Faculty Survey of Student Engagement

FSSE 2008 Respondent Characteristics
University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

| Response rate | 35\% |  |  |  |
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| Number of invited faculty | 498 |  |  |  |
| Total number of respondents | 176 (68 Lower Division, 93 Upper Division, 10 Other, 5 Missing course level) |  |  |  |
|  | Lower Division | Upper Division | Other | Total |
| Discipline of appointment |  |  |  |  |
| Arts and humanities | 34\% | 17\% | 25\% | 25\% |
| Biological science | 7\% | 9\% | 13\% | 8\% |
| Business | 2\% | 19\% | 0\% | 11\% |
| Education | 10\% | 16\% | 25\% | 14\% |
| Engineering | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% |
| Physical science | 13\% | 6\% | 13\% | 9\% |
| Professional | 3\% | 2\% | 13\% | 3\% |
| Social science | 28\% | 15\% | 13\% | 20\% |
| Other | 3\% | 16\% | 0\% | 10\% |
| Rank |  |  |  |  |
| Professor | 18\% | 26\% | 0\% | 22\% |
| Associate Professor | 18\% | 29\% | 60\% | 27\% |
| Assistant Professor | 23\% | 23\% | 10\% | 22\% |
| Instructor | 12\% | 5\% | 10\% | 8\% |
| Lecturer | 26\% | 17\% | 10\% | 20\% |
| Graduate Teaching Assistant | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% |
| Other | 2\% | 0\% | 10\% | 1\% |
| Tenure status |  |  |  |  |
| Tenured | 39\% | 53\% | 60\% | 48\% |
| On tenure track but not tenured | 25\% | 25\% | 10\% | 24\% |
| Not on tenure track | 34\% | 22\% | 30\% | 28\% |
| No tenure system | 2\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Highest degree earned |  |  |  |  |
| First professional degree | 0\% | 2\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Doctoral degree | 66\% | 78\% | 60\% | 72\% |
| Master's degree | 26\% | 19\% | 40\% | 23\% |
| Bachelor's degree | 2\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Associate's degree | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% |
| Other | 6\% | 1\% | 0\% | 3\% |
| Full-time/Part Time |  |  |  |  |
| Full-time | 87\% | 88\% | 70\% | 87\% |
| Part-time | 13\% | 12\% | 30\% | 13\% |

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|  | Lower <br> Division | Upper Division | Other | Total |
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| Number of courses taught 07-08 ${ }^{1}$ |  |  |  |  |
| None | 0\% | 0\% | 22\% | 1\% |
| 1-3 | 15\% | 14\% | 22\% | 15\% |
| 4-6 | 26\% | 44\% | 44\% | 37\% |
| 7 or more | 60\% | 42\% | 11\% | 47\% |
| Years of teaching experience |  |  |  |  |
| 4 or less | 11\% | 19\% | 11\% | 15\% |
| 5-9 | 25\% | 15\% | 22\% | 20\% |
| 10-14 | 22\% | 18\% | 0\% | 18\% |
| 15 or more | 43\% | 47\% | 67\% | 47\% |
| Age |  |  |  |  |
| 34 or younger | 10\% | 5\% | 10\% | 7\% |
| 35-44 | 35\% | 29\% | 10\% | 30\% |
| 45-54 | 29\% | 33\% | 20\% | 30\% |
| Older than 54 | 27\% | 33\% | 60\% | 32\% |
| Gender |  |  |  |  |
| Male | 45\% | 60\% | 40\% | 53\% |
| Female | 55\% | 40\% | 60\% | 47\% |
| Race / Ethnicity |  |  |  |  |
| American Indian/ Native Amer. | 0\% | 1\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Asian/ Asian Amer./ Pacific Isl. | 3\% | 9\% | 0\% | 6\% |
| Black or African American | 3\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| White (non-Hispanic) | 78\% | 71\% | 70\% | 74\% |
| Mexican or Mexican American | 5\% | 1\% | 0\% | 3\% |
| Puerto Rican | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% |
| Other Hispanic or Latino | 0\% | 2\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Multiracial | 0\% | 2\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Other | 2\% | 0\% | 0\% | 1\% |
| Prefer not to respond | 9\% | 13\% | 30\% | 13\% |
| Citizenship status |  |  |  |  |
| U.S. citizen, native | 83\% | 84\% | 100\% | 85\% |
| U.S. citizen, naturalized | 11\% | 7\% | 0\% | 8\% |
| Permanent resident of the U.S. | 6\% | 6\% | 0\% | 6\% |
| Temporary resident of the U.S. | 0\% | 2\% | 0\% | 1\% |

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[^0]:    1: Includes 2007-2008 undergraduate and graduate courses, taught or scheduled, as reported by faculty respondents.

