

# 2015 Alumni Survey

## College Comparisons of Overall Satisfaction

### Overall Satisfaction

#### Overall evaluation of undergraduate education at NC State

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>Mean Rating</b>	3.47	3.55	3.66	3.35	3.41	3.55	3.47	3.54	3.43	3.43
<b>4: Very strong</b>	54.5%	60.4%	68.7%	47.0%	50.9%	59.9%	53.5%	59.6%	48.3%	49.2%
<b>3: Strong</b>	39.2%	34.6%	28.9%	43.0%	40.8%	35.4%	40.8%	34.6%	47.1%	45.4%
<b>2: Weak</b>	5.4%	4.2%	2.4%	8.6%	6.5%	4.2%	4.7%	5.8%	3.4%	5.0%
<b>1: Very weak</b>	0.8%	0.7%		1.5%	1.8%	0.5%	1.0%		1.1%	0.4%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,363	283	83	479	169	594	299	104	87	260

#### NC State education prepared me to be competitive with grads from other institutions

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>Mean Rating</b>	3.44	3.48	3.70	3.20	3.32	3.60	3.42	3.39	3.49	3.46
<b>4: A great deal</b>	56.5%	59.9%	78.3%	43.3%	46.2%	67.8%	54.8%	53.8%	55.2%	54.4%
<b>3: Some</b>	33.5%	31.6%	15.7%	38.3%	43.2%	26.3%	35.5%	35.6%	40.2%	37.8%
<b>2: A little</b>	7.2%	5.0%	3.6%	13.8%	7.1%	4.4%	7.0%	6.7%	3.4%	6.6%
<b>1: Not at all</b>	2.8%	3.5%	2.4%	4.6%	3.6%	1.5%	2.7%	3.8%	1.1%	1.2%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,359	282	83	478	169	593	299	104	87	259

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### Would recommend NC State to a friend

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>Yes</b>	94.2%	96.5%	98.8%	90.0%	95.9%	95.1%	94.6%	94.2%	92.0%	95.0%
<b>No</b>	1.3%	0.7%	1.2%	2.3%	1.2%	1.3%	0.7%	1.0%		1.2%
<b>Not sure</b>	4.5%	2.8%		7.7%	2.9%	3.5%	4.7%	4.8%	8.0%	3.9%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,363	283	83	479	170	595	298	104	87	259

### If starting again, still choose to attend NC State

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>Strongly Agree</b>	69.2%	74.1%	84.3%	61.3%	77.5%	72.8%	68.5%	64.7%	62.1%	64.7%
<b>Agree</b>	22.0%	18.8%	12.0%	25.2%	14.2%	20.7%	24.8%	27.5%	24.1%	25.6%
<b>Disagree</b>	2.8%	2.8%		3.5%	2.4%	2.2%	2.0%	2.9%	4.6%	3.9%
<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	1.4%	1.4%	1.2%	3.1%	0.6%	0.8%	1.0%	1.0%	2.3%	0.8%
<b>Not sure</b>	4.5%	2.8%	2.4%	6.9%	5.3%	3.4%	3.7%	3.9%	6.9%	5.0%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,354	282	83	481	169	589	298	102	87	258

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### If starting again, still choose same major field of study

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>Strongly Agree</b>	44.4%	44.7%	31.3%	28.7%	32.5%	59.9%	43.3%	42.2%	59.8%	46.5%
<b>Agree</b>	23.4%	23.4%	22.9%	22.0%	21.9%	24.6%	25.5%	17.6%	14.9%	26.7%
<b>Disagree</b>	15.0%	16.3%	19.3%	23.1%	22.5%	5.6%	15.4%	22.5%	10.3%	12.0%
<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	8.7%	9.2%	15.7%	15.2%	12.4%	2.5%	7.0%	10.8%	9.2%	6.2%
<b>Not sure</b>	8.5%	6.4%	10.8%	11.0%	10.7%	7.3%	8.7%	6.9%	5.7%	8.5%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,354	282	83	481	169	589	298	102	87	258

### Proud to have graduated from NCSU

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>Strongly Agree</b>	79.2%	85.1%	89.2%	74.4%	85.2%	78.8%	76.5%	80.4%	75.9%	79.1%
<b>Agree</b>	17.5%	13.8%	8.4%	21.8%	12.4%	18.0%	18.1%	16.7%	19.5%	17.4%
<b>Disagree</b>	1.2%	0.4%	1.2%	1.5%	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%	1.0%	1.1%	1.2%
<b>Strongly Disagree</b>	0.4%	0.4%		0.4%	0.6%	0.7%	0.3%			0.4%
<b>Not sure</b>	1.7%	0.4%	1.2%	1.9%	0.6%	1.4%	3.7%	2.0%	3.4%	1.9%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,354	282	83	481	169	589	298	102	87	258

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### Connection to NC State

#### Importance of feeling connection to NC State

	NCSU	College/School								
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<b>5: Very important</b>	39.0%	45.4%	38.1%	40.0%	49.4%	30.8%	34.2%	36.2%	36.8%	49.0%
<b>4: Moderately important</b>	30.9%	31.3%	32.1%	29.5%	30.2%	33.7%	30.9%	30.5%	26.4%	29.1%
<b>3: Somewhat important</b>	18.2%	15.5%	20.2%	18.4%	16.3%	20.6%	20.9%	20.0%	25.3%	9.6%
<b>2: Not very important</b>	9.0%	6.0%	4.8%	9.5%	2.9%	10.8%	11.6%	7.6%	10.3%	9.6%
<b>1: Not at all important</b>	3.0%	1.8%	4.8%	2.7%	1.2%	4.1%	2.3%	5.7%	1.1%	2.7%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,387	284	84	485	172	603	301	105	87	261

#### Connection to NC State since graduating

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>5: Very connected</b>	14.8%	20.8%	19.0%	12.4%	20.5%	11.4%	14.6%	15.2%	12.6%	15.3%
<b>4: Moderately connected</b>	28.8%	26.8%	26.2%	26.0%	32.7%	30.0%	25.9%	33.3%	27.6%	34.1%
<b>3: Somewhat connected</b>	31.6%	33.5%	39.3%	29.7%	33.3%	31.5%	32.9%	32.4%	35.6%	26.8%
<b>2: Not very connected</b>	19.6%	15.5%	13.1%	24.7%	11.1%	20.9%	20.6%	14.3%	19.5%	19.9%
<b>1: Not at all connected</b>	5.3%	3.5%	2.4%	7.2%	2.3%	6.1%	6.0%	4.8%	4.6%	3.8%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,386	284	84	485	171	603	301	105	87	261

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### What feel most connected to in current relationship with NCSU

	NCSU	College/School								
		CALS	CED	CHASS	CNR	COE	COS	COT	Design	PCOM
<b>NC State as a whole</b>	26.8%	23.9%	21.4%	33.6%	30.8%	22.4%	29.1%	24.8%	8.1%	31.0%
<b>Your college</b>	6.7%	5.6%	3.6%	4.6%	5.9%	7.0%	5.7%	10.5%	23.3%	7.3%
<b>Your academic department/degree program</b>	15.1%	19.7%	11.9%	10.0%	16.6%	20.4%	12.4%	9.5%	31.4%	8.0%
<b>An NC State faculty member, advisor, or staff person</b>	5.9%	7.4%	10.7%	8.1%	4.7%	4.0%	6.7%	2.9%	3.5%	4.6%
<b>Your fraternity/sorority</b>	4.8%	5.6%	8.3%	4.6%	4.1%	2.5%	4.3%	5.7%	3.5%	9.6%
<b>An NC State athletics team</b>	15.3%	12.7%	16.7%	14.5%	24.3%	15.2%	14.4%	17.1%	1.2%	18.8%
<b>An NC State club or organization</b>	3.2%	2.8%	1.2%	3.1%	1.2%	4.2%	3.0%	3.8%	3.5%	3.1%
<b>Your graduating class</b>	2.6%	3.5%	6.0%	0.8%	3.0%	3.0%	1.7%	1.0%	9.3%	2.3%
<b>Individual alumnus/a</b>	16.6%	15.8%	14.3%	16.2%	8.9%	18.7%	19.7%	21.9%	12.8%	14.2%
<b>Other (please specify)</b>	2.9%	2.8%	6.0%	4.6%	0.6%	2.7%	3.0%	2.9%	3.5%	1.1%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,374	284	84	482	169	599	299	105	86	261

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### Activities done since graduating

	College/School									
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Done since graduating: Philanthropic gift	23.3%	22.1%	21.4%	22.6%	23.8%	26.0%	16.6%	25.7%	19.5%	27.9%
Done since graduating: Attended athletic event	65.7%	67.7%	73.8%	58.2%	80.2%	63.3%	61.5%	72.4%	49.4%	78.6%
Done since graduating: Attended university event	28.7%	30.5%	29.8%	30.9%	35.5%	23.9%	26.6%	29.5%	37.9%	28.2%
Done since graduating: Used an NC State facility	34.8%	37.2%	40.5%	33.3%	36.6%	35.7%	33.6%	24.8%	43.7%	32.4%
Done since graduating: Served as a volunteer on NCSU committee or board	2.7%	3.2%	2.4%	3.1%	2.3%	2.0%	1.0%	2.9%	5.7%	4.2%
Done since graduating: Joined Alumni Association	23.3%	21.4%	16.7%	23.3%	28.5%	22.7%	17.3%	28.6%	26.4%	29.8%
Done since graduating: Registered for NCSU non-credit course	11.1%	15.1%	15.5%	8.2%	11.0%	13.9%	12.3%	9.5%	6.9%	5.0%
<b>Total (N)</b>	2,390	285	84	486	172	603	301	105	87	262

Note: Respondents could report multiple activities.

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### Sources relied on to get information about NC State

	College/School									
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Get info about NCSU: University website	59.4%	68.1%	69.0%	57.4%	61.0%	56.4%	63.8%	68.6%	43.7%	52.7%
Get info about NCSU: College or Department website	29.9%	37.2%	31.0%	20.4%	27.9%	33.5%	25.6%	41.0%	48.3%	26.3%
Get info about NCSU: Websites for non-academic units	8.2%	8.1%	7.1%	8.4%	9.3%	8.3%	8.6%	8.6%	2.3%	8.4%
Get info about NCSU: Alumni Association website	11.7%	12.3%	8.3%	11.9%	16.9%	8.8%	12.3%	18.1%	6.9%	13.0%
Get info about NCSU: GoPack.com	42.2%	44.9%	46.4%	34.4%	57.6%	40.6%	39.9%	45.7%	25.3%	52.7%
Get info about NCSU: NC State magazines	17.5%	24.9%	10.7%	14.4%	11.6%	19.4%	15.0%	14.3%	27.6%	16.8%
Get info about NCSU: Social Media	50.3%	50.9%	63.1%	54.9%	51.7%	38.3%	53.8%	51.4%	56.3%	56.9%
Get info about NCSU: Email	49.3%	48.8%	48.8%	50.4%	49.4%	45.4%	51.8%	45.7%	43.7%	57.3%
Get info about NCSU: Mailings	27.9%	29.8%	25.0%	30.0%	27.9%	22.6%	33.2%	30.5%	27.6%	28.6%
Get info about NCSU: Other	2.6%	2.1%	3.6%	3.5%	1.7%	3.2%	2.7%	0.0%	4.6%	1.1%
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### Member of Alumni Association

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<b>Yes - I am a current member</b>	15.6%	15.1%	14.3%	14.9%	15.3%	16.1%	11.4%	23.8%	11.5%	20.0%
<b>No - I have been a member in the past but am not currently a member</b>	16.5%	16.2%	7.1%	18.9%	21.2%	13.7%	17.7%	11.4%	12.6%	21.2%
<b>No - I have never been a member of the Alumni Association</b>	53.0%	56.0%	66.7%	50.6%	47.1%	56.2%	55.5%	47.6%	49.4%	46.2%
<b>Don't know</b>	14.9%	12.7%	11.9%	15.6%	16.5%	14.0%	15.4%	17.1%	26.4%	12.7%
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