choose to enroll in your degree program? (N= 1065)

	%	N
Yes	68.9%	734
No	14.0%	149
Don't Know	17.1%	182

If you could do it all over again, would you still choose to attend Suffolk University? (N= 1063)

	%	Ν
Yes	56.2%	597
No	17.1%	182
Don't Know	26.7%	284

# Overall, how satisfied are you with your Suffolk University education? (N= 1064)



# Please provide any additional comments about your experience at Suffolk University. - See Appendix F



# **Academic Experience**

To what extent did your Suffolk University course work enhance your skills in:

	To a Great	To Some		To No Extent			
	Extent	Extent	To a Little Extent	at All	No Opinion	N	Mean
Writing effectively	42.1%	42.4%	10.7%	1.7%	3.0%	629	3.29
Listening comprehension	35.3%	45.8%	11.4%	3.7%	3.8%	629	3.17
Reading comprehension	33.9%	42.6%	16.9%	3.3%	3.3%	629	3.11
Public speaking	41.0%	36.7%	14.3%	5.4%	2.7%	630	3.16
Thinking analytically	50.4%	38.8%	6.9%	2.4%	1.6%	627	3.39
Critical thinking	52.9%	34.6%	8.9%	1.8%	1.9%	628	3.41
Problem Solving	43.8%	40.8%	10.2%	2.9%	2.4%	628	3.29
Mathematics	16.7%	26.8%	26.0%	23.0%	7.5%	627	2.4
Using computer technology	27.3%	30.5%	21.9%	15.7%	4.6%	630	2.73
Working in a group	36.1%	36.8%	16.4%	7.3%	3.3%	628	3.05

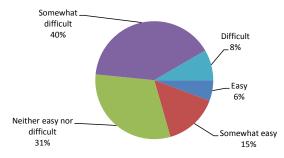
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Number of electives offered	32.1%	34.7%	12.7%	10.9%	7.8%	1.9%	632	3.74
Class size	69.1%	21.9%	5.5%	1.3%	0.6%	1.6%	631	4.6
Quality of instruction	46.9%	33.9%	11.3%	4.9%	1.6%	1.4%	629	4.21
Knowledge gained from courses	54.4%	32.9%	6.4%	3.0%	1.9%	1.4%	629	4.37
Relevance of courses to your intended career	44.5%	32.0%	11.9%	5.2%	3.5%	2.9%	631	4.12
Skills learned	50.1%	34.7%	8.9%	3.7%	1.3%	1.4%	629	4.3
Opportunities for interaction with other students	50.6%	27.5%	13.0%	4.4%	2.2%	2.2%	630	4.23
Opportunities for interaction with teaching faculty	55.5%	26.4%	9.7%	4.3%	1.9%	2.2%	632	4.32



# Overall, how easy or difficult were courses taken in YOUR MAJOR? (N= 632)



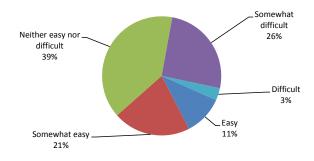
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Number of electives offered	31.4%	32.3%	17.0%	9.0%	4.8%	5.5%	631	3.81
Class size	44.9%	29.7%	15.6%	3.8%	1.4%	4.6%	630	4.18
Quality of instruction	31.8%	34.0%	19.8%	7.4%	3.6%	3.3%	632	3.86
Knowledge gained from courses	32.8%	36.6%	16.5%	7.0%	3.6%	3.6%	632	3.91
Skills learned	30.8%	35.4%	19.7%	6.3%	4.0%	3.8%	630	3.86
Opportunities for interaction with other students	34.7%	30.5%	19.6%	6.0%	4.1%	5.1%	632	3.9
Opportunities for interaction with teaching faculty	35.5%	29.8%	21.2%	5.2%	3.5%	4.8%	631	3.93
Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor	Dissatisfied = 3, So	mewhat Dissatisfied	d = 2, Dissatisfied = 1					

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# Overall, how easy or difficult were courses taken in your NOT IN YOUR MAJOR? (N= 632)



# How successful do you feel you were at:

		Somewhat	Neither Successful	Somewhat				
	Successful	Successful	nor Unsuccessful	Unsuccessful	Unsuccessful	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Meeting academic expectations	52.8%	35.1%	7.0%	2.5%	0.9%	1.6%	632	4.39
Developing effective study skills	42.8%	38.2%	9.7%	5.5%	1.4%	2.4%	631	4.18
Managing your time effectively	43.8%	34.5%	13.1%	5.4%	1.4%	1.7%	632	4.16
Getting to know the faculty	39.2%	34.2%	15.3%	6.5%	2.5%	2.2%	632	4.03

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# To what extent did your Suffolk University education help improve your ability to:

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	Extent	Extent	To a Little Extent	at All	No Opinion	N	Mean
Function effectively as a member of a team	38.4%	43.7%	11.2%	2.5%	4.1%	632	3.23
Function independently without supervision	54.3%	32.4%	6.8%	2.5%	4.0%	632	3.44
Relate to people of different backgrounds	57.6%	28.8%	6.8%	2.7%	4.1%	632	3.47
Be innovative	42.6%	40.3%	9.2%	3.6%	4.3%	631	3.27
Be open to innovation from others	47.7%	37.9%	8.1%	2.5%	3.8%	631	3.36
Identify ethical issues	51.6%	31.3%	8.7%	3.5%	4.9%	632	3.38
Resolve ethical issues	44.8%	34.9%	10.3%	4.4%	5.5%	631	3.27

Mean Scale: To a Great Extent = 4, To Some Extent = 3, To a Little Extent = 2, To No Extent at All = 1



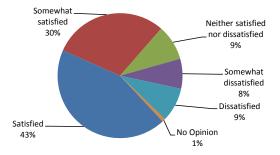
# **Faculty and Academic Advising**

Please indicate your level of agreement with the following about faculty in your major program.

	Strongly		Neither Agree nor		Strongly			
	Agree	Agree	Disagree	Disagree	Disagree	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Set high expectations for learning	40.9%	40.4%	13.0%	2.7%	1.0%	2.1%	631	4.2
Respect diverse ways of learning	42.2%	37.0%	13.6%	4.1%	0.8%	2.2%	632	4.18
Encourage active involvement in the classroom	47.4%	35.5%	11.7%	2.5%	0.8%	2.1%	631	4.29
Promote student-faculty interaction	44.4%	33.4%	13.8%	4.9%	1.4%	2.1%	631	4.17
Give frequent feedback	37.7%	38.1%	15.8%	4.9%	1.4%	2.1%	632	4.08
Create ways for you to work cooperatively with other stur	39.5%	38.3%	15.4%	3.0%	1.1%	2.7%	630	4.15
Provide opportunities for learning beyond the classroom.	38.6%	34.3%	14.7%	6.0%	4.1%	2.2%	632	4.0
Present material with a global perspective	37.8%	31.7%	19.9%	4.5%	2.6%	3.5%	627	4.01

Mean Scale: Strongly Agree = 5, Agree = 4, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Disagree = 2, Strongly Disagree = 1

#### Overall, how satisfied are you with your academic advising? (N= 631)



Please indicate your level of agreement with the following about experience with your faculty adviser.

	Strongly	ongly Neither Agree nor			Strongly			
	Agree	Agree	Disagree	Disagree	Disagree	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Sufficient access to faculty adviser	42.9%	30.6%	12.0%	6.8%	4.6%	3.0%	631	4.04
Sufficient time with faculty adviser	40.8%	29.0%	13.6%	9.0%	4.6%	3.0%	632	3.95
Always cared about your academic success	42.1%	24.5%	18.4%	6.8%	5.9%	2.4%	632	3.92
Always cared about your welfare	39.4%	24.2%	19.7%	6.7%	6.2%	3.8%	629	3.87
Provided accurate information about registration & deadl	41.6%	29.4%	13.8%	6.8%	5.4%	3.0%	630	3.98
Provided accurate information about degree requirement	43.6%	29.2%	11.4%	6.7%	6.7%	2.5%	631	3.99
Provided guidance about post-graduation plans	32.4%	18.0%	17.9%	13.1%	13.9%	4.6%	632	3.44
Knowledge of campus polices	37.8%	26.2%	19.1%	5.7%	5.9%	5.2%	632	3.89
Overall, I am satisfied with my faculty adviser	39.8%	28.5%	14.6%	5.9%	7.8%	3.5%	631	3.9

Mean Scale: Strongly Agree = 5, Agree = 4, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Disagree = 2, Strongly Disagree = 1



# **University and Student Services**

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following facilities and centers:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat		Did not use/ No	Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Opinion	Responses	Mean
Sawyer Library	50.9%	30.0%	6.2%	3.5%	3.2%	6.2%	629	4.3
NESAD Library	13.2%	9.9%	9.6%	0.6%	2.2%	64.4%	627	3.88
Computer Labs	35.1%	35.1%	13.7%	4.8%	3.4%	7.8%	626	4.02
Interfaith Center/Campus Ministries	11.6%	8.4%	11.3%	1.1%	1.6%	66.0%	629	3.8
Health and Wellness	26.6%	22.6%	13.1%	4.3%	5.3%	28.2%	628	3.85
Counseling Center	21.1%	14.3%	9.7%	1.3%	3.7%	49.9%	629	3.96
Career Development Center	19.6%	17.9%	13.7%	7.2%	8.6%	33.0%	627	3.49

Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied = 3, Somewhat Dissatisfied = 2, Dissatisfied = 1

#### Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following offices:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat		Did not use/ No	Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Opinion	Responses	Mean
Financial Aid Office	27.3%	25.0%	15.1%	7.0%	6.8%	18.8%	629	3.73
Student Accounts Office	29.5%	22.1%	18.2%	3.7%	5.1%	21.5%	628	3.86
Registrars Office	35.4%	31.9%	17.2%	5.3%	4.6%	5.6%	627	3.93
Residential Life Office	20.5%	17.8%	15.9%	5.1%	5.6%	35.1%	629	3.66
Off-Campus Housing Office	15.1%	13.5%	13.3%	3.2%	5.2%	49.7%	630	3.6
Student Activities Office	17.8%	16.2%	13.7%	2.2%	4.3%	45.9%	630	3.76
CIPS/Study Abroad Office	17.6%	14.9%	11.6%	1.7%	2.7%	51.4%	630	3.89
CIPS/International Student Services	12.9%	9.7%	11.7%	0.8%	1.4%	63.4%	626	3.87
Dean of Students Office	27.9%	19.9%	12.9%	2.2%	4.6%	32.5%	628	3.95
Office of Diversity Services	19.3%	14.8%	11.5%	0.8%	2.2%	51.4%	628	3.99

Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied = 3, Somewhat Dissatisfied = 2, Dissatisfied = 1

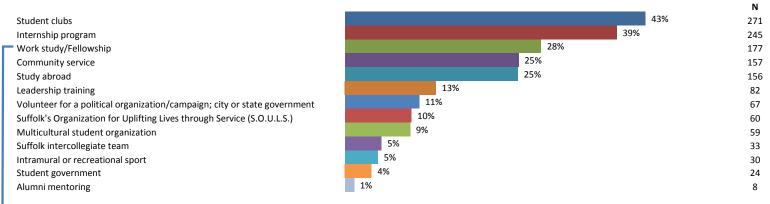
# Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following Academic Success services:

	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Did not use/ No Opinion	Total Responses	Mean
CLAS/Study Groups	16.7%	9.5%	10.3%	0.5%	1.6%	61.4%	630	4.02
CLAS/Math Tutoring	18.4%	10.8%	9.8%	1.0%	2.5%	57.5%	630	3.98
CLAS/English Tutoring	12.4%	8.6%	9.2%	0.2%	1.7%	67.9%	629	3.93
CLAS/Writing Tutoring	15.6%	10.8%	9.7%	0.8%	1.8%	61.3%	628	3.98
Office of Disability Services	10.9%	8.2%	10.3%	0.5%	1.0%	69.2%	624	3.9
Undergraduate Academic Advising Center	19.2%	19.0%	12.4%	2.4%	2.7%	44.3%	630	3.89
Center for Academic Access Opportunity (CAAO)	9.4%	8.8%	10.4%	0.5%	1.4%	69.6%	628	3.8
Student Success Advising (Appointments)	10.8%	8.6%	11.1%	0.3%	1.4%	67.8%	630	3.84

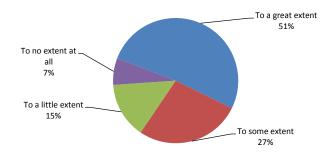


# **Extracurricular and Non-Academic Experience**

While at Suffolk University, did you participate in any of the following? Please select all that apply.



During your work study/fellowship experience to what extent did your the department/office staff give academic support? (N= 173)



# Please rate your satisfaction with the following:

		Somewhat	Neither satisfied	Somewhat			Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Responses	Mean
Campus social events & activities	21.0%	25.6%	15.7%	10.0%	8.9%	18.8%	629	3.49
Opportunities to participate in civic engagement	18.0%	19.3%	17.5%	4.3%	4.9%	36.0%	628	3.64
Opportunities to participate in community service	24.2%	19.8%	15.5%	4.3%	4.9%	31.3%	627	3.79
Exposure to student clubs/organizations	24.8%	23.4%	15.4%	8.3%	8.1%	19.9%	628	3.61
Networking opportunities (i.e., job fairs, meet-ups)	24.1%	22.5%	15.9%	10.0%	8.8%	18.7%	627	3.53



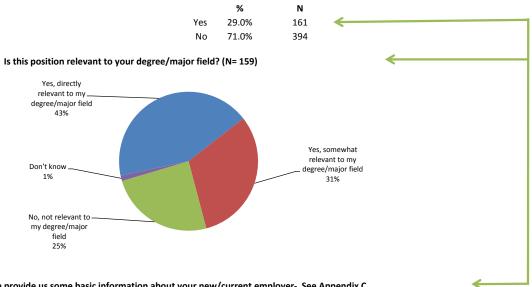
# **Post-Graduation Plans**

Please indicate your immediate and future plans after graduation

	This Fall		In Five Year	S
	Ν	%	N	%
Attend graduate/professional school	96	15.2%	329	52.1%
Work full-time	464	73.4%	263	41.6%
- Work part-time	203	32.1%	53	8.4%
Participate in community service organization(s)	163	25.8%	118	18.7%
Serve in Armed Forces/Peace Corp	3	0.5%	31	4.9%
Travel	325	51.4%	271	42.9%
Doing volunteer work	197	31.2%	154	24.4%
Stay at home to be with or start a family	48	7.6%	114	18.0%
Not sure	82	13.0%	64	10.1%
Other - See Appendix A	25	4.0%	17	2.7%

What is the name of the Institution you will be attending and your field of study? - See Appendix B

Have you currently accepted an employment position? (N= 555)



Please provide us some basic information about your new/current employer- See Appendix C



# **Overall Assessment of the Suffolk Exerience**

#### What are the three greatest strengths of your degree program? - Appendix D

What do you think are three weaknesses that need to be improved in your degree program? -See Appendix E

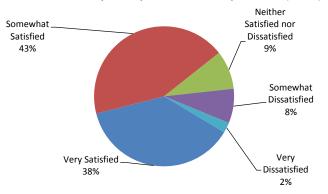
#### If you could do it all over again, would you still choose to enroll in your degree program? (N= 629)

	%	Ν
Yes	66.1%	416
No	15.4%	97
Don't Know	18.4%	116

# If you could do it all over again, would you still choose to attend Suffolk University? (N= 627)

	%	Ν
Yes	53.7%	337
No	18.8%	118
Don't Know	27.4%	172

#### Overall, how satisfied are you with your Suffolk University education? (N= 628)



# Please provide any additional comments about your experience at Suffolk University. - See Appendix F



# **Academic Experience**

To what extent did your Suffolk University course work enhance your skills in:

	To a Great	To Some		To No Extent			
	Extent	Extent	To a Little Extent	at All	No Opinion	N	Mean
Writing effectively	40.0%	44.5%	11.4%	2.5%	1.6%	440	3.24
Listening comprehension	41.0%	43.7%	10.0%	2.7%	2.5%	439	3.26
Reading comprehension	35.8%	43.8%	14.4%	3.7%	2.3%	438	3.14
Public speaking	60.0%	33.2%	5.0%	0.9%	0.9%	440	3.54
Thinking analytically	61.3%	32.7%	3.9%	1.1%	0.9%	437	3.56
Critical thinking	58.9%	34.5%	4.3%	1.1%	1.1%	440	3.53
Problem Solving	55.4%	37.8%	5.0%	0.7%	1.1%	439	3.5
Mathematics	26.6%	43.6%	21.4%	5.9%	2.5%	440	2.93
Using computer technology	40.2%	38.4%	17.1%	3.0%	1.4%	438	3.18
Working in a group	64.9%	26.4%	4.8%	1.6%	2.3%	439	3.58

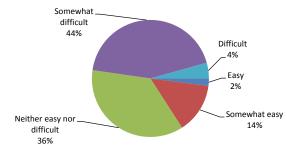
Mean Scale: To a Great Extent = 4, To Some Extent = 3, To a Little Extent = 2, To No Extent at All = 1

#### Please rate your level of satisfaction with the following with regard to courses IN YOUR MAJOR.

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat				
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Variety of courses offered	45.5%	42.3%	6.6%	3.9%	1.1%	0.7%	440	4.28
Number of electives offered	38.3%	37.6%	12.5%	8.0%	2.1%	1.6%	439	4.04
Class size	70.7%	20.9%	5.7%	0.7%	1.1%	0.9%	440	4.61
Quality of instruction	41.9%	40.5%	10.7%	3.9%	2.3%	0.7%	439	4.17
Knowledge gained from courses	49.4%	40.8%	5.7%	2.3%	1.1%	0.7%	439	4.36
Relevance of courses to your intended career	47.5%	36.8%	10.7%	2.7%	1.4%	0.9%	440	4.28
Skills learned	49.5%	39.1%	7.0%	2.3%	1.4%	0.7%	440	4.34
Opportunities for interaction with other students	58.2%	27.4%	8.7%	3.4%	1.1%	1.1%	438	4.4
Opportunities for interaction with teaching faculty	50.9%	35.0%	10.7%	1.1%	0.9%	1.4%	440	4.36



# Overall, how easy or difficult were courses taken in YOUR MAJOR? (N= 440)



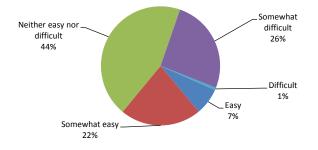
# Please rate your satisfaction with the following as applied to courses NOT IN YOUR MAJOR:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat				
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Variety of courses offered	40.1%	36.1%	16.3%	4.1%	1.1%	2.3%	441	4.13
Number of electives offered	42.0%	32.9%	14.7%	6.6%	1.1%	2.7%	441	4.11
Class size	54.6%	28.3%	10.9%	3.4%	0.5%	2.3%	441	4.36
Quality of instruction	35.5%	43.2%	13.2%	5.0%	1.6%	1.6%	440	4.08
Knowledge gained from courses	37.4%	40.6%	13.6%	4.8%	1.8%	1.8%	441	4.09
Skills learned	39.8%	35.5%	16.1%	4.3%	2.3%	2.0%	440	4.08
Opportunities for interaction with other students	46.0%	36.3%	11.6%	2.5%	0.9%	2.7%	441	4.28
Opportunities for interaction with teaching faculty	46.7%	34.2%	12.7%	2.7%	0.5%	3.2%	441	4.28
Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied no	or Dissatisfied = 3, So	mewhat Dissatisfied	d = 2, Dissatisfied = 1					

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#### Overall, how easy or difficult were courses taken in your NOT IN YOUR MAJOR? (N= 440)



# How successful do you feel you were at:

		Somewhat	Neither Successful	Somewhat				
	Successful	Successful	nor Unsuccessful	Unsuccessful	Unsuccessful	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
Meeting academic expectations	51.0%	38.3%	8.2%	1.6%	0.2%	0.7%	441	4.39
Developing effective study skills	50.1%	37.6%	8.2%	2.5%	0.7%	0.9%	441	4.35
Managing your time effectively	50.6%	35.6%	9.8%	3.2%	0.2%	0.7%	441	4.34
Getting to know the faculty	37.7%	37.5%	15.5%	4.8%	2.3%	2.3%	440	4.06

Mean Scale: Successful = 4, Somewhat Successful = 3, Neither Successful nor Unsuccessful = 2, Unsuccessful = 1

# To what extent did your Suffolk University education help improve your ability to:

	To a Great	To Some		To No Extent			
	Extent	Extent	To a Little Extent	at All	No Opinion	N	Mean
Function effectively as a member of a team	57.4%	35.4%	4.3%	2.3%	0.7%	441	3.49
Function independently without supervision	55.9%	33.4%	6.6%	1.6%	2.5%	440	3.47
Relate to people of different backgrounds	64.1%	28.6%	4.3%	1.6%	1.4%	440	3.57
Be innovative	48.4%	37.7%	11.6%	1.8%	0.5%	440	3.33
Be open to innovation from others	53.3%	37.0%	8.2%	0.7%	0.9%	441	3.44
Identify ethical issues	57.4%	32.9%	6.3%	2.3%	1.1%	441	3.47
Resolve ethical issues	51.9%	36.1%	7.7%	3.2%	1.1%	441	3.38

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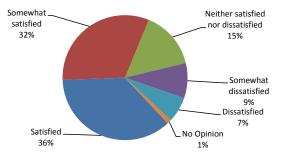
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Respect diverse ways of learning	37.2%	45.4%	12.0%	2.9%	0.9%	1.6%	441	4.17
Encourage active involvement in the classroom	41.7%	44.9%	9.8%	2.0%	0.5%	1.1%	441	4.27
Promote student-faculty interaction	38.6%	44.1%	12.5%	3.2%	0.2%	1.4%	440	4.19
Give frequent feedback	36.0%	43.7%	13.2%	4.1%	1.4%	1.6%	439	4.11
Create ways for you to work cooperatively with other stud	44.5%	42.3%	10.2%	1.4%	0.5%	1.1%	440	4.31
Provide opportunities for learning beyond the classroom.	35.2%	39.3%	14.5%	6.8%	3.0%	1.1%	440	3.98
Present material with a global perspective	42.2%	40.6%	13.2%	1.8%	0.9%	1.1%	438	4.23

Mean Scale: Strongly Agree = 5, Agree = 4, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Disagree = 2, Strongly Disagree = 1

#### Overall, how satisfied are you with your academic advising? (N= 440)



Please indicate your level of agreement with the following about experience with your faculty adviser.

Strongly		Neither Agree nor		Strongly			
Agree	Agree	Disagree	Disagree	Disagree	No Opinion	Ν	Mean
34.7%	35.8%	14.7%	6.3%	5.4%	2.9%	441	3.91
32.0%	35.5%	15.9%	8.9%	4.8%	3.0%	440	3.84
33.3%	30.6%	18.1%	8.4%	6.3%	3.2%	441	3.79
32.9%	31.1%	19.7%	7.7%	4.8%	3.9%	441	3.83
34.1%	35.7%	13.6%	7.3%	6.1%	3.2%	440	3.87
35.2%	35.0%	11.8%	8.2%	6.6%	3.2%	440	3.87
26.6%	26.8%	18.4%	13.9%	9.5%	4.8%	440	3.49
30.2%	31.6%	21.6%	6.4%	5.5%	4.8%	440	3.79
33.4%	30.9%	17.3%	6.6%	8.0%	3.9%	440	3.78
	Agree 34.7% 32.0% 33.3% 32.9% 34.1% 35.2% 26.6% 30.2%	Agree Agree   34.7% 35.8%   32.0% 35.5%   33.3% 30.6%   32.9% 31.1%   34.1% 35.7%   35.2% 35.0%   26.6% 26.8%   30.2% 31.6%	AgreeAgreeDisagree34.7%35.8%14.7%32.0%35.5%15.9%33.3%30.6%18.1%32.9%31.1%19.7%34.1%35.7%13.6%35.2%35.0%11.8%26.6%26.8%18.4%30.2%31.6%21.6%	AgreeAgreeDisagree34.7%35.8%14.7%6.3%32.0%35.5%15.9%8.9%33.3%30.6%18.1%8.4%32.9%31.1%19.7%7.7%34.1%35.7%13.6%7.3%35.2%35.0%11.8%8.2%26.6%26.8%18.4%13.9%30.2%31.6%21.6%6.4%	AgreeAgreeDisagreeDisagree34.7%35.8%14.7%6.3%5.4%32.0%35.5%15.9%8.9%4.8%33.3%30.6%18.1%8.4%6.3%32.9%31.1%19.7%7.7%4.8%34.1%35.7%13.6%7.3%6.1%35.2%35.0%11.8%8.2%6.6%26.6%26.8%18.4%13.9%9.5%30.2%31.6%21.6%6.4%5.5%	AgreeAgreeDisagreeDisagreeDisagreeNo Opinion34.7%35.8%14.7%6.3%5.4%2.9%32.0%35.5%15.9%8.9%4.8%3.0%33.3%30.6%18.1%8.4%6.3%3.2%32.9%31.1%19.7%7.7%4.8%3.9%34.1%35.7%13.6%7.3%6.1%3.2%35.2%35.0%11.8%8.2%6.6%3.2%26.6%26.8%18.4%13.9%9.5%4.8%30.2%31.6%21.6%6.4%5.5%4.8%	AgreeAgreeDisagreeDisagreeDisagreeNo OpinionN34.7%35.8%14.7%6.3%5.4%2.9%44132.0%35.5%15.9%8.9%4.8%3.0%44033.3%30.6%18.1%8.4%6.3%3.2%44132.9%31.1%19.7%7.7%4.8%3.9%44134.1%35.7%13.6%7.3%6.1%3.2%44035.2%35.0%11.8%8.2%6.6%3.2%44026.6%26.8%18.4%13.9%9.5%4.8%44030.2%31.6%21.6%6.4%5.5%4.8%440

Mean Scale: Strongly Agree = 5, Agree = 4, Neither Agree nor Disagree = 3, Disagree = 2, Strongly Disagree = 1



# **University and Student Services**

Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following facilities and centers:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat		Did not use/ No	Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Opinion	Responses	Mean
Sawyer Library	60.8%	26.8%	5.9%	5.0%	0.9%	0.7%	441	4.42
NESAD Library	15.2%	14.5%	15.0%	1.1%	0.7%	53.4%	440	3.91
Computer Labs	50.7%	34.2%	8.4%	2.5%	1.4%	2.7%	438	4.34
Interfaith Center/Campus Ministries	17.7%	17.5%	13.4%	1.8%	1.1%	48.5%	441	3.95
Health and Wellness	30.7%	25.7%	11.6%	5.0%	5.0%	22.0%	440	3.92
Counseling Center	26.1%	19.3%	12.5%	3.0%	3.0%	36.1%	440	3.98
Career Development Center	21.6%	24.3%	15.2%	10.7%	11.1%	17.0%	440	3.42

Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied = 3, Somewhat Dissatisfied = 2, Dissatisfied = 1

#### Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following offices:

		Somewhat	Neither Satisfied	Somewhat		Did not use/ No	Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Opinion	Responses	Mean
Financial Aid Office	28.8%	24.9%	18.4%	3.6%	3.4%	20.9%	441	3.91
Student Accounts Office	32.0%	27.5%	17.7%	2.0%	2.3%	18.4%	440	4.04
Registrars Office	42.7%	29.5%	15.9%	3.4%	2.3%	6.1%	440	4.14
Residential Life Office	20.7%	24.1%	15.9%	3.4%	3.0%	33.0%	440	3.84
Off-Campus Housing Office	17.9%	18.8%	18.8%	2.9%	2.7%	38.8%	441	3.76
Student Activities Office	22.3%	20.0%	18.6%	1.4%	2.5%	35.2%	440	3.9
CIPS/Study Abroad Office	18.9%	17.7%	17.0%	1.8%	1.4%	43.2%	440	3.9
CIPS/International Student Services	23.0%	17.7%	15.0%	0.7%	0.2%	43.4%	440	4.1
Dean of Students Office	25.9%	22.0%	13.6%	1.4%	1.6%	35.5%	440	4.07
Office of Diversity Services	20.3%	16.6%	14.4%	0.5%	0.5%	47.8%	439	4.07

Mean Scale: Satisfied = 5, Somewhat Satisfied = 4, Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied = 3, Somewhat Dissatisfied = 2, Dissatisfied = 1

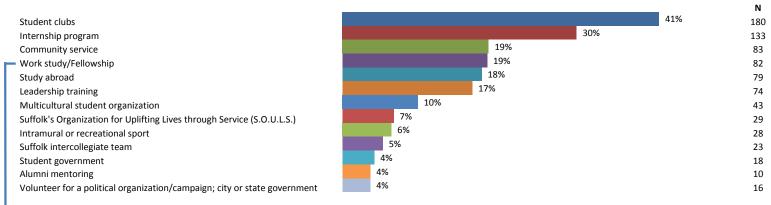
# Please rate your satisfaction with each of the following Academic Success services:

	Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Did not use/ No Opinion	Total Responses	Mean
CLAS/Study Groups	24.9%	16.8%	13.6%	1.4%	0.7%	42.6%	441	4.11
CLAS/Math Tutoring	25.2%	20.5%	13.4%	1.1%	1.4%	38.4%	440	4.09
CLAS/English Tutoring	20.7%	13.9%	13.7%	0.7%	0.5%	50.6%	439	4.09
CLAS/Writing Tutoring	23.2%	16.6%	14.3%	1.1%	0.7%	44.1%	440	4.08
Office of Disability Services	18.3%	11.7%	16.5%	0.2%	0.9%	52.4%	437	3.97
Undergraduate Academic Advising Center	31.4%	25.7%	14.6%	2.5%	4.3%	21.4%	439	3.99
Center for Academic Access Opportunity (CAAO)	16.8%	15.2%	14.5%	0.2%	1.1%	52.2%	441	3.97
Student Success Advising (Appointments)	18.8%	17.5%	14.7%	0.9%	2.0%	46.0%	441	3.93

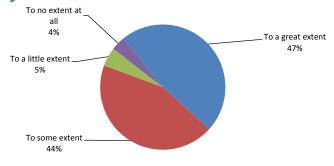


# **Extracurricular and Non-Academic Experience**

While at Suffolk University, did you participate in any of the following? Please select all that apply.



Auring your work study/fellowship experience to what extent did your the department/office staff give academic support? (N= 82)



# Please rate your satisfaction with the following:

		Somewhat	Neither satisfied	Somewhat			Total	
	Satisfied	Satisfied	nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	No Opinion	Responses	Mean
Campus social events & activities	25.9%	25.9%	18.2%	7.7%	5.0%	17.3%	440	3.73
Opportunities to participate in civic engagement	23.0%	22.7%	18.9%	3.6%	3.0%	28.9%	440	3.83
Opportunities to participate in community service	26.1%	24.1%	18.2%	2.5%	3.0%	26.1%	440	3.92
Exposure to student clubs/organizations	26.8%	27.3%	17.0%	6.8%	4.5%	17.5%	440	3.79
Networking opportunities (i.e., job fairs, meet-ups)	26.4%	33.0%	17.7%	7.3%	4.1%	11.6%	440	3.79



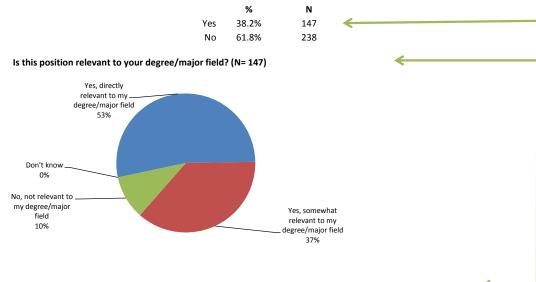
# **Post-Graduation Plans**

Please indicate your immediate and future plans after graduation

	This Fall		In Five Years	
	Ν	%	Ν	%
Attend graduate/professional school	84	19.0%	228	51.7%
Work full-time	334	75.7%	175	39.7%
- Work part-time	128	29.0%	28	6.3%
Participate in community service organization(s)	101	22.9%	76	17.2%
Serve in Armed Forces/Peace Corp	4	0.9%	20	4.5%
Travel	197	44.7%	191	43.3%
Doing volunteer work	115	26.1%	96	21.8%
Stay at home to be with or start a family	38	8.6%	84	19.0%
Not sure	53	12.0%	40	9.1%
Other - See Appendix A	13	2.9%	8	1.8%

What is the name of the Institution you will be attending and your field of study? - See Appendix B

Have you currently accepted an employment position? (N= 385)



Please provide us some basic information about your new/current employer- See Appendix C



# **Overall Assessment of the Suffolk Exerience**

What are the three greatest strengths of your degree program? - Appendix D

What do you think are three weaknesses that need to be improved in your degree program? -See Appendix E

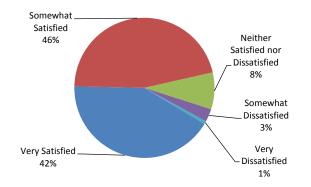
If you could do it all over again, would you still choose to enroll in your degree program? (N= 436)

	%	Ν
Yes	72.9%	318
No	11.9%	52
Don't Know	15.1%	66

If you could do it all over again, would you still choose to attend Suffolk University? (N= 436)

	%	N
Yes	59.6%	260
No	14.7%	64
Don't Know	25.7%	112

# Overall, how satisfied are you with your Suffolk University education? (N= 436)



Please provide any additional comments about your experience at Suffolk University. - See Appendix F