

2002 Baccalaureate Alumni Survey Report University Totals

SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	N/A	0.3%	N/A
2001	N/A	0.3%	N/A
2000	0.6%	2.7%	2.1%
1999	3.1%	16.4%	13.3%
1998	14.3%	22.5%	8.2%
1997	24.9%	25.3%	0.4%
1996 and before	57.1%	32.5%	-24.6%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	33.5%	35.8%	2.3%
2 - Transfer	60.9%	59.8%	-1.1%
3 - Unclassified	5.6%	4.4%	-1.2%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?			
	N= 218	207	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	44.3%	52.7%	8.4%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.5%	26.6%	0.1%
CU-Boulder	4.6%	5.8%	1.2%
CSU (CO State University)	6.4%	3.4%	-3.0%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	4.6%	2.9%	-1.7%
USC (University of Southern CO)	1.8%	1.9%	0.1%
Western State College	0.5%	1.9%	1.4%
Adams State College	2.3%	1.4%	-0.9%
Fort-Lewis College	0.9%	1.4%	0.5%
Metro State College	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
Colorado Technical University	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
University of Denver	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	85.2%	88.2%	3.0%
2 - Non-resident	14.8%	11.8%	-3.0%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	83.5%	84.9%	1.4%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	16.5%	15.1%	-1.4%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	5.3%	7.4%	2.1%
2 - December 2000	23.5%	22.6%	-0.9%
3 - May 2001	71.2%	69.9%	-1.3%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	60.9%	63.3%	2.4%
2 - Bachelor of Science	39.1%	36.7%	-2.4%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Letters, Arts and Sciences	64.2%	64.5%	0.3%
2 - Business	16.5%	17.5%	1.0%
3 - Engineering	10.6%	8.0%	-2.6%
4 - Nursing	8.7%	10.1%	1.4%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			

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Psychology	13.5%	15.6%	2.1%
Communication	11.5%	10.4%	-1.1%
Nursing	7.6%	8.9%	1.4%
Sociology	7.8%	6.8%	-1.0%
Biology	6.3%	6.3%	0.1%
English	2.1%	5.7%	3.6%
Information Systems	5.0%	3.8%	-1.2%
Geography & Environmental Studies	4.4%	3.8%	-0.6%
Accounting	2.3%	3.2%	0.9%
Computer Science	2.3%	3.2%	0.9%
History	3.9%	2.9%	-1.0%
Finance	1.8%	2.6%	0.8%
Electrical Engineering	5.2%	2.3%	-2.9%
Marketing	3.7%	2.3%	-1.4%
Art History	0.0%	2.0%	2.0%
General Business	3.7%	1.7%	-2.0%
Anthropology	3.1%	1.7%	-1.4%
Economics	1.0%	1.7%	0.7%
Organizational Management	1.6%	1.4%	-0.2%
Political Science	1.6%	1.2%	-0.4%
Philosophy	0.5%	1.2%	0.7%
Distributed Studies-Special Ed	0.5%	1.2%	0.7%
Health Care Services	0.0%	1.2%	1.2%
Mathematics	2.9%	2.6%	-0.3%
Spanish	1.6%	0.9%	-0.7%
Personnel/Human Resources Management	0.3%	0.9%	0.6%
Visual Arts	2.1%	0.6%	-1.5%
Chemistry	0.8%	0.6%	-0.2%
Physics	0.5%	0.6%	0.1%
Marketing/Information Systems	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%
Finance/Information Systems	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%
Mechanical Engineering	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%
International Business	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%
Distributed Studies-Other	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Yes	11.5%	10.1%	-1.4%
2 - No	88.5%	89.9%	1.4%
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?			
MEAN=	3.35	3.32	-0.03
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY			
1 - To obtain a general education	4.2%	5.4%	1.2%
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.9%	3.0%	-0.9%
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	43.7%	42.3%	-1.4%
5 - To become better qualified for present employment	2.5%	1.2%	-1.3%
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment	3.7%	3.6%	-0.1%
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment	5.6%	6.5%	0.9%
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation	6.5%	5.1%	-1.4%
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree	11.0%	13.7%	2.7%
10 - Personal fulfillment	14.4%	16.4%	2.0%
11 - Other	3.9%	2.1%	-1.8%
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?			
1 - Yes, full-time	15.4%	23.7%	8.3%
2 - Yes, part-time	7.3%	7.8%	0.5%
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)	77.3%	68.5%	-8.8%
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):			
N=	81	107	-
Master of Arts (MA)	20.5%	31.9%	11.4%
Other	15.4%	14.1%	-1.3%
Master of Science (MS)	14.1%	10.3%	-3.8%
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	11.5%	10.3%	-1.2%
Master in Basic Science (MBS)	2.6%	6.5%	3.9%
Master in Public Administration (MPA)	3.9%	5.6%	1.8%
PhD	2.6%	4.7%	2.1%
Teacher Education Program (TEP)	9.0%	3.7%	-5.3%
Master in Education (MEd)	7.7%	3.7%	-4.0%
Master in Nursing (MSN)	2.6%	3.7%	1.1%

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Juris Doctor (JD)	7.7%	1.9%	-5.8%
Master in Social Work (MSW)	1.3%	0.9%	-0.4%
Medical Doctor (MD)	1.3%	0.9%	-0.4%
Dentistry	0.0%	0.9%	0.9%
Education	0.0%	0.9%	0.9%
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)			
CU-Colorado Springs	52.5%	50.0%	-2.5%
Other (includes out-of-state)	35.0%	29.7%	-5.3%
CU-Boulder	0.0%	4.8%	4.8%
CO Technical University (CTU)	0.0%	3.8%	3.8%
Regis University	3.8%	2.9%	-0.9%
University of Denver	3.8%	2.9%	-0.9%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	1.3%	1.9%	0.7%
CU-Denver	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
Health Sciences Center-Denver	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
CC (Colorado College)	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
Metro State	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?			
	N=		
1 - Yes	275	231	-
2 - No	66.9%	43.6%	-23.3%
	33.1%	56.4%	23.3%

SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT

13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?				
1 - Seek employment		46.2%	44.5%	-1.7%
2 - Attend graduate school		8.2%	15.5%	7.3%
3 - Continue current employment		14.8%	10.4%	-4.4%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment		16.8%	14.9%	-1.9%
5 - Go into the teacher education program		4.2%	3.9%	-0.3%
6 - Be a homemaker		3.4%	3.0%	-0.4%
7 - Take time off		1.4%	3.0%	1.6%
8 - Other		5.0%	4.8%	-0.2%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)				
	MEAN=	35.50	32.39	-3.11
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)				
	N=	31	55	-
Spouse		64.5%	50.9%	-13.6%
Other		22.6%	14.5%	-8.1%
Loans/Grants		9.7%	12.8%	3.1%
Retirement		3.2%	9.1%	5.9%
Savings		0.0%	7.3%	7.3%
Parents		0.0%	3.6%	3.6%
Stipend		0.0%	1.8%	1.8%
16a. When did you start your current career?				
	MODE Month=	8	8	0.00
	MODE Year=	2000	2001	1.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?				
	MEAN Days=	58.40	58.99	0.59
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?				
1 - Agricultural		0.0%	2.7%	2.7%
2 - Mining		0.0%	0.7%	0.7%
3 - Contract Construction		0.3%	2.7%	2.4%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities		2.2%	0.7%	-1.5%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades		4.9%	4.1%	-0.8%
6 - Manufacturing		4.6%	3.4%	-1.2%
7 - Finance		5.2%	6.8%	1.6%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate		1.5%	2.7%	1.2%
9 - Government		5.5%	5.8%	0.3%
10 - Services		12.9%	12.6%	-0.3%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)		15.4%	15.0%	-0.4%
12 - Public Service		6.5%	6.1%	-0.4%
13 - Education		19.7%	17.5%	-2.2%
14 - Other (specify)		21.3%	19.2%	-2.1%
19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?				
1 - Did not have to relocate		69.6%	75.1%	5.5%
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado		9.2%	8.9%	-0.3%

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3 - Had to relocate to another state	10.0%	8.5%	-1.5%
4 - Had to relocate to another country	0.6%	0.3%	-0.3%
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons	10.6%	7.2%	-3.4%
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?			
1 - Had no previous employment experience	32.6%	38.3%	5.7%
2 - Had some previous employment experience	46.0%	37.6%	-8.4%
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience	21.4%	24.1%	2.7%
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	16.6%	14.1%	-2.5%
2 - Disagree	11.3%	13.1%	1.8%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.4%	4.4%	-3.0%
4 - Slightly Agree	10.1%	15.1%	5.0%
5 - Agree	20.2%	21.1%	0.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	34.4%	32.2%	-2.2%
MEAN=	4.09	4.13	0.04
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	26.1%	21.5%	-4.6%
2 - Disagree	35.6%	31.5%	-4.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	11.3%	15.1%	3.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	11.7%	13.1%	1.4%
5 - Agree	11.3%	10.7%	-0.6%
6 - Strongly Agree	4.0%	8.1%	4.1%
MEAN=	2.59	2.84	0.25
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.7%	4.2%	0.5%
2 - Disagree	7.4%	7.5%	0.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.4%	4.8%	-2.6%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.1%	16.0%	2.9%
5 - Agree	43.3%	34.9%	-8.4%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.1%	32.5%	7.4%
MEAN=	4.60	4.67	0.07
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	1.7%	2.4%	0.7%
2 - Disagree	4.8%	3.9%	-0.9%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.4%	4.2%	-4.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	10.6%	8.8%	-1.8%
5 - Agree	34.3%	38.2%	3.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	40.2%	42.4%	2.2%
MEAN=	4.92	5.04	0.12
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.7%	3.1%	-0.6%
2 - Disagree	5.2%	5.2%	0.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.3%	6.8%	-1.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	26.4%	20.0%	-6.4%
5 - Agree	40.6%	43.7%	3.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	15.8%	21.2%	5.4%
MEAN=	4.42	4.60	0.18
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.			
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	23.2%	18.7%	-4.5%
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	76.8%	81.3%	4.5%
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?			
General Business	19.5%	24.9%	5.4%
Other	40.2%	17.1%	-23.1%
Computer Science	17.1%	7.7%	-9.4%
Psychology	2.4%	6.2%	3.8%
Not Offered at CU-Colorado Springs	3.7%	4.7%	1.0%
Marketing	1.2%	4.7%	3.5%
Health Care Services	0.0%	4.7%	4.7%
Spanish	0.0%	4.7%	4.7%
Electrical Engineering	1.2%	3.1%	1.9%
Nursing	1.2%	3.1%	1.9%
Economics	0.0%	3.1%	3.1%

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Accounting	1.2%	1.6%	0.4%
Visual Arts	1.2%	1.6%	0.4%
Anthropology	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Art History	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Biology	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Chemistry (BA or BS)	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Dist. Studies-Justice/Public Admin.	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Philosophy	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Mechanical Engineering	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
Pre-Professional	0.0%	1.6%	1.6%
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?			
0-8	48.0%	45.9%	-2.1%
9 or more	52.0%	54.1%	2.1%
MEAN=	8.44	8.73	0.29
28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.42	3.50	0.08
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.44	3.83	0.39
c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.37	3.57	0.20
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.01	4.18	0.17
e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.10	2.65	0.55
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.00	3.39	0.39
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	1.78	2.31	0.53
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	N/A	2.37	N/A
i - scientific methodology.	2.63	2.72	0.09

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.1%	3.4%	-0.7%
2 - Disagree	5.1%	4.0%	-1.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.1%	5.2%	0.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	20.8%	17.7%	-3.1%
5 - Agree	44.4%	41.6%	-2.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	20.5%	28.1%	7.6%
MEAN=	4.58	4.75	0.17
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.0%	4.3%	0.3%
2 - Disagree	8.9%	7.6%	-1.3%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.6%	6.7%	-0.9%
4 - Slightly Agree	22.1%	18.7%	-3.4%
5 - Agree	39.9%	38.8%	-1.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	17.5%	23.9%	6.4%
MEAN=	4.38	4.52	0.14
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.6%	0.3%	-0.3%
2 - Disagree	2.8%	1.2%	-1.6%
3 - Slightly Disagree	3.6%	4.7%	1.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.6%	13.4%	-4.2%
5 - Agree	46.1%	45.4%	-0.7%
6 - Strongly Agree	29.3%	35.0%	5.7%
MEAN=	4.94	5.07	0.13
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	1.4%	0.6%	-0.8%
2 - Disagree	1.7%	2.4%	0.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.7%	4.2%	-2.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.4%	18.8%	0.4%
5 - Agree	46.1%	49.1%	3.0%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.7%	25.0%	-0.7%
MEAN=	4.83	4.88	0.05

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33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.7%	21.9%	0.2%
2 - Rarely	36.1%	39.0%	2.9%
3 - Sometimes	33.8%	27.6%	-6.2%
4 - Often	7.3%	10.5%	3.2%
5 - Always	1.1%	0.9%	-0.2%
MEAN=	2.30	2.29	-0.01
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.2%	23.1%	-0.1%
2 - Rarely	38.0%	35.6%	-2.4%
3 - Sometimes	28.2%	24.6%	-3.6%
4 - Often	9.8%	15.1%	5.3%
5 - Always	0.8%	1.5%	0.7%
MEAN=	2.27	2.36	0.09
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?			
1 - Very Poor	11.4%	12.2%	0.8%
2 - Poor	14.5%	14.9%	0.4%
3 - Fair	33.2%	33.4%	0.2%
4 - Good	28.7%	28.7%	0.0%
5 - Excellent	12.2%	10.7%	-1.5%
MEAN=	3.16	3.11	-0.05
36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?			
1 - Very Poor	8.9%	9.1%	0.2%
2 - Poor	14.5%	16.7%	2.2%
3 - Fair	40.1%	34.3%	-5.8%
4 - Good	30.0%	30.2%	0.2%
5 - Excellent	6.5%	9.7%	3.2%
MEAN=	3.11	3.15	0.04
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.			
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=		
2-year college	240	222	-
4-year college	37.1%	41.4%	4.3%
University	29.6%	28.8%	-0.8%
	33.3%	29.7%	-3.6%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	46.68	47.14
0.46			
37c. How would you rate the overall QUALITY of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?			
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	5.4%	3.3%	-2.1%
3 - Fair	26.4%	27.0%	0.6%
4 - Good	51.8%	52.0%	0.2%
5 - Excellent	16.1%	17.7%	1.6%
MEAN=	3.78	3.84	0.06
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)			
1 - Very Poor	1.4%	1.5%	0.1%
2 - Poor	5.3%	4.8%	-0.5%
3 - Fair	29.4%	24.6%	-4.8%
4 - Good	48.9%	50.9%	2.0%
5 - Excellent	15.0%	18.3%	3.3%
MEAN=	3.71	3.80	0.09
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%
2 - Poor	4.8%	5.7%	0.9%

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3 - Fair	31.4%	27.4%	-4.0%
4 - Good	48.1%	47.3%	-0.8%
5 - Excellent	15.4%	19.3%	3.9%
MEAN=	3.74	3.80	0.06
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.6%	0.6%
2 - Poor	3.9%	4.8%	0.9%
3 - Fair	23.7%	21.6%	-2.1%
4 - Good	55.5%	51.8%	-3.7%
5 - Excellent	16.9%	21.3%	4.4%
MEAN=	3.85	3.88	0.03
ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.3%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	3.4%	3.0%	-0.4%
3 - Fair	25.7%	25.5%	-0.2%
4 - Good	49.2%	49.8%	0.6%
5 - Excellent	21.1%	21.3%	0.2%
MEAN=	3.87	3.89	0.02
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)			
1 - Very Poor	2.3%	1.8%	-0.5%
2 - Poor	10.4%	11.1%	0.7%
3 - Fair	35.0%	36.7%	1.7%
4 - Good	40.7%	36.4%	-4.3%
5 - Excellent	11.6%	13.9%	2.3%
MEAN=	3.49	3.49	0.00
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	1.1%	0.3%	-0.8%
2 - Poor	4.5%	4.2%	-0.3%
3 - Fair	25.0%	21.8%	-3.2%
4 - Good	50.3%	46.7%	-3.6%
5 - Excellent	19.1%	27.0%	7.9%
MEAN=	3.82	3.96	0.14
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.8%	0.6%	-0.2%
2 - Poor	2.5%	4.2%	1.7%
3 - Fair	20.7%	16.7%	-4.0%
4 - Good	45.7%	43.9%	-1.8%
5 - Excellent	30.3%	34.6%	4.3%
MEAN=	4.02	4.08	0.06
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	1.1%	2.1%	1.0%
3 - Fair	21.7%	16.1%	-5.6%
4 - Good	46.8%	50.1%	3.3%
5 - Excellent	30.1%	31.6%	1.5%
MEAN=	4.05	4.11	0.06
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	1.2%	1.2%
2 - Poor	4.8%	1.8%	-3.0%
3 - Fair	20.2%	20.0%	-0.2%
4 - Good	45.8%	40.6%	-5.2%
5 - Excellent	29.2%	36.4%	7.2%
MEAN=	3.99	4.09	0.10
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	2.3%	1.5%	-0.8%
2 - Poor	13.0%	12.0%	-1.0%
3 - Fair	34.9%	30.0%	-4.9%
4 - Good	35.2%	36.3%	1.1%
5 - Excellent	14.6%	20.1%	5.5%
MEAN=	3.47	3.62	0.15
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	2.2%	1.8%	-0.4%
2 - Poor	6.2%	7.5%	1.3%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
3 - Fair	30.8%	26.6%	-4.2%
4 - Good	43.1%	40.4%	-2.7%
5 - Excellent	17.7%	23.7%	6.0%
MEAN=	3.68	3.77	0.09
MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.0%	2.1%	0.1%
2 - Poor	8.5%	6.1%	-2.4%
3 - Fair	32.5%	25.2%	-7.3%
4 - Good	39.8%	45.0%	5.2%
5 - Excellent	17.2%	21.6%	4.4%
MEAN=	3.62	3.78	0.16
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.4%	3.6%	0.2%
2 - Poor	12.9%	14.3%	1.4%
3 - Fair	32.9%	29.5%	-3.4%
4 - Good	36.2%	33.7%	-2.5%
5 - Excellent	14.6%	18.8%	4.2%
MEAN=	3.46	3.50	0.04
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.1%	3.3%	0.2%
2 - Poor	11.3%	10.3%	-1.0%
3 - Fair	27.2%	23.9%	-3.3%
4 - Good	34.3%	38.7%	4.4%
5 - Excellent	24.1%	23.9%	-0.2%
MEAN=	3.65	3.69	0.04
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	1.4%	0.9%	-0.5%
2 - Poor	5.1%	3.3%	-1.8%
3 - Fair	22.7%	22.2%	-0.5%
4 - Good	46.6%	49.1%	2.5%
5 - Excellent	24.2%	24.6%	0.4%
MEAN=	3.87	3.93	0.06
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%
2 - Poor	3.4%	1.5%	-1.9%
3 - Fair	16.9%	16.8%	-0.1%
4 - Good	55.2%	55.3%	0.1%
5 - Excellent	23.9%	25.8%	1.9%
MEAN=	3.99	4.04	0.05
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	0.8%	1.2%	0.4%
2 - Poor	2.5%	2.1%	-0.4%
3 - Fair	15.7%	14.9%	-0.8%
4 - Good	57.7%	56.7%	-1.0%
5 - Excellent	23.3%	25.1%	1.8%
MEAN=	4.00	4.02	0.02
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	48.7%	52.2%	3.5%
2 - No	51.3%	47.8%	-3.5%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	17.6%	20.4%	2.8%
2 - One	25.5%	21.0%	-4.5%
3 - Two or Three	41.5%	45.3%	3.8%
4 - Four or more	15.4%	13.3%	-2.1%
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.4%	8.3%	-0.1%
2 - Rarely	33.8%	29.9%	-3.9%
3 - Sometimes	37.7%	40.8%	3.1%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
4 - Often	20.1%	21.0%	0.9%

For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:

41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	5.1%	3.3%	-1.8%
2 - Disagree	6.8%	7.5%	0.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.0%	7.2%	-0.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	26.4%	24.8%	-1.6%
5 - Agree	40.3%	40.6%	0.3%
6 - Strongly Agree	13.4%	16.7%	3.3%
MEAN=	4.30	4.42	0.12
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.2%	0.9%	-1.3%
2 - Disagree	2.5%	1.8%	-0.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.2%	5.9%	-0.3%
4 - Slightly Agree	12.3%	13.0%	0.7%
5 - Agree	51.3%	51.2%	-0.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.5%	27.2%	1.7%
MEAN=	4.84	4.93	0.09
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	4.2%	0.0%
2 - Disagree	6.8%	4.5%	-2.3%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.9%	7.7%	-0.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.6%	16.4%	-0.2%
5 - Agree	43.9%	40.8%	-3.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	20.6%	26.5%	5.9%
MEAN=	4.51	4.65	0.14
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	46.5%	50.6%	4.1%
2 - Disagree	37.8%	33.5%	-4.3%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.4%	8.7%	2.3%
4 - Slightly Agree	4.6%	2.7%	-1.9%
5 - Agree	2.5%	2.4%	-0.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.2%	2.1%	-0.1%
MEAN=	1.85	1.79	-0.06
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	12.9%	13.7%	0.8%
2 - Disagree	22.7%	23.3%	0.6%
3 - Slightly Disagree	11.4%	13.1%	1.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	19.6%	14.3%	-5.3%
5 - Agree	20.2%	24.8%	4.6%
6 - Strongly Agree	13.2%	10.7%	-2.5%
MEAN=	3.51	3.45	-0.06
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs?			
<i>(percents are based on multiple responses per survey)</i>			
Location	44.4%	21.5%	-22.9%
Faculty	23.7%	11.9%	-11.9%
Cost	21.5%	9.9%	-11.6%
Other	23.2%	9.0%	-14.2%
Small class size	27.9%	8.8%	-19.2%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
Good departmental programs	5.6%	5.5%	-0.1%
Had major I wanted	5.3%	3.6%	-1.7%
Convenient	11.5%	3.4%	-8.1%
Class hours/schedule	4.5%	3.4%	-1.1%
Small school/atmosphere	12.6%	2.6%	-9.9%
Good equipment/facilities/resources	5.9%	2.3%	-3.6%
Quality education	5.0%	2.3%	-2.8%
Personable/small student-to-teacher ratio	4.8%	2.1%	-2.6%
Part of CU system, affiliation with Boulder	2.0%	1.6%	-0.3%
Night classes	2.0%	1.5%	-0.5%
Availability of faculty	3.6%	1.3%	-2.4%
Diversity among students	2.8%	1.3%	-1.5%
Good reputation	1.1%	1.3%	0.1%
Orientation to non-traditional students	1.1%	1.1%	0.0%
Friendly atmosphere	3.4%	1.0%	-2.4%
Accredited	2.2%	0.6%	-1.6%
Beautiful campus	2.5%	0.5%	-2.0%
Financial aid	1.7%	0.5%	-1.2%
Dorms	1.1%	0.5%	-0.6%
Curriculum	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
Older, mature student body	2.2%	0.4%	-1.9%
Good cohesiveness, communication	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%
Well rounded education	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%
High academic standards	1.4%	0.3%	-1.2%
Able to get a degree	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%
Class taught by PhD's, not TA's	2.5%	0.1%	-2.4%
Good academic advising	0.3%	0.1%	-0.2%
Good career placement, guidance	0.3%	0.1%	-0.2%
Cultural diversity on campus	0.3%	0.1%	-0.2%
Good customer, student services	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%
Diverse course offerings	4.5%	0.0%	-4.5%
Diversity among instructors	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%

47. In your opinion, what are the **disadvantages** of going to CU-Colorado Springs?

(percents are based on multiple responses per survey)

Parking	43.3%	24.5%	-18.8%
Other	39.4%	18.9%	-20.5%
Little campus life/social life	5.6%	6.5%	0.9%
Faculty	5.6%	6.0%	0.5%
Class hours/schedule	7.5%	5.6%	-2.0%
Poor academic advising	8.4%	3.3%	-5.0%
High fees, costs	7.3%	3.3%	-3.9%
Inadequate library resources	0.0%	3.3%	3.3%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
Need more majors	3.4%	2.9%	-0.5%
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	3.1%	2.4%	-0.7%
School lacks a big name	2.8%	2.2%	-0.6%
Lack of sports	2.0%	2.1%	0.1%
Lacking equipment/facilities/resources	12.9%	1.4%	-11.4%
Need wider selection of courses	5.0%	1.3%	-3.8%
Lack of diversity among students	1.7%	1.1%	-0.6%
Need more graduate programs	0.0%	1.1%	1.1%
Growing too fast, overcrowded	3.1%	1.0%	-2.1%
No career placement, guidance	2.0%	1.0%	-1.0%
Department/Program disorganized	2.0%	1.0%	-1.0%
Curriculum	1.4%	1.0%	-0.4%
Lack of cultural diversity	1.1%	1.0%	-0.2%
Too many unnecessary requirements	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
Group projects	0.0%	1.0%	1.0%
Classes too big	0.0%	0.8%	0.8%
Lack of student/customer services	0.3%	0.6%	0.4%
Construction	2.5%	0.5%	-2.0%
Lacking college atmosphere	2.5%	0.5%	-2.0%
Bureaucracy	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
Classes too small	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
Liberal attitude	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
Students are too old	0.0%	0.5%	0.5%
School is too small	4.8%	0.3%	-4.4%
No cohesiveness/communication	1.7%	0.3%	-1.4%
Lack of funding for departments	0.8%	0.3%	-0.5%
Dorms	0.6%	0.3%	-0.2%
Lack of diversity among instructors	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%
Location	1.7%	0.2%	-1.5%
Classes taught by TA's, not PhD's	1.4%	0.2%	-1.2%
Transfer of credits	0.8%	0.2%	-0.7%
Overshadowed by Boulder	0.8%	0.2%	-0.7%
Young students, not serious	0.6%	0.2%	-0.4%
Use of student funds	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%
Lack of financial aid	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%
Not enough night classes	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%
No involvement with community	0.0%	0.2%	0.2%
Unavailability of teachers	2.0%	0.0%	-2.0%
Class size	1.4%	0.0%	-1.4%
Unfriendly, uncaring atmosphere	1.1%	0.0%	-1.1%
Lack of school spirit	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%

SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of PERSONAL development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:

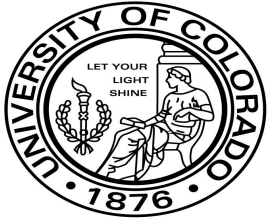
48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%
1 - No gain	4.0%	3.0%	-1.0%
2 - Very slight gain	3.7%	3.0%	-0.7%
3 - Slight gain	17.3%	12.3%	-5.0%
4 - Moderate gain	39.8%	40.5%	0.7%
5 - High gain	28.4%	32.4%	4.0%
6 - Very high gain	6.8%	8.4%	1.6%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
MEAN=	4.05	4.21	0.16
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	4.0%	1.5%	-2.5%
2 - Very slight gain	5.1%	4.2%	-0.9%
3 - Slight gain	16.1%	13.7%	-2.4%
4 - Moderate gain	28.0%	29.5%	1.5%
5 - High gain	33.8%	34.2%	0.4%
6 - Very high gain	12.7%	17.0%	4.3%
MEAN=	4.20	4.42	0.22
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	4.8%	2.4%	-2.4%
2 - Very slight gain	3.7%	4.2%	0.5%
3 - Slight gain	16.9%	15.8%	-1.1%
4 - Moderate gain	32.1%	30.4%	-1.7%
5 - High gain	29.8%	32.7%	2.9%
6 - Very high gain	12.7%	14.6%	1.9%
MEAN=	4.17	4.31	0.14
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.3%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	4.8%	3.9%	-0.9%
2 - Very slight gain	6.5%	5.7%	-0.8%
3 - Slight gain	14.4%	13.1%	-1.3%
4 - Moderate gain	30.7%	27.2%	-3.5%
5 - High gain	31.1%	31.6%	0.5%
6 - Very high gain	11.9%	18.2%	6.3%
MEAN=	4.11	4.31	0.20
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			
0 - A loss	1.1%	0.3%	-0.8%
1 - No gain	19.3%	19.2%	-0.1%
2 - Very slight gain	9.7%	7.8%	-1.9%
3 - Slight gain	22.7%	21.0%	-1.7%
4 - Moderate gain	22.2%	24.0%	1.8%
5 - High gain	17.9%	19.8%	1.9%
6 - Very high gain	7.1%	7.8%	0.7%
MEAN=	3.28	3.40	0.12
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	1.1%	0.6%	-0.5%
1 - No gain	25.7%	25.1%	-0.6%
2 - Very slight gain	10.7%	11.3%	0.6%
3 - Slight gain	22.4%	19.7%	-2.7%
4 - Moderate gain	20.1%	20.0%	-0.1%
5 - High gain	13.8%	16.7%	2.9%
6 - Very high gain	6.2%	6.6%	0.4%
MEAN=	3.01	3.10	0.09
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.1%	1.8%	0.7%
1 - No gain	18.5%	15.9%	-2.6%
2 - Very slight gain	9.7%	12.0%	2.3%
3 - Slight gain	23.1%	22.2%	-0.9%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	19.2%	-0.5%
5 - High gain	17.9%	19.2%	1.3%
6 - Very high gain	10.0%	9.6%	-0.4%
MEAN=	3.35	3.37	0.02
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.3%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	13.8%	9.0%	-4.8%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
2 - Very slight gain	8.5%	9.3%	0.8%
3 - Slight gain	18.6%	21.3%	2.7%
4 - Moderate gain	27.7%	29.4%	1.7%
5 - High gain	21.5%	23.7%	2.2%
6 - Very high gain	9.3%	6.9%	-2.4%
MEAN=	3.61	3.69	0.08
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%
1 - No gain	11.3%	10.1%	-1.2%
2 - Very slight gain	10.5%	9.0%	-1.5%
3 - Slight gain	16.1%	21.5%	5.4%
4 - Moderate gain	31.8%	23.3%	-8.5%
5 - High gain	19.8%	25.1%	5.3%
6 - Very high gain	10.2%	10.7%	0.5%
MEAN=	3.68	3.76	0.08
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.1%	1.2%	0.1%
1 - No gain	15.5%	15.8%	0.3%
2 - Very slight gain	16.9%	14.9%	-2.0%
3 - Slight gain	21.6%	20.2%	-1.4%
4 - Moderate gain	24.0%	22.6%	-1.4%
5 - High gain	16.4%	16.7%	0.3%
6 - Very high gain	4.5%	8.6%	4.1%
MEAN=	3.19	3.32	0.13
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.9%	0.6%
1 - No gain	17.2%	13.7%	-3.5%
2 - Very slight gain	10.5%	7.2%	-3.3%
3 - Slight gain	20.9%	19.7%	-1.2%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	24.2%	1.6%
5 - High gain	17.5%	23.9%	6.4%
6 - Very high gain	11.0%	10.4%	-0.6%
MEAN=	3.45	3.66	0.21
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	2.0%	1.8%	-0.2%
1 - No gain	19.7%	16.7%	-3.0%
2 - Very slight gain	11.3%	11.9%	0.6%
3 - Slight gain	18.0%	17.9%	-0.1%
4 - Moderate gain	22.8%	21.4%	-1.4%
5 - High gain	16.6%	18.8%	2.2%
6 - Very high gain	9.6%	11.6%	2.0%
MEAN=	3.28	3.43	0.15
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.0%	2.4%	0.4%
1 - No gain	21.8%	15.8%	-6.0%
2 - Very slight gain	9.0%	12.5%	3.5%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	18.5%	-1.2%
4 - Moderate gain	20.8%	19.7%	-1.1%
5 - High gain	17.7%	17.9%	0.2%
6 - Very high gain	9.0%	13.1%	4.1%
MEAN=	3.25	3.44	0.19
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	2.5%	3.0%	0.5%
1 - No gain	19.5%	13.1%	-6.4%
2 - Very slight gain	10.7%	12.5%	1.8%
3 - Slight gain	17.7%	20.0%	2.3%
4 - Moderate gain	20.3%	19.7%	-0.6%
5 - High gain	20.0%	20.3%	0.3%
6 - Very high gain	9.3%	11.3%	2.0%
MEAN=	3.31	3.47	0.16
62. Skill in gathering information			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
1 - No gain	5.6%	2.4%	-3.2%
2 - Very slight gain	6.8%	8.9%	2.1%
3 - Slight gain	13.8%	16.7%	2.9%
4 - Moderate gain	30.1%	22.6%	-7.5%
5 - High gain	28.2%	33.0%	4.8%
6 - Very high gain	15.2%	16.4%	1.2%
MEAN=	4.13	4.24	0.11
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%
1 - No gain	5.7%	4.5%	-1.2%
2 - Very slight gain	14.2%	8.4%	-5.8%
3 - Slight gain	15.2%	16.4%	1.2%
4 - Moderate gain	27.8%	29.0%	1.2%
5 - High gain	22.1%	27.8%	5.7%
6 - Very high gain	14.4%	13.4%	-1.0%
MEAN=	3.88	4.06	0.18
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.3%	0.3%
1 - No gain	1.7%	1.5%	-0.2%
2 - Very slight gain	2.9%	2.4%	-0.5%
3 - Slight gain	11.2%	10.3%	-0.9%
4 - Moderate gain	32.3%	24.8%	-7.5%
5 - High gain	34.6%	43.0%	8.4%
6 - Very high gain	17.3%	17.6%	0.3%
MEAN=	4.47	4.57	0.10
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	32.7%	27.9%	-4.8%
2 - Female	67.3%	72.1%	4.8%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	83.9%	84.7%	0.8%
2 - African American	2.5%	4.0%	1.5%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	8.3%	6.1%	-2.2%
4 - Asian	4.2%	4.9%	0.7%
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	1.1%	0.3%	-0.8%
67. Your year of birth is:	MEAN= 1971	1972	1.00
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.2%	2.1%	-0.1%
2 - Junior high	2.5%	2.1%	-0.4%
3 - Some high school	4.5%	3.6%	-0.9%
4 - High school graduate	22.4%	23.4%	1.0%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.6%	11.4%	3.8%
6 - Some college	29.1%	24.6%	-4.5%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	19.9%	23.7%	3.8%
8 - Graduate school	11.8%	9.0%	-2.8%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	1.1%	2.1%	1.0%
2 - Junior high	2.8%	1.8%	-1.0%
3 - Some high school	6.2%	4.8%	-1.4%
4 - High school graduate	14.9%	19.9%	5.0%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.3%	7.3%	0.0%
6 - Some college	24.4%	19.3%	-5.1%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	21.1%	24.5%	3.4%
8 - Graduate school	22.2%	20.2%	-2.0%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	35.5%	44.8%	9.3%
2 - Married	51.4%	45.1%	-6.3%
3 - Separated	1.4%	0.3%	-1.1%
4 - Divorced	10.6%	8.9%	-1.7%
5 - Widowed	0.3%	0.3%	0.0%
6 - Other	0.8%	0.6%	-0.2%

	2001 Alumni N=358	2002 Alumni N=338	Percent Change
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	14.0%	13.3%	-0.7%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	17.2%	18.8%	1.6%
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.2%	23.6%	0.4%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	17.5%	20.0%	2.5%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	16.9%	14.8%	-2.1%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	8.9%	7.3%	-1.6%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.3%	2.1%	-0.2%
72. How many dependents are in your household?			
0	51.5%	59.9%	8.4%
1	22.5%	18.0%	-4.5%
2	14.4%	10.2%	-4.2%
3	7.9%	7.5%	-0.4%
4 or more	3.7%	4.5%	0.8%
MEAN=	0.91	0.81	-0.10



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SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
2001	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
2000	2.7%	2.8%	0.1%
1999	16.4%	16.8%	0.4%
1998	22.5%	20.6%	-1.9%
1997	25.3%	26.2%	0.9%
1996 and before	32.5%	32.6%	0.1%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	35.8%	36.2%	0.4%
2 - Transfer	59.8%	60.1%	0.3%
3 - Unclassified	4.4%	3.7%	-0.7%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?			
	N= 207	133	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	52.7%	53.4%	0.7%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.6%	28.6%	2.0%
CU-Boulder	5.8%	4.5%	-1.3%
CSU (CO State University)	3.4%	1.5%	-1.9%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	2.9%	3.8%	0.9%
USC (University of Southern CO)	1.9%	1.5%	-0.4%
Western State College	1.9%	2.3%	0.4%
Adams State College	1.4%	1.5%	0.1%
Fort-Lewis College	1.4%	0.8%	-0.7%
Metro State College	1.0%	0.8%	-0.3%
Colorado Technical University	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%
University of Denver	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	88.2%	87.6%	-0.6%
2 - Non-resident	11.8%	12.4%	0.6%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	84.9%	84.8%	-0.1%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	15.1%	15.2%	0.1%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	7.4%	8.3%	0.9%
2 - December 2000	22.6%	21.8%	-0.8%
3 - May 2001	69.9%	69.9%	0.0%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	63.3%	95.4%	32.1%
2 - Bachelor of Science	36.7%	4.6%	-32.1%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Letters, Arts and Sciences	64.5%	100.0%	35.5%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			
Psychology	15.6%	24.0%	8.4%
Communication	10.4%	16.0%	5.6%
Nursing	8.9%	0.4%	-8.5%
Sociology	6.8%	10.7%	3.9%

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change	
Biology	6.3%	9.8%	3.5%	
English	5.7%	8.9%	3.2%	
Geography & Environmental Studies	3.8%	5.8%	2.0%	
History	2.9%	4.4%	1.5%	
Marketing	2.3%	0.4%	-1.9%	
Art History	2.0%	3.1%	1.1%	
Anthropology	1.7%	2.7%	1.0%	
Economics	1.7%	2.7%	1.0%	
Political Science	1.2%	1.8%	0.6%	
Philosophy	1.2%	1.8%	0.6%	
Distributed Studies-Special Ed	1.2%	1.8%	0.6%	
Mathematics	0.9%	1.3%	0.4%	
Spanish	0.9%	1.3%	0.4%	
Visual Arts	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%	
Chemistry	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%	
Physics	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%	
Distributed Studies-Other	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%	
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?				
1 - Yes	10.1%	5.5%	-4.6%	
2 - No	89.9%	94.5%	4.6%	
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?	MEAN=	3.32	3.33	0.01
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY				
1 - To obtain a general education	5.4%	6.9%	1.5%	
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.9%	0.5%	-0.4%	
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.0%	2.8%	-0.2%	
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	42.3%	37.0%	-5.3%	
5 - To become better qualified for present employment	1.2%	0.5%	-0.7%	
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment	3.6%	3.2%	-0.4%	
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment	6.5%	6.9%	0.4%	
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation	5.1%	3.7%	-1.4%	
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree	13.7%	17.1%	3.4%	
10 - Personal fulfillment	16.4%	19.0%	2.6%	
11 - Other	2.1%	2.3%	0.2%	
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?				
1 - Yes, full-time	23.7%	29.3%	5.6%	
2 - Yes, part-time	7.8%	6.5%	-1.3%	
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)	68.5%	64.2%	-4.3%	
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):	N=	107	78	-
Master of Arts (MA)	31.9%	39.7%	7.8%	
Other	14.1%	14.1%	0.0%	
Master of Science (MS)	10.3%	2.6%	-7.7%	
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	10.3%	6.4%	-3.9%	
Master in Basic Science (MBS)	6.5%	6.4%	-0.1%	
Master in Public Administration (MPA)	5.6%	7.7%	2.1%	
PhD	4.7%	6.4%	1.7%	
Teacher Education Program (TEP)	3.7%	5.1%	1.4%	
Master in Education (MEd)	3.7%	3.8%	0.1%	
Juris Doctor (JD)	1.9%	2.6%	0.7%	
Master in Social Work (MSW)	0.9%	1.3%	0.4%	
Medical Doctor (MD)	0.9%	1.3%	0.4%	
Dentistry	0.9%	1.3%	0.4%	
Education	0.9%	1.3%	0.4%	
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)				
CU-Colorado Springs	50.0%	48.8%	-1.2%	
Other (includes out-of-state)	29.7%	34.3%	4.6%	
CU-Boulder	4.8%	3.9%	-0.9%	
CO Technical University (CTU)	3.8%	1.3%	-2.5%	
Regis University	2.9%	3.9%	1.0%	
University of Denver	2.9%	2.6%	-0.3%	
UNC (University of Northern CO)	1.9%	1.3%	-0.6%	
CU-Denver	1.0%	1.3%	0.3%	
CC (Colorado College)	1.0%	1.3%	0.3%	
Metro State	1.0%	1.3%	0.3%	
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?	N=	231	148	-
1 - Yes	43.6%	42.6%	-1.0%	
2 - No	56.4%	57.4%	1.0%	

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SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT				
13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?				
1 - Seek employment		44.5%	38.6%	-5.9%
2 - Attend graduate school		15.5%	13.5%	-2.0%
3 - Continue current employment		10.4%	12.1%	1.7%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment		14.9%	16.7%	1.8%
5 - Go into the teacher education program		3.9%	6.0%	2.1%
6 - Be a homemaker		3.0%	3.7%	0.7%
7 - Take time off		3.0%	3.3%	0.3%
8 - Other		4.8%	6.0%	1.2%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)	MEAN=	32.39	30.79	-1.60
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)	N=	55	43	-
Spouse		50.9%	48.8%	-2.1%
Other		14.5%	16.3%	1.8%
Loans/Grants		12.8%	16.3%	3.5%
Retirement		9.1%	9.3%	0.2%
Savings		7.3%	4.7%	-2.7%
Parents		3.6%	4.7%	1.1%
16a. When did you start your current career?	MODE Month=	8	8	0.00
	MODE Year=	2001	2001	0.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?	MEAN Days=	58.99	70.44	11.45
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?				
1 - Agricultural		2.7%	3.8%	1.1%
2 - Mining		0.7%	0.5%	-0.2%
3 - Contract Construction		2.7%	3.2%	0.5%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities		0.7%	0.5%	-0.2%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades		4.1%	6.5%	2.4%
6 - Manufacturing		3.4%	1.1%	-2.3%
7 - Finance		6.8%	4.8%	-2.0%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate		2.7%	2.2%	-0.5%
9 - Government		5.8%	4.8%	-1.0%
10 - Services		12.6%	12.9%	0.3%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)		15.0%	7.5%	-7.5%
12 - Public Service		6.1%	8.6%	2.5%
13 - Education		17.5%	25.3%	7.8%
14 - Other (specify)		19.2%	18.3%	-0.9%
19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?				
1 - Did not have to relocate		75.1%	75.7%	0.6%
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado		8.9%	7.6%	-1.3%
3 - Had to relocate to another state		8.5%	9.2%	0.7%
4 - Had to relocate to another country		0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons		7.2%	7.0%	-0.2%
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?				
1 - Had no previous employment experience		38.3%	38.5%	0.2%
2 - Had some previous employment experience		37.6%	35.3%	-2.3%
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience		24.1%	26.2%	2.1%
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.				
1 - Strongly Disagree		14.1%	16.4%	2.3%
2 - Disagree		13.1%	17.5%	4.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree		4.4%	5.3%	0.9%
4 - Slightly Agree		15.1%	17.5%	2.4%
5 - Agree		21.1%	24.3%	3.2%
6 - Strongly Agree		32.2%	19.0%	-13.2%
	MEAN=	4.13	3.73	-0.40
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.				
1 - Strongly Disagree		21.5%	19.0%	-2.5%
2 - Disagree		31.5%	31.2%	-0.3%

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3 - Slightly Disagree	15.1%	17.5%	2.4%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.1%	14.3%	1.2%
5 - Agree	10.7%	11.0%	0.3%
6 - Strongly Agree	8.1%	6.9%	-1.2%
MEAN=	2.84	2.88	0.04
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	5.7%	1.5%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	9.0%	1.5%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.8%	5.2%	0.4%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.0%	17.9%	1.9%
5 - Agree	34.9%	35.4%	0.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.5%	26.9%	-5.6%
MEAN=	4.67	4.49	-0.18
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.4%	3.8%	1.4%
2 - Disagree	3.9%	4.8%	0.9%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	4.3%	0.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	8.8%	9.5%	0.7%
5 - Agree	38.2%	38.6%	0.4%
6 - Strongly Agree	42.4%	39.0%	-3.4%
MEAN=	5.04	4.91	-0.13
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.1%	3.4%	0.3%
2 - Disagree	5.2%	7.2%	2.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.8%	6.3%	-0.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	20.0%	20.3%	0.3%
5 - Agree	43.7%	40.6%	-3.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	21.2%	22.2%	1.0%
MEAN=	4.60	4.54	-0.06
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.			
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	18.7%	23.9%	5.2%
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	81.3%	76.1%	-5.2%
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?			
General Business	24.9%	28.2%	3.3%
Other	17.1%	15.0%	-2.1%
Computer Science	7.7%	5.7%	-2.0%
Psychology	6.2%	5.7%	-0.5%
Marketing	4.7%	5.7%	1.0%
Health Care Services	4.7%	5.7%	1.0%
Spanish	4.7%	5.7%	1.0%
Not Offered at CU-Colorado Springs	4.7%	3.7%	-1.0%
Economics	3.1%	3.7%	0.6%
Nursing	3.1%	1.9%	-1.2%
Anthropology	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Art History	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Biology	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Chemistry (BA or BS)	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Accounting	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Dist. Studies-Justice/Public Admin.	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Philosophy	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Visual Arts	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Mechanical Engineering	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
Pre-Professional	1.6%	1.9%	0.3%
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?			
0-8	45.9%	44.1%	-1.8%
9 or more	54.1%	55.9%	1.8%
MEAN=	8.73	8.81	0.08
28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.50	3.62	0.12
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.83	3.65	-0.18
c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.57	3.06	-0.51
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.18	3.51	-0.67

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e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.65	1.73	-0.92
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.39	2.96	-0.43
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	2.31	2.54	0.23
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	2.37	2.62	0.25
i - scientific methodology.	2.72	2.49	-0.23

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.4%	2.8%	-0.6%
2 - Disagree	4.0%	4.3%	0.3%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.2%	8.1%	2.9%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.7%	18.5%	0.8%
5 - Agree	41.6%	41.7%	0.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	28.1%	24.6%	-3.5%
MEAN=	4.75	4.66	-0.09
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.3%	2.8%	-1.5%
2 - Disagree	7.6%	9.0%	1.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.7%	8.1%	1.4%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.7%	19.9%	1.2%
5 - Agree	38.8%	39.3%	0.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	23.9%	20.9%	-3.0%
MEAN=	4.52	4.46	-0.06
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
2 - Disagree	1.2%	1.4%	0.2%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.7%	6.5%	1.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.4%	12.4%	-1.0%
5 - Agree	45.4%	43.3%	-2.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	35.0%	35.9%	0.9%
MEAN=	5.07	5.05	-0.02
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%
2 - Disagree	2.4%	2.8%	0.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	4.1%	-0.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.8%	18.9%	0.1%
5 - Agree	49.1%	47.9%	-1.2%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.0%	25.3%	0.3%
MEAN=	4.88	4.86	-0.02
33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.9%	22.1%	0.2%
2 - Rarely	39.0%	38.7%	-0.3%
3 - Sometimes	27.6%	28.1%	0.5%
4 - Often	10.5%	9.7%	-0.8%
5 - Always	0.9%	1.4%	0.5%
MEAN=	2.29	2.29	0.00
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.1%	23.5%	0.4%
2 - Rarely	35.6%	37.3%	1.7%
3 - Sometimes	24.6%	24.9%	0.3%
4 - Often	15.1%	12.9%	-2.2%
5 - Always	1.5%	1.4%	-0.1%
MEAN=	2.36	2.31	-0.05
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?			
1 - Very Poor	12.2%	12.6%	0.4%
2 - Poor	14.9%	14.9%	0.0%
3 - Fair	33.4%	33.0%	-0.4%
4 - Good	28.7%	27.0%	-1.7%

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5 - Excellent		10.7%	12.6%	1.9%
	MEAN=	3.11	3.12	0.01
36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?				
1 - Very Poor		9.1%	8.5%	-0.6%
2 - Poor		16.7%	15.6%	-1.1%
3 - Fair		34.3%	34.6%	0.3%
4 - Good		30.2%	28.9%	-1.3%
5 - Excellent		9.7%	12.3%	2.6%
	MEAN=	3.15	3.21	0.06
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.				
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=	222	140	-
2-year college		41.4%	39.3%	-2.1%
4-year college		28.8%	30.7%	1.9%
University		29.7%	30.0%	0.3%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	47.14	45.50	-1.64
37c. How would you rate the overall QUALITY of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?				
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)				
1 - Very Poor		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor		3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
3 - Fair		27.0%	24.9%	-2.1%
4 - Good		52.0%	52.6%	0.6%
5 - Excellent		17.7%	19.2%	1.5%
	MEAN=	3.84	3.88	0.04
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)				
1 - Very Poor		1.5%	2.3%	0.8%
2 - Poor		4.8%	6.1%	1.3%
3 - Fair		24.6%	31.3%	6.7%
4 - Good		50.9%	43.0%	-7.9%
5 - Excellent		18.3%	17.3%	-1.0%
	MEAN=	3.80	3.67	-0.13
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)				
1 - Very Poor		0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
2 - Poor		5.7%	6.1%	0.4%
3 - Fair		27.4%	32.9%	5.5%
4 - Good		47.3%	39.4%	-7.9%
5 - Excellent		19.3%	21.1%	1.8%
	MEAN=	3.80	3.75	-0.05
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)				
1 - Very Poor		0.6%	0.5%	-0.1%
2 - Poor		4.8%	4.2%	-0.6%
3 - Fair		21.6%	19.2%	-2.4%
4 - Good		51.8%	50.9%	-0.9%
5 - Excellent		21.3%	25.2%	3.9%
	MEAN=	3.88	3.96	0.08
ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)				
1 - Very Poor		0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
2 - Poor		3.0%	3.8%	0.8%
3 - Fair		25.5%	26.8%	1.3%
4 - Good		49.8%	47.9%	-1.9%
5 - Excellent		21.3%	21.1%	-0.2%
	MEAN=	3.89	3.85	-0.04
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)				
1 - Very Poor		1.8%	1.9%	0.1%
2 - Poor		11.1%	10.8%	-0.3%

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
3 - Fair	36.7%	39.0%	2.3%
4 - Good	36.4%	35.2%	-1.2%
5 - Excellent	13.9%	13.1%	-0.8%
MEAN=	3.49	3.47	-0.02
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	4.2%	3.3%	-0.9%
3 - Fair	21.8%	18.9%	-2.9%
4 - Good	46.7%	43.9%	-2.8%
5 - Excellent	27.0%	34.0%	7.0%
MEAN=	3.96	4.08	0.12
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.5%	-0.1%
2 - Poor	4.2%	4.2%	0.0%
3 - Fair	16.7%	12.5%	-4.2%
4 - Good	43.9%	41.2%	-2.7%
5 - Excellent	34.6%	41.7%	7.1%
MEAN=	4.08	4.19	0.11
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor	2.1%	1.9%	-0.2%
3 - Fair	16.1%	16.3%	0.2%
4 - Good	50.1%	49.3%	-0.8%
5 - Excellent	31.6%	32.6%	1.0%
MEAN=	4.11	4.13	0.02
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	0.9%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	1.8%	2.3%	0.5%
3 - Fair	20.0%	25.6%	5.6%
4 - Good	40.6%	39.5%	-1.1%
5 - Excellent	36.4%	31.6%	-4.8%
MEAN=	4.09	3.99	-0.10
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	1.5%	1.4%	-0.1%
2 - Poor	12.0%	11.7%	-0.3%
3 - Fair	30.0%	35.2%	5.2%
4 - Good	36.3%	33.3%	-3.0%
5 - Excellent	20.1%	18.3%	-1.8%
MEAN=	3.62	3.55	-0.07
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.8%	1.4%	-0.4%
2 - Poor	7.5%	7.5%	0.0%
3 - Fair	26.6%	24.8%	-1.8%
4 - Good	40.4%	40.2%	-0.2%
5 - Excellent	23.7%	26.2%	2.5%
MEAN=	3.77	3.82	0.05
MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.1%	3.3%	1.2%
2 - Poor	6.1%	3.3%	-2.8%
3 - Fair	25.2%	20.9%	-4.3%
4 - Good	45.0%	46.0%	1.0%
5 - Excellent	21.6%	26.5%	4.9%
MEAN=	3.78	3.89	0.11
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.6%	3.3%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	14.3%	9.8%	-4.5%
3 - Fair	29.5%	27.6%	-1.9%
4 - Good	33.7%	33.2%	-0.5%
5 - Excellent	18.8%	26.2%	7.4%
MEAN=	3.50	3.69	0.19
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.3%	2.8%	-0.5%

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
2 - Poor	10.3%	5.1%	-5.2%
3 - Fair	23.9%	17.3%	-6.6%
4 - Good	38.7%	43.5%	4.8%
5 - Excellent	23.9%	31.3%	7.4%
MEAN=	3.69	3.95	0.26
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	0.9%	0.9%	0.0%
2 - Poor	3.3%	3.3%	0.0%
3 - Fair	22.2%	19.2%	-3.0%
4 - Good	49.1%	49.1%	0.0%
5 - Excellent	24.6%	27.6%	3.0%
MEAN=	3.93	3.99	0.06
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.5%	-0.1%
2 - Poor	1.5%	1.9%	0.4%
3 - Fair	16.8%	17.3%	0.5%
4 - Good	55.3%	53.3%	-2.0%
5 - Excellent	25.8%	27.1%	1.3%
MEAN=	4.04	4.05	0.01
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	0.9%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	2.1%	2.3%	0.2%
3 - Fair	14.9%	14.0%	-0.9%
4 - Good	56.7%	53.0%	-3.7%
5 - Excellent	25.1%	29.8%	4.7%
MEAN=	4.02	4.08	0.06
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	52.2%	59.2%	7.0%
2 - No	47.8%	40.8%	-7.0%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	20.4%	19.3%	-1.1%
2 - One	21.0%	20.6%	-0.4%
3 - Two or Three	45.3%	46.3%	1.0%
4 - Four or more	13.3%	13.8%	0.5%
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.3%	6.0%	-2.3%
2 - Rarely	29.9%	29.8%	-0.1%
3 - Sometimes	40.8%	41.3%	0.5%
4 - Often	21.0%	22.9%	1.9%
For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:			
41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.3%	3.7%	0.4%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	8.4%	0.9%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.2%	9.3%	2.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	24.8%	23.3%	-1.5%
5 - Agree	40.6%	39.1%	-1.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	16.7%	16.3%	-0.4%
MEAN=	4.42	4.34	-0.08
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.9%	1.4%	0.5%
2 - Disagree	1.8%	1.8%	0.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.9%	6.0%	0.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.0%	10.1%	-2.9%
5 - Agree	51.2%	52.3%	1.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	27.2%	28.4%	1.2%
MEAN=	4.93	4.95	0.02
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	4.6%	0.4%
2 - Disagree	4.5%	4.6%	0.1%

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.7%	7.8%	0.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.4%	14.7%	-1.7%
5 - Agree	40.8%	41.3%	0.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	26.5%	27.1%	0.6%
MEAN=	4.65	4.65	0.00
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	50.6%	52.6%	2.0%
2 - Disagree	33.5%	33.0%	-0.5%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.7%	8.4%	-0.3%
4 - Slightly Agree	2.7%	2.3%	-0.4%
5 - Agree	2.4%	1.9%	-0.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.1%	1.9%	-0.2%
MEAN=	1.79	1.73	-0.06
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	13.7%	11.5%	-2.2%
2 - Disagree	23.3%	24.4%	1.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	13.1%	13.8%	0.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	14.3%	12.9%	-1.4%
5 - Agree	24.8%	24.9%	0.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	10.7%	12.4%	1.7%
MEAN=	3.45	3.53	0.08
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Location	21.5%	20.8%	-0.7%
Faculty	11.9%	12.8%	0.9%
Cost	9.9%	10.4%	0.5%
Other	9.0%	9.5%	0.5%
Small class size	8.8%	8.2%	-0.6%
Good departmental programs	5.5%	4.2%	-1.3%
Had major I wanted	3.6%	3.8%	0.2%
Convenient	3.4%	3.3%	-0.1%
Class hours/schedule	3.4%	3.8%	0.5%
Small school/atmosphere	2.6%	2.4%	-0.3%
Good equipment/facilities/resources	2.3%	3.1%	0.8%
Quality education	2.3%	2.4%	0.1%
Personable/small student-to-teacher ratio	2.1%	2.4%	0.2%
Part of CU system, affiliation with Boulder	1.6%	1.1%	-0.5%
Night classes	1.5%	1.1%	-0.4%
Availability of faculty	1.3%	1.5%	0.2%
Diversity among students	1.3%	1.6%	0.4%
Good reputation	1.3%	0.7%	-0.5%
Orientation to non-traditional students	1.1%	1.5%	0.3%
Friendly atmosphere	1.0%	1.3%	0.3%
Accredited	0.6%	0.4%	-0.3%
Beautiful campus	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%
Financial aid	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%
Dorms	0.5%	0.4%	-0.1%
Curriculum	0.5%	0.4%	-0.1%
Older, mature student body	0.4%	0.2%	-0.2%
Good cohesiveness, communication	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%
Well rounded education	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%
High academic standards	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%
Able to get a degree	0.3%	0.4%	0.1%
Class taught by PhD's, not TA's	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
Good academic advising	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
Cultural diversity on campus	0.1%	0.2%	0.1%
47. In your opinion, what are the disadvantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Parking	24.5%	24.5%	0.0%
Other	18.9%	20.1%	1.2%
Little campus life/social life	6.5%	6.6%	0.1%
Faculty	6.0%	7.1%	1.1%
Class hours/schedule	5.6%	4.7%	-0.9%
Poor academic advising	3.3%	3.4%	0.1%
High fees, costs	3.3%	2.7%	-0.6%
Inadequate library resources	3.3%	3.9%	0.6%
Need more majors	2.9%	3.7%	0.8%

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	2.4%	1.5%	-0.9%
School lacks a big name	2.2%	2.2%	0.0%
Lack of sports	2.1%	2.2%	0.1%
Lacking equipment/facilities/resources	1.4%	1.2%	-0.2%
Need wider selection of courses	1.3%	1.7%	0.4%
Lack of diversity among students	1.1%	1.2%	0.1%
Need more graduate programs	1.1%	1.7%	0.6%
Growing too fast, overcrowded	1.0%	0.7%	-0.2%
No career placement, guidance	1.0%	0.2%	-0.7%
Department/Program disorganized	1.0%	0.2%	-0.7%
Curriculum	1.0%	0.7%	-0.2%
Lack of cultural diversity	1.0%	0.7%	-0.2%
Too many unnecessary requirements	1.0%	1.0%	0.0%
Classes too big	0.8%	1.2%	0.4%
Lack of student/customer services	0.6%	0.5%	-0.1%
Lacking college atmosphere	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%
Bureaucracy	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%
Classes too small	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%
Liberal attitude	0.5%	0.7%	0.3%
Students are too old	0.5%	0.5%	0.0%
School is too small	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
No cohesiveness/communication	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
Lack of funding for departments	0.3%	0.2%	-0.1%
Lack of diversity among instructors	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
Location	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%
Classes taught by TA's, not PhD's	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%
Young students, not serious	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%
Use of student funds	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%
Lack of financial aid	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%
Not enough night classes	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%

SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

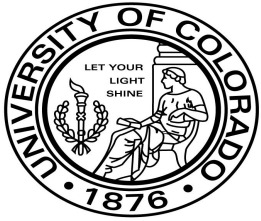
On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of PERSONAL development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:

48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
1 - No gain	3.0%	3.7%	0.7%
2 - Very slight gain	3.0%	2.8%	-0.2%
3 - Slight gain	12.3%	12.6%	0.3%
4 - Moderate gain	40.5%	42.3%	1.8%
5 - High gain	32.4%	30.2%	-2.2%
6 - Very high gain	8.4%	7.9%	-0.5%
	MEAN=	4.21	4.15
			-0.06
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	1.5%	1.8%	0.3%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	3.2%	-1.0%
3 - Slight gain	13.7%	11.0%	-2.7%
4 - Moderate gain	29.5%	28.0%	-1.5%
5 - High gain	34.2%	33.5%	-0.7%
6 - Very high gain	17.0%	22.5%	5.5%
	MEAN=	4.42	4.56
			0.14
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	2.8%	0.4%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	1.8%	-2.4%
3 - Slight gain	15.8%	14.7%	-1.1%
4 - Moderate gain	30.4%	32.6%	2.2%
5 - High gain	32.7%	30.7%	-2.0%
6 - Very high gain	14.6%	17.4%	2.8%
	MEAN=	4.31	4.39
			0.08

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
1 - No gain	3.9%	2.8%	-1.1%
2 - Very slight gain	5.7%	5.5%	-0.2%
3 - Slight gain	13.1%	11.5%	-1.6%
4 - Moderate gain	27.2%	25.3%	-1.9%
5 - High gain	31.6%	31.8%	0.2%
6 - Very high gain	18.2%	22.6%	4.4%
MEAN=	4.31	4.44	0.13
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
1 - No gain	19.2%	20.5%	1.3%
2 - Very slight gain	7.8%	8.4%	0.6%
3 - Slight gain	21.0%	18.1%	-2.9%
4 - Moderate gain	24.0%	24.2%	0.2%
5 - High gain	19.8%	19.1%	-0.7%
6 - Very high gain	7.8%	9.3%	1.5%
MEAN=	3.40	3.40	0.00
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%
1 - No gain	25.1%	26.7%	1.6%
2 - Very slight gain	11.3%	9.2%	-2.1%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	18.9%	-0.8%
4 - Moderate gain	20.0%	22.1%	2.1%
5 - High gain	16.7%	14.7%	-2.0%
6 - Very high gain	6.6%	7.4%	0.8%
MEAN=	3.10	3.08	-0.02
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.8%	2.3%	0.5%
1 - No gain	15.9%	14.8%	-1.1%
2 - Very slight gain	12.0%	11.6%	-0.4%
3 - Slight gain	22.2%	17.1%	-5.1%
4 - Moderate gain	19.2%	20.8%	1.6%
5 - High gain	19.2%	19.9%	0.7%
6 - Very high gain	9.6%	13.4%	3.8%
MEAN=	3.37	3.53	0.16
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
1 - No gain	9.0%	10.6%	1.6%
2 - Very slight gain	9.3%	7.9%	-1.4%
3 - Slight gain	21.3%	19.9%	-1.4%
4 - Moderate gain	29.4%	29.2%	-0.2%
5 - High gain	23.7%	23.1%	-0.6%
6 - Very high gain	6.9%	8.8%	1.9%
MEAN=	3.69	3.71	0.02
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
1 - No gain	10.1%	8.8%	-1.3%
2 - Very slight gain	9.0%	6.5%	-2.5%
3 - Slight gain	21.5%	18.4%	-3.1%
4 - Moderate gain	23.3%	24.0%	0.7%
5 - High gain	25.1%	28.1%	3.0%
6 - Very high gain	10.7%	13.8%	3.1%
MEAN=	3.76	3.96	0.20
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.2%	1.8%	0.6%
1 - No gain	15.8%	13.8%	-2.0%
2 - Very slight gain	14.9%	11.0%	-3.9%
3 - Slight gain	20.2%	21.6%	1.4%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	23.4%	0.8%
5 - High gain	16.7%	19.7%	3.0%
6 - Very high gain	8.6%	8.7%	0.1%
MEAN=	3.32	3.45	0.13

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.9%	0.5%	-0.4%
1 - No gain	13.7%	15.7%	2.0%
2 - Very slight gain	7.2%	7.8%	0.6%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	18.4%	-1.3%
4 - Moderate gain	24.2%	21.2%	-3.0%
5 - High gain	23.9%	24.0%	0.1%
6 - Very high gain	10.4%	12.4%	2.0%
MEAN=	3.66	3.66	0.00
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	1.8%	0.9%	-0.9%
1 - No gain	16.7%	11.9%	-4.8%
2 - Very slight gain	11.9%	8.7%	-3.2%
3 - Slight gain	17.9%	17.4%	-0.5%
4 - Moderate gain	21.4%	24.3%	2.9%
5 - High gain	18.8%	22.0%	3.2%
6 - Very high gain	11.6%	14.7%	3.1%
MEAN=	3.43	3.77	0.34
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.4%	1.8%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	15.8%	9.2%	-6.6%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	9.2%	-3.3%
3 - Slight gain	18.5%	18.4%	-0.1%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	23.5%	3.8%
5 - High gain	17.9%	20.3%	2.4%
6 - Very high gain	13.1%	17.5%	4.4%
MEAN=	3.44	3.83	0.39
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	3.0%	2.8%	-0.2%
1 - No gain	13.1%	7.8%	-5.3%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	8.7%	-3.8%
3 - Slight gain	20.0%	17.9%	-2.1%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	23.4%	3.7%
5 - High gain	20.3%	23.9%	3.6%
6 - Very high gain	11.3%	15.6%	4.3%
MEAN=	3.47	3.85	0.38
62. Skill in gathering information			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	1.8%	-0.6%
2 - Very slight gain	8.9%	8.7%	-0.2%
3 - Slight gain	16.7%	14.7%	-2.0%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	21.6%	-1.0%
5 - High gain	33.0%	33.5%	0.5%
6 - Very high gain	16.4%	19.7%	3.3%
MEAN=	4.24	4.35	0.11
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.9%	0.3%
1 - No gain	4.5%	6.0%	1.5%
2 - Very slight gain	8.4%	10.1%	1.7%
3 - Slight gain	16.4%	20.7%	4.3%
4 - Moderate gain	29.0%	25.8%	-3.2%
5 - High gain	27.8%	25.8%	-2.0%
6 - Very high gain	13.4%	10.6%	-2.8%
MEAN=	4.06	3.84	-0.22
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
1 - No gain	1.5%	1.4%	-0.1%
2 - Very slight gain	2.4%	2.8%	0.4%
3 - Slight gain	10.3%	9.3%	-1.0%
4 - Moderate gain	24.8%	25.5%	0.7%
5 - High gain	43.0%	38.0%	-5.0%
6 - Very high gain	17.6%	22.7%	5.1%

	2002 Alumni N=338	LAS Alumni N=218	Percent Change
MEAN=	4.57	4.63	0.06
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	27.9%	25.7%	-2.2%
2 - Female	72.1%	74.3%	2.2%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	84.7%	83.8%	-0.9%
2 - African American	4.0%	4.3%	0.3%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	6.1%	6.7%	0.6%
4 - Asian	4.9%	4.8%	-0.1%
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
67. Your year of birth is:	MEAN= 1972	1972	0.00
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	1.9%	-0.2%
2 - Junior high	2.1%	1.9%	-0.2%
3 - Some high school	3.6%	3.7%	0.1%
4 - High school graduate	23.4%	23.7%	0.3%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	11.4%	10.7%	-0.7%
6 - Some college	24.6%	23.7%	-0.9%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	23.7%	26.5%	2.8%
8 - Graduate school	9.0%	7.9%	-1.1%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	1.4%	-0.7%
2 - Junior high	1.8%	0.9%	-0.9%
3 - Some high school	4.8%	4.7%	-0.1%
4 - High school graduate	19.9%	20.6%	0.7%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.3%	7.0%	-0.3%
6 - Some college	19.3%	21.5%	2.2%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	24.5%	24.3%	-0.2%
8 - Graduate school	20.2%	19.6%	-0.6%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	44.8%	44.5%	-0.3%
2 - Married	45.1%	44.0%	-1.1%
3 - Separated	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%
4 - Divorced	8.9%	10.6%	1.7%
5 - Widowed	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
6 - Other	0.6%	0.5%	-0.1%
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	13.3%	15.6%	2.3%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	18.8%	21.3%	2.5%
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.6%	28.4%	4.8%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	20.0%	19.0%	-1.0%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	14.8%	9.0%	-5.8%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	7.3%	4.7%	-2.6%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.1%	1.9%	-0.2%
72. How many dependents are in your household?			
0	59.9%	62.4%	2.5%
1	18.0%	18.1%	0.1%
2	10.2%	9.3%	-0.9%
3	7.5%	7.4%	-0.1%
4 or more	4.5%	2.8%	-1.7%
MEAN=	0.81	0.72	-0.09



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SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2001	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2000	2.7%	1.7%	-1.0%
1999	16.4%	20.3%	3.9%
1998	22.5%	20.3%	-2.2%
1997	25.3%	20.3%	-5.0%
1996 and before	32.5%	37.3%	4.8%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	35.8%	39.0%	3.2%
2 - Transfer	59.8%	57.6%	-2.2%
3 - Unclassified	4.4%	3.4%	-1.0%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?			
	N= 207	36	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	52.7%	55.6%	2.9%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.6%	25.0%	-1.6%
CU-Boulder	5.8%	2.8%	-3.0%
CSU (CO State University)	3.4%	5.6%	2.2%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	2.9%	0.0%	-2.9%
USC (University of Southern CO)	1.9%	0.0%	-1.9%
Western State College	1.9%	2.8%	0.9%
Adams State College	1.4%	0.0%	-1.4%
Fort-Lewis College	1.4%	5.6%	4.2%
Metro State	1.0%	2.8%	1.8%
Colorado Technical University	0.5%	0.0%	-0.5%
University of Denver	0.5%	0.0%	-0.5%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	88.2%	91.5%	3.3%
2 - Non-resident	11.8%	8.5%	-3.3%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	84.9%	81.4%	-3.5%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	15.1%	18.6%	3.5%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	7.4%	8.5%	1.1%
2 - December 2000	22.6%	32.2%	9.6%
3 - May 2001	69.9%	59.3%	-10.6%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	63.3%	5.1%	-58.2%
2 - Bachelor of Science	36.7%	94.9%	58.2%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2 - Business	17.5%	100.0%	82.5%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			
Information Systems	3.8%	21.7%	17.9%
Accounting	3.2%	18.3%	15.1%
Finance	2.6%	15.0%	12.4%
Marketing	2.3%	11.7%	9.4%

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General Business	1.7%	10.0%	8.3%
Organizational Management	1.4%	8.3%	6.9%
Personnel/Human Resources Management	0.9%	5.0%	4.1%
Marketing/Information Systems	0.6%	3.3%	2.7%
Finance/Information Systems	0.6%	3.3%	2.7%
International Business	0.6%	3.3%	2.7%
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Yes	10.1%	28.8%	18.7%
2 - No	89.9%	71.2%	-18.7%
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?	MEAN= 3.32	3.31	-0.01
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY			
1 - To obtain a general education	5.4%	3.4%	-2.0%
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.9%	3.4%	2.5%
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.0%	1.7%	-1.3%
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	42.3%	50.8%	8.5%
5 - To become better qualified for present employment	1.2%	5.1%	3.9%
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment	3.6%	3.4%	-0.2%
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment	6.5%	5.1%	-1.4%
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation	5.1%	6.8%	1.7%
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree	13.7%	3.4%	-10.3%
10 - Personal fulfillment	16.4%	16.9%	0.5%
11 - Other	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?			
1 - Yes, full-time	23.7%	10.3%	-13.4%
2 - Yes, part-time	7.8%	8.6%	0.8%
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)	68.5%	81.0%	12.5%
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):	N=		
Master of Arts (MA)	107	11	-
Other	31.9%	27.3%	-4.6%
Master of Science (MS)	14.1%	27.3%	13.2%
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	10.3%	9.1%	-1.2%
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	10.3%	36.4%	26.1%
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)			
CU-Colorado Springs	50.0%	40.0%	-10.0%
Other (includes out-of-state)	29.7%	40.0%	10.3%
CU-Boulder	4.8%	20.0%	15.2%
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?	N=		
1 - Yes	231	48	-
2 - No	43.6%	43.8%	0.2%
	56.4%	56.3%	-0.1%
SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT			
13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?			
1 - Seek employment	44.5%	50.8%	6.3%
2 - Attend graduate school	10.4%	1.7%	-8.7%
3 - Continue current employment	15.4%	25.4%	10.0%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment	14.9%	13.6%	-1.3%
5 - Go into the teacher education program	3.9%	0.0%	-3.9%
6 - Be a homemaker	3.0%	1.7%	-1.3%
7 - Take time off	3.0%	3.4%	0.4%
8 - Other	4.8%	3.4%	-1.4%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)	MEAN= 32.39	36.60	4.21
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)	N=		
Spouse	55	6	-
Savings	50.9%	66.7%	15.8%
Stipend	7.3%	16.7%	9.4%
	1.8%	16.7%	14.9%
16a. When did you start your current career?	MODE Month= 8	1	-7.00
	MODE Year= 2001	2001	0.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?	MEAN Days= 58.99	43.79	-15.20
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?			
1 - Agricultural	2.7%	1.9%	-0.8%
2 - Mining	0.7%	1.9%	1.2%

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3 - Contract Construction	2.7%	3.8%	1.1%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities	0.7%	0.0%	-0.7%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades	4.1%	0.0%	-4.1%
6 - Manufacturing	3.4%	7.5%	4.1%
7 - Finance	6.8%	18.9%	12.1%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate	2.7%	7.5%	4.8%
9 - Government	5.8%	3.8%	-2.0%
10 - Services	12.6%	20.8%	8.2%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)	15.0%	9.4%	-5.6%
12 - Public Service	6.1%	3.8%	-2.3%
13 - Education	17.5%	5.7%	-11.8%
14 - Other (specify)	19.2%	15.1%	-4.1%
19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?			
1 - Did not have to relocate	75.1%	79.2%	4.1%
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado	8.9%	9.4%	0.5%
3 - Had to relocate to another state	8.5%	3.8%	-4.7%
4 - Had to relocate to another country	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons	7.2%	7.5%	0.3%
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?			
1 - Had no previous employment experience	38.3%	30.8%	-7.5%
2 - Had some previous employment experience	37.6%	46.2%	8.6%
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience	24.1%	23.1%	-1.0%
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	14.1%	9.4%	-4.7%
2 - Disagree	13.1%	9.4%	-3.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.4%	1.9%	-2.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	15.1%	15.1%	0.0%
5 - Agree	21.1%	22.6%	1.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.2%	41.5%	9.3%
MEAN=	4.13	4.57	0.44
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	21.5%	20.8%	-0.7%
2 - Disagree	31.5%	41.5%	10.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	15.1%	17.0%	1.9%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.1%	5.7%	-7.4%
5 - Agree	10.7%	7.5%	-3.2%
6 - Strongly Agree	8.1%	7.5%	-0.6%
MEAN=	2.84	2.60	-0.24
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	1.7%	-2.5%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	3.4%	-4.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.8%	3.4%	-1.4%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.0%	16.9%	0.9%
5 - Agree	34.9%	40.7%	5.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.5%	33.9%	1.4%
MEAN=	4.67	4.93	0.26
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
2 - Disagree	3.9%	1.7%	-2.2%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	1.7%	-2.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	8.8%	5.1%	-3.7%
5 - Agree	38.2%	42.4%	4.2%
6 - Strongly Agree	42.4%	49.2%	6.8%
MEAN=	5.04	5.36	0.32
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.1%	5.1%	2.0%
2 - Disagree	5.2%	1.7%	-3.5%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.8%	8.5%	1.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	20.0%	20.3%	0.3%
5 - Agree	43.7%	50.8%	7.1%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
6 - Strongly Agree	21.2%	13.6%	-7.6%
MEAN=	4.60	4.51	-0.09
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.			
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	18.7%	8.8%	-9.9%
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	81.3%	91.2%	9.9%
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?			
Other	17.1%	20.0%	2.9%
Computer Science	7.7%	40.0%	32.3%
Psychology	6.2%	20.0%	13.8%
Not Offered at CU-Colorado Springs	4.7%	20.0%	15.3%
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?			
0-8	45.9%	35.1%	-10.8%
9 or more	54.1%	64.9%	10.8%
MEAN=	8.73	8.95	0.22
28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.50	4.04	0.54
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.83	4.67	0.84
c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.57	5.57	2.00
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.18	6.47	2.29
e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.65	4.19	1.54
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.39	4.21	0.82
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	2.31	1.27	-1.04
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	2.37	1.16	-1.21
i - scientific methodology.	2.72	1.80	-0.92

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.4%	3.6%	0.2%
2 - Disagree	4.0%	0.0%	-4.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.2%	0.0%	-5.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.7%	19.6%	1.9%
5 - Agree	41.6%	42.9%	1.3%
6 - Strongly Agree	28.1%	33.9%	5.8%
MEAN=	4.75	5.00	0.25
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.3%	5.3%	1.0%
2 - Disagree	7.6%	7.0%	-0.6%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.7%	3.5%	-3.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.7%	17.5%	-1.2%
5 - Agree	38.8%	38.6%	-0.2%
6 - Strongly Agree	23.9%	28.1%	4.2%
MEAN=	4.52	4.61	0.09
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Disagree	1.2%	1.7%	0.5%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.7%	1.7%	-3.0%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.4%	13.6%	0.2%
5 - Agree	45.4%	47.5%	2.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	35.0%	35.6%	0.6%
MEAN=	5.07	5.14	0.07

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Disagree	2.4%	3.4%	1.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	5.1%	0.9%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.8%	16.9%	-1.9%
5 - Agree	49.1%	50.8%	1.7%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.0%	23.7%	-1.3%
MEAN=	4.88	4.86	-0.02
33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.9%	24.1%	2.2%
2 - Rarely	39.0%	34.5%	-4.5%
3 - Sometimes	27.6%	29.3%	1.7%
4 - Often	10.5%	12.1%	1.6%
5 - Always	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
MEAN=	2.29	2.29	0.00
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.1%	23.7%	0.6%
2 - Rarely	35.6%	33.9%	-1.7%
3 - Sometimes	24.6%	18.6%	-6.0%
4 - Often	15.1%	22.0%	6.9%
5 - Always	1.5%	1.7%	0.2%
MEAN=	2.36	2.44	0.08
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?			
1 - Very Poor	12.2%	16.9%	4.7%
2 - Poor	14.9%	20.3%	5.4%
3 - Fair	33.4%	33.9%	0.5%
4 - Good	28.7%	23.7%	-5.0%
5 - Excellent	10.7%	5.1%	-5.6%
MEAN=	3.11	2.80	-0.31
36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?			
1 - Very Poor	9.1%	11.8%	2.7%
2 - Poor	16.7%	21.6%	4.9%
3 - Fair	34.3%	33.3%	-1.0%
4 - Good	30.2%	29.4%	-0.8%
5 - Excellent	9.7%	3.9%	-5.8%
MEAN=	3.15	2.92	-0.23
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.			
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=		
2-year college	222	36	-
4-year college	41.4%	50.0%	8.6%
University	28.8%	27.8%	-1.0%
	29.7%	22.2%	-7.5%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	47.14	45.93
			-1.21
37c. How would you rate the overall QUALITY of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?			
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor	3.3%	0.0%	-3.3%
3 - Fair	27.0%	25.4%	-1.6%
4 - Good	52.0%	55.9%	3.9%
5 - Excellent	17.7%	18.6%	0.9%
MEAN=	3.84	3.93	0.09
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)			
1 - Very Poor	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Poor	4.8%	5.1%	0.3%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
3 - Fair	24.6%	13.6%	-11.0%
4 - Good	50.9%	64.4%	13.5%
5 - Excellent	18.3%	16.9%	-1.4%
MEAN=	3.80	3.93	0.13
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	5.7%	8.5%	2.8%
3 - Fair	27.4%	23.7%	-3.7%
4 - Good	47.3%	62.7%	15.4%
5 - Excellent	19.3%	5.1%	-14.2%
MEAN=	3.80	3.64	-0.16
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Poor	4.8%	6.8%	2.0%
3 - Fair	21.6%	20.3%	-1.3%
4 - Good	51.8%	57.6%	5.8%
5 - Excellent	21.3%	15.3%	-6.0%
MEAN=	3.88	3.81	-0.07
ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	3.0%	1.7%	-1.3%
3 - Fair	25.5%	25.4%	-0.1%
4 - Good	49.8%	61.0%	11.2%
5 - Excellent	21.3%	11.9%	-9.4%
MEAN=	3.89	3.83	-0.06
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)			
1 - Very Poor	1.8%	3.4%	1.6%
2 - Poor	11.1%	5.1%	-6.0%
3 - Fair	36.7%	37.3%	0.6%
4 - Good	36.4%	52.4%	16.0%
5 - Excellent	13.9%	11.9%	-2.0%
MEAN=	3.49	3.54	0.05
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	1.7%	1.4%
2 - Poor	4.2%	10.3%	6.1%
3 - Fair	21.8%	19.0%	-2.8%
4 - Good	46.7%	55.2%	8.5%
5 - Excellent	27.0%	13.8%	-13.2%
MEAN=	3.96	3.69	-0.27
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	1.7%	1.1%
2 - Poor	4.2%	6.8%	2.6%
3 - Fair	16.7%	18.6%	1.9%
4 - Good	43.9%	52.5%	8.6%
5 - Excellent	34.6%	20.3%	-14.3%
MEAN=	4.08	3.83	-0.25
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor	2.1%	5.1%	3.0%
3 - Fair	16.1%	23.7%	7.6%
4 - Good	50.1%	52.5%	2.4%
5 - Excellent	31.6%	18.6%	-13.0%
MEAN=	4.11	3.85	-0.26
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
2 - Poor	1.8%	1.7%	-0.1%
3 - Fair	20.0%	13.6%	-6.4%
4 - Good	40.6%	37.3%	-3.3%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
5 - Excellent	36.4%	47.5%	11.1%
MEAN=	4.09	4.31	0.22
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	1.5%	3.4%	1.9%
2 - Poor	12.0%	10.2%	-1.8%
3 - Fair	30.0%	22.0%	-8.0%
4 - Good	36.3%	47.5%	11.2%
5 - Excellent	20.1%	16.9%	-3.2%
MEAN=	3.62	3.64	0.02
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.8%	5.1%	3.3%
2 - Poor	7.5%	6.8%	-0.7%
3 - Fair	26.6%	28.8%	2.2%
4 - Good	40.4%	40.7%	0.3%
5 - Excellent	23.7%	18.6%	-5.1%
MEAN=	3.77	3.61	-0.16
MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
2 - Poor	6.1%	5.2%	-0.9%
3 - Fair	25.2%	41.4%	16.2%
4 - Good	45.0%	37.9%	-7.1%
5 - Excellent	21.6%	15.5%	-6.1%
MEAN=	3.78	3.64	-0.14
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.6%	7.0%	3.4%
2 - Poor	14.3%	17.5%	3.2%
3 - Fair	29.5%	33.3%	3.8%
4 - Good	33.7%	36.8%	3.1%
5 - Excellent	18.8%	5.3%	-13.5%
MEAN=	3.50	3.16	-0.34
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.3%	1.8%	-1.5%
2 - Poor	10.3%	17.9%	7.6%
3 - Fair	23.9%	51.8%	27.9%
4 - Good	38.7%	21.4%	-17.3%
5 - Excellent	23.9%	7.1%	-16.8%
MEAN=	3.69	3.14	-0.55
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
2 - Poor	3.3%	1.7%	-1.6%
3 - Fair	22.2%	35.6%	13.4%
4 - Good	49.1%	42.4%	-6.7%
5 - Excellent	24.6%	20.3%	-4.3%
MEAN=	3.93	3.81	-0.12
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Poor	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
3 - Fair	16.8%	22.0%	5.2%
4 - Good	55.3%	56.0%	0.7%
5 - Excellent	25.8%	22.0%	-3.8%
MEAN=	4.04	4.00	-0.04
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
2 - Poor	2.1%	1.7%	-0.4%
3 - Fair	14.9%	16.9%	2.0%
4 - Good	56.7%	61.0%	4.3%
5 - Excellent	25.1%	20.3%	-4.8%
MEAN=	4.02	4.00	-0.02

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	52.2%	39.0%	-13.2%
2 - No	47.8%	61.0%	13.2%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	20.4%	30.5%	10.1%
2 - One	21.0%	22.0%	1.0%
3 - Two or Three	45.3%	40.7%	-4.6%
4 - Four or more	13.3%	6.8%	-6.5%
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.3%	16.9%	8.6%
2 - Rarely	29.9%	27.1%	-2.8%
3 - Sometimes	40.8%	40.7%	-0.1%
4 - Often	21.0%	15.3%	-5.7%

For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:

41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.3%	0.0%	-3.3%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	5.1%	-2.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.2%	3.4%	-3.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	24.8%	30.5%	5.7%
5 - Agree	40.6%	44.1%	3.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	16.7%	16.9%	0.2%
MEAN=	4.42	4.64	0.22
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
2 - Disagree	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.9%	5.1%	-0.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.0%	22.0%	9.0%
5 - Agree	51.2%	44.1%	-7.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	27.2%	28.8%	1.6%
MEAN=	4.93	4.97	0.04
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	1.7%	-2.5%
2 - Disagree	4.5%	1.7%	-2.8%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.7%	10.2%	2.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.4%	13.6%	-2.8%
5 - Agree	40.8%	45.8%	5.0%
6 - Strongly Agree	26.5%	27.1%	0.6%
MEAN=	4.65	4.81	0.16
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	50.6%	55.9%	5.3%
2 - Disagree	33.5%	32.2%	-1.3%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.7%	6.8%	-1.9%
4 - Slightly Agree	2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
5 - Agree	2.4%	3.4%	1.0%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.1%	1.7%	-0.4%
MEAN=	1.79	1.68	-0.11
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	13.7%	17.2%	3.5%
2 - Disagree	23.3%	29.3%	6.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	13.1%	13.8%	0.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	14.3%	15.5%	1.2%
5 - Agree	24.8%	19.0%	-5.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	10.7%	5.2%	-5.5%
MEAN=	3.45	3.05	-0.40
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Location	21.5%	19.8%	-1.7%
Faculty	11.9%	10.3%	-1.6%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
Cost	9.9%	9.5%	-0.4%
Other	9.0%	7.9%	-1.1%
Small class size	8.8%	9.5%	0.8%
Good departmental programs	5.5%	4.8%	-0.7%
Had major I wanted	3.6%	4.0%	0.3%
Convenient	3.4%	4.0%	0.6%
Class hours/schedule	3.4%	4.0%	0.6%
Small school/atmosphere	2.6%	4.0%	1.3%
Good equipment/facilities/resources	2.3%	0.8%	-1.5%
Quality education	2.3%	1.6%	-0.7%
Personable/small student-to-teacher ratio	2.1%	0.8%	-1.3%
Part of CU system, affiliation with Boulder	1.6%	3.2%	1.5%
Night classes	1.5%	4.8%	3.3%
Availability of faculty	1.3%	0.8%	-0.5%
Diversity among students	1.3%	0.8%	-0.5%
Good reputation	1.3%	3.2%	1.9%
Orientation to non-traditional students	1.1%	0.8%	-0.3%
Friendly atmosphere	1.0%	0.8%	-0.2%
Accredited	0.6%	1.6%	1.0%
Dorms	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%
Curriculum	0.5%	0.8%	0.3%
Older, mature student body	0.4%	1.6%	1.2%

47. In your opinion, what are the **disadvantages** of going to CU-Colorado Springs?

(percents are based on multiple responses per survey)

Parking	24.5%	20.2%	-4.3%
Other	18.9%	13.5%	-5.5%
Little campus life/social life	6.5%	7.7%	1.2%
Faculty	6.0%	2.9%	-3.2%
Class hours/schedule	5.6%	9.6%	4.1%
Poor academic advising	3.3%	5.8%	2.4%
High fees, costs	3.3%	1.9%	-1.4%
Inadequate library resources	3.3%	1.9%	-1.4%
Need more majors	2.9%	1.9%	-0.9%
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	2.4%	3.8%	1.5%
School lacks a big name	2.2%	2.9%	0.7%
Lack of sports	2.1%	3.8%	1.8%
Lacking equipment/facilities/resources	1.4%	1.0%	-0.5%
Lack of diversity among students	1.1%	1.0%	-0.2%
Growing too fast, overcrowded	1.0%	1.0%	0.0%
No career placement, guidance	1.0%	2.9%	1.9%
Department/Program disorganized	1.0%	2.9%	1.9%
Curriculum	1.0%	2.9%	1.9%
Lack of cultural diversity	1.0%	1.9%	1.0%
Group projects	1.0%	5.8%	4.8%
Lack of student/customer services	0.6%	1.0%	0.3%
Classes too small	0.5%	1.0%	0.5%
Lack of funding for departments	0.3%	1.0%	0.6%
Dorms	0.3%	1.0%	0.6%
Overshadowed by Boulder	0.2%	1.0%	0.8%

SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of PERSONAL development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:

48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
1 - No gain	3.0%	1.7%	-1.3%
2 - Very slight gain	3.0%	3.4%	0.4%
3 - Slight gain	12.3%	15.5%	3.2%
4 - Moderate gain	40.5%	34.5%	-6.0%
5 - High gain	32.4%	37.9%	5.5%
6 - Very high gain	8.4%	6.9%	-1.5%
MEAN=	4.21	4.24	0.03
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	5.2%	1.0%
3 - Slight gain	13.7%	13.8%	0.1%
4 - Moderate gain	29.5%	27.6%	-1.9%
5 - High gain	34.2%	43.1%	8.9%
6 - Very high gain	17.0%	10.3%	-6.7%
MEAN=	4.42	4.40	-0.02
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	1.7%	-0.7%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	5.2%	1.0%
3 - Slight gain	15.8%	15.5%	-0.3%
4 - Moderate gain	30.4%	27.6%	-2.8%
5 - High gain	32.7%	34.5%	1.8%
6 - Very high gain	14.6%	15.5%	0.9%
MEAN=	4.31	4.34	0.03
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	3.9%	5.2%	1.3%
2 - Very slight gain	5.7%	5.2%	-0.5%
3 - Slight gain	13.1%	13.8%	0.7%
4 - Moderate gain	27.2%	29.3%	2.1%
5 - High gain	31.6%	36.2%	4.6%
6 - Very high gain	18.2%	1.3%	-16.9%
MEAN=	4.31	4.17	-0.14
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	19.2%	15.5%	-3.7%
2 - Very slight gain	7.8%	3.4%	-4.4%
3 - Slight gain	21.0%	25.9%	4.9%
4 - Moderate gain	24.0%	25.9%	1.9%
5 - High gain	19.8%	22.4%	2.6%
6 - Very high gain	7.8%	6.9%	-0.9%
MEAN=	3.40	3.57	0.17
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	25.1%	22.4%	-2.7%
2 - Very slight gain	11.3%	15.5%	4.2%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	19.0%	-0.7%
4 - Moderate gain	20.0%	15.5%	-4.5%
5 - High gain	16.7%	22.4%	5.7%
6 - Very high gain	6.6%	5.2%	-1.4%
MEAN=	3.10	3.16	0.06
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
1 - No gain	15.9%	21.1%	5.2%
2 - Very slight gain	12.0%	8.8%	-3.2%
3 - Slight gain	22.2%	40.4%	18.2%
4 - Moderate gain	19.2%	10.5%	-8.7%
5 - High gain	19.2%	19.3%	0.1%
6 - Very high gain	9.6%	0.0%	-9.6%
MEAN=	3.37	2.98	-0.39
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	9.0%	5.3%	-3.7%
2 - Very slight gain	9.3%	14.0%	4.7%
3 - Slight gain	21.3%	24.6%	3.3%

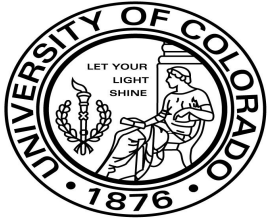
	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
4 - Moderate gain	29.4%	29.8%	0.4%
5 - High gain	23.7%	22.8%	-0.9%
6 - Very high gain	6.9%	3.5%	-3.4%
MEAN=	3.69	3.61	-0.08
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	10.1%	8.6%	-1.5%
2 - Very slight gain	9.0%	15.5%	6.5%
3 - Slight gain	21.5%	27.6%	6.1%
4 - Moderate gain	23.3%	19.0%	-4.3%
5 - High gain	25.1%	22.4%	-2.7%
6 - Very high gain	10.7%	6.9%	-3.8%
MEAN=	3.76	3.52	-0.24
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
1 - No gain	15.8%	8.6%	-7.2%
2 - Very slight gain	14.9%	22.4%	7.5%
3 - Slight gain	20.2%	19.0%	-1.2%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	24.1%	1.5%
5 - High gain	16.7%	12.1%	-4.6%
6 - Very high gain	8.6%	13.8%	5.2%
MEAN=	3.32	3.50	0.18
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.9%	1.7%	0.8%
1 - No gain	13.7%	6.9%	-6.8%
2 - Very slight gain	7.2%	8.6%	1.4%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	22.4%	2.7%
4 - Moderate gain	24.2%	24.1%	-0.1%
5 - High gain	23.9%	27.6%	3.7%
6 - Very high gain	10.4%	8.6%	-1.8%
MEAN=	3.66	3.78	0.12
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
1 - No gain	16.7%	25.9%	9.2%
2 - Very slight gain	11.9%	19.0%	7.1%
3 - Slight gain	17.9%	24.1%	6.2%
4 - Moderate gain	21.4%	13.8%	-7.6%
5 - High gain	18.8%	12.1%	-6.7%
6 - Very high gain	11.6%	5.2%	-6.4%
MEAN=	3.43	2.83	-0.60
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.4%	1.7%	-0.7%
1 - No gain	15.8%	29.3%	13.5%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	15.5%	3.0%
3 - Slight gain	18.5%	19.0%	0.5%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	17.2%	-2.5%
5 - High gain	17.9%	12.1%	-5.8%
6 - Very high gain	13.1%	5.2%	-7.9%
MEAN=	3.44	2.78	-0.66
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	3.0%	0.0%	-3.0%
1 - No gain	13.1%	25.9%	12.8%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	19.0%	6.5%
3 - Slight gain	20.0%	27.6%	7.6%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	13.8%	-5.9%
5 - High gain	20.3%	12.1%	-8.2%
6 - Very high gain	11.3%	1.7%	-9.6%
MEAN=	3.47	2.72	-0.75
62. Skill in gathering information			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	3.4%	1.0%
2 - Very slight gain	8.9%	10.3%	1.4%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
3 - Slight gain	16.7%	15.5%	-1.2%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	24.1%	1.5%
5 - High gain	33.0%	29.3%	-3.7%
6 - Very high gain	16.4%	17.2%	0.8%
MEAN=	4.24	4.17	-0.07
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	4.5%	1.7%	-2.8%
2 - Very slight gain	8.4%	8.6%	0.2%
3 - Slight gain	16.4%	10.3%	-6.1%
4 - Moderate gain	29.0%	36.2%	7.2%
5 - High gain	27.8%	27.6%	-0.2%
6 - Very high gain	13.4%	15.5%	2.1%
MEAN=	4.06	4.26	0.20
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	1.5%	3.6%	2.1%
2 - Very slight gain	2.4%	1.8%	-0.6%
3 - Slight gain	10.3%	14.3%	4.0%
4 - Moderate gain	24.8%	21.4%	-3.4%
5 - High gain	43.0%	51.8%	8.8%
6 - Very high gain	17.6%	7.1%	-10.5%
MEAN=	4.57	4.38	-0.19
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	27.9%	29.3%	1.4%
2 - Female	72.1%	70.7%	-1.4%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	84.7%	93.1%	8.4%
2 - African American	4.0%	3.4%	-0.6%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	6.1%	3.4%	-2.7%
4 - Asian	4.9%	0.0%	-4.9%
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
67. Your year of birth is:	MEAN= 1972	1972	0.00
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	3.4%	1.3%
2 - Junior high	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
3 - Some high school	3.6%	5.2%	1.6%
4 - High school graduate	23.4%	25.9%	2.5%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	11.4%	8.6%	-2.8%
6 - Some college	24.6%	24.1%	-0.5%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	23.7%	20.7%	-3.0%
8 - Graduate school	9.0%	12.1%	3.1%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	3.5%	1.4%
2 - Junior high	1.8%	1.8%	0.0%
3 - Some high school	4.8%	8.8%	4.0%
4 - High school graduate	19.9%	19.3%	-0.6%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.3%	7.0%	-0.3%
6 - Some college	19.3%	15.8%	-3.5%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	24.5%	26.3%	1.8%
8 - Graduate school	20.2%	17.5%	-2.7%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	44.8%	43.1%	-1.7%
2 - Married	45.1%	50.0%	4.9%
3 - Separated	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
4 - Divorced	8.9%	5.2%	-3.7%
5 - Widowed	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
6 - Other	0.6%	1.7%	1.1%
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	13.3%	10.3%	-3.0%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	18.8%	8.6%	-10.2%

	2002 Alumni N=338	BUS Alumni N=59	Percent Change
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.6%	20.7%	-2.9%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	20.0%	25.9%	5.9%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	14.8%	25.9%	11.1%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	7.3%	6.9%	-0.4%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.1%	1.7%	-0.4%

72. How many dependents are in your household?

0	59.9%	56.9%	-3.0%
1	18.0%	20.7%	2.7%
2	10.2%	8.6%	-1.6%
3	7.5%	6.9%	-0.6%
4 or more	4.5%	6.9%	2.4%
MEAN=	0.81	0.88	0.07



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Comparison of University Totals to the College of Engineering

SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2001	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2000	2.7%	3.6%	0.9%
1999	16.4%	3.6%	-12.8%
1998	22.5%	28.6%	6.1%
1997	25.3%	35.7%	10.4%
1996 and before	32.5%	28.5%	-4.0%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	35.8%	41.4%	5.6%
2 - Transfer	59.8%	55.2%	-4.6%
3 - Unclassified	4.4%	3.4%	-1.0%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?	N= 207	16	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	52.7%	37.5%	-15.2%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.6%	25.0%	-1.6%
CU-Boulder	5.8%	18.8%	13.0%
USC (University of Southern CO)	1.9%	12.5%	10.6%
Adams State College	1.4%	6.2%	4.8%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	88.2%	79.3%	-8.9%
2 - Non-resident	11.8%	20.7%	8.9%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	84.9%	86.2%	1.3%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	15.1%	13.8%	-1.3%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	7.4%	3.4%	-4.0%
2 - December 2000	22.6%	20.7%	-1.9%
3 - May 2001	69.9%	75.9%	6.0%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	63.3%	17.2%	-46.1%
2 - Bachelor of Science	36.7%	82.8%	46.1%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
3 - Engineering	8.0%	100.0%	92.0%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			
Computer Science	3.2%	37.9%	34.7%
Electrical Engineering	2.3%	27.6%	25.3%
Mathematics	1.7%	27.6%	25.9%
Mechanical Engineering	0.6%	6.9%	6.3%
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Yes	10.1%	10.3%	0.2%
2 - No	89.9%	89.7%	-0.2%
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?	MEAN= 3.32	3.19	-0.13
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY			
1 - To obtain a general education	5.4%	3.4%	-2.0%
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.0%	3.4%	0.4%
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	42.3%	65.6%	23.3%
5 - To become better qualified for present employment	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment	3.6%	0.0%	-3.6%
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment	6.5%	6.9%	0.4%

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation	5.1%	6.9%	1.8%
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree	13.7%	6.9%	-6.8%
10 - Personal fulfillment	16.4%	6.9%	-9.5%
11 - Other	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?			
1 - Yes, full-time	23.7%	17.9%	-5.8%
2 - Yes, part-time	7.8%	21.4%	13.6%
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)	68.5%	60.7%	-7.8%
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):	N=		
Master of Science (MS)	107	12	-
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	10.3%	58.4%	48.1%
Master in Basic Science (MBS)	10.3%	8.3%	-2.0%
Master in Education (MEd)	6.5%	16.7%	10.2%
PhD	3.7%	8.3%	4.6%
	4.7%	8.3%	3.6%
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)			
CU-Colorado Springs	50.0%	69.2%	19.2%
CO Technical University (CTU)	3.8%	23.1%	19.3%
University of Denver	2.9%	7.7%	4.8%
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?	N=		
1 - Yes	231	18	-
2 - No	43.6%	66.7%	23.1%
	56.4%	33.3%	-23.1%
SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT			
13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?			
1 - Seek employment	44.5%	51.7%	7.2%
2 - Attend graduate school	15.5%	6.9%	-8.6%
3 - Continue current employment	10.4%	24.1%	13.7%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment	14.9%	6.9%	-8.0%
5 - Go into the teacher education program	3.9%	0.0%	-3.9%
6 - Be a homemaker	3.0%	6.9%	3.9%
7 - Take time off	3.0%	3.4%	0.4%
8 - Other	4.8%	0.0%	-4.8%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)	MEAN=		
	32.39	32.11	-0.28
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)	N=		
Spouse	55	5	-
Other	50.9%	60.0%	9.1%
Savings	14.5%	20.0%	5.5%
	7.3%	20.0%	12.7%
16a. When did you start your current career?	MODE Month= MODE Year=		
	8 2001	5 2001	-3.00 0.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?	MEAN Days=		
	58.99	51.44	-7.55
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?			
1 - Agricultural	2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
2 - Mining	0.7%	0.0%	-0.7%
3 - Contract Construction	2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities	0.7%	4.5%	3.8%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades	4.1%	0.0%	-4.1%
6 - Manufacturing	3.4%	18.2%	14.8%
7 - Finance	6.8%	4.5%	-2.3%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate	2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
9 - Government	5.8%	18.2%	12.4%
10 - Services	12.6%	0.0%	-12.6%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)	15.0%	0.0%	-15.0%
12 - Public Service	6.1%	0.0%	-6.1%
13 - Education	17.5%	9.1%	-8.4%
14 - Other (specify)	19.2%	45.5%	26.3%

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19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?			
1 - Did not have to relocate	75.1%	83.4%	8.3%
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado	8.9%	8.3%	-0.6%
3 - Had to relocate to another state	8.5%	8.3%	-0.2%
4 - Had to relocate to another country	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons	7.2%	0.0%	-7.2%
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?			
1 - Had no previous employment experience	38.3%	52.0%	13.7%
2 - Had some previous employment experience	37.6%	28.0%	-9.6%
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience	24.1%	20.0%	-4.1%
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	14.1%	16.0%	1.9%
2 - Disagree	13.1%	0.0%	-13.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.4%	8.0%	3.6%
4 - Slightly Agree	15.1%	16.0%	0.9%
5 - Agree	21.1%	8.0%	-13.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.2%	52.0%	19.8%
	MEAN=	4.13	4.56
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	21.5%	16.0%	-5.5%
2 - Disagree	31.5%	20.0%	-11.5%
3 - Slightly Disagree	15.1%	8.0%	-7.1%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.1%	32.0%	18.9%
5 - Agree	10.7%	12.0%	1.3%
6 - Strongly Agree	8.1%	12.0%	3.9%
	MEAN=	2.84	3.40
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	3.4%	-0.8%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	3.4%	-4.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.8%	10.3%	5.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.0%	13.8%	-2.2%
5 - Agree	34.9%	34.5%	-0.4%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.5%	34.5%	2.0%
	MEAN=	4.67	4.76
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
2 - Disagree	3.9%	6.9%	3.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	6.9%	2.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	8.8%	13.8%	5.0%
5 - Agree	38.2%	31.0%	-7.2%
6 - Strongly Agree	42.4%	41.4%	-1.0%
	MEAN=	5.04	4.93
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.1%	0.0%	-3.1%
2 - Disagree	5.2%	3.6%	-1.6%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.8%	10.7%	3.9%
4 - Slightly Agree	20.0%	32.1%	12.1%
5 - Agree	43.7%	42.9%	-0.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	21.2%	10.7%	-10.5%
	MEAN=	4.60	4.46
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.			
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	18.7%	13.8%	-4.9%
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	81.3%	86.2%	4.9%
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?			
Electrical Engineering	3.1%	50.0%	46.9%
Nursing	3.1%	25.0%	21.9%
Mechanical Engineering	1.6%	25.0%	23.4%
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?			
0-8	45.9%	42.9%	-3.0%
9 or more	54.1%	57.1%	3.0%
	MEAN=	8.73	9.25
28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.50	0.96	-2.54
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.83	2.64	-1.19

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c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.57	1.92	-1.65
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.18	3.40	-0.78
e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.65	4.56	1.91
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.39	4.68	1.29
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	2.31	0.60	-1.71
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	2.37	0.64	-1.73
i - scientific methodology.	2.72	3.80	1.08

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.4%	11.1%	7.7%
2 - Disagree	4.0%	7.4%	3.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.2%	0.0%	-5.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.7%	14.8%	-2.9%
5 - Agree	41.6%	40.7%	-0.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	28.1%	25.9%	-2.2%
MEAN=	4.75	4.44	-0.31
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.3%	14.8%	10.5%
2 - Disagree	7.6%	3.7%	-3.9%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.7%	11.1%	4.4%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.7%	25.9%	7.2%
5 - Agree	38.8%	25.9%	-12.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	23.9%	18.5%	-5.4%
MEAN=	4.52	4.00	-0.52
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Disagree	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.7%	6.9%	2.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.4%	20.7%	7.3%
5 - Agree	45.4%	48.3%	2.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	35.0%	24.1%	-10.9%
MEAN=	5.07	4.90	-0.17
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Disagree	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	3.6%	-0.6%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.8%	28.6%	9.8%
5 - Agree	49.1%	50.0%	0.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.0%	17.9%	-7.1%
MEAN=	4.88	4.82	-0.06
33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.9%	20.7%	-1.2%
2 - Rarely	39.0%	44.8%	5.8%
3 - Sometimes	27.6%	20.7%	-6.9%
4 - Often	10.5%	13.8%	3.3%
5 - Always	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
MEAN=	2.29	2.28	-0.01
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.1%	10.3%	-12.8%
2 - Rarely	35.6%	31.0%	-4.6%
3 - Sometimes	24.6%	34.5%	9.9%
4 - Often	15.1%	20.7%	5.6%
5 - Always	1.5%	3.4%	1.9%
MEAN=	2.36	2.76	0.40
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?			
1 - Very Poor	12.2%	6.9%	-5.3%
2 - Poor	14.9%	20.7%	5.8%
3 - Fair	33.4%	27.6%	-5.8%
4 - Good	28.7%	37.9%	9.2%
5 - Excellent	10.7%	6.9%	-3.8%
MEAN=	3.11	3.17	0.06

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36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?			
1 - Very Poor	9.1%	15.4%	6.3%
2 - Poor	16.7%	23.1%	6.4%
3 - Fair	34.3%	23.1%	-11.2%
4 - Good	30.2%	34.6%	4.4%
5 - Excellent	9.7%	3.8%	-5.9%
MEAN=	3.15	2.88	-0.27
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.			
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=		
2-year college	222	17	-
4-year college	41.4%	29.4%	-12.0%
University	28.8%	35.3%	6.5%
	29.7%	35.3%	5.6%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	47.14	49.37
2.23			
37c. How would you rate the overall QUALITY of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?			
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor	3.3%	10.3%	7.0%
3 - Fair	27.0%	51.7%	24.7%
4 - Good	52.0%	34.5%	-17.5%
5 - Excellent	17.7%	3.4%	-14.3%
MEAN=	3.84	3.31	-0.53
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)			
1 - Very Poor	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Poor	4.8%	0.0%	-4.8%
3 - Fair	24.6%	3.4%	-21.2%
4 - Good	50.9%	58.6%	7.7%
5 - Excellent	18.3%	37.9%	19.6%
MEAN=	3.80	4.34	0.54
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	5.7%	3.4%	-2.3%
3 - Fair	27.4%	10.3%	-17.1%
4 - Good	47.3%	58.6%	11.3%
5 - Excellent	19.3%	27.6%	8.3%
MEAN=	3.80	4.10	0.30
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Poor	4.8%	10.3%	5.5%
3 - Fair	21.6%	44.8%	23.2%
4 - Good	51.8%	31.0%	-20.8%
5 - Excellent	21.3%	13.8%	-7.5%
MEAN=	3.88	3.48	-0.40
ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	3.0%	0.0%	-3.0%
3 - Fair	25.5%	13.8%	-11.7%
4 - Good	49.8%	37.9%	-11.9%
5 - Excellent	21.3%	48.3%	27.0%
MEAN=	3.89	4.34	0.45
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)			
1 - Very Poor	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
2 - Poor	11.1%	17.2%	6.1%
3 - Fair	36.7%	20.7%	-16.0%
4 - Good	36.4%	34.5%	-1.9%
5 - Excellent	13.9%	27.6%	13.7%
MEAN=	3.49	3.72	0.23
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	4.2%	3.4%	-0.8%

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3 - Fair	21.8%	55.2%	33.4%
4 - Good	46.7%	34.5%	-12.2%
5 - Excellent	27.0%	6.9%	-20.1%
MEAN=	3.96	3.45	-0.51
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Poor	4.2%	0.0%	-4.2%
3 - Fair	16.7%	51.7%	35.0%
4 - Good	43.9%	37.9%	-6.0%
5 - Excellent	34.6%	10.3%	-24.3%
MEAN=	4.08	3.59	-0.49
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
3 - Fair	16.1%	10.3%	-5.8%
4 - Good	50.1%	51.7%	1.6%
5 - Excellent	31.6%	37.9%	6.3%
MEAN=	4.11	4.28	0.17
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	3.4%	2.2%
2 - Poor	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
3 - Fair	20.0%	13.8%	-6.2%
4 - Good	40.6%	44.8%	4.2%
5 - Excellent	36.4%	37.9%	1.5%
MEAN=	4.09	4.14	0.05
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Poor	12.0%	10.3%	-1.7%
3 - Fair	30.0%	13.8%	-16.2%
4 - Good	36.3%	31.0%	-5.3%
5 - Excellent	20.1%	44.8%	24.7%
MEAN=	3.62	4.10	0.48
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
2 - Poor	7.5%	20.7%	13.2%
3 - Fair	26.6%	37.9%	11.3%
4 - Good	40.4%	20.7%	-19.7%
5 - Excellent	23.7%	20.7%	-3.0%
MEAN=	3.77	3.41	-0.36
MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
2 - Poor	6.1%	24.1%	18.0%
3 - Fair	25.2%	31.0%	5.8%
4 - Good	45.0%	34.5%	-10.5%
5 - Excellent	21.6%	10.3%	-11.3%
MEAN=	3.78	3.31	-0.47
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.6%	3.4%	-0.2%
2 - Poor	14.3%	34.5%	20.2%
3 - Fair	29.5%	41.4%	11.9%
4 - Good	33.7%	17.2%	-16.5%
5 - Excellent	18.8%	3.4%	-15.4%
MEAN=	3.50	2.83	-0.67
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.3%	13.8%	10.5%
2 - Poor	10.3%	34.5%	24.2%
3 - Fair	23.9%	27.6%	3.7%
4 - Good	38.7%	10.3%	-28.4%
5 - Excellent	23.9%	13.8%	-10.1%
MEAN=	3.69	2.76	-0.93
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	0.9%	3.4%	2.5%
2 - Poor	3.3%	6.9%	3.6%

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
3 - Fair	22.2%	31.0%	8.8%
4 - Good	49.1%	41.4%	-7.7%
5 - Excellent	24.6%	17.2%	-7.4%
MEAN=	3.93	2.62	-1.31
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	3.4%	2.8%
2 - Poor	1.5%	3.4%	1.9%
3 - Fair	16.8%	13.8%	-3.0%
4 - Good	55.3%	48.3%	-7.0%
5 - Excellent	25.8%	31.0%	5.2%
MEAN=	4.04	4.00	-0.04
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	6.9%	5.7%
2 - Poor	2.1%	3.4%	1.3%
3 - Fair	14.9%	24.1%	9.2%
4 - Good	56.7%	51.7%	-5.0%
5 - Excellent	25.1%	13.8%	-11.3%
MEAN=	4.02	4.00	-0.02
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	52.2%	44.8%	-7.4%
2 - No	47.8%	55.2%	7.4%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	20.4%	17.2%	-3.2%
2 - One	21.0%	20.7%	-0.3%
3 - Two or Three	45.3%	51.7%	6.4%
4 - Four or more	13.3%	10.3%	-3.0%
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.3%	3.4%	-4.9%
2 - Rarely	29.9%	34.5%	4.6%
3 - Sometimes	40.8%	31.0%	-9.8%
4 - Often	21.0%	31.0%	10.0%
For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:			
41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.3%	6.9%	3.6%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	10.3%	2.8%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.2%	6.9%	-0.3%
4 - Slightly Agree	24.8%	31.0%	6.2%
5 - Agree	40.6%	34.5%	-6.1%
6 - Strongly Agree	16.7%	10.3%	-6.4%
MEAN=	4.42	4.07	-0.35
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
2 - Disagree	1.8%	6.9%	5.1%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.9%	6.9%	1.0%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.0%	17.2%	4.2%
5 - Agree	51.2%	48.3%	-2.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	27.2%	20.7%	-6.5%
MEAN=	4.93	4.69	-0.24
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	6.9%	2.7%
2 - Disagree	4.5%	6.9%	2.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.7%	6.9%	-0.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.4%	34.5%	18.1%
5 - Agree	40.8%	27.6%	-13.2%
6 - Strongly Agree	26.5%	17.2%	-9.3%
MEAN=	4.65	4.21	-0.44
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	50.6%	34.5%	-16.1%
2 - Disagree	33.5%	34.5%	1.0%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.7%	17.2%	8.5%
4 - Slightly Agree	2.7%	6.9%	4.2%

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
5 - Agree	2.4%	3.4%	1.0%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.1%	3.4%	1.3%
MEAN=	1.79	2.21	0.42
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	13.7%	13.8%	0.1%
2 - Disagree	23.3%	6.9%	-16.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	13.1%	6.9%	-6.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	14.3%	17.2%	2.9%
5 - Agree	24.8%	34.5%	9.7%
6 - Strongly Agree	10.7%	20.7%	10.0%
MEAN=	3.45	4.14	0.69
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Location	21.5%	29.5%	8.0%
Faculty	11.9%	3.3%	-8.6%
Cost	9.9%	13.1%	3.2%
Other	9.0%	1.6%	-7.4%
Small class size	8.8%	11.5%	2.7%
Good departmental programs	5.5%	11.5%	6.0%
Class hours/schedule	3.4%	1.6%	-1.7%
Convenient	3.4%	3.3%	-0.1%
Small school/atmosphere	2.6%	1.6%	-1.0%
Quality education	2.3%	3.3%	1.0%
Personable/small student-to-teacher ratio	2.1%	4.9%	2.8%
Part of CU system, affiliation with Boulder	1.6%	4.9%	3.3%
Diversity among students	1.3%	1.6%	0.4%
Accredited	0.6%	1.6%	1.0%
Dorms	0.5%	1.6%	1.1%
Curriculum	0.5%	1.6%	1.1%
Well rounded education	0.4%	1.6%	1.3%
Good career placement, guidance	0.1%	1.6%	1.5%
47. In your opinion, what are the disadvantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Parking	24.5%	18.2%	-6.3%
Other	18.9%	16.4%	-2.6%
Little campus life/social life	6.5%	10.9%	4.4%
Faculty	6.0%	5.5%	-0.6%
Class hours/schedule	5.6%	5.5%	-0.1%
Poor academic advising	3.3%	1.8%	-1.5%
High fees, costs	3.3%	1.8%	-1.5%
Inadequate library resources	3.3%	5.5%	2.1%
Need more majors	2.9%	1.8%	-1.0%
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	2.4%	7.3%	4.9%
School lacks a big name	2.2%	1.8%	-0.4%
Lacking equipment/facilities/resources	1.4%	5.5%	4.0%
Need wider selection of courses	1.3%	1.8%	0.5%
Lack of diversity among students	1.1%	1.8%	0.7%
Growing too fast, overcrowded	1.0%	1.8%	0.9%
No career placement, guidance	1.0%	1.8%	0.9%
Construction	0.5%	3.6%	3.2%
Students are too old	0.5%	1.8%	1.3%
Dorms	0.3%	1.8%	1.5%
No involvement with community	0.2%	1.8%	1.7%
Lack of financial aid	0.2%	1.8%	1.7%

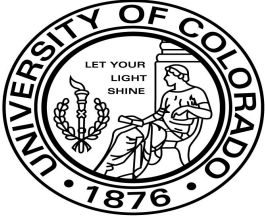
SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of PERSONAL development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:			
48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	3.0%	0.0%	-3.0%
2 - Very slight gain	3.0%	3.4%	0.4%
3 - Slight gain	12.3%	3.4%	-8.9%
4 - Moderate gain	40.5%	41.4%	0.9%
5 - High gain	32.4%	34.5%	2.1%
6 - Very high gain	8.4%	17.2%	8.8%
	MEAN=	4.21	4.59
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	6.9%	2.7%
3 - Slight gain	13.7%	37.9%	24.2%
4 - Moderate gain	29.5%	34.5%	5.0%
5 - High gain	34.2%	13.8%	-20.4%
6 - Very high gain	17.0%	6.9%	-10.1%
	MEAN=	4.42	3.76
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	20.7%	16.5%
3 - Slight gain	15.8%	27.6%	11.8%
4 - Moderate gain	30.4%	27.6%	-2.8%
5 - High gain	32.7%	17.2%	-15.5%
6 - Very high gain	14.6%	6.9%	-7.7%
	MEAN=	4.31	3.62
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	3.9%	10.3%	6.4%
2 - Very slight gain	5.7%	10.3%	4.6%
3 - Slight gain	13.1%	13.8%	0.7%
4 - Moderate gain	27.2%	31.0%	3.8%
5 - High gain	31.6%	20.7%	-10.9%
6 - Very high gain	18.2%	13.8%	-4.4%
	MEAN=	4.31	3.83
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	19.2%	31.0%	11.8%
2 - Very slight gain	7.8%	13.8%	6.0%
3 - Slight gain	21.0%	17.2%	-3.8%
4 - Moderate gain	24.0%	24.1%	0.1%
5 - High gain	19.8%	13.8%	-6.0%
6 - Very high gain	7.8%	0.0%	-7.8%
	MEAN=	3.40	2.76
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	25.1%	27.6%	2.5%
2 - Very slight gain	11.3%	20.7%	9.4%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	10.3%	-9.4%
4 - Moderate gain	20.0%	20.7%	0.7%
5 - High gain	16.7%	17.2%	0.5%
6 - Very high gain	6.6%	3.4%	-3.2%
	MEAN=	3.10	2.90
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.8%	3.4%	1.6%
1 - No gain	15.9%	27.6%	11.7%
2 - Very slight gain	12.0%	13.8%	1.8%
3 - Slight gain	22.2%	17.2%	-5.0%
4 - Moderate gain	19.2%	20.7%	1.5%
5 - High gain	19.2%	10.3%	-8.9%
6 - Very high gain	9.6%	6.9%	-2.7%
	MEAN=	3.37	2.83

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	9.0%	13.8%	4.8%
2 - Very slight gain	9.3%	13.8%	4.5%
3 - Slight gain	21.3%	24.1%	2.8%
4 - Moderate gain	29.4%	27.6%	-1.8%
5 - High gain	23.7%	20.7%	-3.0%
6 - Very high gain	6.9%	0.0%	-6.9%
MEAN=	3.69	3.28	-0.41
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	10.1%	34.5%	24.4%
2 - Very slight gain	9.0%	24.1%	15.1%
3 - Slight gain	21.5%	27.6%	6.1%
4 - Moderate gain	23.3%	10.3%	-13.0%
5 - High gain	25.1%	3.4%	-21.7%
6 - Very high gain	10.7%	0.0%	-10.7%
MEAN=	3.76	2.24	-1.52
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
1 - No gain	15.8%	41.4%	25.6%
2 - Very slight gain	14.9%	24.1%	9.2%
3 - Slight gain	20.2%	17.2%	-3.0%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	13.8%	-8.8%
5 - High gain	16.7%	3.4%	-13.3%
6 - Very high gain	8.6%	0.0%	-8.6%
MEAN=	3.32	2.14	-1.18
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.9%	3.4%	2.5%
1 - No gain	13.7%	24.1%	10.4%
2 - Very slight gain	7.2%	6.9%	-0.3%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	20.7%	1.0%
4 - Moderate gain	24.2%	31.0%	6.8%
5 - High gain	23.9%	13.8%	-10.1%
6 - Very high gain	10.4%	0.0%	-10.4%
MEAN=	3.66	2.93	-0.73
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	1.8%	10.3%	8.5%
1 - No gain	16.7%	27.6%	10.9%
2 - Very slight gain	11.9%	10.3%	-1.6%
3 - Slight gain	17.9%	20.7%	2.8%
4 - Moderate gain	21.4%	20.7%	-0.7%
5 - High gain	18.8%	6.9%	-11.9%
6 - Very high gain	11.6%	3.4%	-8.2%
MEAN=	3.43	2.48	-0.95
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.4%	10.3%	7.9%
1 - No gain	15.8%	27.6%	11.8%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	24.1%	11.6%
3 - Slight gain	18.5%	17.2%	-1.3%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	6.9%	-12.8%
5 - High gain	17.9%	10.3%	-7.6%
6 - Very high gain	13.1%	3.4%	-9.7%
MEAN=	3.44	2.28	-1.16
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	3.0%	10.7%	7.7%
1 - No gain	13.1%	21.4%	8.3%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	25.0%	12.5%
3 - Slight gain	20.0%	17.9%	-2.1%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	14.3%	-5.4%
5 - High gain	20.3%	7.1%	-13.2%
6 - Very high gain	11.3%	3.6%	-7.7%
MEAN=	3.47	2.39	-1.08

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
62. Skill in gathering information			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
2 - Very slight gain	8.9%	13.8%	4.9%
3 - Slight gain	16.7%	34.5%	17.8%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	17.2%	-5.4%
5 - High gain	33.0%	31.0%	-2.0%
6 - Very high gain	16.4%	3.4%	-13.0%
MEAN=	4.24	3.76	-0.48
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	4.5%	0.0%	-4.5%
2 - Very slight gain	8.4%	0.0%	-8.4%
3 - Slight gain	16.4%	0.0%	-16.4%
4 - Moderate gain	29.0%	34.5%	5.5%
5 - High gain	27.8%	34.5%	6.7%
6 - Very high gain	13.4%	31.0%	17.6%
MEAN=	4.06	4.97	0.91
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Very slight gain	2.4%	3.4%	1.0%
3 - Slight gain	10.3%	10.3%	0.0%
4 - Moderate gain	24.8%	27.6%	2.8%
5 - High gain	43.0%	51.7%	8.7%
6 - Very high gain	17.6%	6.9%	-10.7%
MEAN=	4.57	4.48	-0.09
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	27.9%	62.1%	34.2%
2 - Female	72.1%	37.9%	-34.2%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	84.7%	81.5%	-3.2%
2 - African American	4.0%	3.7%	-0.3%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	6.1%	3.7%	-2.4%
4 - Asian	4.9%	11.1%	6.2%
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
67. Your year of birth is:	MEAN=	1972	1974
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
2 - Junior high	2.1%	3.4%	1.3%
3 - Some high school	3.6%	0.0%	-3.6%
4 - High school graduate	23.4%	27.6%	4.2%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	11.4%	10.3%	-1.1%
6 - Some college	24.6%	31.0%	6.4%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	23.7%	13.8%	-9.9%
8 - Graduate school	9.0%	13.8%	4.8%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
2 - Junior high	1.8%	6.9%	5.1%
3 - Some high school	4.8%	0.0%	-4.8%
4 - High school graduate	19.9%	17.2%	-2.7%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.3%	6.9%	-0.4%
6 - Some college	19.3%	20.7%	1.4%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	24.5%	20.7%	-3.8%
8 - Graduate school	20.2%	27.6%	7.4%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	44.8%	48.3%	3.5%
2 - Married	45.1%	44.8%	-0.3%
3 - Separated	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
4 - Divorced	8.9%	6.9%	-2.0%
5 - Widowed	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%

	2002 Alumni N=338	ENGR Alumni N=29	Percent Change
6 - Other	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	13.3%	10.3%	-3.0%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	18.8%	20.7%	1.9%
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.6%	0.0%	-23.6%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	20.0%	6.9%	-13.1%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	14.8%	31.0%	16.2%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	7.3%	24.1%	16.8%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.1%	6.9%	4.8%
72. How many dependents are in your household?			
0	59.9%	48.3%	-11.6%
1	18.0%	20.7%	2.7%
2	10.2%	6.9%	-3.3%
3	7.5%	13.8%	6.3%
4 or more	4.5%	10.3%	5.8%
MEAN=	0.81	1.21	0.40



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SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

	2002 Alumni N=338	NURS Alumni N=35	Percent Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2001	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2000	2.7%	3.2%	0.5%
1999	16.4%	16.2%	-0.2%
1998	22.5%	29.0%	6.5%
1997	25.3%	25.8%	0.5%
1996 and before	32.5%	25.8%	-6.7%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	35.8%	20.0%	-15.8%
2 - Transfer	59.8%	68.6%	8.8%
3 - Unclassified	4.4%	11.4%	7.0%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?			
	N= 207	25	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	52.7%	56.0%	3.3%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.6%	20.0%	-6.6%
CU-Boulder	5.8%	8.0%	2.2%
CSU (CO State University)	3.4%	12.0%	8.6%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	2.9%	4.0%	1.1%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	88.2%	91.4%	3.2%
2 - Non-resident	11.8%	8.6%	-3.2%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	84.9%	82.9%	-2.0%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	15.1%	17.1%	2.0%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	7.4%	2.9%	-4.5%
2 - December 2000	22.6%	17.1%	-5.5%
3 - May 2001	69.9%	80.0%	10.1%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	63.3%	2.9%	-60.4%
2 - Bachelor of Science	36.7%	97.1%	60.4%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
4 - Nursing	10.1%	100.0%	89.9%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			
Nursing	8.9%	88.6%	79.7%
Health Care Services	1.2%	11.4%	10.2%
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Yes	10.1%	8.8%	-1.3%
2 - No	89.9%	91.2%	1.3%
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?			
	MEAN= 3.32	3.34	0.02
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY			
1 - To obtain a general education	5.4%	0.0%	-5.4%
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.0%	5.7%	2.7%
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	42.3%	40.0%	-2.3%

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5 - To become better qualified for present employment		1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment		3.6%	11.4%	7.8%
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment		6.5%	5.7%	-0.8%
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation		5.1%	11.4%	6.3%
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree		13.7%	11.4%	-2.3%
10 - Personal fulfillment		16.4%	8.6%	-7.8%
11 - Other		2.1%	5.7%	3.6%
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?				
1 - Yes, full-time		23.7%	14.3%	-9.4%
2 - Yes, part-time		7.8%	2.9%	-4.9%
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)		68.5%	82.9%	14.4%
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):	N=	107	6	-
Other		14.1%	16.7%	2.6%
Master of Business Administration (MBA)		10.3%	16.7%	6.4%
Master in Nursing (MSN)		3.7%	66.7%	63.0%
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)				
CU-Colorado Springs		50.0%	50.0%	0.0%
Other (includes out-of-state)		29.7%	16.7%	-13.0%
UNC (University of Northern CO)		1.9%	16.7%	14.8%
Health Sciences Center-Denver		1.0%	16.7%	15.7%
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?	N=	231	29	-
1 - Yes		43.6%	37.9%	-5.7%
2 - No		56.4%	62.1%	5.7%
SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT				
13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?				
1 - Seek employment		44.5%	62.9%	18.4%
2 - Attend graduate school		15.5%	5.7%	-9.8%
3 - Continue current employment		10.4%	14.3%	3.9%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment		14.9%	14.3%	-0.6%
5 - Go into the teacher education program		3.9%	0.0%	-3.9%
6 - Be a homemaker		3.0%	0.0%	-3.0%
7 - Take time off		3.0%	0.0%	-3.0%
8 - Other		4.8%	2.9%	-1.9%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)	MEAN=	32.39	34.42	2.03
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)	N=	55	2	-
Spouse		50.9%	50.0%	-0.9%
Retirement		9.1%	50.0%	40.9%
16a. When did you start your current career?	MODE Month= MODE Year=	8 2001	5 2001	-3.00 0.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?	MEAN Days=	58.99	30.97	-28.02
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?				
1 - Agricultural		2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
2 - Mining		0.7%	0.0%	-0.7%
3 - Contract Construction		2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities		0.7%	0.0%	-0.7%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades		4.1%	0.0%	-4.1%
6 - Manufacturing		3.4%	0.0%	-3.4%
7 - Finance		6.8%	0.0%	-6.8%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate		2.7%	0.0%	-2.7%
9 - Government		5.8%	5.9%	0.1%
10 - Services		12.6%	5.9%	-6.7%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)		15.0%	76.5%	61.5%
12 - Public Service		6.1%	0.0%	-6.1%
13 - Education		17.5%	0.0%	-17.5%
14 - Other (specify)		19.2%	11.8%	-7.4%

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19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?				
1 - Did not have to relocate	75.1%	61.8%	-13.3%	
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado	8.9%	14.7%	5.8%	
3 - Had to relocate to another state	8.5%	11.8%	3.3%	
4 - Had to relocate to another country	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%	
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons	7.2%	11.8%	4.6%	
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?				
1 - Had no previous employment experience	38.3%	36.4%	-1.9%	
2 - Had some previous employment experience	37.6%	42.4%	4.8%	
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience	24.1%	21.2%	-2.9%	
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.				
1 - Strongly Disagree	14.1%	5.9%	-8.2%	
2 - Disagree	13.1%	2.9%	-10.2%	
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.4%	2.9%	-1.5%	
4 - Slightly Agree	15.1%	2.9%	-12.2%	
5 - Agree	21.1%	8.8%	-12.3%	
6 - Strongly Agree	32.2%	76.5%	44.3%	
	MEAN=	4.13	5.35	1.22
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.				
1 - Strongly Disagree	21.5%	38.2%	16.7%	
2 - Disagree	31.5%	26.5%	-5.0%	
3 - Slightly Disagree	15.1%	2.9%	-12.2%	
4 - Slightly Agree	13.1%	8.8%	-4.3%	
5 - Agree	10.7%	11.8%	1.1%	
6 - Strongly Agree	8.1%	11.8%	3.7%	
	MEAN=	2.84	2.65	-0.19
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.				
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	0.0%	-4.2%	
2 - Disagree	7.5%	8.6%	1.1%	
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.8%	0.0%	-4.8%	
4 - Slightly Agree	16.0%	5.7%	-10.3%	
5 - Agree	34.9%	25.7%	-9.2%	
6 - Strongly Agree	32.5%	60.0%	27.5%	
	MEAN=	4.67	5.29	0.62
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.				
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%	
2 - Disagree	3.9%	2.9%	-1.0%	
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	5.7%	1.5%	
4 - Slightly Agree	8.8%	5.7%	-3.1%	
5 - Agree	38.2%	37.1%	-1.1%	
6 - Strongly Agree	42.4%	48.6%	6.2%	
	MEAN=	5.04	5.23	0.19
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.				
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.1%	0.0%	-3.1%	
2 - Disagree	5.2%	0.0%	-5.2%	
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.8%	2.9%	-3.9%	
4 - Slightly Agree	20.0%	11.8%	-8.2%	
5 - Agree	43.7%	52.9%	9.2%	
6 - Strongly Agree	21.2%	32.4%	11.2%	
	MEAN=	4.60	5.15	0.55
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.				
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	18.7%	8.6%	-10.1%	
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	81.3%	91.4%	10.1%	
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?				
General Business	24.9%	33.3%	8.4%	
Other	17.1%	66.7%	49.6%	
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?				
0-8	45.9%	81.8%	35.9%	
9 or more	54.1%	18.2%	-35.9%	
	MEAN=	8.73	7.09	-1.64

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28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.50	3.62	0.12
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.83	4.43	0.60
c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.57	4.50	0.93
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.18	4.90	0.72
e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.65	4.10	1.45
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.39	3.62	0.23
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	2.31	4.03	1.72
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	2.37	4.34	1.97
i - scientific methodology.	2.72	4.57	1.85

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.4%	0.0%	-3.4%
2 - Disagree	4.0%	5.7%	1.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.2%	0.0%	-5.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.7%	14.3%	-3.4%
5 - Agree	41.6%	42.9%	1.3%
6 - Strongly Agree	28.1%	37.1%	9.0%
MEAN=	4.75	5.06	0.31
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.3%	2.9%	-1.4%
2 - Disagree	7.6%	2.9%	-4.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.7%	2.9%	-3.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.7%	5.7%	-13.0%
5 - Agree	38.8%	45.7%	6.9%
6 - Strongly Agree	23.9%	40.0%	16.1%
MEAN=	4.52	5.09	0.57
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Disagree	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.7%	0.0%	-4.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.4%	14.3%	0.9%
5 - Agree	45.4%	51.4%	6.0%
6 - Strongly Agree	35.0%	34.3%	-0.7%
MEAN=	5.07	5.20	0.13
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Disagree	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.2%	2.9%	-1.3%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.8%	17.1%	-1.7%
5 - Agree	49.1%	51.4%	2.3%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.0%	28.6%	3.6%
MEAN=	4.88	5.06	0.18
33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.9%	18.8%	-3.1%
2 - Rarely	39.0%	46.9%	7.9%
3 - Sometimes	27.6%	25.0%	-2.6%
4 - Often	10.5%	9.4%	-1.1%
5 - Always	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
MEAN=	2.29	2.25	-0.04
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.1%	28.6%	5.5%
2 - Rarely	35.6%	34.3%	-1.3%
3 - Sometimes	24.6%	25.7%	1.1%

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4 - Often	15.1%	11.4%	-3.7%	
5 - Always	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%	
MEAN=	2.36	2.20	-0.16	
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?				
1 - Very Poor	12.2%	5.7%	-6.5%	
2 - Poor	14.9%	5.7%	-9.2%	
3 - Fair	33.4%	34.3%	0.9%	
4 - Good	28.7%	40.0%	11.3%	
5 - Excellent	10.7%	14.3%	3.6%	
MEAN=	3.11	3.51	0.40	
36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?				
1 - Very Poor	9.1%	3.1%	-6.0%	
2 - Poor	16.7%	12.5%	-4.2%	
3 - Fair	34.3%	37.5%	3.2%	
4 - Good	30.2%	40.6%	10.4%	
5 - Excellent	9.7%	6.3%	-3.4%	
MEAN=	3.15	3.34	0.19	
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.				
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=	222	32	-
2-year college		41.4%	50.0%	8.6%
4-year college		28.8%	18.8%	-10.0%
University		29.7%	31.3%	1.6%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	47.14	60.18	13.04
37c. How would you rate the overall QUALITY of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?				
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)				
1 - Very Poor		0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor		3.3%	2.9%	-0.4%
3 - Fair		27.0%	22.9%	-4.1%
4 - Good		52.0%	60.0%	8.0%
5 - Excellent		17.7%	14.3%	-3.4%
MEAN=		3.84	3.86	0.02
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)				
1 - Very Poor		1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Poor		4.8%	0.0%	-4.8%
3 - Fair		24.6%	17.1%	-7.5%
4 - Good		50.9%	71.4%	20.5%
5 - Excellent		18.3%	11.4%	-6.9%
MEAN=		3.80	3.94	0.14
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)				
1 - Very Poor		0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor		5.7%	0.0%	-5.7%
3 - Fair		27.4%	14.7%	-12.7%
4 - Good		47.3%	64.7%	17.4%
5 - Excellent		19.3%	20.6%	1.3%
MEAN=		3.80	4.06	0.26
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)				
1 - Very Poor		0.6%	2.9%	2.3%
2 - Poor		4.8%	0.0%	-4.8%
3 - Fair		21.6%	25.7%	4.1%
4 - Good		51.8%	57.1%	5.3%
5 - Excellent		21.3%	14.3%	-7.0%
MEAN=		3.88	3.80	-0.08
ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)				
1 - Very Poor		0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor		3.0%	2.9%	-0.1%
3 - Fair		25.5%	31.4%	5.9%
4 - Good		49.8%	51.4%	1.6%
5 - Excellent		21.3%	14.3%	-7.0%
MEAN=		3.89	3.77	-0.12
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)				

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1 - Very Poor	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
2 - Poor	11.1%	17.6%	6.5%
3 - Fair	36.7%	38.2%	1.5%
4 - Good	36.4%	35.3%	-1.1%
5 - Excellent	13.9%	8.8%	-5.1%
MEAN=	3.49	3.35	-0.14
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
2 - Poor	4.2%	0.0%	-4.2%
3 - Fair	21.8%	20.6%	-1.2%
4 - Good	46.7%	52.9%	6.2%
5 - Excellent	27.0%	26.5%	-0.5%
MEAN=	3.96	4.06	0.10
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Poor	4.2%	2.9%	-1.3%
3 - Fair	16.7%	14.7%	-2.0%
4 - Good	43.9%	44.1%	0.2%
5 - Excellent	34.6%	38.2%	3.6%
MEAN=	4.08	4.18	0.10
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
2 - Poor	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
3 - Fair	16.1%	8.6%	-7.5%
4 - Good	50.1%	51.4%	1.3%
5 - Excellent	31.6%	40.0%	8.4%
MEAN=	4.11	4.31	0.20
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	2.9%	1.7%
2 - Poor	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
3 - Fair	20.0%	8.6%	-11.4%
4 - Good	40.6%	45.7%	5.1%
5 - Excellent	36.4%	42.9%	6.5%
MEAN=	4.09	4.26	0.17
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Poor	12.0%	20.0%	8.0%
3 - Fair	30.0%	25.7%	-4.3%
4 - Good	36.3%	40.0%	3.7%
5 - Excellent	20.1%	14.3%	-5.8%
MEAN=	3.62	3.49	-0.13
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
2 - Poor	7.5%	2.9%	-4.6%
3 - Fair	26.6%	22.9%	-3.7%
4 - Good	40.4%	57.1%	16.7%
5 - Excellent	23.7%	17.1%	-6.6%
MEAN=	3.77	3.89	0.12
MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
2 - Poor	6.1%	8.8%	2.7%
3 - Fair	25.2%	20.6%	-4.6%
4 - Good	45.0%	58.8%	13.8%
5 - Excellent	21.6%	11.8%	-9.8%
MEAN=	3.78	3.74	-0.04
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.6%	0.0%	-3.6%
2 - Poor	14.3%	18.8%	4.5%
3 - Fair	29.5%	28.1%	-1.4%
4 - Good	33.7%	46.9%	13.2%
5 - Excellent	18.8%	6.3%	-12.5%
MEAN=	3.50	3.41	-0.09
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.3%	0.0%	-3.3%

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2 - Poor	10.3%	11.4%	1.1%
3 - Fair	23.9%	14.3%	-9.6%
4 - Good	38.7%	57.1%	18.4%
5 - Excellent	23.9%	17.1%	-6.8%
MEAN=	3.69	3.80	0.11
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
2 - Poor	3.3%	2.9%	-0.4%
3 - Fair	22.2%	14.3%	-7.9%
4 - Good	49.1%	62.9%	13.8%
5 - Excellent	24.6%	20.0%	-4.6%
MEAN=	3.93	4.00	0.07
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
2 - Poor	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
3 - Fair	16.8%	11.8%	-5.0%
4 - Good	55.3%	70.6%	15.3%
5 - Excellent	25.8%	17.6%	-8.2%
MEAN=	4.04	4.06	0.02
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
2 - Poor	2.1%	0.0%	-2.1%
3 - Fair	14.9%	14.3%	-0.6%
4 - Good	56.7%	71.4%	14.7%
5 - Excellent	25.1%	14.3%	-10.8%
MEAN=	4.02	4.00	-0.02
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	52.2%	32.4%	-19.8%
2 - No	47.8%	67.6%	19.8%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	20.4%	17.1%	-3.3%
2 - One	21.0%	17.1%	-3.9%
3 - Two or Three	45.3%	40.0%	-5.3%
4 - Four or more	13.3%	25.7%	12.4%
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.3%	14.3%	6.0%
2 - Rarely	29.9%	31.4%	1.5%
3 - Sometimes	40.8%	42.9%	2.1%
4 - Often	21.0%	11.4%	-9.6%
For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:			
41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.3%	2.9%	-0.4%
2 - Disagree	7.5%	2.9%	-4.6%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.2%	2.9%	-4.3%
4 - Slightly Agree	24.8%	20.0%	-4.8%
5 - Agree	40.6%	51.4%	10.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	16.7%	20.0%	3.3%
MEAN=	4.42	4.74	0.32
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
2 - Disagree	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.9%	5.7%	-0.2%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.0%	14.3%	1.3%
5 - Agree	51.2%	60.0%	8.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	27.2%	20.0%	-7.2%
MEAN=	4.93	4.94	0.01
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.2%	3.0%	-1.2%
2 - Disagree	4.5%	9.1%	4.6%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.7%	6.1%	-1.6%

	2002 Alumni N=338	NURS Alumni N=35	Percent Change
4 - Slightly Agree	16.4%	15.2%	-1.2%
5 - Agree	40.8%	42.4%	1.6%
6 - Strongly Agree	26.5%	24.2%	-2.3%
MEAN=	4.65	4.58	-0.07
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	50.6%	44.1%	-6.5%
2 - Disagree	33.5%	38.2%	4.7%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.7%	5.9%	-2.8%
4 - Slightly Agree	2.7%	5.9%	3.2%
5 - Agree	2.4%	2.9%	0.5%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.1%	2.9%	0.8%
MEAN=	1.79	1.94	0.15
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	13.7%	22.9%	9.2%
2 - Disagree	23.3%	17.1%	-6.2%
3 - Slightly Disagree	13.1%	11.4%	-1.7%
4 - Slightly Agree	14.3%	17.1%	2.8%
5 - Agree	24.8%	28.6%	3.8%
6 - Strongly Agree	10.7%	2.9%	-7.8%
MEAN=	3.45	3.20	-0.25
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Location	21.5%	23.3%	1.8%
Faculty	11.9%	15.1%	3.2%
Cost	9.9%	4.1%	-5.8%
Other	9.0%	12.3%	3.3%
Small class size	8.8%	8.2%	-0.5%
Good departmental programs	5.5%	12.3%	6.8%
Had major I wanted	3.6%	5.5%	1.9%
Convenient	3.4%	2.7%	-0.6%
Class hours/schedule	3.4%	1.4%	-2.0%
Small school/atmosphere	2.6%	2.7%	0.1%
Quality education	2.3%	1.4%	-0.9%
Good reputation	1.3%	2.7%	1.5%
Availability of faculty	1.3%	1.4%	0.1%
Orientation to non-traditional students	1.1%	1.4%	0.2%
Beautiful campus	0.5%	1.4%	0.9%
Financial aid	0.5%	1.4%	0.9%
Good cohesiveness, communication	0.4%	1.4%	1.0%
Good customer, student services	0.1%	1.4%	1.2%
47. In your opinion, what are the disadvantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Parking	24.5%	37.1%	12.7%
Other	18.9%	22.9%	3.9%
Little campus life/social life	6.5%	1.4%	-5.1%
Faculty	6.0%	4.3%	-1.8%
Class hours/schedule	5.6%	5.7%	0.1%
High fees, costs	3.3%	10.0%	6.7%
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	2.4%	1.4%	-1.0%
School lacks a big name	2.2%	1.4%	-0.8%
Growing too fast, overcrowded	1.0%	1.4%	0.5%
No career placement, guidance	1.0%	1.4%	0.5%
Department/Program disorganized	1.0%	2.9%	1.9%
Lack of cultural diversity	1.0%	1.4%	0.5%
Too many unnecessary requirements	1.0%	2.9%	1.9%
Lack of student/customer services	0.6%	1.4%	0.8%
Construction	0.5%	1.4%	1.0%
Lacking college atmosphere	0.5%	1.4%	1.0%
Transfer of credits	0.2%	1.4%	1.3%

SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

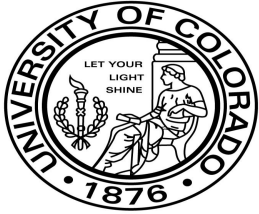
On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of PERSONAL development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:

	2002 Alumni N=338	NURS Alumni N=35	Percent Change
48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	3.0%	2.9%	-0.1%
2 - Very slight gain	3.0%	2.9%	-0.1%
3 - Slight gain	12.3%	11.8%	-0.5%
4 - Moderate gain	40.5%	44.1%	3.6%
5 - High gain	32.4%	32.4%	0.0%
6 - Very high gain	8.4%	5.9%	-2.5%
MEAN=	4.21	4.18	-0.03
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	1.5%	2.9%	1.4%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	5.9%	1.7%
3 - Slight gain	13.7%	11.8%	-1.9%
4 - Moderate gain	29.5%	38.2%	8.7%
5 - High gain	34.2%	38.2%	4.0%
6 - Very high gain	17.0%	2.9%	-14.1%
MEAN=	4.42	4.12	-0.30
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	2.9%	0.5%
2 - Very slight gain	4.2%	5.9%	1.7%
3 - Slight gain	15.8%	11.8%	-4.0%
4 - Moderate gain	30.4%	26.5%	-3.9%
5 - High gain	32.7%	50.0%	17.3%
6 - Very high gain	14.6%	2.9%	-11.7%
MEAN=	4.31	4.24	-0.07
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	3.9%	2.9%	-1.0%
2 - Very slight gain	5.7%	2.9%	-2.8%
3 - Slight gain	13.1%	26.5%	13.4%
4 - Moderate gain	27.2%	29.4%	2.2%
5 - High gain	31.6%	29.4%	-2.2%
6 - Very high gain	18.2%	8.8%	-9.4%
MEAN=	4.31	4.06	-0.25
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	19.2%	11.8%	-7.4%
2 - Very slight gain	7.8%	5.9%	-1.9%
3 - Slight gain	21.0%	35.3%	14.3%
4 - Moderate gain	24.0%	17.6%	-6.4%
5 - High gain	19.8%	26.5%	6.7%
6 - Very high gain	7.8%	2.9%	-4.9%
MEAN=	3.40	3.50	0.10
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	25.1%	17.6%	-7.5%
2 - Very slight gain	11.3%	11.8%	0.5%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	35.3%	15.6%
4 - Moderate gain	20.0%	11.8%	-8.2%
5 - High gain	16.7%	17.6%	0.9%
6 - Very high gain	6.6%	5.9%	-0.7%
MEAN=	3.10	3.18	0.08
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.8%	0.0%	-1.8%
1 - No gain	15.9%	5.9%	-10.0%
2 - Very slight gain	12.0%	17.6%	5.6%
3 - Slight gain	22.2%	26.5%	4.3%
4 - Moderate gain	19.2%	23.5%	4.3%
5 - High gain	19.2%	20.6%	1.4%
6 - Very high gain	9.6%	5.9%	-3.7%
MEAN=	3.37	3.53	0.16
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%

	2002 Alumni N=338	NURS Alumni N=35	Percent Change
1 - No gain	9.0%	2.9%	-6.1%
2 - Very slight gain	9.3%	5.9%	-3.4%
3 - Slight gain	21.3%	26.5%	5.2%
4 - Moderate gain	29.4%	29.4%	0.0%
5 - High gain	23.7%	32.4%	8.7%
6 - Very high gain	6.9%	2.9%	-4.0%
MEAN=	3.69	3.91	0.22
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	10.1%	2.9%	-7.2%
2 - Very slight gain	9.0%	2.9%	-6.1%
3 - Slight gain	21.5%	23.5%	2.0%
4 - Moderate gain	23.3%	38.2%	14.9%
5 - High gain	25.1%	26.5%	1.4%
6 - Very high gain	10.7%	5.9%	-4.8%
MEAN=	3.76	4.00	0.24
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.2%	0.0%	-1.2%
1 - No gain	15.8%	23.5%	7.7%
2 - Very slight gain	14.9%	17.6%	2.7%
3 - Slight gain	20.2%	14.7%	-5.5%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	23.5%	0.9%
5 - High gain	16.7%	17.6%	0.9%
6 - Very high gain	8.6%	2.9%	-5.7%
MEAN=	3.32	3.03	-0.29
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.9%	0.0%	-0.9%
1 - No gain	13.7%	5.9%	-7.8%
2 - Very slight gain	7.2%	0.0%	-7.2%
3 - Slight gain	19.7%	20.6%	0.9%
4 - Moderate gain	24.2%	41.2%	17.0%
5 - High gain	23.9%	26.5%	2.6%
6 - Very high gain	10.4%	5.9%	-4.5%
MEAN=	3.66	4.00	0.34
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	1.8%	2.9%	1.1%
1 - No gain	16.7%	23.5%	6.8%
2 - Very slight gain	11.9%	20.6%	8.7%
3 - Slight gain	17.9%	5.9%	-12.0%
4 - Moderate gain	21.4%	14.7%	-6.7%
5 - High gain	18.8%	23.5%	4.7%
6 - Very high gain	11.6%	8.8%	-2.8%
MEAN=	3.43	3.12	-0.31
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
1 - No gain	15.8%	26.5%	10.7%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	17.6%	5.1%
3 - Slight gain	18.5%	17.6%	-0.9%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	8.8%	-10.9%
5 - High gain	17.9%	23.5%	5.6%
6 - Very high gain	13.1%	5.9%	-7.2%
MEAN=	3.44	3.03	-0.41
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	3.0%	2.9%	-0.1%
1 - No gain	13.1%	20.6%	7.5%
2 - Very slight gain	12.5%	14.7%	2.2%
3 - Slight gain	20.0%	20.6%	0.6%
4 - Moderate gain	19.7%	11.8%	-7.9%
5 - High gain	20.3%	23.5%	3.2%
6 - Very high gain	11.3%	5.9%	-5.4%
MEAN=	3.47	3.12	-0.35
62. Skill in gathering information			

	2002 Alumni N=338	NURS Alumni N=35	Percent Change
0 - A loss	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
1 - No gain	2.4%	5.9%	3.5%
2 - Very slight gain	8.9%	2.9%	-6.0%
3 - Slight gain	16.7%	20.6%	3.9%
4 - Moderate gain	22.6%	32.4%	9.8%
5 - High gain	33.0%	38.2%	5.2%
6 - Very high gain	16.4%	0.0%	-16.4%
MEAN=	4.24	3.94	-0.30
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%
1 - No gain	4.5%	2.9%	-1.6%
2 - Very slight gain	8.4%	2.9%	-5.5%
3 - Slight gain	16.4%	14.7%	-1.7%
4 - Moderate gain	29.0%	32.4%	3.4%
5 - High gain	27.8%	38.2%	10.4%
6 - Very high gain	13.4%	8.8%	-4.6%
MEAN=	4.06	4.26	0.20
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
1 - No gain	1.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
2 - Very slight gain	2.4%	0.0%	-2.4%
3 - Slight gain	10.3%	9.4%	-0.9%
4 - Moderate gain	24.8%	28.1%	3.3%
5 - High gain	43.0%	50.0%	7.0%
6 - Very high gain	17.6%	12.5%	-5.1%
MEAN=	4.57	4.66	0.09
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	27.9%	8.6%	-19.3%
2 - Female	72.1%	91.4%	19.3%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	84.7%	82.4%	-2.3%
2 - African American	4.0%	2.9%	-1.1%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	6.1%	8.8%	2.7%
4 - Asian	4.9%	5.9%	1.0%
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
MEAN=	1972	1969	-3.00
67. Your year of birth is:			
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	2.9%	0.8%
2 - Junior high	2.1%	5.9%	3.8%
3 - Some high school	3.6%	2.9%	-0.7%
4 - High school graduate	23.4%	11.8%	-11.6%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	11.4%	20.6%	9.2%
6 - Some college	24.6%	29.4%	4.8%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	23.7%	17.6%	-6.1%
8 - Graduate school	9.0%	8.8%	-0.2%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	2.1%	5.9%	3.8%
2 - Junior high	1.8%	2.9%	1.1%
3 - Some high school	4.8%	2.9%	-1.9%
4 - High school graduate	19.9%	23.5%	3.6%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.3%	8.8%	1.5%
6 - Some college	19.3%	11.8%	-7.5%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	24.5%	23.5%	-1.0%
8 - Graduate school	20.2%	20.6%	0.4%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	44.8%	40.0%	-4.8%
2 - Married	45.1%	45.7%	0.6%
3 - Separated	0.3%	0.0%	-0.3%
4 - Divorced	8.9%	11.4%	2.5%
5 - Widowed	0.3%	2.9%	2.6%
6 - Other	0.6%	0.0%	-0.6%

	2002 Alumni N=338	NURS Alumni N=35	Percent Change
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	13.3%	2.9%	-10.4%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	18.8%	20.0%	1.2%
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.6%	17.1%	-6.5%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	20.0%	25.7%	5.7%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	14.8%	20.0%	5.2%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	7.3%	11.4%	4.1%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.1%	2.9%	0.8%
72. How many dependents are in your household?			
0	59.9%	54.3%	-5.6%
1	18.0%	14.3%	-3.7%
2	10.2%	20.0%	9.8%
3	7.5%	2.9%	-4.6%
4 or more	4.5%	8.5%	4.0%
MEAN=	0.81	1.00	0.19



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SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	0.30%	2.00%	1.70%
2001	0.30%	2.00%	1.70%
2000	2.70%	15.70%	13.00%
1999	16.40%	27.50%	11.10%
1998	22.50%	23.50%	1.00%
1997	25.30%	17.50%	-7.80%
1996 and before	32.50%	11.80%	-20.70%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	35.80%	33.30%	-2.50%
2 - Transfer	59.80%	61.10%	1.30%
3 - Unclassified	4.40%	5.60%	1.20%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?	N= 207	33	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	52.70%	57.58%	4.88%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.60%	24.20%	-2.40%
CU-Boulder	5.80%	6.06%	0.26%
USC (University of Southern CO)	1.90%	3.04%	1.14%
Western State College	1.90%	3.04%	1.14%
Fort-Lewis College	1.40%	3.04%	1.64%
Metro State	1.00%	3.04%	2.04%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	88.20%	90.70%	2.50%
2 - Non-resident	11.80%	9.30%	-2.50%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	84.90%	88.90%	4.00%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	15.10%	11.10%	-4.00%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	7.40%	5.60%	-1.80%
2 - December 2000	22.60%	18.50%	-4.10%
3 - May 2001	69.90%	75.90%	6.00%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	63.30%	98.10%	34.80%
2 - Bachelor of Science	36.70%	1.90%	-34.80%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			
Psychology	15.60%	100.00%	84.40%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Letters, Arts and Sciences	64.50%	100.00%	35.50%

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Yes	10.10%	7.40%	-2.70%
2 - No	89.90%	92.60%	2.70%
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?	MEAN= 3.32	3.35	0.03
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY			
1 - To obtain a general education	5.40%	7.40%	2.00%
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.90%	1.80%	0.90%
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.00%	1.80%	-1.20%
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	42.30%	31.50%	-10.80%
5 - To become better qualified for present employment	1.20%	0.00%	-1.20%
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment	3.60%	5.60%	2.00%
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment	6.50%	5.60%	-0.90%
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation	5.10%	7.40%	2.30%
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree	13.70%	24.10%	10.40%
10 - Personal fulfillment	16.40%	13.00%	-3.40%
11 - Other	2.10%	1.80%	-0.30%
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?			
1 - Yes, full-time	23.70%	40.70%	17.00%
2 - Yes, part-time	7.80%	5.60%	-2.20%
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)	68.50%	53.70%	-14.80%
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):	N= 107	25	-
Master of Arts (MA)	31.90%	44.00%	12.10%
Other	14.10%	16.00%	1.90%
Master in Public Administration (MPA)	5.60%	12.00%	6.40%
PhD	4.70%	16.00%	11.30%
Master in Education (MEd)	3.70%	4.00%	0.30%
Master in Social Work (MSW)	0.90%	4.00%	3.10%
Education	0.90%	4.00%	3.10%
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)			
CU-Colorado Springs	50.00%	44.00%	-6.00%
Other (includes out-of-state)	29.70%	44.00%	14.30%
CU-Boulder	4.80%	4.00%	-0.80%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	1.90%	4.00%	2.10%
CC (Colorado College)	1.00%	4.00%	3.00%
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?	N= 231	31	-
1 - Yes	43.60%	54.80%	11.20%
2 - No	56.40%	45.20%	-11.20%

SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT

13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?			
1 - Seek employment	44.50%	35.20%	-9.30%
2 - Attend graduate school	15.50%	20.40%	4.90%
3 - Continue current employment	10.40%	11.10%	0.70%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment	14.90%	22.20%	7.30%
5 - Go into the teacher education program	3.90%	3.70%	-0.20%
6 - Be a homemaker	3.00%	1.90%	-1.10%
7 - Take time off	3.00%	3.70%	0.70%
8 - Other	4.80%	1.90%	-2.90%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)	MEAN= 32.39	30.79	-1.60

		2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)	N=	55	11	-
Spouse		50.90%	45.46%	-5.44%
Other		14.50%	9.09%	-5.41%
Loans/Grants		12.80%	18.18%	5.38%
Retirement		9.10%	9.09%	-0.01%
Savings		7.30%	9.09%	1.79%
Parents		3.60%	9.09%	5.49%
16a. When did you start your current career?	MODE Month=	8	8	0.00
	MODE Year=	2001	2001	0.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?	MEAN Days=	58.99	94.49	35.50
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?				
1 - Agricultural		2.70%	2.20%	-0.50%
2 - Mining		0.70%	0.00%	-0.70%
3 - Contract Construction		2.70%	2.20%	-0.50%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities		0.70%	0.00%	-0.70%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades		4.10%	4.40%	0.30%
6 - Manufacturing		3.40%	0.00%	-3.40%
7 - Finance		6.80%	4.40%	-2.40%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate		2.70%	0.00%	-2.70%
9 - Government		5.80%	0.00%	-5.80%
10 - Services		12.60%	15.60%	3.00%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)		15.00%	4.40%	-10.60%
12 - Public Service		6.10%	17.80%	11.70%
13 - Education		17.50%	26.70%	9.20%
14 - Other (specify)		19.20%	22.20%	3.00%
19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?				
1 - Did not have to relocate		75.10%	75.60%	0.50%
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado		8.90%	8.90%	0.00%
3 - Had to relocate to another state		8.50%	11.10%	2.60%
4 - Had to relocate to another country		0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons		7.20%	4.40%	-2.80%
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?				
1 - Had no previous employment experience		38.30%	40.00%	1.70%
2 - Had some previous employment experience		37.60%	42.20%	4.60%
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience		24.10%	17.80%	-6.30%
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.				
1 - Strongly Disagree		14.10%	15.60%	1.50%
2 - Disagree		13.10%	20.00%	6.90%
3 - Slightly Disagree		4.40%	8.90%	4.50%
4 - Slightly Agree		15.10%	11.10%	-4.00%
5 - Agree		21.10%	24.40%	3.30%
6 - Strongly Agree		32.20%	20.00%	-12.20%
	MEAN=	4.13	3.69	-0.44
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.				
1 - Strongly Disagree		21.50%	8.90%	-12.60%
2 - Disagree		31.50%	31.10%	-0.40%
3 - Slightly Disagree		15.10%	13.30%	-1.80%
4 - Slightly Agree		13.10%	17.80%	4.70%
5 - Agree		10.70%	15.60%	4.90%
6 - Strongly Agree		8.10%	13.30%	5.20%
	MEAN=	2.84	3.40	0.56

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.20%	13.20%	9.00%
2 - Disagree	7.50%	11.30%	3.80%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.80%	3.80%	-1.00%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.00%	11.30%	-4.70%
5 - Agree	34.90%	45.30%	10.40%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.50%	15.10%	-17.40%
MEAN=	4.67	4.09	-0.58
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.40%	5.90%	3.50%
2 - Disagree	3.90%	5.90%	2.00%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.20%	3.90%	-0.30%
4 - Slightly Agree	8.80%	9.80%	1.00%
5 - Agree	38.20%	39.20%	1.00%
6 - Strongly Agree	42.40%	35.30%	-7.10%
MEAN=	5.04	4.76	-0.28
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.10%	7.80%	4.70%
2 - Disagree	5.20%	5.90%	0.70%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.80%	2.00%	-4.80%
4 - Slightly Agree	20.00%	25.50%	5.50%
5 - Agree	43.70%	41.20%	-2.50%
6 - Strongly Agree	21.20%	17.60%	-3.60%
MEAN=	4.60	4.39	-0.21
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.			
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	18.70%	20.40%	1.70%
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	81.30%	79.60%	-1.70%
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?			
General Business	24.90%	36.40%	11.50%
Computer Science	7.70%	9.10%	1.40%
Psychology	6.20%	9.10%	2.90%
Marketing	4.70%	18.10%	13.40%
Health Care Services	4.70%	9.10%	4.40%
Chemistry (BA or BS)	1.60%	9.10%	7.50%
Dist. Studies-Justice/Public Admin.	1.60%	9.10%	7.50%
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?			
0-8	45.90%	47.92%	2.02%
9 or more	54.10%	52.08%	-2.02%
MEAN=	8.73	9.00	0.27
28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.50	3.64	0.14
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.83	4.17	0.34
c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.57	3.43	-0.14
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.18	3.66	-0.52
e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.65	1.53	-1.12
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.39	2.85	-0.54
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	2.31	2.32	0.01
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	2.37	2.54	0.17
i - scientific methodology.	2.72	3.40	0.68

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
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Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.40%	5.70%	2.30%
2 - Disagree	4.00%	3.80%	-0.20%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.20%	11.30%	6.10%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.70%	17.00%	-0.70%
5 - Agree	41.60%	35.80%	-5.80%
6 - Strongly Agree	28.10%	26.40%	-1.70%
	MEAN= 4.75	4.53	-0.22
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.30%	5.70%	1.40%
2 - Disagree	7.60%	13.20%	5.60%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.70%	3.80%	-2.90%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.70%	17.00%	-1.70%
5 - Agree	38.80%	37.70%	-1.10%
6 - Strongly Agree	23.90%	22.60%	-1.30%
	MEAN= 4.52	4.36	-0.16
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.30%	1.90%	1.60%
2 - Disagree	1.20%	0.00%	-1.20%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.70%	13.00%	8.30%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.40%	14.80%	1.40%
5 - Agree	45.40%	40.70%	-4.70%
6 - Strongly Agree	35.00%	29.60%	-5.40%
	MEAN= 5.07	4.81	-0.26
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.60%	1.90%	1.30%
2 - Disagree	2.40%	3.70%	1.30%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.20%	5.60%	1.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.80%	25.90%	7.10%
5 - Agree	49.10%	46.30%	-2.80%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.00%	16.70%	-8.30%
	MEAN= 4.88	4.61	-0.27
33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.90%	22.20%	0.30%
2 - Rarely	39.00%	38.90%	-0.10%
3 - Sometimes	27.60%	31.50%	3.90%
4 - Often	10.50%	7.40%	-3.10%
5 - Always	0.90%	0.00%	-0.90%
	MEAN= 2.29	2.24	-0.05
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.10%	22.60%	-0.50%
2 - Rarely	35.60%	41.50%	5.90%
3 - Sometimes	24.60%	28.30%	3.70%
4 - Often	15.10%	7.50%	-7.60%
5 - Always	1.50%	0.00%	-1.50%
	MEAN= 2.36	2.21	-0.15

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?			
1 - Very Poor	12.20%	20.80%	8.60%
2 - Poor	14.90%	17.00%	2.10%
3 - Fair	33.40%	26.40%	-7.00%
4 - Good	28.70%	26.40%	-2.30%
5 - Excellent	10.70%	9.40%	-1.30%
MEAN=	3.11	2.87	-0.24
36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?			
1 - Very Poor	9.10%	5.80%	-3.30%
2 - Poor	16.70%	11.50%	-5.20%
3 - Fair	34.30%	32.70%	-1.60%
4 - Good	30.20%	38.50%	8.30%
5 - Excellent	9.70%	11.50%	1.80%
MEAN=	3.15	3.38	0.23
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.			
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=		
2-year college	222	34	-
4-year college	41.40%	35.20%	-6.20%
University	28.80%	32.40%	3.60%
	29.70%	32.40%	2.70%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	47.14	37.23
			-9.91
37c. How would you rate the overall quality of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?			
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)			
1 - Very Poor	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2 - Poor	3.30%	7.70%	4.40%
3 - Fair	27.00%	32.70%	5.70%
4 - Good	52.00%	44.20%	-7.80%
5 - Excellent	17.70%	15.40%	-2.30%
MEAN=	3.84	3.67	-0.17
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)			
1 - Very Poor	1.50%	3.80%	2.30%
2 - Poor	4.80%	7.50%	2.70%
3 - Fair	24.60%	34.00%	9.40%
4 - Good	50.90%	28.30%	-22.60%
5 - Excellent	18.30%	26.40%	8.10%
MEAN=	3.80	3.66	-0.14
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)			
1 - Very Poor	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
2 - Poor	5.70%	3.80%	-1.90%
3 - Fair	27.40%	32.10%	4.70%
4 - Good	47.30%	32.10%	-15.20%
5 - Excellent	19.30%	32.10%	12.80%
MEAN=	3.80	3.92	0.12
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)			
1 - Very Poor	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
2 - Poor	4.80%	3.80%	-1.00%
3 - Fair	21.60%	25.00%	3.40%
4 - Good	51.80%	46.20%	-5.60%
5 - Excellent	21.30%	25.00%	3.70%
MEAN=	3.88	3.92	0.04

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ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)			
1 - Very Poor	0.30%	1.90%	1.60%
2 - Poor	3.00%	5.70%	2.70%
3 - Fair	25.50%	32.10%	6.60%
4 - Good	49.80%	41.50%	-8.30%
5 - Excellent	21.30%	18.90%	-2.40%
MEAN=	3.89	3.70	-0.19
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)			
1 - Very Poor	1.80%	3.80%	2.00%
2 - Poor	11.10%	13.20%	2.10%
3 - Fair	36.70%	37.70%	1.00%
4 - Good	36.40%	34.00%	-2.40%
5 - Excellent	13.90%	11.30%	-2.60%
MEAN=	3.49	3.36	-0.13
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
2 - Poor	4.20%	7.70%	3.50%
3 - Fair	21.80%	25.00%	3.20%
4 - Good	46.70%	40.40%	-6.30%
5 - Excellent	27.00%	26.90%	-0.10%
MEAN=	3.96	3.87	-0.09
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
2 - Poor	4.20%	9.40%	5.20%
3 - Fair	16.70%	17.00%	0.30%
4 - Good	43.90%	37.70%	-6.20%
5 - Excellent	34.60%	35.80%	1.20%
MEAN=	4.08	4.00	-0.08
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2 - Poor	2.10%	5.70%	3.60%
3 - Fair	16.10%	13.20%	-2.90%
4 - Good	50.10%	50.90%	0.80%
5 - Excellent	31.60%	30.20%	-1.40%
MEAN=	4.11	4.06	-0.05
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.20%	1.90%	0.70%
2 - Poor	1.80%	3.80%	2.00%
3 - Fair	20.00%	28.30%	8.30%
4 - Good	40.60%	34.00%	-6.60%
5 - Excellent	36.40%	32.10%	-4.30%
MEAN=	4.09	3.91	-0.18
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	1.50%	3.90%	2.40%
2 - Poor	12.00%	11.80%	-0.20%
3 - Fair	30.00%	39.20%	9.20%
4 - Good	36.30%	27.50%	-8.80%
5 - Excellent	20.10%	17.60%	-2.50%
MEAN=	3.62	3.43	-0.19
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.80%	1.90%	0.10%
2 - Poor	7.50%	3.80%	-3.70%
3 - Fair	26.60%	21.20%	-5.40%
4 - Good	40.40%	46.20%	5.80%
5 - Excellent	23.70%	26.90%	3.20%
MEAN=	3.77	3.92	0.15

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MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.10%	5.80%	3.70%
2 - Poor	6.10%	3.80%	-2.30%
3 - Fair	25.20%	26.90%	1.70%
4 - Good	45.00%	42.30%	-2.70%
5 - Excellent	21.60%	21.20%	-0.40%
MEAN=	3.78	3.69	-0.09
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.60%	7.50%	3.90%
2 - Poor	14.30%	18.90%	4.60%
3 - Fair	29.50%	34.00%	4.50%
4 - Good	33.70%	28.30%	-5.40%
5 - Excellent	18.80%	11.30%	-7.50%
MEAN=	3.50	3.17	-0.33
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.30%	5.70%	2.40%
2 - Poor	10.30%	9.40%	-0.90%
3 - Fair	23.90%	18.90%	-5.00%
4 - Good	38.70%	47.20%	8.50%
5 - Excellent	23.90%	18.90%	-5.00%
MEAN=	3.69	3.64	-0.05
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	0.90%	1.90%	1.00%
2 - Poor	3.30%	7.70%	4.40%
3 - Fair	22.20%	19.20%	-3.00%
4 - Good	49.10%	46.20%	-2.90%
5 - Excellent	24.60%	25.00%	0.40%
MEAN=	3.93	3.85	-0.08
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.60%	1.90%	1.30%
2 - Poor	1.50%	5.70%	4.20%
3 - Fair	16.80%	24.50%	7.70%
4 - Good	55.30%	47.20%	-8.10%
5 - Excellent	25.80%	20.80%	-5.00%
MEAN=	4.04	3.79	-0.25
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	1.20%	0.00%	-1.20%
2 - Poor	2.10%	5.70%	3.60%
3 - Fair	14.90%	24.50%	9.60%
4 - Good	56.70%	47.20%	-9.50%
5 - Excellent	25.10%	22.60%	-2.50%
MEAN=	4.02	3.87	-0.15
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	52.20%	59.30%	7.10%
2 - No	47.80%	40.70%	-7.10%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	20.40%	27.80%	7.40%
2 - One	21.00%	35.20%	14.20%
3 - Two or Three	45.30%	24.10%	-21.20%
4 - Four or more	13.30%	13.00%	-0.30%

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.30%	5.60%	-2.70%
2 - Rarely	29.90%	40.70%	10.80%
3 - Sometimes	40.80%	29.60%	-11.20%
4 - Often	21.00%	24.10%	3.10%

For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:

41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.30%	9.30%	6.00%
2 - Disagree	7.50%	9.30%	1.80%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.20%	7.40%	0.20%
4 - Slightly Agree	24.80%	22.20%	-2.60%
5 - Agree	40.60%	35.20%	-5.40%
6 - Strongly Agree	16.70%	16.70%	0.00%
MEAN=	4.42	4.15	-0.27
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.90%	5.60%	4.70%
2 - Disagree	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.90%	9.30%	3.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.00%	14.80%	1.80%
5 - Agree	51.20%	46.30%	-4.90%
6 - Strongly Agree	27.20%	24.10%	-3.10%
MEAN=	4.93	4.69	-0.24
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.20%	5.60%	1.40%
2 - Disagree	4.50%	5.60%	1.10%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.70%	11.10%	3.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.40%	16.70%	0.30%
5 - Agree	40.80%	40.70%	-0.10%
6 - Strongly Agree	26.50%	20.40%	-6.10%
MEAN=	4.65	4.43	-0.22
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	50.60%	48.10%	-2.50%
2 - Disagree	33.50%	29.60%	-3.90%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.70%	11.10%	2.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	2.70%	5.60%	2.90%
5 - Agree	2.40%	1.90%	-0.50%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.10%	3.70%	1.60%
MEAN=	1.79	1.94	0.15
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	13.70%	14.80%	1.10%
2 - Disagree	23.30%	29.60%	6.30%
3 - Slightly Disagree	13.10%	11.10%	-2.00%
4 - Slightly Agree	14.30%	9.30%	-5.00%
5 - Agree	24.80%	24.10%	-0.70%
6 - Strongly Agree	10.70%	11.10%	0.40%
MEAN=	3.45	3.31	-0.14

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Location	21.50%	22.14%	0.64%
Faculty	11.88%	12.21%	0.34%
Cost	9.88%	10.69%	0.81%
Other	9.00%	9.92%	0.92%
Small class size	8.75%	7.63%	-1.12%
Good departmental programs	5.50%	2.29%	-3.21%
Had major I wanted	3.63%	1.53%	-2.10%
Convenient	3.38%	3.05%	-0.32%
Class hours/schedule	3.38%	4.58%	1.21%
Small school/atmosphere	2.63%	3.05%	0.43%
Good equipment/facilities/resources	2.25%	4.58%	2.33%
Quality education	2.25%	3.05%	0.80%
Personable/small student-to-teacher ratio	2.13%	2.29%	0.17%
Night classes	1.50%	0.76%	-0.74%
Diversity among students	1.25%	1.53%	0.28%
Good reputation	1.25%	1.53%	0.28%
Orientation to non-traditional students	1.13%	1.53%	0.40%
Friendly atmosphere	1.00%	1.53%	0.53%
Accredited	0.63%	0.76%	0.14%
Beautiful campus	0.50%	1.53%	1.03%
Financial aid	0.50%	1.53%	1.03%
Good cohesiveness, communication	0.38%	0.76%	0.39%
Well rounded education	0.38%	0.76%	0.39%
Class taught by PhD's, not TA's	0.13%	0.76%	0.64%
47. In your opinion, what are the disadvantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Parking	24.48%	24.76%	0.28%
Other	18.92%	22.86%	3.94%
Little campus life/social life	6.52%	7.62%	1.10%
Faculty	6.04%	9.52%	3.48%
Class hours/schedule	5.56%	0.95%	-4.61%
Poor academic advising	3.34%	1.90%	-1.43%
High fees, costs	3.34%	1.90%	-1.43%
Inadequate library resources	3.34%	4.76%	1.42%
Need more majors	2.86%	3.81%	0.95%
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	2.38%	1.90%	-0.48%
Lacking equipment/facilities/resources	1.43%	0.95%	-0.48%
Need wider selection of courses	1.27%	1.90%	0.63%
Lack of diversity among students	1.11%	0.95%	-0.16%
Need more graduate programs	1.11%	2.86%	1.74%
Growing too fast, overcrowded	0.95%	0.95%	0.00%
No career placement, guidance	0.95%	0.95%	0.00%
Curriculum	0.95%	1.90%	0.95%
Lack of cultural diversity	0.95%	0.95%	0.00%
Classes too big	0.79%	1.90%	1.11%
Lacking college atmosphere	0.48%	0.95%	0.48%
Bureaucracy	0.48%	1.90%	1.43%
Liberal attitude	0.48%	0.95%	0.48%
No cohesiveness/communication	0.32%	0.95%	0.63%
Lack of diversity among instructors	0.32%	0.95%	0.63%
Young students, not serious	0.16%	0.95%	0.79%

SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

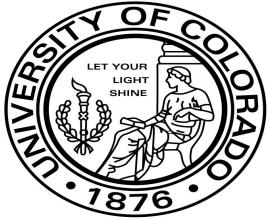
On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of personal development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	3.00%	7.70%	4.70%
2 - Very slight gain	3.00%	3.80%	0.80%
3 - Slight gain	12.30%	9.60%	-2.70%
4 - Moderate gain	40.50%	36.50%	-4.00%
5 - High gain	32.40%	34.60%	2.20%
6 - Very high gain	8.40%	7.70%	-0.70%
	MEAN= 4.21	4.10	-0.11
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1 - No gain	1.50%	1.90%	0.40%
2 - Very slight gain	4.20%	11.10%	6.90%
3 - Slight gain	13.70%	13.00%	-0.70%
4 - Moderate gain	29.50%	25.90%	-3.60%
5 - High gain	34.20%	29.60%	-4.60%
6 - Very high gain	17.00%	18.50%	1.50%
	MEAN= 4.42	4.26	-0.16
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1 - No gain	2.40%	7.40%	5.00%
2 - Very slight gain	4.20%	0.00%	-4.20%
3 - Slight gain	15.80%	14.80%	-1.00%
4 - Moderate gain	30.40%	35.20%	4.80%
5 - High gain	32.70%	33.30%	0.60%
6 - Very high gain	14.60%	9.30%	-5.30%
	MEAN= 4.31	4.15	-0.16
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	3.90%	1.90%	-2.00%
2 - Very slight gain	5.70%	5.70%	0.00%
3 - Slight gain	13.10%	5.70%	-7.40%
4 - Moderate gain	27.20%	26.40%	-0.80%
5 - High gain	31.60%	34.00%	2.40%
6 - Very high gain	18.20%	26.40%	8.20%
	MEAN= 4.31	4.64	0.33
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	19.20%	18.90%	-0.30%
2 - Very slight gain	7.80%	7.50%	-0.30%
3 - Slight gain	21.00%	13.20%	-7.80%
4 - Moderate gain	24.00%	32.10%	8.10%
5 - High gain	19.80%	17.00%	-2.80%
6 - Very high gain	7.80%	11.30%	3.50%
	MEAN= 3.40	3.55	0.15

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
1 - No gain	25.10%	22.60%	-2.50%
2 - Very slight gain	11.30%	9.40%	-1.90%
3 - Slight gain	19.70%	30.20%	10.50%
4 - Moderate gain	20.00%	18.90%	-1.10%
5 - High gain	16.70%	13.20%	-3.50%
6 - Very high gain	6.60%	5.70%	-0.90%
MEAN=	3.10	3.08	-0.02
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.80%	1.90%	0.10%
1 - No gain	15.90%	15.10%	-0.80%
2 - Very slight gain	12.00%	15.10%	3.10%
3 - Slight gain	22.20%	17.00%	-5.20%
4 - Moderate gain	19.20%	22.60%	3.40%
5 - High gain	19.20%	18.90%	-0.30%
6 - Very high gain	9.60%	9.40%	-0.20%
MEAN=	3.37	3.38	0.01
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	9.00%	15.10%	6.10%
2 - Very slight gain	9.30%	3.80%	-5.50%
3 - Slight gain	21.30%	22.60%	1.30%
4 - Moderate gain	29.40%	32.10%	2.70%
5 - High gain	23.70%	17.00%	-6.70%
6 - Very high gain	6.90%	9.40%	2.50%
MEAN=	3.69	3.60	-0.09
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	10.10%	14.80%	4.70%
2 - Very slight gain	9.00%	1.90%	-7.10%
3 - Slight gain	21.50%	20.40%	-1.10%
4 - Moderate gain	23.30%	22.20%	-1.10%
5 - High gain	25.10%	27.80%	2.70%
6 - Very high gain	10.70%	13.00%	2.30%
MEAN=	3.76	3.85	0.09
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.20%	1.90%	0.70%
1 - No gain	15.80%	18.50%	2.70%
2 - Very slight gain	14.90%	14.80%	-0.10%
3 - Slight gain	20.20%	33.30%	13.10%
4 - Moderate gain	22.60%	16.70%	-5.90%
5 - High gain	16.70%	14.80%	-1.90%
6 - Very high gain	8.60%	0.00%	-8.60%
MEAN=	3.32	2.89	-0.43
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.90%	0.00%	-0.90%
1 - No gain	13.70%	22.60%	8.90%
2 - Very slight gain	7.20%	5.70%	-1.50%
3 - Slight gain	19.70%	15.10%	-4.60%
4 - Moderate gain	24.20%	11.30%	-12.90%
5 - High gain	23.90%	26.40%	2.50%
6 - Very high gain	10.40%	18.90%	8.50%
MEAN=	3.66	3.70	0.04

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	1.80%	1.90%	0.10%
1 - No gain	16.70%	24.10%	7.40%
2 - Very slight gain	11.90%	5.60%	-6.30%
3 - Slight gain	17.90%	7.40%	-10.50%
4 - Moderate gain	21.40%	22.20%	0.80%
5 - High gain	18.80%	27.80%	9.00%
6 - Very high gain	11.60%	11.10%	-0.50%
MEAN=	3.43	3.52	0.09
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.40%	1.90%	-0.50%
1 - No gain	15.80%	16.70%	0.90%
2 - Very slight gain	12.50%	7.40%	-5.10%
3 - Slight gain	18.50%	13.00%	-5.50%
4 - Moderate gain	19.70%	24.10%	4.40%
5 - High gain	17.90%	22.20%	4.30%
6 - Very high gain	13.10%	14.80%	1.70%
MEAN=	3.44	3.67	0.23
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	3.00%	1.90%	-1.10%
1 - No gain	13.10%	18.50%	5.40%
2 - Very slight gain	12.50%	7.40%	-5.10%
3 - Slight gain	20.00%	14.80%	-5.20%
4 - Moderate gain	19.70%	25.90%	6.20%
5 - High gain	20.30%	20.40%	0.10%
6 - Very high gain	11.30%	11.10%	-0.20%
MEAN=	3.47	3.50	0.03
62. Skill in gathering information			
0 - A loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1 - No gain	2.40%	3.70%	1.30%
2 - Very slight gain	8.90%	7.40%	-1.50%
3 - Slight gain	16.70%	14.80%	-1.90%
4 - Moderate gain	22.60%	18.50%	-4.10%
5 - High gain	33.00%	27.80%	-5.20%
6 - Very high gain	16.40%	27.80%	11.40%
MEAN=	4.24	4.43	0.19
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
1 - No gain	4.50%	5.60%	1.10%
2 - Very slight gain	8.40%	13.00%	4.60%
3 - Slight gain	16.40%	22.20%	5.80%
4 - Moderate gain	29.00%	22.20%	-6.80%
5 - High gain	27.80%	27.80%	0.00%
6 - Very high gain	13.40%	9.30%	-4.10%
MEAN=	4.06	3.81	-0.25
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	1.50%	5.60%	4.10%
2 - Very slight gain	2.40%	3.70%	1.30%
3 - Slight gain	10.30%	9.30%	-1.00%
4 - Moderate gain	24.80%	20.40%	-4.40%
5 - High gain	43.00%	33.30%	-9.70%
6 - Very high gain	17.60%	27.80%	10.20%
MEAN=	4.57	4.56	-0.01

	2002 Alumni N=338	PSYCH Alumni N=54	% Change
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	27.90%	16.70%	-11.20%
2 - Female	72.10%	83.30%	11.20%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	84.70%	84.00%	-0.70%
2 - African American	4.00%	2.00%	-2.00%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	6.10%	4.00%	-2.10%
4 - Asian	4.90%	8.00%	3.10%
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	0.30%	2.00%	1.70%
67. Your year of birth is:	MEAN= 1972	1973	1.00
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
2 - Junior high	2.10%	1.90%	-0.20%
3 - Some high school	3.60%	5.70%	2.10%
4 - High school graduate	23.40%	20.80%	-2.60%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	11.40%	11.30%	-0.10%
6 - Some college	24.60%	24.50%	-0.10%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	23.70%	22.60%	-1.10%
8 - Graduate school	9.00%	13.20%	4.20%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
2 - Junior high	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
3 - Some high school	4.80%	7.70%	2.90%
4 - High school graduate	19.90%	17.30%	-2.60%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.30%	5.80%	-1.50%
6 - Some college	19.30%	17.30%	-2.00%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	24.50%	23.10%	-1.40%
8 - Graduate school	20.20%	28.80%	8.60%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	44.80%	51.90%	7.10%
2 - Married	45.10%	40.70%	-4.40%
3 - Separated	0.30%	1.90%	1.60%
4 - Divorced	8.90%	5.60%	-3.30%
5 - Widowed	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
6 - Other	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	13.30%	13.50%	0.20%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	18.80%	23.10%	4.30%
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.60%	34.60%	11.00%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	20.00%	13.50%	-6.50%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	14.80%	11.50%	-3.30%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	7.30%	3.80%	-3.50%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
72. How many dependents are in your household?			
0	59.90%	69.20%	9.30%
1	18.00%	13.50%	-4.50%
2	10.20%	11.50%	1.30%
3	7.50%	5.80%	-1.70%
4 or more	4.50%	0.00%	-4.50%
	MEAN= 0.81	0.54	-0.27



2002 Baccalaureate Alumni Survey Report

Comparison of University Totals to the Communication Majors

SECTION A: EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
1. What year did you first start work toward a degree program at CU-Colorado Springs?			
2002	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
2001	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
2000	2.70%	5.70%	3.00%
1999	16.40%	20.00%	3.60%
1998	22.50%	22.90%	0.40%
1997	25.30%	22.90%	-2.40%
1996 and before	32.50%	28.50%	-4.00%
2. What was your initial student level?			
1 - Freshman	35.80%	44.40%	8.60%
2 - Transfer	59.80%	55.60%	-4.20%
3 - Unclassified	4.40%	0.00%	-4.40%
2a. If you were a transfer student, from which institution did you transfer?	N= 207	20	-
Other (includes out-of-state)	52.70%	45.00%	-7.70%
PPCC (Pikes Peak Community College)	26.60%	25.00%	-1.60%
CU-Boulder	5.80%	10.00%	4.20%
UNC (University of Northern CO)	2.90%	10.00%	7.10%
Western State College	1.90%	5.00%	3.10%
Adams State College	1.40%	5.00%	3.60%
3. What was your initial student classification?			
1 - Resident	88.20%	94.40%	6.20%
2 - Non-resident	11.80%	5.60%	-6.20%
4. During your studies at CU-Colorado Springs, what was your course load during most semesters?			
1 - Full-time (12 or more hours a semester)	84.90%	83.30%	-1.60%
2 - Part-time (less than 12 hours a semester)	15.10%	16.70%	1.60%
5. When did you graduate from CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - August 2000	7.40%	2.90%	-4.50%
2 - December 2000	22.60%	20.00%	-2.60%
3 - May 2001	69.90%	77.10%	7.20%
6. Which degree did you receive at the time of the above graduation?			
1 - Bachelor of Arts	63.30%	100.00%	36.70%
2 - Bachelor of Science	36.70%	0.00%	-36.70%
7. In what major(s) did you receive your degree from CU-Colorado Springs?			
Communication	10.40%	100.00%	89.60%
8. In which school/college were you enrolled as an undergraduate at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Letters, Arts and Sciences	64.50%	100.00%	35.50%
9. Did you change colleges during your studies at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - Yes	10.10%	2.80%	-7.30%
2 - No	89.90%	97.20%	7.30%
10. Upon Graduation, what was your cumulative grade point average?	MEAN= 3.32	3.26	-0.06
11. What was your primary purpose in obtaining a degree? CIRCLE ONE ANSWER ONLY			
1 - To obtain a general education	5.40%	5.70%	0.30%
2 - To satisfy My parent's Desires	0.90%	0.00%	-0.90%
3 - To discover what type of occupation I desire	3.00%	2.90%	-0.10%
4 - To become better qualified for future employment	42.30%	51.40%	9.10%
5 - To become better qualified for present employment	1.20%	11.40%	10.20%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
6 - To qualify for advancement in my field of employment	3.60%	0.00%	-3.60%
7 - To prepare for a better job than my present employment	6.50%	0.00%	-6.50%
8 - To prepare for changing my occupation	5.10%	2.90%	-2.20%
9 - To prepare for a graduate degree	13.70%	5.70%	-8.00%
10 - Personal fulfillment	16.40%	20.00%	3.60%
11 - Other	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
12. Are you currently enrolled in an advanced degree (beyond bachelor's) or certificate program?			
1 - Yes, full-time	23.70%	25.70%	2.00%
2 - Yes, part-time	7.80%	2.90%	-4.90%
3 - No (Go to Q.12D)	68.50%	71.40%	2.90%
12a. Circle the program you are enrolled in below (if applicable):	N=		
Master of Arts (MA)	107	11	-
Other	31.90%	54.50%	22.60%
Master of Business Administration (MBA)	14.10%	9.10%	-5.00%
Teacher Education Program (TEP)	10.30%	18.20%	7.90%
Master in Education (MEd)	3.70%	9.10%	5.40%
12c. At what university are you enrolled? (Go to Q.13)			
CU-Colorado Springs	50.00%	70.00%	20.00%
Other (includes out-of-state)	29.70%	20.00%	-9.70%
CO Technical University (CTU)	3.80%	10.00%	6.20%
12d. Do you plan to pursue an advanced degree in the near future?	N=		
1 - Yes	231	26	-
2 - No	43.60%	42.30%	-1.30%
	56.40%	57.70%	1.30%

SECTION B: EMPLOYMENT

13. Upon graduation, what were your plans?			
1 - Seek employment	44.50%	55.90%	11.40%
2 - Attend graduate school	15.50%	5.90%	-9.60%
3 - Continue current employment	10.40%	11.80%	1.40%
4 - Both attend graduate school and seek or continue employment	14.90%	11.80%	-3.10%
5 - Go into the teacher education program	3.90%	2.90%	-1.00%
6 - Be a homemaker	3.00%	2.90%	-0.10%
7 - Take time off	3.00%	2.90%	-0.10%
8 - Other	4.80%	5.90%	1.10%
14. On average, how many hours a week do you spend in paid employment? (If greater than 1, go to 16)	MEAN=	32.39	32.52
			0.13
15. If you are not employed, what is your current source of income? (If unemployed, go to 23)	N=		
Spouse	55	3	-
Savings	50.90%	66.70%	15.80%
	7.30%	33.30%	26.00%
16a. When did you start your current career?	MODE Month=	8	1
	MODE Year=	2001	2001
			-7.00
			0.00
17. How long did it take for you to find your first job after graduation?	MEAN Days=	58.99	87.63
			28.64
18. In which sector of the economy is your primary employment?			
1 - Agricultural	2.70%	3.20%	0.50%
2 - Mining	0.70%	0.00%	-0.70%
3 - Contract Construction	2.70%	3.20%	0.50%
4 - Transportation and Public Utilities	0.70%	0.00%	-0.70%
5 - Wholesale and Retail Trades	4.10%	12.90%	8.80%
6 - Manufacturing	3.40%	0.00%	-3.40%
7 - Finance	6.80%	9.70%	2.90%
8 - Insurance, Real Estate	2.70%	6.50%	3.80%
9 - Government	5.80%	3.20%	-2.60%
10 - Services	12.60%	16.10%	3.50%
11 - Professional (Medical, Law)	15.00%	3.20%	-11.80%
12 - Public Service	6.10%	9.70%	3.60%
13 - Education	17.50%	19.40%	1.90%
14 - Other (specify)	19.20%	12.90%	-6.30%
19. Was it necessary for you to relocate after graduation for your career?			

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
1 - Did not have to relocate	75.10%	83.90%	8.80%
2 - Had to relocate within Colorado	8.90%	12.90%	4.00%
3 - Had to relocate to another state	8.50%	3.20%	-5.30%
4 - Had to relocate to another country	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
5 - Had to relocate for other reasons	7.20%	0.00%	-7.20%
20. How much of previous experience did you have in your current field of employment?			
1 - Had no previous employment experience	38.30%	37.50%	-0.80%
2 - Had some previous employment experience	37.60%	31.30%	-6.30%
3 - Had substantial previous employment experience	24.10%	31.30%	7.20%
21. My job is closely related to my chosen field of study.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	14.10%	12.50%	-1.60%
2 - Disagree	13.10%	12.50%	-0.60%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.40%	6.30%	1.90%
4 - Slightly Agree	15.10%	25.00%	9.90%
5 - Agree	21.10%	34.40%	13.30%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.20%	9.40%	-22.80%
MEAN=	4.13	3.84	-0.29
22. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have not been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	21.50%	18.80%	-2.70%
2 - Disagree	31.50%	40.60%	9.10%
3 - Slightly Disagree	15.10%	21.90%	6.80%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.10%	6.30%	-6.80%
5 - Agree	10.70%	6.30%	-4.40%
6 - Strongly Agree	8.10%	6.30%	-1.80%
MEAN=	2.84	2.59	-0.25
23. My studies at CU-Colorado Springs enhanced my ability to get a job.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.20%	2.90%	-1.30%
2 - Disagree	7.50%	11.40%	3.90%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.80%	2.90%	-1.90%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.00%	20.00%	4.00%
5 - Agree	34.90%	37.10%	2.20%
6 - Strongly Agree	32.50%	25.70%	-6.80%
MEAN=	4.67	4.54	-0.13
24. I am pleased with my choice of degree program.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	2.40%	5.70%	3.30%
2 - Disagree	3.90%	8.60%	4.70%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.20%	2.90%	-1.30%
4 - Slightly Agree	8.80%	14.30%	5.50%
5 - Agree	38.20%	45.70%	7.50%
6 - Strongly Agree	42.40%	22.90%	-19.50%
MEAN=	5.04	4.54	-0.50
25. The technical skills I learned at CU-Colorado Springs were complete and up-to-date.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.10%	2.90%	-0.20%
2 - Disagree	5.20%	5.70%	0.50%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.80%	8.60%	1.80%
4 - Slightly Agree	20.00%	31.40%	11.40%
5 - Agree	43.70%	31.40%	-12.30%
6 - Strongly Agree	21.20%	20.00%	-1.20%
MEAN=	4.60	4.43	-0.17
26. In retrospect, I wish I had chosen a different program of study.			
1 - Yes (Go to Q. 26a)	18.70%	31.40%	12.70%
2 - No (Go to Q. 27)	81.30%	68.60%	-12.70%
26a. What degree program do you wish you had chosen?			
General Business	24.90%	45.40%	20.50%
Not Offered at CU-Colorado Springs	4.70%	9.10%	4.40%
Health Care Services	4.70%	9.10%	4.40%
Economics	3.10%	9.10%	6.00%
Accounting	1.60%	9.10%	7.50%
Art History	1.60%	9.10%	7.50%
Philosophy	1.60%	9.10%	7.50%
27. How many courses (not hours) did you complete during your last two full semesters (not including summer term) at CU-Colorado Springs?			
0-8	45.90%	25.71%	-20.19%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
9 or more	54.10%	74.29%	20.19%
MEAN=	8.73	9.46	0.73
28. How many of these courses required you to complete:			
a - in class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes).	3.50	4.78	1.28
b - out of class writing assignment(s) (other than English classes) of at least 10 pages in length.	3.83	4.21	0.38
c - oral presentation(s) (other than English classes).	3.57	3.71	0.14
d - group project(s)/activities.	4.18	5.74	1.56
e - problems requiring quantitative (mathematical) skills (other than math classes).	2.65	1.29	-1.36
f - computer applications (either mainframe or PC in classes other than computer science or IS).	3.39	3.24	-0.15
g - activities requiring knowledge of other cultures (other than foreign language classes).	2.31	2.65	0.34
h - activities where you applied knowledge of gender issues.	2.37	2.91	0.54
i - scientific methodology.	2.72	2.03	-0.69

SECTION C: RATING MY EDUCATION AT CU-COLORADO SPRINGS

Please circle the number that best reflects your opinion on the following items:

29. My overall educational experience at CU-Colorado Springs has had a positive impact on my employment.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.40%	2.80%	-0.60%
2 - Disagree	4.00%	8.30%	4.30%
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.20%	5.60%	0.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	17.70%	25.00%	7.30%
5 - Agree	41.60%	33.30%	-8.30%
6 - Strongly Agree	28.10%	25.00%	-3.10%
MEAN=	4.75	4.53	-0.22
30. The specific knowledge, skills and expertise I acquired at CU-Colorado Springs have been useful in my present occupation.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.30%	2.80%	-1.50%
2 - Disagree	7.60%	5.60%	-2.00%
3 - Slightly Disagree	6.70%	8.30%	1.60%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.70%	30.60%	11.90%
5 - Agree	38.80%	33.30%	-5.50%
6 - Strongly Agree	23.90%	19.40%	-4.50%
MEAN=	4.52	4.44	-0.08
31. I learned a variety of new intellectual concepts during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
2 - Disagree	1.20%	5.60%	4.40%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.70%	5.60%	0.90%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.40%	13.90%	0.50%
5 - Agree	45.40%	47.20%	1.80%
6 - Strongly Agree	35.00%	27.80%	-7.20%
MEAN=	5.07	4.86	-0.21
32. I learned the theoretical foundations of the academic disciplines I studied during my university education.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
2 - Disagree	2.40%	2.80%	0.40%
3 - Slightly Disagree	4.20%	8.30%	4.10%
4 - Slightly Agree	18.80%	13.90%	-4.90%
5 - Agree	49.10%	50.00%	0.90%
6 - Strongly Agree	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%
MEAN=	4.88	4.86	-0.02
33. During the years you were completing your degree at CU-Colorado Springs, how often were courses you needed for your general education requirements unavailable in the semester you needed them?			
1 - Never	21.90%	11.10%	-10.80%
2 - Rarely	39.00%	44.40%	5.40%
3 - Sometimes	27.60%	30.60%	3.00%
4 - Often	10.50%	8.30%	-2.20%
5 - Always	0.90%	5.60%	4.70%
MEAN=	2.29	2.53	0.24
34. How often were courses needed for your major unavailable in the semester that you needed them?			
1 - Never	23.10%	22.20%	-0.90%
2 - Rarely	35.60%	47.20%	11.60%
3 - Sometimes	24.60%	22.20%	-2.40%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
4 - Often	15.10%	5.60%	-9.50%
5 - Always	1.50%	2.80%	1.30%
MEAN=	2.36	2.19	-0.17
35. How would you evaluate the advising you received in your major program of study?			
1 - Very Poor	12.20%	8.60%	-3.60%
2 - Poor	14.90%	25.70%	10.80%
3 - Fair	33.40%	31.40%	-2.00%
4 - Good	28.70%	28.60%	-0.10%
5 - Excellent	10.70%	5.70%	-5.00%
MEAN=	3.11	2.97	-0.14
36. How would you evaluate the advising you received at the Student Success Center?			
1 - Very Poor	9.10%	8.30%	-0.80%
2 - Poor	16.70%	16.70%	0.00%
3 - Fair	34.30%	33.30%	-1.00%
4 - Good	30.20%	27.80%	-2.40%
5 - Excellent	9.70%	13.90%	4.20%
MEAN=	3.15	3.22	0.07
37. If you attended another college or university prior to attending CU-Colorado Springs, go to question 37a. If you did not attend another college or university, go to question 37c.			
37a. What type of colleges did you attend prior to enrolling at CU-Colorado Springs?	N=	222	21
2-year college		41.40%	23.80%
4-year college		28.80%	38.10%
University		29.70%	38.10%
37b. How many hours of college credit did you transfer to CU-Colorado Springs?	MEAN=	47.14	48.35
37c. How would you rate the overall quality of YOUR education at CU-Colorado Springs, in the following areas?			
ORAL COMMUNICATION (e.g., public speaking, small groups, one-on-one)			
1 - Very Poor		0.00%	0.00%
2 - Poor		3.30%	0.00%
3 - Fair		27.00%	8.30%
4 - Good		52.00%	44.40%
5 - Excellent		17.70%	47.20%
MEAN=		3.84	4.39
QUANTITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., math, statistics)			
1 - Very Poor		1.50%	8.30%
2 - Poor		4.80%	2.80%
3 - Fair		24.60%	25.00%
4 - Good		50.90%	47.20%
5 - Excellent		18.30%	16.70%
MEAN=		3.80	3.61
SCIENTIFIC REASONING (e.g., scientific reasoning and methods)			
1 - Very Poor		0.30%	2.80%
2 - Poor		5.70%	2.80%
3 - Fair		27.40%	41.70%
4 - Good		47.30%	38.90%
5 - Excellent		19.30%	13.90%
MEAN=		3.80	3.58
QUALITATIVE SKILLS (e.g., personal analysis, perception, intuition)			
1 - Very Poor		0.60%	0.00%
2 - Poor		4.80%	5.60%
3 - Fair		21.60%	13.90%
4 - Good		51.80%	44.40%
5 - Excellent		21.30%	36.10%
MEAN=		3.88	4.11
ANALYTICAL REASONING (e.g., logic)			
1 - Very Poor		0.30%	0.00%
2 - Poor		3.00%	2.80%
3 - Fair		25.50%	22.20%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
4 - Good	49.80%	55.60%	5.80%
5 - Excellent	21.30%	19.40%	-1.90%
MEAN=	3.89	3.92	0.03
GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION (e.g., using charts, graphs)			
1 - Very Poor	1.80%	2.80%	1.00%
2 - Poor	11.10%	13.90%	2.80%
3 - Fair	36.70%	33.30%	-3.40%
4 - Good	36.40%	36.10%	-0.30%
5 - Excellent	13.90%	13.90%	0.00%
MEAN=	3.49	3.44	-0.05
READING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
2 - Poor	4.20%	2.90%	-1.30%
3 - Fair	21.80%	25.70%	3.90%
4 - Good	46.70%	40.00%	-6.70%
5 - Excellent	27.00%	31.40%	4.40%
MEAN=	3.96	4.00	0.04
WRITING SKILLS			
1 - Very Poor	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
2 - Poor	4.20%	2.80%	-1.40%
3 - Fair	16.70%	2.80%	-13.90%
4 - Good	43.90%	52.80%	8.90%
5 - Excellent	34.60%	41.70%	7.10%
MEAN=	4.08	4.33	0.25
PROBLEM SOLVING SKILLS (e.g., critical thinking)			
1 - Very Poor	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
2 - Poor	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
3 - Fair	16.10%	11.10%	-5.00%
4 - Good	50.10%	58.30%	8.20%
5 - Excellent	31.60%	30.60%	-1.00%
MEAN=	4.11	4.19	0.08
WORKING WITH OTHERS (e.g., teams, groups, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.20%	2.80%	1.60%
2 - Poor	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
3 - Fair	20.00%	2.80%	-17.20%
4 - Good	40.60%	25.00%	-15.60%
5 - Excellent	36.40%	69.40%	33.00%
MEAN=	4.09	4.58	0.49
COMPUTER SKILLS (e.g., hardware and software)			
1 - Very Poor	1.50%	0.00%	-1.50%
2 - Poor	12.00%	13.90%	1.90%
3 - Fair	30.00%	27.80%	-2.20%
4 - Good	36.30%	41.70%	5.40%
5 - Excellent	20.10%	16.70%	-3.40%
MEAN=	3.62	3.61	-0.01
INFORMATION GATHERING SKILLS (e.g., library, Internet, etc.)			
1 - Very Poor	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
2 - Poor	7.50%	5.60%	-1.90%
3 - Fair	26.60%	33.30%	6.70%
4 - Good	40.40%	38.90%	-1.50%
5 - Excellent	23.70%	22.20%	-1.50%
MEAN=	3.77	3.78	0.01
MOTIVATION			
1 - Very Poor	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
2 - Poor	6.10%	5.70%	-0.40%
3 - Fair	25.20%	28.60%	3.40%
4 - Good	45.00%	42.90%	-2.10%
5 - Excellent	21.60%	22.90%	1.30%
MEAN=	3.78	3.83	0.05
UNDERSTANDING & SYNTHESIZING HISTORICAL EVENTS (e.g., understanding of today's world in light of the past)			
1 - Very Poor	3.60%	0.00%	-3.60%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
2 - Poor	14.30%	13.90%	-0.40%
3 - Fair	29.50%	27.80%	-1.70%
4 - Good	33.70%	36.10%	2.40%
5 - Excellent	18.80%	22.20%	3.40%
MEAN=	3.50	3.67	0.17
MULTI-CULTURAL AWARENESS (e.g., sensitivity to others unlike you)			
1 - Very Poor	3.30%	0.00%	-3.30%
2 - Poor	10.30%	0.00%	-10.30%
3 - Fair	23.90%	27.80%	3.90%
4 - Good	38.70%	36.10%	-2.60%
5 - Excellent	23.90%	36.10%	12.20%
MEAN=	3.69	4.08	0.39
SELF-DISCIPLINE			
1 - Very Poor	0.90%	0.00%	-0.90%
2 - Poor	3.30%	2.80%	-0.50%
3 - Fair	22.20%	19.40%	-2.80%
4 - Good	49.10%	55.60%	6.50%
5 - Excellent	24.60%	22.20%	-2.40%
MEAN=	3.93	3.97	0.04
PRIMARY COLLEGE OF ACADEMIC WORK			
1 - Very Poor	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
2 - Poor	1.50%	0.00%	-1.50%
3 - Fair	16.80%	13.90%	-2.90%
4 - Good	55.30%	52.80%	-2.50%
5 - Excellent	25.80%	33.30%	7.50%
MEAN=	4.04	4.19	0.15
OVERALL INSTRUCTION			
1 - Very Poor	1.20%	0.00%	-1.20%
2 - Poor	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
3 - Fair	14.90%	8.30%	-6.60%
4 - Good	56.70%	58.30%	1.60%
5 - Excellent	25.10%	33.30%	8.20%
MEAN=	4.02	4.25	0.23
38. Did you work directly with any faculty members on research or creative projects during your time at CU-Colorado Springs, either in or outside of class?			
1 - Yes	52.20%	30.60%	-21.60%
2 - No	47.80%	69.40%	21.60%
39. Approximately how many faculty members took an interest in your educational and career goals (other than for advising purposes) during your years at CU-Colorado Springs?			
1 - None	20.40%	13.90%	-6.50%
2 - One	21.00%	22.20%	1.20%
3 - Two or Three	45.30%	52.80%	7.50%
4 - Four or more	13.30%	11.10%	-2.20%
40. How often, either formally or informally, did you meet with faculty members outside of regular classroom hours?			
1 - Never	8.30%	8.30%	0.00%
2 - Rarely	29.90%	36.10%	6.20%
3 - Sometimes	40.80%	47.20%	6.40%
4 - Often	21.00%	8.30%	-12.70%
For the following statements, indicate your response by circling the appropriate number:			
41. CU-Colorado Springs prepared me well for my field of specialization.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	3.30%	0.00%	-3.30%
2 - Disagree	7.50%	11.10%	3.60%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.20%	11.10%	3.90%
4 - Slightly Agree	24.80%	27.80%	3.00%
5 - Agree	40.60%	36.10%	-4.50%
6 - Strongly Agree	16.70%	13.90%	-2.80%
MEAN=	4.42	4.31	-0.11
42. Overall, I am satisfied with the education I received at CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	0.90%	0.00%	-0.90%
2 - Disagree	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
3 - Slightly Disagree	5.90%	5.60%	-0.30%
4 - Slightly Agree	13.00%	16.70%	3.70%
5 - Agree	51.20%	50.00%	-1.20%
6 - Strongly Agree	27.20%	27.80%	0.60%
MEAN=	4.93	5.00	0.07
43. I would send my child(ren) to CU-Colorado Springs.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	4.20%	2.80%	-1.40%
2 - Disagree	4.50%	5.60%	1.10%
3 - Slightly Disagree	7.70%	11.10%	3.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	16.40%	13.90%	-2.50%
5 - Agree	40.80%	38.90%	-1.90%
6 - Strongly Agree	26.50%	27.80%	1.30%
MEAN=	4.65	4.64	-0.01
44. I would never recommend CU-Colorado Springs to a prospective student.			
1 - Strongly Disagree	50.60%	55.60%	5.00%
2 - Disagree	33.50%	30.60%	-2.90%
3 - Slightly Disagree	8.70%	11.10%	2.40%
4 - Slightly Agree	2.70%	2.80%	0.10%
5 - Agree	2.40%	0.00%	-2.40%
6 - Strongly Agree	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
MEAN=	1.79	1.61	-0.18
45. I sought formal advisement on a regular basis (at least once a semester)			
1 - Strongly Disagree	13.70%	5.60%	-8.10%
2 - Disagree	23.30%	16.70%	-6.60%
3 - Slightly Disagree	13.10%	13.90%	0.80%
4 - Slightly Agree	14.30%	16.70%	2.40%
5 - Agree	24.80%	27.80%	3.00%
6 - Strongly Agree	10.70%	19.40%	8.70%
MEAN=	3.45	4.03	0.58
46. In your opinion, what are the advantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Location	21.50%	21.11%	-0.39%
Faculty	11.88%	6.67%	-5.21%
Cost	9.88%	8.89%	-0.99%
Other	9.00%	10.00%	1.00%
Small class size	8.75%	8.89%	0.14%
Good departmental programs	5.50%	1.11%	-4.39%
Had major I wanted	3.63%	4.44%	0.82%
Convenient	3.38%	2.22%	-1.15%
Class hours/schedule	3.38%	3.33%	-0.04%
Small school/atmosphere	2.63%	4.44%	1.82%
Good equipment/facilities/resources	2.25%	4.44%	2.19%
Quality education	2.25%	3.33%	1.08%
Personable/small student-to-teacher ratio	2.13%	2.22%	0.10%
Part of CU system, affiliation with Boulder	1.63%	3.33%	1.71%
Night classes	1.50%	2.22%	0.72%
Availability of faculty	1.25%	1.11%	-0.14%
Good reputation	1.25%	1.11%	-0.14%
Orientation to non-traditional students	1.13%	1.11%	-0.01%
Friendly atmosphere	1.00%	2.22%	1.22%
Financial aid	0.50%	1.11%	0.61%
Dorms	0.50%	1.11%	0.61%
Curriculum	0.50%	1.11%	0.61%
High academic standards	0.25%	1.11%	0.86%
Able to get a degree	0.25%	1.11%	0.86%
Good academic advising	0.13%	1.11%	0.99%
Cultural diversity on campus	0.13%	1.11%	0.99%
47. In your opinion, what are the disadvantages of going to CU-Colorado Springs? (percents are based on multiple responses per survey)			
Parking	24.48%	23.73%	-0.75%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
Other	18.92%	22.03%	3.11%
Little campus life/social life	6.52%	5.08%	-1.43%
Faculty	6.04%	10.17%	4.13%
Class hours/schedule	5.56%	6.78%	1.22%
Poor academic advising	3.34%	1.69%	-1.64%
High fees, costs	3.34%	1.69%	-1.64%
Inadequate library resources	3.34%	3.39%	0.05%
Need more majors	2.86%	1.69%	-1.17%
Lack of internships, practical/work experience	2.38%	3.39%	1.01%
School lacks a big name	2.23%	3.39%	1.16%
Lack of sports	2.07%	5.08%	3.02%
Lacking equipment/facilities/resources	1.43%	1.69%	0.26%
Lack of diversity among students	1.11%	1.69%	0.58%
Students are too old	0.48%	1.69%	1.22%
School is too small	0.32%	1.69%	1.38%
No cohesiveness/communication	0.32%	1.69%	1.38%
Lack of diversity among instructors	0.32%	1.69%	1.38%
Location	0.16%	1.69%	1.54%

SECTION D: PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

On items 48 through 64, please evaluate the degree of personal development or gain which resulted from your attendance at CU-Colorado Springs. Please circle the number which reflects your opinion on the following items:

48. Problem-solving ability			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	3.00%	0.00%	-3.00%
2 - Very slight gain	3.00%	2.80%	-0.20%
3 - Slight gain	12.30%	8.30%	-4.00%
4 - Moderate gain	40.50%	61.10%	20.60%
5 - High gain	32.40%	19.40%	-13.00%
6 - Very high gain	8.40%	8.30%	-0.10%
	MEAN= 4.21	4.22	0.01
49. Skill in written expression			
0 - A loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1 - No gain	1.50%	0.00%	-1.50%
2 - Very slight gain	4.20%	0.00%	-4.20%
3 - Slight gain	13.70%	11.10%	-2.60%
4 - Moderate gain	29.50%	33.30%	3.80%
5 - High gain	34.20%	22.20%	-12.00%
6 - Very high gain	17.00%	33.30%	16.30%
	MEAN= 4.42	4.78	0.36
50. Skill in oral expression			
0 - A loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1 - No gain	2.40%	0.00%	-2.40%
2 - Very slight gain	4.20%	0.00%	-4.20%
3 - Slight gain	15.80%	2.80%	-13.00%
4 - Moderate gain	30.40%	19.40%	-11.00%
5 - High gain	32.70%	44.40%	11.70%
6 - Very high gain	14.60%	33.30%	18.70%
	MEAN= 4.31	5.08	0.77
51. Self-Understanding			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	3.90%	0.00%	-3.90%
2 - Very slight gain	5.70%	5.60%	-0.10%
3 - Slight gain	13.10%	5.60%	-7.50%
4 - Moderate gain	27.20%	36.10%	8.90%
5 - High gain	31.60%	25.00%	-6.60%
6 - Very high gain	18.20%	27.80%	9.60%
	MEAN= 4.31	4.64	0.33
52. Ability to manage emotions appropriately			

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	19.20%	16.70%	-2.50%
2 - Very slight gain	7.80%	2.80%	-5.00%
3 - Slight gain	21.00%	19.40%	-1.60%
4 - Moderate gain	24.00%	27.80%	3.80%
5 - High gain	19.80%	16.70%	-3.10%
6 - Very high gain	7.80%	16.70%	8.90%
MEAN=	3.40	3.75	0.35
53. Ability to make close friends			
0 - A loss	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
1 - No gain	25.10%	16.70%	-8.40%
2 - Very slight gain	11.30%	16.70%	5.40%
3 - Slight gain	19.70%	25.00%	5.30%
4 - Moderate gain	20.00%	19.40%	-0.60%
5 - High gain	16.70%	11.10%	-5.60%
6 - Very high gain	6.60%	11.10%	4.50%
MEAN=	3.10	3.25	0.15
54. Appreciation for persons of other races and ethnic backgrounds			
0 - A loss	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
1 - No gain	15.90%	11.10%	-4.80%
2 - Very slight gain	12.00%	5.60%	-6.40%
3 - Slight gain	22.20%	22.20%	0.00%
4 - Moderate gain	19.20%	27.80%	8.60%
5 - High gain	19.20%	16.70%	-2.50%
6 - Very high gain	9.60%	16.70%	7.10%
MEAN=	3.37	3.83	0.46
55. Ability to relate to people			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	9.00%	2.80%	-6.20%
2 - Very slight gain	9.30%	5.60%	-3.70%
3 - Slight gain	21.30%	22.20%	0.90%
4 - Moderate gain	29.40%	27.80%	-1.60%
5 - High gain	23.70%	30.60%	6.90%
6 - Very high gain	6.90%	11.10%	4.20%
MEAN=	3.69	4.11	0.42
56. Knowledge of social/domestic issues			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	10.10%	0.00%	-10.10%
2 - Very slight gain	9.00%	13.90%	4.90%
3 - Slight gain	21.50%	13.90%	-7.60%
4 - Moderate gain	23.30%	41.70%	18.40%
5 - High gain	25.10%	11.10%	-14.00%
6 - Very high gain	10.70%	19.40%	8.70%
MEAN=	3.76	4.08	0.32
57. Knowledge of international issues			
0 - A loss	1.20%	0.00%	-1.20%
1 - No gain	15.80%	8.30%	-7.50%
2 - Very slight gain	14.90%	11.10%	-3.80%
3 - Slight gain	20.20%	16.70%	-3.50%
4 - Moderate gain	22.60%	36.10%	13.50%
5 - High gain	16.70%	8.30%	-8.40%
6 - Very high gain	8.60%	19.40%	10.80%
MEAN=	3.32	3.83	0.51
58. Ability to make ethical decisions			
0 - A loss	0.90%	0.00%	-0.90%
1 - No gain	13.70%	13.90%	0.20%
2 - Very slight gain	7.20%	5.60%	-1.60%
3 - Slight gain	19.70%	19.40%	-0.30%
4 - Moderate gain	24.20%	30.60%	6.40%
5 - High gain	23.90%	16.70%	-7.20%
6 - Very high gain	10.40%	13.90%	3.50%
MEAN=	3.66	3.72	0.06

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
59. Appreciation for the arts			
0 - A loss	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
1 - No gain	16.70%	2.80%	-13.90%
2 - Very slight gain	11.90%	16.70%	4.80%
3 - Slight gain	17.90%	25.00%	7.10%
4 - Moderate gain	21.40%	33.30%	11.90%
5 - High gain	18.80%	13.90%	-4.90%
6 - Very high gain	11.60%	8.30%	-3.30%
MEAN=	3.43	3.64	0.21
60. Appreciation for literature			
0 - A loss	2.40%	2.80%	0.40%
1 - No gain	15.80%	2.80%	-13.00%
2 - Very slight gain	12.50%	16.70%	4.20%
3 - Slight gain	18.50%	25.00%	6.50%
4 - Moderate gain	19.70%	22.20%	2.50%
5 - High gain	17.90%	19.40%	1.50%
6 - Very high gain	13.10%	11.10%	-2.00%
MEAN=	3.44	3.64	0.20
61. Appreciation of the humanities			
0 - A loss	3.00%	2.80%	-0.20%
1 - No gain	13.10%	2.80%	-10.30%
2 - Very slight gain	12.50%	2.80%	-9.70%
3 - Slight gain	20.00%	33.30%	13.30%
4 - Moderate gain	19.70%	19.40%	-0.30%
5 - High gain	20.30%	25.00%	4.70%
6 - Very high gain	11.30%	13.90%	2.60%
MEAN=	3.47	3.94	0.47
62. Skill in gathering information			
0 - A loss	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
1 - No gain	2.40%	0.00%	-2.40%
2 - Very slight gain	8.90%	8.30%	-0.60%
3 - Slight gain	16.70%	19.40%	2.70%
4 - Moderate gain	22.60%	25.00%	2.40%
5 - High gain	33.00%	30.60%	-2.40%
6 - Very high gain	16.40%	16.70%	0.30%
MEAN=	4.24	4.28	0.04
63. Technical knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.60%	2.80%	2.20%
1 - No gain	4.50%	8.30%	3.80%
2 - Very slight gain	8.40%	8.30%	-0.10%
3 - Slight gain	16.40%	22.20%	5.80%
4 - Moderate gain	29.00%	33.30%	4.30%
5 - High gain	27.80%	16.70%	-11.10%
6 - Very high gain	13.40%	8.30%	-5.10%
MEAN=	4.06	3.58	-0.48
64. Scholarly knowledge			
0 - A loss	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
1 - No gain	1.50%	0.00%	-1.50%
2 - Very slight gain	2.40%	2.90%	0.50%
3 - Slight gain	10.30%	11.40%	1.10%
4 - Moderate gain	24.80%	31.40%	6.60%
5 - High gain	43.00%	34.30%	-8.70%
6 - Very high gain	17.60%	20.00%	2.40%
MEAN=	4.57	4.57	0.00
65. Your gender is:			
1 - Male	27.90%	30.60%	2.70%
2 - Female	72.10%	69.40%	-2.70%
66. Your primary ethnic group is:			
1 - White (Anglo/Caucasian)	84.70%	88.60%	3.90%
2 - African American	4.00%	5.70%	1.70%
3 - Hispanic (Chicano/a - Latino/a)	6.10%	2.90%	-3.20%
4 - Asian	4.90%	2.90%	-2.00%

	2002 Alumni N=338	COMM Alumni N=36	Percent Change
5 - Native American (American Indian/Aleut)	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
67. Your year of birth is:	MEAN= 1972	1973	1.00
68. The highest educational level completed by your mother was:			
1 - Grade school	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
2 - Junior high	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
3 - Some high school	3.60%	2.80%	-0.80%
4 - High school graduate	23.40%	19.40%	-4.00%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	11.40%	11.10%	-0.30%
6 - Some college	24.60%	27.80%	3.20%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	23.70%	36.10%	12.40%
8 - Graduate school	9.00%	3.80%	-5.20%
69. The highest educational level completed by your father was:			
1 - Grade school	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
2 - Junior high	1.80%	0.00%	-1.80%
3 - Some high school	4.80%	2.80%	-2.00%
4 - High school graduate	19.90%	22.20%	2.30%
5 - Vocational/technical/business (beyond high school)	7.30%	5.60%	-1.70%
6 - Some college	19.30%	22.20%	2.90%
7 - Completed college (4 year degree)	24.50%	27.80%	3.30%
8 - Graduate school	20.20%	19.40%	-0.80%
70. Your current marital status is:			
1 - Single, Never Married	44.80%	52.80%	8.00%
2 - Married	45.10%	38.90%	-6.20%
3 - Separated	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
4 - Divorced	8.90%	8.30%	-0.60%
5 - Widowed	0.30%	0.00%	-0.30%
6 - Other	0.60%	0.00%	-0.60%
71. Your total personal income (before deductions) in the year subsequent to your graduation was:			
1 - Less than \$9,999	13.30%	16.70%	3.40%
2 - \$10,000 - \$19,999	18.80%	19.40%	0.60%
3 - \$20,000 - \$29,999	23.60%	36.10%	12.50%
4 - \$30,000 - \$39,999	20.00%	16.70%	-3.30%
5 - \$40,000 - \$54,999	14.80%	8.30%	-6.50%
6 - \$55,000 - \$79,999	7.30%	2.80%	-4.50%
7 - \$80,000 Per Year or more	2.10%	0.00%	-2.10%
72. How many dependents are in your household?			
0	59.90%	72.20%	12.30%
1	18.00%	8.30%	-9.70%
2	10.20%	2.80%	-7.40%
3	7.50%	5.60%	-1.90%
4 or more	4.50%	11.10%	6.60%
	MEAN= 0.81	0.81	0.00