

**2017-2018 Graduating Senior Survey:
Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management**

INSTRUCTIONS:

The Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management is very interested in your opinions, and believes that as a graduating senior you can provide it with useful information to help evaluate and improve its program. We appreciate your taking the time to answer these questions.

Once you have answered all the questions, you must click on the **NEXT** button at the end of the form to submit your answers.

1. As you think back over the coursework you have had in Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management, how satisfied are you with the education you have gained overall in this program?

- Very satisfied
- Moderately satisfied
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- Moderately dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied
- No opinion

How frequently did you speak with your faculty advisor outside of the classroom environment about each of the following topics?

	More than once per semester	At least once per semester	At least once per academic year	Only once or twice since I've been here	Not at all
2. Required academic planning (registration, drop/add, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. Advice/discussion of academic matters (study habits, grades, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4. Career advising (choosing a career, planning a major, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5. Personal discussion or advice (roommates, finances, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

6. Did you start out at NC State as a PRT, SMT, or PGM major, or did you transfer in to that major?

- Started out as a PRT, SMT, or PGM major as a freshman at NC State
- Transferred into PRT, SMT, or PGM from another college or university
- Transferred into PRT, SMT, or PGM from another major at NC State or Exploratory Studies (FYC). (Please specify major): _____

7. What was the most important factor to you in deciding to major in PRT, SMT, or PGM?

- Preparation for a career I wanted (1)
- Classes seemed interesting (2)
- Another preferred major was not available (3)
- Other: (please briefly describe): _____

Our department has several educational goals and expectations for our undergraduate students. Please indicate the extent to which you feel you have attained each goal.

	A Great Deal	A Moderate Amount	A Fair Amount	A Little	Not at All
8. Expertise in writing professional papers and reports	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
9. Ability to function effectively as a member of a team	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
10. Ability to speak effectively in formal and informal situations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
11. Skills to plan, organize, and direct recreation/sport programs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
12. Skills to plan and manage parks and recreation facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
13. Ability to analyze and interpret survey results	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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14. Ability to identify, formulate, and solve problems	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
15. Understand professional and ethical responsibilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
16. Familiarity with various theories of recreation, play, and leisure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
17. Ability to engage in lifelong learning	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
18. Skills to assume leadership roles in your community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
19. My program included enough classroom presentations for me to gain good oral presentation skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
20. My program included enough written assignments and feedback for me to gain good report-writing skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
21. My program provided adequate knowledge of contemporary issues in Park, Recreation, Golf, Tourism, and Sport Management	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
22. My program included enough assignments that involved the use of technology for me to gain good computer and technical skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
23. My internship/co-op provided me with an excellent opportunity to gain hands-on experiences in my area of interest	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
24. Based on the quality of teaching and the education I received in my program, I would recommend my major to a friend	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

25. If you were beginning over, would you still choose to major in Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management, Sport Management, or Professional Golf Management?

- Yes
- Maybe
- No
- Don't know

Thank you for completing the Graduating Senior Survey for the Department of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management. **Please be sure to click on the 'Next' button to submit your responses.**

Depending on the major(s) in which you will be earning a degree from NC State in either December 2017 or May 2018, after clicking on the 'Next' button you might be directed to additional questions for your major(s). Your department very much appreciates your taking the time to answer these questions.