

The Collaborative on Academic Careers in Higher Education
Tenure-Track Faculty Job Satisfaction Survey
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item	theme	question	response scale	Overall		Gender				Race / Ethnicity			
				Count	Valid %	Male		Female		White Faculty		Faculty of Color	
						Count	Valid %	Count	Valid %	Count	Valid %	Count	Valid %
1	UNC Custom	There is good communication between my department administration and junior faculty.	Strongly agree	64	47%	38	47%	26	48%	48	49%	16	42%
			Somewhat agree	41	30%	24	30%	17	31%	30	31%	11	29%
			Neither agree nor disagree	10	7%	8	10%	2	4%	6	6%	4	11%
			Somewhat disagree	17	13%	10	12%	7	13%	11	11%	6	16%
			Strongly disagree	3	2%	1	1%	2	4%	2	2%	1	3%
			Valid responses	135	100%	81	100%	54	100%	97	100%	38	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	14		6		8		10		4	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	
2	UNC Custom	My department does a good job resolving internal conflicts.	Strongly agree	41	33%	23	32%	18	34%	29	32%	12	35%
			Somewhat agree	36	29%	21	29%	15	28%	26	28%	10	29%
			Neither agree nor disagree	24	19%	14	19%	10	19%	16	17%	8	24%
			Somewhat disagree	18	14%	12	16%	6	11%	15	16%	3	9%
			Strongly disagree	7	6%	3	4%	4	8%	6	7%	1	3%
			Valid responses	126	100%	73	100%	53	100%	92	100%	34	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	23		14		9		15		8	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	
3	UNC Custom	My department values the contributions of faculty from historically underrepresented groups in the department (e.g., women or men, ethnic minority faculty).	Strongly agree	60	48%	35	47%	25	48%	46	50%	14	41%
			Somewhat agree	39	31%	25	34%	14	27%	29	32%	10	29%
			Neither agree nor disagree	13	10%	8	11%	5	10%	7	8%	6	18%
			Somewhat disagree	10	8%	4	5%	6	12%	7	8%	3	9%
			Strongly disagree	4	3%	2	3%	2	4%	3	3%	1	3%
			Valid responses	126	100%	74	100%	52	100%	92	100%	34	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	23		13		10		15		8	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	
4	UNC Custom	My department is supportive of family leave for faculty members in the department.	Strongly agree	38	39%	24	41%	14	36%	26	39%	12	39%
			Somewhat agree	34	35%	21	36%	13	33%	23	35%	11	35%
			Neither agree nor disagree	17	18%	10	17%	7	18%	11	17%	6	19%
			Somewhat disagree	6	6%	2	3%	4	10%	5	8%	1	3%
			Strongly disagree	2	2%	1	2%	1	3%	1	2%	1	3%
			Valid responses	97	100%	58	100%	39	100%	66	100%	31	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	52		29		23		41		11	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	

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5	UNC Custom	My department mentoring program is effective.	Strongly agree	19	25%	16	33%	3	12%	17	31%	2	10%
			Somewhat agree	36	48%	20	41%	16	62%	24	44%	12	60%
			Neither agree nor disagree	20	27%	13	27%	7	27%	14	25%	6	30%
			Somewhat disagree	22	29%	9	18%	13	50%	19	35%	3	15%
			Strongly disagree	21	28%	14	29%	7	27%	13	24%	8	40%
			Valid responses	75		49		26		55		20	
			Invalid or missing responses	74		38		36		52		22	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	
6	UNC Custom	The annual review process in my department is effective at providing information important to me for continual professional development.	Strongly agree	44	33%	28	35%	16	30%	29	30%	15	41%
			Somewhat agree	52	39%	31	39%	21	39%	40	42%	12	32%
			Neither agree nor disagree	11	8%	5	6%	6	11%	6	6%	5	14%
			Somewhat disagree	16	12%	7	9%	9	17%	14	15%	2	5%
			Strongly disagree	10	8%	8	10%	2	4%	7	7%	3	8%
			Valid responses	133	100%	79	100%	54	100%	96	100%	37	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	16		8		8		11		5	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	
7	UNC Custom	The standards by which I am evaluated are consistent with the demands placed by my department on my professional time.	Strongly agree	42	32%	31	38%	11	22%	29	31%	13	35%
			Somewhat agree	49	37%	28	35%	21	41%	35	37%	14	38%
			Neither agree nor disagree	17	13%	7	9%	10	20%	14	15%	3	8%
			Somewhat disagree	17	13%	11	14%	6	12%	12	13%	5	14%
			Strongly disagree	7	5%	4	5%	3	6%	5	5%	2	5%
			Valid responses	132	100%	81	100%	51	100%	95	100%	37	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	17		6		11		12		5	
			Total	149		87		62		107		42	
8	UNC Custom	The course-level student teaching evaluations at my institution provide a meaningful evaluation of my teaching performance.	Strongly agree	19	15%	14	19%	5	10%	10	11%	9	25%
			Somewhat agree	49	39%	31	42%	18	35%	41	46%	8	22%
			Neither agree nor disagree	27	21%	13	18%	14	27%	15	17%	12	33%
			Somewhat disagree	18	14%	9	12%	9	17%	14	16%	4	11%
			Strongly disagree	13	10%	7	9%	6	12%	10	11%	3	8%
			Valid responses	126	100%	74	100%	52	100%	90	100%	36	100%
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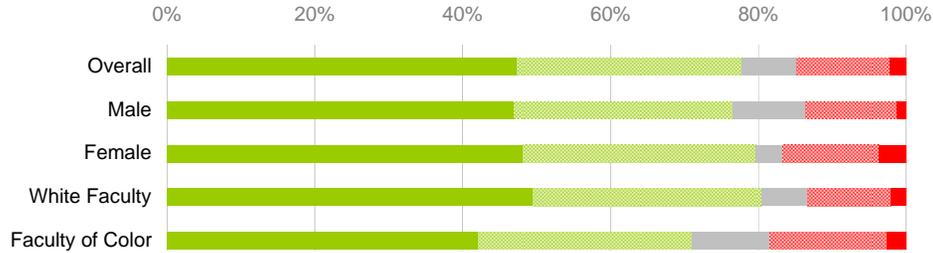
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9	UNC Custom	On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 equals “people who take leave (medical, disability or family) are resented by their colleagues” and 5 equals “colleagues recognize and support the need for leave,” where would you say your department colleagues fall?	5	54	51%	31	51%	23	51%	37	48%	17	59%
			4	28	26%	21	34%	7	16%	24	31%	4	14%
			3	19	18%	7	11%	12	27%	13	17%	6	21%
			2	2	2%	0	0%	2	4%	1	1%	1	3%
			1	3	3%	2	3%	1	2%	2	3%	1	3%
			Valid responses	106	100%	61	100%	45	100%	77	100%	29	100%
			Invalid or missing responses	43		26		17		30		13	
Total	149		87		62		107		42				
10	UNC Custom	On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 equals “straightforward research with ‘guaranteed’ results” and 5 equals “complex research with risk of failure,” what type of scholarship do you think is most likely to be recognized and rewarded in your department?	5	3	2%	3	4%	0	0%	1	1%	2	6%
			4	22	17%	14	19%	8	15%	16	18%	6	17%
			3	38	30%	20	27%	18	34%	27	30%	11	31%
			2	38	30%	27	37%	11	21%	30	33%	8	22%
			1	25	20%	9	12%	16	30%	16	18%	9	25%
			Valid responses	126	100%	73	100%	53	100%	90	100%	36	100%
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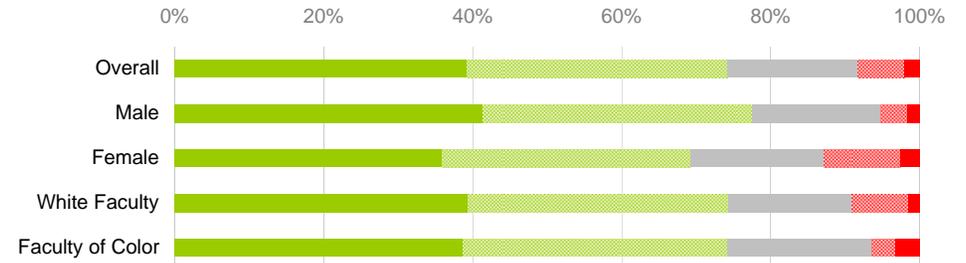
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 ■ Strongly disagree

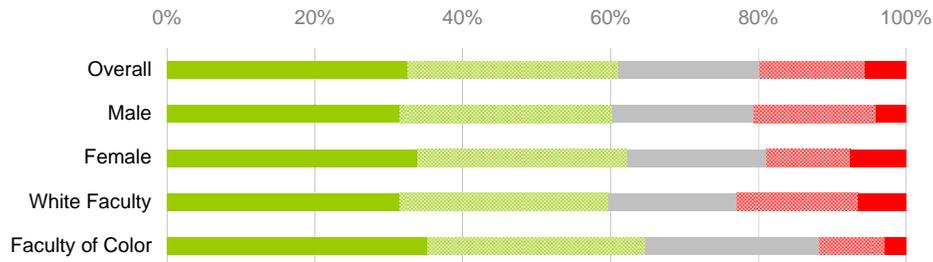
1. There is good communication between my department administration and junior faculty.



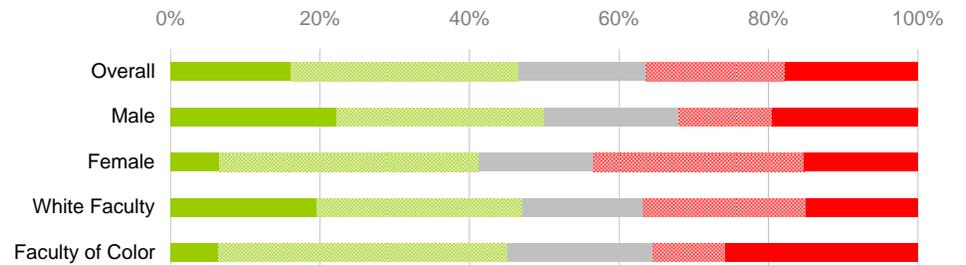
4. My department is supportive of family leave for faculty members in the department.



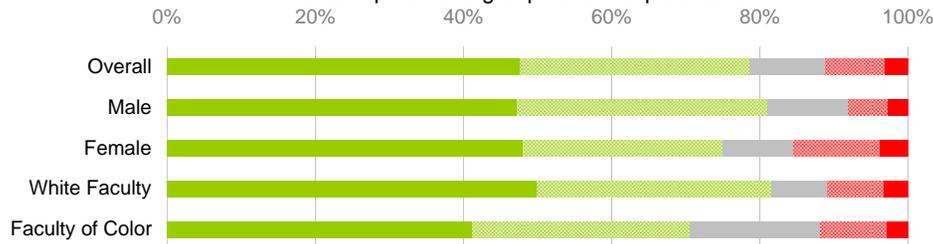
2. My department does a good job resolving internal conflicts.



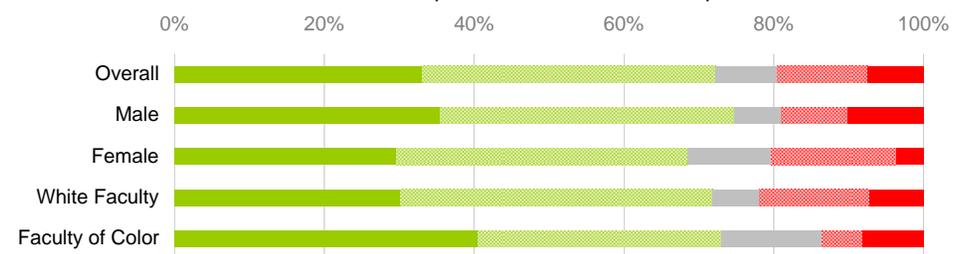
5. My department mentoring program is effective.



3. My department values the contributions of faculty from historically underrepresented groups in the department.



6. The annual review process in my department is effective at providing information important to me for continual prof. dev.



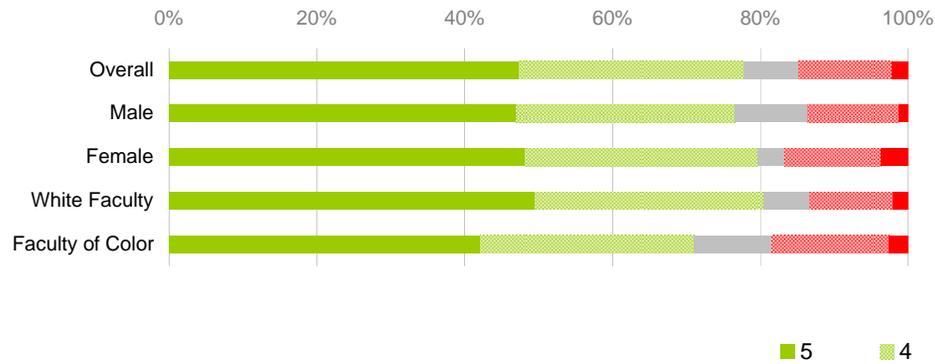
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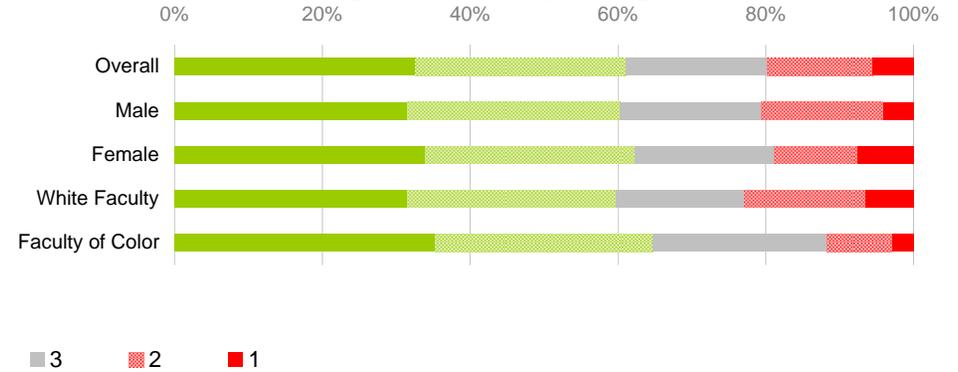
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Strongly agree Somewhat agree Neither agree nor disagree Somewhat disagree Strongly disagree

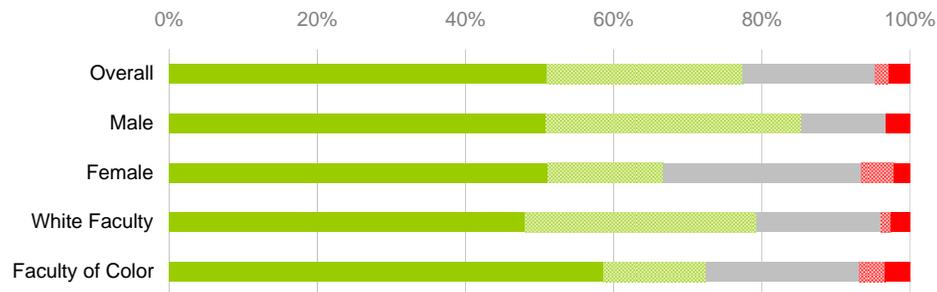
7. The standards by which I am evaluated are consistent with the demands placed by my department on my professional time.



8. The course-level student teaching evaluations at my institution provide a meaningful evaluation of my teaching performance.



9. On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 equals "people who take leave (medical, disability or family) are resented by their colleagues" and 5 equals "colleagues recognize and support the need for leave," where would you say your department colleagues fall?



10. On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 equals "straightforward research with 'guaranteed' results" and 5 equals "complex research with risk of failure," what type of scholarship do you think is most likely to be recognized and rewarded in your department?

