UNCG ALUMNI SURVEY

**Instructions for completing Survey:** Please mark your responses to all numbered survey questions on the scan sheet included with this mailing. Respond to all non-numbered items on the questionnaire itself. Respond to all items on any School or Departmental inserts as well as the general survey. Please return all surveys and the scan sheet in the enclosed postage paid envelope. All information from this survey is confidential. Individuals will not be identified in any analysis of the data.

**EMPLOYMENT/CURRENT ACTIVITY**

1. **What is your current primary activity?** (Please choose one)
   - A=Full-time employment (30 hrs or more per week)
   - B=Part-time employment
   - C=Unemployed and actively seeking employment
   - D=Not seeking permanent employment at this time

   Please skip to question 7 if you answered C or D to question 1.

2. **If currently working, what was the most important reason for taking this position?**
   - A=Geographic location
   - B=Salary
   - C=Advancement opportunities
   - D=Family considerations
   - E=Wanted to work in this type of organization
   - F=Only opportunity available
   - G=Continuation of job held prior to graduation
   - H=Couldn't find job in career area desired
   - I=Other
   - J=Not applicable

3. **Indicate how related your current job is to your academic major field of study at UNCG.**
   - A=Directly
   - B=Somewhat
   - C=Not related at all
   - D=Not applicable

4. **Indicate your satisfaction with your current primary employment.**
   - A=Very satisfied
   - B=Somewhat satisfied
   - C=Somewhat dissatisfied
   - D=Very dissatisfied
   - E=Not applicable

5. **Indicate how well your major prepared you for your current primary employment.**
   - A=Well prepared
   - B=Adequately prepared
   - C=Not adequately prepared
   - D=Not sure
   - E=Not applicable

   Indicate the following for your current primary employment (if applicable):
   - Position title
   - Name of department/unit
   - Name of organization
   - City, State, Zip Code

   What is your annual salary $$ (before taxes) of your current primary position?________

6. **If you are not employed in a job related to your major field of study, please indicate the main reason.**
   - A=Never planned to work in my field
   - B=Could not find an appropriate job in my field
   - C=Wanted to relocate for a job in my field
   - D=Developed a new career interest
   - E=Better pay and/or opportunity for advancement
   - F=I have not obtained the licensure, registration or certification required for my field
   - G=Not applicable
7. Which of the following was most helpful in obtaining your first new full-time position after graduation?

A = UNCG Career Services Office  
B = UNCG Faculty member  
C = UNCG Department/Program  
D = Internship/Practicum  
E = Family or acquaintance  
F = Employment/Temp agency  
G = Past employment in this field  
H = Volunteer work (not an internship)  
I = Newspaper/Internet  
J = Other, specify ______________________________

8. Have you taken any coursework since completing your degree?

A = Yes  
B = No (If no, skip to question 13)

9. Indicate the highest level of programs/courses that you have completed since you received your bachelor's degree from UNCG?

A = No programs/courses  
B = Non-degree program  
C = Continuing education  
D = Associate Degree  
E = Another Bachelor's Degree  
F = Master's Degree  
G = Professional Degree (M.D., D.D.S., J.D.)  

In the space below, indicate the field of study with regard to question 9.
Field:____________________________________________________________________
Name of institution with regard to question 9.
Name:___________________________________________________________________

10. Indicate the type of program/courses in which you are currently enrolled.

A = Not taking courses  
B = Non-degree program  
C = Continuing education  
D = Associate Degree  
E = Bachelor's Degree  
F = Master's Degree  
G = Professional Degree (M.D., D.D.S., J.D.)  

If currently enrolled, indicate your current field of study in the space below.
Field:____________________________________________________________________
Name of institution you are currently attending:
Name:___________________________________________________________________

11. Indicate how well your undergraduate education prepared you for continued study.

A = Well prepared  
B = Adequately prepared  
C = Not adequately prepared  
D = Not sure

12. What is the major reason you continued your education?

A = To satisfy job/career requirements  
B = To learn new skills to begin a new occupation  
C = To obtain or maintain licensure or certification  
D = For general self improvement  
E = Other  
F = Not applicable
GENERAL EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES

In addition to study in the fields of the major and the minor, a baccalaureate degree implies the acquisition of more general knowledge, skills, and values. The general education program (called All University Liberal Education Requirements, or AULER, at UNCG) is designed to build a foundation in this area, but upper level courses and other campus experiences contribute as well.

13. Indicate the statement which best describes you:
   A = I took all my general education courses at UNCG.
   B = I transferred all my general education credit from another institution.
   C = I transferred 9 hours or less general education credits and completed the UNCG program.
   D = I transferred 10 hours or more general education credits and completed the UNCG program.

Indicate to what extent your UNCG experience contributed to the outcomes below:
A = Very much    B = Quite a bit    C = Some    D = Very little    E = Achieved before I enrolled at UNCG

14. Mathematical skills essential to my program/interests
15. Knowledge of varied ways to read and analyze literary texts
16. Clear communication through effective writing
17. Clear communication through effective speaking
18. Basic computer skills (e.g. word processing, spreadsheets, internet research)
19. Ability to find and evaluate information for a research project using online and print resources
20. Understanding of the philosophical and religious traditions that have shaped society
21. Understanding of global differences, international cultures, or foreign traditions
22. Understanding of the role of artistic self-expression in shaping human culture
23. Understanding of human behavior (individuals, social groups, organizations, or nations) within the broader social context
24. Knowledge of science and how it is used at work and at home
25. Ability to reason well and to evaluate reasoning
26. An understanding of history and the forces that have shaped it
27. Sensitivity to the ethical dimensions of problems and experiences
28. Ability to engage in successful team/group efforts
29. Acceptance of public responsibility and contribution to community service

MAJOR PROGRAMS

Thinking about your major, please rate the quality of each program element:
A = Excellent    B = Good    C = Fair    D = Poor    E = No Opinion

30. Quality of academic advising in the major
31. Quality of preparation for employment
32. Quality of instruction in the major
33. Opportunities for interaction with faculty in the major department
34. Development of competence in the use of technology

35. If you could begin again, would you choose the same major field of study?
A = Yes    B = Not sure    C = No

Please explain: ____________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________
TEACHER LICENSURE PROGRAMS

NOTE: Skip this Section if you did not complete a Teacher Licensure Program at UNCG. If you completed a Teacher Licensure Program at the time you completed your baccalaureate degree, please respond to questions 36 through 42 using the following scale:

A = Strongly Agree  B = Somewhat Agree  C = Somewhat Disagree  D = Strongly Disagree  E = Don't Know

36. Program components (i.e., general education, specialization/ major, foundations, student teaching/ clinical experiences, teaching methods) were linked and integrated.
37. Program provided experiences with and studies of multicultural groups, including the contributions, needs, similarities, and differences of culturally diverse and exceptional populations.
38. Program reflected current and established research in both major and teacher education courses.
39. Program incorporated individual student needs into course content and the development of projects, assignments, etc.
40. Procedures for evaluating my work were consistent with course objectives, teaching methods, and program level.
41. Student teaching/ clinical experiences developed skills, attitudes, and values promoting professionalism.
42. Program helped me use educational technology for learning and teaching.

THE UNCG EXPERIENCE

43. While enrolled, indicate the extent to which you felt connected to/ a part of UNCG.
   A = Very much  B = Quite a bit  C = Some  D = Very little

44. While enrolled, indicate the extent to which you felt connected to/ a part of your department/ school.
   A = Very much  B = Quite a bit  C = Some  D = Very little

45. Would you recommend UNCG to a friend considering college?
   A = Yes  B = Not Sure  C = No

46. If you could begin again, would you choose to attend UNCG?
   A = Yes  B = Not Sure  C = No
   Please explain: __________________________________________________________
   ______________________________________________________________________

ALUMNI PROGRAMS

47. Please indicate if you would like to receive information about Alumni Programs in your area. 
   A = Yes  B = No

48. Please indicate if you would like to help with Alumni Programs. 
   A = Yes  B = No

49. Are you willing to be contacted by current UNCG students regarding your career?
   A = Yes  B = No

FUTURE ALUMNI SURVEYS

50. Please indicate your preferred method for filling out future Alumni surveys. 
   A = Internet/ Web  B = Paper (do not have Web access)  C = Paper (have Web access, but prefer paper)

Should you have any additional comments or suggestions about your experiences at UNCG, please include them on a separate piece of paper. Thank you!!!