Framingham State University
Sociology - Undergraduate Student Exit Survey: Longitudinal Results Summary

| Survey Questions | ```University-Wide 2020 Population:824 Sample:181 Response rate:22%``` | Sociology 2020 <br> Population:33 Sample: 7 <br> Response rate:21\% | ```University-Wide 2021 Population:781 Sample:183 Response rate:23%``` | Sociology 2021 <br> Population:30 Sample:10 <br> Response rate:33\% |
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| How satisfied are you with your overall experience at Framingham State University?* | 90\% | 71\% | 87\% | 70\% |
| Within the Major |  |  |  |  |
| How satisfied were you with your overall experience within your major* | 91\% | 86\% | 89\% | 80\% |
| Availability of faculty * | 94\% | 100\% | 93\% | 80\% |
| Quality of teaching* | 93\% | 100\% | 88\% | 80\% |
| Academic advising* | 81\% | 86\% | 81\% | 70\% |
| Availability of classes* | 78\% | 57\% | 79\% | 80\% |
| Faculty concern for your academic progress* | 89\% | 100\% | 88\% | 70\% |
| Writing preparation * | 95\% | 100\% | 93\% | 90\% |
| Connections between your major and General Education courses* | 75\% | 86\% | 77\% | 70\% |
| Career preparation and guidance from advisors and faculty* | 78\% | 86\% | 74\% | 60\% |
| Academic and Co-Curricular Activities |  |  |  |  |
| Participated in FSU First-Year Foundations Program | 43\% Yes | 71\% Yes | 34\% Yes | 30\% Yes |
| Participated in a capstone, senior seminar, or thesis | 54\% Yes | 29\% Yes | 46\% Yes | 50\% Yes |
| Practicum/Field Experience | 28\% Yes | 29\% Yes | 15\% Yes | 20\% Yes |
| Licensure Exam | 16\% Yes | 14\% Yes | 5\% Yes | 0\% Yes |
| Participated in an internship | 41\% Yes | 86\% Yes | 28\% Yes | 50\% Yes |
| Worked on a research project | 52\% Yes | 86\% Yes | 42\% Yes | 60\% Yes |
| Participated in community service or volunteer work | 23\% Yes | 14\% Yes | 19\% Yes | 30\% Yes |
| Studied abroad | 11\% Yes | 0\% Yes | 8\% Yes | 20\% Yes |
| Student clubs or organizations | 48\% Yes | 43\% Yes | 37\% Yes | 30\% Yes |
| Intercollegiate/Intramural/Club sports | 16\% Yes | 29\% Yes | 16\% Yes | 20\% Yes |
| Support Utilization at FSU |  |  |  |  |
| Center for Academic Success and Achievement | 59\% Yes | 57\% Yes | 53\% Yes | 50\% Yes |
| Career Services and Employer Relations | 43\% Yes | 43\% Yes | 34\% Yes | 40\% Yes |
| Counseling Center | 28\% Yes | 43\% Yes | 26\% Yes | 40\% Yes |
| Health Center | 44\% Yes | 43\% Yes | 43\% Yes | 60\% Yes |


| Future Plans |  |  |  |  |
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| If you plan to pursue another degree what is the type of degree you will be seeking? | 82\% Master's Degree | 90\% Master's Degree | 72\% Master's Degree | 57\% Master's Degree |
| Top Two Influencing Factors to Attend FSU |  |  |  |  |
| What factors had a significant influence on your decision to attend FSU?** | 65\% Affordability 51\% Proximity to home | 71\% Affordability 54\% Proximity to home | 65\% Affordability 64\% Proximity to home | 60\% Affordability and Proximity to home $50 \%$ Size of the school |
| Demographics/Campus Residency |  |  |  |  |
| First-generation college student? | 36\% Yes | 50\% Yes | 37\% Yes | 30\% Yes |
| Did you live on campus at FSU? | 62\% Yes | 75\% Yes | 46\% Yes | 50\% Yes |
| Did you transfer to FSU? | 36\% Yes | 26\% Yes | 49\% Yes | 50\% Yes |
| What is your racial background? | 68.6\% ( $n=378$ ) White <br> 14.0\% ( $n=77$ ) Hispanic 10.9\% ( $\mathrm{n}=60$ ) Black/African American <br> 2.7\% ( $n=15$ ) Two or more races <br> 2.5\% ( $n=14$ ) Asian <br> $0.7 \%(n=4)$ Cape Verdean $0.4 \%(n=2)$ American Indian/Alaskan Native $0.2 \%(n=1)$ Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander | $\begin{gathered} \text { 66.7\% ( } n=16 \text { ) White } \\ 20.8 \%(n=5) \end{gathered}$ <br> Black/African American 12.5\% ( $n=3$ ) Hispanic | 66.9\% ( $n=121$ ) White 15.5\% ( $n=28$ ) Hispanic 10.5\% ( $n=19$ ) Black/ African American 4.4\% ( $n=8$ ) Asian 2.8\% ( $n=5$ ) Two or more races 0.0\% ( $n=0$ ) Cape Verdean $0.0 \%$ ( $n=0$ ) Native Hawaiian/ Other Pacific Islander | 60.0\% ( $n=6$ ) White 20.0\% ( $n=2$ ) Hispanic 20.0\% ( $n=2$ ) Black/African American |
| Do you identify as transgender? | 0.4\% Yes | 0.0\% Yes | 1.1\% Yes | 0.0\% Yes |
| To which gender identity do you most identify? | 65.2\% ( $n=361$ ) Female 34.3\% ( $n=190$ ) Male $0.4 \%$ ( $n=2$ ) Non-binary/third gender 0.2\% ( $n=1$ ) Prefer Not to Answer | 95.8\% ( $n=23$ ) Female <br> 4.2\% (n=1) Male | $68.1 \%(n=124)$ Female 28.6\% ( $\mathrm{n}=52$ ) Male 2.8\% ( $n=5$ ) Non-binary/ third gender $0.6 \%(n=1)$ Prefer Not to Answer | 80.0\% ( $n=8$ ) Female 10.0\% ( $n=1$ ) Male 10.0\% ( $n=1$ ) Non-binary/ third gender |

* Combination of satisfied and very satisfied
**Percent of Cases (Number of times the factor was selected divided by the sample size)

