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		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	istrator	Staff	
Institutional Structure	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
1 the actions of this institution reflect	Very dissatisfied	6	2%	3	3%	1	1%	2	2%
its mission	Dissatisfied	56	17%	31	26%	9	10%	10	11%
	Neither	55	17%	19	16%	14	15%	16	17%
	Satisfied	146	44%	41	35%	52	56%	40	43%
	Very satisfied	69	21%	24	20%	17	18%	24	26%
	Total	332	100%	118	100%	93	100%	92	100%
4 decisions are made at the appropriate	Very dissatisfied	22	7%	10	9%	4	4%	7	8%
level at this institution	Dissatisfied	65	20%	33	28%	19	20%	8	9%
	Neither	83	25%	22	19%	25	27%	27	30%
	Satisfied	103	31%	31	27%	30	32%	33	36%
	Very satisfied	56	17%	20	17%	15	16%	16	18%
	Total	329	100%	116	100%	93	100%	91	100%
5 the institution effectively promotes	Very dissatisfied	11	3%	5	4%	4	4%	1	1%
diversity in the workplace	Dissatisfied	39	12%	22	19%	6	6%	7	8%
	Neither	70	21%	25	21%	22	24%	17	19%
	Satisfied	108	33%	34	29%	30	32%	37	41%
	Very satisfied	103	31%	32	27%	31	33%	28	31%
	Total	331	100%	118	100%	93	100%	90	100%
6 administrative leadership is focused	Very dissatisfied	22	7%	14	12%	3	3%	4	4%
on meeting the needs of students	Dissatisfied	40	12%	21	18%	11	12%	7	8%
	Neither	52	16%	17	14%	17	18%	13	14%
	Satisfied	124	37%	33	28%	38	41%	40	44%
	Very satisfied	93	28%	34	29%	23	25%	26	29%
	Total	331	100%	119	100%	92	100%	90	100%

Table 1. Institutional Structure Frequencies by Personnel Classification

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Administrator		Staff	
Institutional Structure (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
10 information is shared within the	Very dissatisfied	29	9%	12	10%	6	6%	10	11%
institution	Dissatisfied	49	15%	20	17%	13	14%	12	13%
	Neither	63	19%	29	24%	14	15%	16	17%
	Satisfied	117	35%	34	29%	39	42%	32	35%
	Very satisfied	76	23%	24	20%	21	23%	22	24%
	Total	334	100%	119	100%	93	100%	92	100%
11 institutional teams use problem-	Very dissatisfied	13	4%	10	10%	2	2%	1	1%
solving techniques	Dissatisfied	40	14%	18	18%	9	10%	9	11%
	Neither	99	34%	36	35%	30	33%	26	31%
	Satisfied	102	35%	27	26%	37	41%	35	41%
	Very satisfied	40	14%	11	11%	12	13%	14	16%
	Total	294	100%	102	100%	90	100%	85	100%
15 I am able to appropriately influence	Very dissatisfied	45	15%	25	22%	6	7%	13	15%
the direction of this institution	Dissatisfied	47	15%	21	18%	11	12%	12	14%
	Neither	84	27%	23	20%	25	28%	33	38%
	Satisfied	85	28%	30	26%	31	35%	17	20%
	Very satisfied	48	16%	15	13%	16	18%	12	14%
	Total	309	100%	114	100%	89	100%	87	100%
16 open and ethical communication is	Very dissatisfied	34	10%	20	17%	6	7%	7	8%
practiced at this institution	Dissatisfied	41	13%	25	21%	4	4%	9	10%
	Neither	63	19%	21	18%	21	23%	16	17%
	Satisfied	117	36%	33	28%	39	42%	39	42%
	Very satisfied	69	21%	19	16%	22	24%	22	24%
	Total	324	100%	118	100%	92	100%	93	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	Administrator		taff
Institutional Structure (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
22 this institution has been successful	Very dissatisfied	43	13%	23	19%	10	11%	9	10%
in positively motivating my	Dissatisfied	50	16%	21	18%	12	13%	15	16%
performance	Neither	71	22%	24	20%	20	22%	22	24%
	Satisfied	89	28%	29	24%	31	34%	23	25%
	Very satisfied	67	21%	22	18%	19	21%	23	25%
	Total	320	100%	119	100%	92	100%	92	100%
25 a spirit of cooperation exists at this	Very dissatisfied	23	7%	12	10%	4	4%	7	8%
institution	Dissatisfied	45	14%	22	19%	9	10%	11	12%
	Neither	69	22%	27	23%	22	24%	16	17%
	Satisfied	114	36%	34	29%	39	42%	34	37%
	Very satisfied	69	22%	23	19%	18	20%	24	26%
	Total	320	100%	118	100%	92	100%	92	100%
29 institution-wide policies guide my	Very dissatisfied	11	4%	8	7%	1	1%	2	2%
work	Dissatisfied	11	4%	6	5%	4	4%	1	1%
	Neither	84	27%	30	26%	26	28%	23	26%
	Satisfied	128	41%	43	37%	36	39%	42	47%
	Very satisfied	80	25%	28	24%	26	28%	21	24%
	Total	314	100%	115	100%	93	100%	89	100%
32 this institution is appropriately	Very dissatisfied	33	11%	18	15%	5	5%	10	11%
organized	Dissatisfied	64	21%	24	21%	19	21%	18	20%
	Neither	84	27%	29	25%	29	32%	21	23%
	Satisfied	92	29%	30	26%	30	33%	29	32%
	Very satisfied	39	13%	16	14%	9	10%	13	14%
	Total	312	100%	117	100%	92	100%	91	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	istrator	St	taff
Institutional Structure (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
38 I have the opportunity for	Very dissatisfied	49	17%	18	17%	16	18%	14	16%
advancement within this institution	Dissatisfied	51	18%	16	15%	18	21%	14	16%
	Neither	83	29%	32	30%	24	28%	24	28%
	Satisfied	63	22%	23	21%	19	22%	20	23%
	Very satisfied	44	15%	18	17%	10	11%	15	17%
	Total	290	100%	107	100%	87	100%	87	100%
41 I receive adequate information	Very dissatisfied	15	5%	6	5%	5	5%	4	4%
regarding important activities at this	Dissatisfied	31	10%	12	10%	8	9%	10	11%
institution	Neither	51	16%	21	18%	12	13%	16	17%
	Satisfied	135	43%	50	42%	42	45%	38	41%
	Very satisfied	82	26%	30	25%	26	28%	24	26%
	Total	314	100%	119	100%	93	100%	92	100%
44 administrative processes are clearly	Very dissatisfied	33	11%	20	17%	6	6%	7	8%
defined	Dissatisfied	64	20%	27	23%	18	19%	18	20%
	Neither	79	25%	27	23%	23	25%	24	26%
	Satisfied	97	31%	31	26%	34	37%	28	30%
	Very satisfied	40	13%	13	11%	12	13%	15	16%
	Total	313	100%	118	100%	93	100%	92	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	istrator	S	aff
Student Focus	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
7 student needs are central to what we	Very dissatisfied	11	3%	9	8%	1	1%	1	1%
do	Dissatisfied	29	9%	15	13%	8	9%	4	4%
	Neither	50	15%	17	14%	14	15%	13	14%
	Satisfied	121	36%	35	29%	43	46%	37	41%
	Very satisfied	122	37%	43	36%	27	29%	36	40%
	Total	333	100%	119	100%	93	100%	91	100%
8 I feel my job is relevant to this	Very dissatisfied	2	1%	1	1%	0	0%	1	1%
institution's mission	Dissatisfied	9	3%	4	3%	2	2%	3	3%
	Neither	24	7%	13	11%	3	3%	6	7%
	Satisfied	88	27%	24	20%	27	29%	29	32%
	Very satisfied	208	63%	77	65%	60	65%	51	57%
	Total	331	100%	119	100%	92	100%	90	100%
17 faculty meet the needs of students	Very dissatisfied	6	2%	1	1%	2	2%	3	4%
	Dissatisfied	22	7%	7	6%	10	12%	4	5%
	Neither	71	24%	12	10%	31	38%	22	28%
	Satisfied	129	43%	57	48%	30	37%	33	42%
	Very satisfied	71	24%	41	35%	9	11%	17	22%
	Total	299	100%	118	100%	82	100%	79	100%
18 student diversity is important at this	Very dissatisfied	3	1%	2	2%	1	1%	0	0%
institution	Dissatisfied	15	5%	10	9%	2	2%	3	3%
	Neither	36	11%	11	9%	14	15%	7	8%
	Satisfied	117	36%	37	32%	40	43%	33	36%
	Very satisfied	153	47%	57	49%	36	39%	49	53%
	Total	324	100%	117	100%	93	100%	92	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admir	nistrator	Staff	
Student Focus (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
19 students' competencies are enhanced	Very dissatisfied	8	3%	6	5%	1	1%	1	1%
	Dissatisfied	17	6%	7	6%	4	5%	4	5%
	Neither	67	23%	22	19%	21	25%	18	24%
	Satisfied	135	46%	52	45%	42	50%	35	46%
	Very satisfied	68	23%	29	25%	16	19%	18	24%
	Total	295	100%	116	100%	84	100%	76	100%
23 non-teaching professional personnel	Very dissatisfied	4	1%	3	3%	0	0%	1	1%
meet the needs of students	Dissatisfied	9	3%	6	5%	2	2%	1	1%
	Neither	63	20%	23	21%	17	18%	17	19%
	Satisfied	140	45%	52	46%	43	47%	41	46%
	Very satisfied	94	30%	28	25%	30	33%	30	33%
	Total	310	100%	112	100%	92	100%	90	100%
28 classified personnel meet the needs	Very dissatisfied	3	1%	3	3%	0	0%	0	0%
of students	Dissatisfied	5	2%	2	2%	1	1%	2	2%
	Neither	57	19%	19	18%	20	22%	13	15%
	Satisfied	133	44%	48	44%	44	49%	36	40%
	Very satisfied	104	34%	36	33%	25	28%	38	43%
	Total	302	100%	108	100%	90	100%	89	100%
31 students receive an excellent	Very dissatisfied	4	1%	3	3%	0	0%	1	1%
education at this institution	Dissatisfied	18	6%	9	8%	4	5%	3	4%
	Neither	62	21%	18	15%	21	25%	20	24%
	Satisfied	136	45%	56	47%	41	48%	35	42%
	Very satisfied	79	26%	33	28%	19	22%	24	29%
	Total	299	100%	119	100%	85	100%	83	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	nistrator	Staff	
Student Focus (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
35 this institution prepares students for	Very dissatisfied	5	2%	3	3%	0	0%	2	2%
a career	Dissatisfied	20	7%	10	8%	7	8%	3	4%
	Neither	58	19%	17	14%	23	27%	14	17%
	Satisfied	143	48%	54	46%	41	48%	44	52%
	Very satisfied	72	24%	34	29%	15	17%	21	25%
	Total	298	100%	118	100%	86	100%	84	100%
37 this institution prepares students for	Very dissatisfied	7	2%	5	4%	1	1%	1	1%
further learning	Dissatisfied	13	4%	8	7%	2	2%	2	2%
	Neither	54	18%	15	13%	20	23%	15	18%
	Satisfied	148	49%	57	48%	46	53%	42	49%
	Very satisfied	79	26%	33	28%	18	21%	25	29%
	Total	301	100%	118	100%	87	100%	85	100%
40 students are assisted with their	Very dissatisfied	6	2%	1	1%	2	2%	3	4%
personal development	Dissatisfied	15	5%	9	8%	2	2%	3	4%
	Neither	67	23%	24	21%	22	25%	18	23%
	Satisfied	138	47%	52	45%	46	53%	37	47%
	Very satisfied	66	23%	30	26%	15	17%	18	23%
	Total	292	100%	116	100%	87	100%	79	100%
42 students are satisfied with their	Very dissatisfied	3	1%	0	0%	1	1%	2	3%
educational experience at this	Dissatisfied	17	6%	9	8%	3	4%	3	4%
institution	Neither	85	31%	31	27%	27	34%	25	35%
	Satisfied	135	49%	60	52%	41	52%	30	42%
	Very satisfied	33	12%	15	13%	7	9%	11	15%
	Total	273	100%	115	100%	79	100%	71	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	nistrator	Staff	
Supervisory Relationships	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
2 my supervisor/chair expresses	Very dissatisfied	13	4%	7	6%	2	2%	4	4%
confidence in my work	Dissatisfied	15	5%	7	6%	1	1%	7	8%
	Neither	19	6%	9	8%	6	7%	3	3%
	Satisfied	85	26%	29	25%	23	25%	23	25%
	Very satisfied	199	60%	66	56%	60	65%	54	59%
	Total	331	100%	118	100%	92	100%	91	100%
9 my supervisor/chair is open to the	Very dissatisfied	18	5%	10	8%	3	3%	5	5%
ideas, opinions, and beliefs of everyone	Dissatisfied	19	6%	7	6%	3	3%	6	7%
	Neither	16	5%	7	6%	3	3%	4	4%
	Satisfied	85	26%	31	26%	26	28%	24	26%
	Very satisfied	193	58%	63	53%	57	62%	53	58%
	Total	331	100%	118	100%	92	100%	92	100%
12 positive work expectations are	Very dissatisfied	15	5%	7	6%	3	3%	5	5%
communicated to me	Dissatisfied	30	9%	13	11%	7	8%	7	8%
	Neither	59	18%	26	22%	17	18%	12	13%
	Satisfied	124	38%	47	40%	33	35%	38	41%
	Very satisfied	97	30%	24	21%	33	35%	31	33%
	Total	325	100%	117	100%	93	100%	93	100%
13 unacceptable behaviors are	Very dissatisfied	12	4%	6	6%	4	5%	2	2%
identified and communicated to me	Dissatisfied	24	9%	10	10%	4	5%	6	7%
	Neither	68	24%	31	31%	21	26%	13	16%
	Satisfied	111	40%	38	38%	31	38%	38	47%
	Very satisfied	65	23%	15	15%	21	26%	22	27%
	Total	280	100%	100	100%	81	100%	81	100%

Table 3. Supervisory Relationships Frequencies by Personnel Classification

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admir	nistrator	Staff	
Supervisory Relationships (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
20 I receive timely feedback for my	Very dissatisfied	25	8%	11	10%	6	7%	7	8%
work	Dissatisfied	25	8%	9	8%	5	5%	9	10%
	Neither	59	18%	24	21%	17	19%	14	15%
	Satisfied	106	33%	41	36%	25	27%	33	35%
	Very satisfied	105	33%	29	25%	38	42%	30	32%
	Total	320	100%	114	100%	91	100%	93	100%
21 I receive appropriate feedback for	Very dissatisfied	23	7%	10	9%	7	8%	5	5%
my work	Dissatisfied	29	9%	10	9%	4	4%	14	15%
	Neither	48	15%	21	18%	14	15%	9	10%
	Satisfied	115	36%	47	41%	27	29%	34	37%
	Very satisfied	102	32%	27	23%	41	44%	29	32%
	Total	317	100%	115	100%	93	100%	91	100%
26 my supervisor/chair actively seeks	Very dissatisfied	20	6%	12	10%	2	2%	6	7%
my ideas	Dissatisfied	22	7%	8	7%	5	5%	7	8%
	Neither	40	13%	19	16%	7	8%	11	12%
	Satisfied	91	28%	27	23%	35	38%	25	27%
	Very satisfied	147	46%	53	45%	43	47%	42	46%
	Total	320	100%	119	100%	92	100%	91	100%
27 my supervisor/chair seriously	Very dissatisfied	17	5%	9	8%	2	2%	6	7%
considers my ideas	Dissatisfied	20	6%	8	7%	4	4%	6	7%
	Neither	38	12%	17	14%	10	11%	8	9%
	Satisfied	90	28%	29	25%	27	29%	30	33%
	Very satisfied	153	48%	55	47%	49	53%	41	45%
	Total	318	100%	118	100%	92	100%	91	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admir	nistrator	Staff	
Supervisory Relationships (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
30 work outcomes are clarified for me	Very dissatisfied	17	5%	9	8%	4	4%	4	4%
	Dissatisfied	23	7%	9	8%	6	7%	8	9%
	Neither	58	18%	25	22%	14	15%	14	15%
	Satisfied	139	44%	49	42%	42	46%	40	43%
	Very satisfied	82	26%	24	21%	26	28%	27	29%
	Total	319	100%	116	100%	92	100%	93	100%
34 my supervisor/chair helps me to	Very dissatisfied	24	8%	12	10%	5	5%	6	7%
improve my work	Dissatisfied	15	5%	6	5%	4	4%	5	5%
	Neither	53	17%	23	20%	12	13%	15	16%
	Satisfied	88	28%	28	24%	27	30%	29	32%
	Very satisfied	129	42%	46	40%	43	47%	37	40%
	Total	309	100%	115	100%	91	100%	92	100%
39 I am given the opportunity to be	Very dissatisfied	13	4%	1	1%	6	6%	6	7%
creative in my work	Dissatisfied	20	6%	8	7%	4	4%	7	8%
	Neither	33	10%	13	11%	8	9%	12	13%
	Satisfied	112	36%	43	36%	33	35%	31	34%
	Very satisfied	137	43%	54	45%	42	45%	36	39%
	Total	315	100%	119	100%	93	100%	92	100%
45 I have the opportunity to express	Very dissatisfied	23	7%	13	11%	4	4%	6	7%
my ideas in appropriate forums	Dissatisfied	26	8%	13	11%	5	5%	7	8%
	Neither	55	18%	20	17%	13	14%	18	20%
	Satisfied	120	39%	44	38%	45	48%	29	32%
	Very satisfied	87	28%	27	23%	26	28%	31	34%
	Total	311	100%	117	100%	93	100%	91	100%

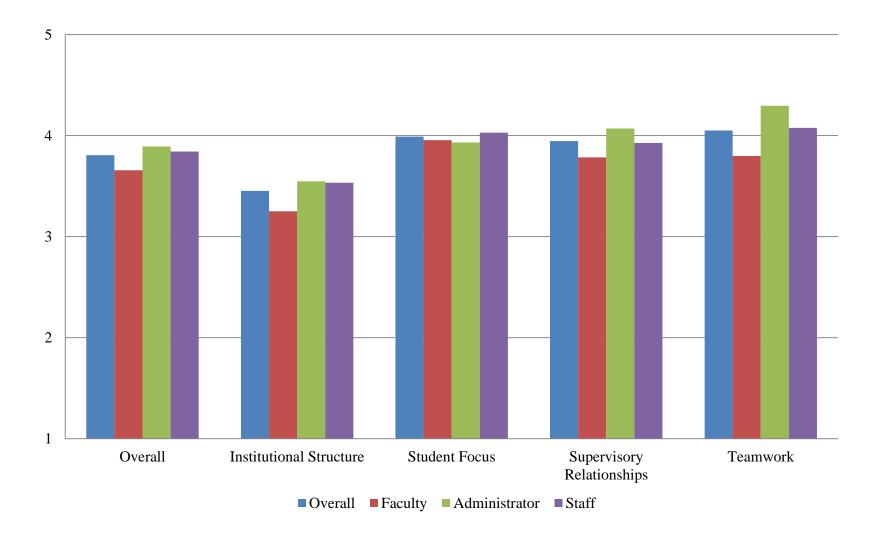
		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Administrator		or Staff	
Supervisory Relationships (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
46 professional development and	Very dissatisfied	12	4%	6	5%	2	2%	4	4%
training opportunities are available	Dissatisfied	32	10%	14	12%	9	10%	9	10%
	Neither	61	20%	24	21%	15	16%	19	21%
	Satisfied	121	39%	40	34%	44	48%	34	37%
	Very satisfied	83	27%	33	28%	22	24%	25	27%
	Total	309	100%	117	100%	92	100%	91	100%

		Ov	erall	Fac	culty	Admin	istrator	S	taff
Teamwork	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
3 there is a spirit of cooperation within	Very dissatisfied	14	4%	7	6%	1	1%	5	5%
my work team	Dissatisfied	25	8%	10	8%	6	7%	6	7%
	Neither	32	10%	16	14%	6	7%	6	7%
	Satisfied	106	32%	37	31%	28	31%	33	36%
	Very satisfied	154	47%	48	41%	50	55%	42	46%
	Total	331	100%	118	100%	91	100%	92	100%
14 my primary work team uses	Very dissatisfied	7	2%	4	4%	2	2%	1	1%
problem-solving techniques	Dissatisfied	16	5%	9	8%	3	3%	3	3%
	Neither	37	12%	13	12%	10	11%	11	12%
	Satisfied	125	40%	53	49%	30	33%	35	38%
	Very satisfied	128	41%	29	27%	46	51%	43	46%
	Total	313	100%	108	100%	91	100%	93	100%
24 there is an opportunity for all ideas	Very dissatisfied	14	4%	11	10%	0	0%	3	3%
to be exchanged within my work	Dissatisfied	24	8%	14	12%	4	4%	6	7%
team	Neither	35	11%	18	16%	5	5%	10	11%
	Satisfied	122	39%	37	32%	41	45%	37	40%
	Very satisfied	119	38%	34	30%	41	45%	36	39%
	Total	314	100%	114	100%	91	100%	92	100%
33 my work team provides an	Very dissatisfied	23	7%	16	14%	2	2%	5	5%
environment for free and open	Dissatisfied	15	5%	7	6%	3	3%	5	5%
expression of ideas, opinions and	Neither	32	10%	14	12%	6	7%	11	12%
beliefs	Satisfied	115	37%	41	36%	40	43%	27	29%
	Very satisfied	125	40%	37	32%	41	45%	44	48%
	Total	310	100%	115	100%	92	100%	92	100%

Table 4. Teamwork Frequencies by Personnel Classification

		Overall		Faculty		Administrator		Staff	
Teamwork (continued)	Response Option	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
The extent to which									
36 my work team coordinates its efforts	Very dissatisfied	8	3%	6	5%	1	1%	1	1%
with appropriate individuals and	Dissatisfied	15	5%	6	5%	1	1%	8	9%
teams	Neither	39	13%	18	16%	11	12%	8	9%
	Satisfied	134	44%	46	41%	37	41%	44	48%
	Very satisfied	111	36%	37	33%	41	45%	31	34%
	Total	307	100%	113	100%	91	100%	92	100%
43 a spirit of cooperation exists in my	Very dissatisfied	19	6%	10	8%	1	1%	8	9%
department	Dissatisfied	24	8%	12	10%	5	5%	7	8%
	Neither	29	9%	11	9%	7	8%	7	8%
	Satisfied	99	32%	36	31%	29	32%	31	34%
	Very satisfied	140	45%	49	42%	50	54%	39	42%
	Total	311	100%	118	100%	92	100%	92	100%

Figure 1. Means by Personnel Classification and Climate Factor



	Overall	Faculty		Admin	nistrator	Staff	
Climate Factor	Mean	Ν	Mean	Ν	Mean	Ν	Mean
Overall	3.807	119	3.657	93	3.892	93	3.842
Institutional Structure	3.453	119	3.251	93	3.548	93	3.533
Student Focus	3.990	119	3.955	93	3.932	93	4.030
Supervisory Relationships	3.946	119	3.785	93	4.070	93	3.927
Teamwork	4.051	119	3.799	92	4.295	93	4.076

Table 5. Climate Factor Means by Personnel Classification

		Overall		Faculty	Administrator	Staff
	Institutional Structure	Ν	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean
The	extent to which					
1	the actions of this institution reflect its mission	332	3.651	3.441	3.806	3.804
4	decisions are made at the appropriate level at this institution	329	3.322	3.155	3.355	3.473
5	the institution effectively promotes diversity in the workplace	331	3.764	3.559	3.839	3.933
6	administrative leadership is focused on meeting the needs of students	331	3.683	3.437	3.728	3.856
10	information is shared within the institution	334	3.485	3.319	3.602	3.478
11	institutional teams use problem-solving techniques	294	3.395	3.108	3.533	3.612
15	I am able to appropriately influence the direction of this institution	309	3.142	2.904	3.449	3.034
16	open and ethical communication is practiced at this institution	324	3.451	3.051	3.728	3.645
22	this institution has been successful in positively motivating my performance	320	3.272	3.050	3.402	3.391
25	a spirit of cooperation exists at this institution	320	3.503	3.288	3.630	3.620
29	institution-wide policies guide my work	314	3.812	3.670	3.882	3.888
32	this institution is appropriately organized	312	3.128	3.017	3.207	3.187
38	I have the opportunity for advancement within this institution	290	3.007	3.065	2.874	3.092
41	I receive adequate information regarding important activities at this institution	314	3.758	3.723	3.817	3.739
44	administrative processes are clearly defined	313	3.150	2.915	3.301	3.283

Table 6. Institutional Structure Item Means by Personnel Classification

Table 7. Student Focus Item Means by Personnel Classification

		Overall		Faculty	Administrator	Staff
	Student Focus	Ν	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean
The	extent to which					
7	student needs are central to what we do	333	3.943	3.739	3.935	4.132
8	I feel my job is relevant to this institution's mission	331	4.483	4.445	4.576	4.400
17	faculty meet the needs of students	299	3.793	4.102	3.415	3.722
18	student diversity is important at this institution	324	4.241	4.171	4.161	4.391
19	students' competencies are enhanced	295	3.807	3.784	3.810	3.855
23	non-teaching professional personnel meet the needs of students	310	4.003	3.857	4.098	4.089
28	classified personnel meet the needs of students	302	4.093	4.037	4.033	4.236
31	students receive an excellent education at this institution	299	3.896	3.899	3.882	3.940
35	this institution prepares students for a career	298	3.862	3.898	3.744	3.940
37	this institution prepares students for further learning	301	3.927	3.890	3.897	4.035
40	students are assisted with their personal development	292	3.832	3.871	3.805	3.810
42	students are satisfied with their educational experience at this institution	273	3.652	3.704	3.633	3.634

Table 8. Supervisory Relationships Item Means by Personnel Classification

		Overall		Faculty	Administrator	Staff
	Supervisory Relationships	Ν	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean
The	extent to which					
2	my supervisor/chair expresses confidence in my work	331	4.335	4.186	4.500	4.275
9	my supervisor/chair is open to the ideas, opinions, and beliefs of everyone	331	4.257	4.102	4.424	4.239
12	positive work expectations are communicated to me	325	3.794	3.581	3.925	3.892
13	unacceptable behaviors are identified and communicated to me	280	3.689	3.460	3.753	3.889
20	I receive timely feedback for my work	320	3.753	3.596	3.923	3.753
21	I receive appropriate feedback for my work	317	3.770	3.617	3.978	3.747
26	my supervisor/chair actively seeks my ideas	320	4.009	3.849	4.217	3.989
27	my supervisor/chair seriously considers my ideas	318	4.075	3.958	4.272	4.033
30	work outcomes are clarified for me	319	3.771	3.603	3.870	3.839
34	my supervisor/chair helps me to improve my work	309	3.916	3.783	4.088	3.935
39	I am given the opportunity to be creative in my work	315	4.079	4.185	4.086	3.913
45	I have the opportunity to express my ideas in appropriate forums	311	3.714	3.504	3.903	3.791
46	professional development and training opportunities are available	309	3.748	3.684	3.815	3.736

Table 9. Teamwork Item Means by Personnel Classification

		Overall		Faculty	Administrator	Staff
	Teamwork	Ν	Mean	Mean	Mean	Mean
The	extent to which					
3	there is a spirit of cooperation within my work team	331	4.091	3.924	4.319	4.098
14	my primary work team uses problem-solving techniques	313	4.121	3.870	4.264	4.247
24	there is an opportunity for all ideas to be exchanged within my work team	314	3.981	3.605	4.308	4.054
33	my work team provides an environment for free and open expression of ideas, opinions and beliefs	310	3.981	3.661	4.250	4.087
36	my work team coordinates its efforts with appropriate individuals and teams	307	4.059	3.903	4.275	4.043
43	a spirit of cooperation exists in my department	311	4.019	3.864	4.326	3.935