

International Student Support Survey SP07

42 Respondents

39 Completed

Undergraduates 52.38%

Graduate Students 47.62%

Respondents identified their country of origin as follows:

Asia	67.14%
China	16.66%
India	2.38%
Iran	2.38%
Japan	14.28%
Korea	19.04%
Saudi Arabia	2.38%
Taiwan	2.38%
Thailand	4.76%
Turkey	2.38%
Europe	26.18%
Bulgaria	2.38%
Denmark	2.38%
France	4.76%
Germany	7.14%
Ireland	2.38%
Switzerland	4.76%
Netherlands	2.38%
S. America	7.14%
Brazil	2.38%
Peru	4.76%

Respondents identified their major(s)/department(s) as follows:

Anthropology	2.38%
Ballet	4.76%
Biochemistry	2.38%
Biology	9.52%
Chemistry	7.11%
Comp. Science	2.38%
Economics	2.38%
Elec. Engineering	2.38%
ELI	4.76%
English	2.38%
ESS	2.38%
Film Studies	4.76%
Fine Art	2.38%
International Studies	2.38%

Japanese	2.38%
Marketing	2.38%
Marketing Mgmt	2.38%
MBA	7.14%
Mat. Science & Eng	4.76%
Molecular Biology	2.38%
Music	2.38%
Nutrition Science	2.38%
Physics	2.38%
Political Science	4.76%
Psychology	4.76%
School of Computing	2.38%
Social Sciences	2.38%
Social Work	2.38%
Sociology	2.38%
Spanish	2.38%
Theatre	2.38%
Undecided	2.38%

Respondents identified their visa types as follows:

- F-1 (Student) - 90.48%
- J-1 (Exchange Student) – 9.52%
- J-1 (Visiting Scholar) – 0%

When asked how long they have been in the US:

- 0% of respondents reported under 3 months
- 7.14% reported 3-6 months
- 40.48% reported 7-11 months
- 21.43% reported 1-2 years
- 16.67% reported 3-4 years
- 14.29% reported over 4 years

When asked how long they have been at the U of U:

- 0% of respondents reported under 3 months
- 14.29% reported 3-6 months
- 45.24% reported 7-11 months
- 23.81% reported 1-2 years
- 14.29% reported 3-4 years
- 2.38% reported over 4 years

97.62% of respondents reported they were single.

0% reported they were married.

2.38% reported being partnered (long term relationship). This person also reported that his/her spouse/partner currently lived with him/her.

When asked how long it has been since they returned to their home country:

11.90% reported Under 3 months

42.86% reported 3-6 months

30.95% reported 7-12 months

14.29% reported Over 1 year

92.86% reported English was not their first language.

Respondents reported that when they first moved in the following initial services provided by HRE were helpful:

66.67% Check-in process at the Heritage Center

35.90% Opening events/activities

53.85% HRE Office (billing/placement, etc.)

82.05% of respondents reported feeling supported by HRE office staff in answering questions.

76.93% of respondents reported feeling supported by HRE office staff in solving problems.

82.05% of respondents reported feeling supported by HRE office staff in listening.

82.05% of respondents reported feeling supported by HRE office staff in respecting their culture.

84.61% of respondents reported feeling supported by their RA in answering questions.

82.06% of respondents reported feeling supported by their RA in solving problems.

84.61% of respondents reported feeling supported by their RA in listening.

84.62% of respondents reported feeling supported by their RA in respecting their culture.

Since their arrival at the U of U:

66.66% of respondents reported experiencing Homesickness.

82.05% of respondents reported experiencing Loneliness.

64.10% of respondents reported experiencing Physical Illness.

61.54% of respondents reported experiencing Conflict with a Roommate.

48.72% of respondents reported experiencing Communication barriers.

46.15% of respondents reported experiencing Isolation from Others.

41.28% of respondents reported experiencing Frustration with Staff.

92.31% of respondents reported seeking support from Friends.

33.33% of respondents reported seeking support from Student Groups.

46.16% of respondents reported seeking support from their RA.

58.97% of respondents reported seeking support from Faculty Members.

56.41% of respondents reported seeking support from Academic Advisors.

66.67% of respondents reported seeking support from Roommates.

33.33% of respondents reported seeking support from the International Center.

15.38% of respondents reported seeking support from the University Counseling Center.

35.90% of respondents reported seeking support from Off-campus Support (Church, non-university, etc.).