

Appendix A

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2004/09 Beginning Postsecondary Students Longitudinal Study (BPS:04/09) Technical Review Panel

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Appendix B

Data Elements

Data Elements

A. Current enrollment or completion status (at time of interview)

1. Still enrolled as undergraduate
 - a. Enrolled at NPSAS or last reported institution
 - b. Enrolled at another institution
2. Not currently enrolled as undergraduate
 - a. Enrolled anywhere since July 2005
 - Completed a program since July 2005
 - Type of certificate/degree earned
 - Date awarded (MMYYYY)
 - Institution that awarded degree
 - Did not complete a program
 - Last institution attended
 - Date last enrolled (MMYYYY)
 - Reasons for leaving
 - Primary reason for leaving
 - b. Not enrolled anywhere since July 2005 *[skip sections B and C below]*

B. Undergraduate enrollment history since July 2005

1. Enrollment in 2005–06
 - a. Enrolled at last school reported for 2004–05 (yes/no)
 - Months enrolled
 - Primarily full time or part time
 - b. Enrolled at another school in 2005–06 (yes/no)
 - Name of institution and location (online coding of type)
 - Months enrolled
 - Primarily full time or part time
 - Transfer credits attempted/accepted
 - Reasons for enrolling here
 2. Enrollment in 2006–07
 - a. Enrolled at last school reported for 2005–06 (yes/no)
 - Months enrolled
 - Primarily full time or part time
 - b. Enrolled at another school in 2006–07 (yes/no)
 - Name of institution and location (online coding of type)
 - Months enrolled
 - Primarily full time or part time
 - Transfer credits attempted/accepted
 - Reasons for enrolling here
 3. Enrollment in 2007–08
 - a. Enrolled at last school reported for 2006–07 (yes/no)
 - Months enrolled
 - Primarily full time or part time
 - b. Enrolled at another school in 2006–07 (yes/no)
 - Name of institution and location (online coding of type)
 - Months enrolled
 - Primarily full time or part time
 - Transfer credits attempted/accepted
 - Reasons for enrolling here
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C. Characteristics of current or last undergraduate enrollment since July 2005

1. Educational program characteristics
 - a. Degree plans (certificate, associate's, bachelor's, none)
 - b. Major /double major
Changes in major
 - c. Class level
 - d. GPA
 - e. Academic performance
 - Ever withdraw from courses after add/drop period
 - Ever get incomplete grades
 - Ever retake a course to raise grades
 - Ever been on academic probation
 - f. Distance education courses
 - Earn any credits toward degree through distance education
 - Entire program through distance education
 - Any credits earned at other institutions
2. Residence, work and financial support
 - a. Type of residence (on campus/off campus/with parents)
 - b. Distance of school from home
 - c. Working while enrolled (most current job)
 - Primary role: student or employee?
 - Participation in work study, internship, co-op
 - On/off campus job
 - Distance from school to work/ travel time
 - Number of days per week worked
 - Number of hours per week worked
 - Hourly/weekly earnings
 - Relationship of job to studies
 - Importance of job earnings in financing education
 - Main reason for working
 - d. Financial support from parents (respondents under 30)
 - none
 - pay for tuition
 - pay for food or housing
 - provide money for other expenses

D. Financial aid and undergraduate student loan debt

1. Pell and SMART grants
 - a. Received a Pell grant since July 2005
 - b. Awareness of SMART grant requirements [skip if no Pell]
 - c. Received SMART grants/ number of years
 - d. Reason for only one SMART grant [skip if two]
 - e. Change in major to qualify for SMART grant
 2. Student loan debt
 - a. Total amount borrowed in student loans (all undergraduate years)
 - b. Total amount still owed
 - c. Types of loans (federal, private, other)
 - d. Reason for private loans if no other
 - e. Currently repaying loans [if yes]
 - Amount of monthly payment
 - Are parents helping to repay loans? (respondents under 30)
 - [if no] Reasons not repaying (paid off/not required/deferred)
 - f. Consider student loan debt a worthwhile investment (very much/somewhat/not at all)
 - g. Student loan debt influence enrollment/career decisions
If yes, how?
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D. Financial aid and undergraduate student loan debt—continued

3. Supplementary data from outside sources:
 - a. Financial aid application data (from CPS)
 - b. Annual and cumulative federal student loan amounts (from NSLDS)
 - c. Annual Pell grant amounts (from NSLDS)
 - d. Annual Academic Competitiveness Grant (ACG) and SMART grant amounts (from NSLDS)
 - e. Annual full-time tuition and student budgets (from IPEDS)

E. Post-Bachelor/Graduate Education (BA recipients only)

1. Type of post-BA enrollment
 - a. Graduate degree program or post-BA certification
 - Type of degree or certification
 - Full time or part time
 - Date began (MMYYYY)
 - b. Taking courses for credit, but not in a degree program
 - c. Non-credit or continuing education courses
2. Post-BA financial aid
 - a. Employer tuition reimbursement
 - b. Assistantships
 - c. Fellowships or scholarships
 - d. Loans

F. Employment – Respondents who are not currently enrolled

1. Currently employed (yes/no)
2. [if yes] Description of relationship to job
 - a. Searching for a career
 - b. Starting a career
 - c. Continuing in a career
 - d. Advancing in a career
 - e. In a temporary job
3. Current job characteristics (if employed)
 - a. Number of hours worked per week
 - b. Wages/salary
 - c. Occupation and industry (online coding)
 - d. Type of employer
 - e. Held position or similar job
 - while enrolled
 - before enrolled
 - number of years in this or similar job
 - f. Related to coursework/major (closely/somewhat/not)
 - g. Related to career goals (closely/somewhat/not)
 - h. Degree, certificate, or license required
 - i. Was this first job after leaving school?
 - j. Did school helped with job placement?
 - k. Use of skills/equipment/software/technology (often/sometimes/never)
 - l. Difficulty of doing job without courses taken (very/somewhat/not)
 - m. Did education help advance in career? (great deal/somewhat/not)
 - n. Did education prepare you to do a more demanding job? (yes/no)
4. Responsibilities (yes/no)
 - a. Supervise work of others
 - b. Participate in hiring/firing
 - c. Participate in setting salaries
5. Satisfaction with aspects of the job (yes/no)
 - a. Pay
 - b. Fringe benefits
 - c. Challenge of work
 - d. Opportunities for promotion
 - e. Opportunities to use training/education
 - f. Job security
 - g. Opportunities for further training/education
 - h. Overall satisfaction

F. Employment – Respondents who are not currently enrolled—Continued

6. Licenses and certification held
7. Unemployment spells of more than 3 months since end of enrollment
 - a. If yes, how many times
 - b. Longest period of unemployment
8. If not currently employed:
 - a. Looking for a job
 - b. Receiving unemployment insurance
 - c. Date last employed after leaving school

G. Current demographics

1. Household composition (live alone/spouse or partner/parents or in-laws/siblings/other relatives/roommate)
2. Respondent's current marital status (single, never married/married/separated/divorced/ widowed)
3. Respondents under 30:
 - a. Parent's marital status
 - b. Estimated parental income
4. Number of dependent children
 - a. Age of youngest and oldest child
5. Annual income
 - a. Own earnings
 - b. Spouse's earnings
 - c. Income from other sources
 - TANF
 - Social security
 - Disability or worker's compensation
 - Food stamps
 - Child support
6. Spouse's level of education
7. Spouse currently enrolled in school (full time/part time)
8. Amount of spouse's student loans
 - a. Spouse's monthly repayment amount
9. Monthly payments
 - a. Rent or mortgage
 - b. Auto loan or lease
10. Number of credit cards
 - a. Usually payoff or carry balance
 - b. Current outstanding balance on credit cards

H. Civic participation

1. Current citizenship
2. Voting (if citizen)
 - a. Registered to vote
 - b. Voted in the last presidential (general) election
3. Volunteering
 - a. Voluntary activities in last 12 months
 - b. Type of activities
 - c. Hours per month
 - d. Reasons for participating
 - e. Benefits of volunteering

I. Disabilities (BPS:96/01 items)

1. Do you have any long-lasting physical or mental condition that substantially limits one or more of your major life activities?
 2. Specify the condition that substantially limits physical activities
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J. Personal goals and assessment of education

1. Highest level of education ever expected
 2. Plans to pursue a teaching career
 3. Importance of the following
 - a. Being a community leader
 - b. Being financially well-off
 - c. Having children
 - d. Influencing political structure
 - e. Leisure time
 - f. Living close to relatives
 - g. Moving away from hometown
 - h. Steady work
 4. Would make the same choices in institution and course of study again (yes/maybe/no/don't know)
 5. Were benefits of education in terms of work and pay worth the cost and time spent on your education (very much/somewhat/not at all/don't know)
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Appendix C

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The BPS:04/09 instrument maintained consistent section headings with the BPS:04/06 instrument. Section A in the BPS:04/06 instrument was the eligibility section and was not necessary for this field test therefore was not included in the BPS:04/09 instrument.

Section B: Enrollment History

MBANY

Enrolled at any school since July 2005

To begin, we would like to collect information on your enrollment since July 1, 2005. Have you enrolled at any school since July 1, 2005?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCHECK

Expect to enroll at any school before July 2008

Do you expect to enroll for classes or in a degree/certificate program at any school before July 1, 2008?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had not been enrolled at any school between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBSCH01

School 1: name

[if MBCHECK = 1]

What is the name of the school at which you plan to enroll before July 1, 2008?

[else]

What is the name of the school at which you were most recently enrolled between July 1, 2005 and June 30, 2008?

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBIPED01

School 1: IPEDS ID

[if MBCHECK = 1]

What is the name of the school at which you plan to enroll before July 1, 2008?

[else]

What is the name of the school at which you were most recently enrolled between July 1, 2005 and June 30, 2008?

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCT01

School 1: city

[if MBCHECK = 1]

What is the name of the school at which you plan to enroll before July 1, 2008?

[else]

What is the name of the school at which you were most recently enrolled between July 1, 2005 and June 30, 2008?

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBST01

School 1: state

[if MBCHECK = 1]

What is the name of the school at which you plan to enroll before July 1, 2008?

[else]

What is the name of the school at which you were most recently enrolled between July 1, 2005 and June 30, 2008?

1 = Alabama

2 = Alaska

3 = Arizona

4 = Arkansas

5 = California

6 = Colorado

7 = Connecticut

8 = Delaware

9 = District of Columbia

10 = Florida

11 = Georgia

12 = Hawaii

13 = Idaho

14 = Illinois

15 = Indiana

16 = Iowa

17 = Kansas

18 = Kentucky

19 = Louisiana

20 = Maine

21 = Maryland

22 = Massachusetts

23 = Michigan

24 = Minnesota

25 = Mississippi

26 = Missouri

27 = Montana

28 = Nebraska

29 = Nevada

30 = New Hampshire

31 = New Jersey

32 = New Mexico

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34 = North Carolina

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38 = Oregon

39 = Pennsylvania

40 = Rhode Island

41 = South Carolina

42 = South Dakota

43 = Tennessee

44 = Texas

45 = Utah

46 = Vermont

47 = Virginia

48 = Washington

49 = West Virginia

50 = Wisconsin

51 = Wyoming

52 = Puerto Rico

54 = American Samoa

55 = Guam

56 = Fed State

Micronesia

57 = Marshall Islands

58 = Northern Mariana

Isl

59 = Palau

60 = Virgin Islands

63 = Foreign Country

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLEVL01

School 1: level

[if MBCHECK = 1]

What is the name of the school at which you plan to enroll before July 1, 2008?

[else]

What is the name of the school at which you were most recently enrolled between July 1, 2005 and June 30, 2008?

1 = 4-year

2 = 2-year

3 = Less-than-2-year

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCTRL01

School 1: control

[if MBCHECK = 1]

What is the name of the school at which you plan to enroll before July 1, 2008?

[else]

What is the name of the school at which you were most recently enrolled between July 1, 2005 and June 30, 2008?

1 = Public

2 = Private not-for-profit

3 = Private for-profit

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCREN01

School 1: current enrollment

Are you currently enrolled at [MBSCH01]?

If you are on break for the summer, but will be returning in the fall, please answer, "Yes."

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBETYP01

School 1: enrollment type

[if MBCHECK = 1]

At [MBSCH01], will you be primarily enrolled to earn a degree or certificate, or will you just be taking classes?

[else if TLCREN01 = 1]

At [MBSCH01], are you primarily enrolled to earn a degree or certificate, or are you just taking classes?

[else]

At [MBSCH01], were you primarily enrolled to earn a degree or certificate, or were you just taking classes?

1 = Enrolled in a degree or certificate program

2 = Taking classes for credit but not enrolled in a degree or certificate program

3 = Taking classes for recreation or personal enrichment

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCLST01

School 1: undergraduate or graduate level classes

[if MBCHECK = 1]

Will you be mainly taking undergraduate or graduate level classes at [MBSCH01]?

[else if TLCREN01 = 1]

Are you mainly taking undergraduate or graduate level classes at [MBSCH01]?

[else]

Were you mainly taking undergraduate or graduate level classes at [MBSCH01]?

1 = Mainly undergraduate

2 = Mainly graduate

3 = Equal mix of undergraduate and graduate

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled only for classes between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBDEG01

School 1: type of degree or certificate

[if TLADEG01 ne 1 and MBCHECK = 1]

What degree or certificate do you expect from [MBSCH01]? (If you expect to receive multiple degrees/certificates that will not be awarded at the same time, please tell us about only one of the them now. You will have an opportunity to tell us about other degrees and certificates later.)

[else if TLADEG01 ne 1 and TLCREN01 = 1]

What degree or certificate do you expect from [MBSCH01]? (If you expect to receive multiple degrees/certificates that will not be awarded at the same time, please tell us about only one of them now. You will have an opportunity to tell us about other degrees and certificates later.)

[else if TLADEG01 ne 1]

What degree or certificate did you earn or expect to earn from [MBSCH01]? (If you were working on multiple degrees/certificates that were not awarded at the same time, please tell us about only one of the them now. You will have an opportunity to tell us about other degrees and certificates later.)

[else]

What degree or certificate did you earn or expect to earn from [MBSCH01]?

2 = Undergraduate certificate or diploma
(occupational or technical program)

3 = Associate's degree

4 = Bachelor's degree--4 year program

5 = Bachelor's degree--5 year program

6 = Post baccalaureate certificate

8 = Master's degree

9 = Post master's certificate

10 = Professional degree

11 = Doctoral degree

12 = Earned or expect to earn more than one degree
at the same time from [MBSCH01]

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMA01

School 1 combined degrees: undergraduate certificate or diploma

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Undergraduate certificate or diploma (occupational or technical program)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMB01

School 1 combined degrees: associate's degree

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Associate's degree

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMC01

School 1 combined degrees: 4-year bachelor's degree

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Bachelor's degree--4 year program

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMD01

School 1 combined degrees: 5-year bachelor's degree

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Bachelor's degree--5 year program

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCME01

School 1 combined degrees: post-baccalaureate certificate
[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Post baccalaureate certificate

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMF01

School 1 combined degrees: master's degree

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Master's degree

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMG01

School 1 combined degrees: post-master's certificate or diploma

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Post master's certificate

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMH01

School 1 combined degrees: professional degree

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Professional degree (only includes the following

programs: chiropractic, dentistry, law, medicine, optometry, osteopathic medicine, pharmacy, podiatry, divinity, theology, or veterinary medicine)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMI01

School 1 combined degrees: doctoral degree

[if TLCREN01 = 1 or MBCHECK = 1]

What degrees do you expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

[else]

What degrees did you earn or expect to earn at the same time from [MBSCH01]?

Doctoral degree

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and earned or expected to earn multiple degrees at the same time from [MBSCH01].

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBEN501

School 1: enrollment intensity in 2005

[if MBETYP01 = 1 and MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1 and TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1]

For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else]

For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

2005

1 = Full-time

2 = Part-time

3 = Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and indicated enrollment for 2005.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBEN601

School 1: enrollment intensity in 2006

[if MBETYP01 = 1 and MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1 and TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1]

For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else]

For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

2006

1 = Full-time

2 = Part-time

3 = Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and indicated enrollment for 2006.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBEN701

School 1: enrollment intensity in 2007

[if MBETYP01 = 1 and MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1 and TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1]

For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else]

For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

2007

1 = Full-time

2 = Part-time

3 = Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and indicated enrollment for 2007.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBEN801

School 1: enrollment intensity in 2008

[if MBETYP01 = 1 and MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1 and TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBETYP01 = 1]
For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01], were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if MBCHECK = 1]

For the period of time you will be enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, will you be mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else if TLCREN01 = 1]

For the period of time you have been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, have you been mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

[else]
For the period of time you were enrolled at [MBSCH01] for your classes, were you mainly a full-time or part-time student, or an equal mix of both?

2008

1 = Full-time

2 = Part-time

3 = Equal mix of full-time and part-time

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008 and indicated enrollment for 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBERN01

School 1: earned degree or certificate

Have you completed your program of study and received your [TLDEG01] from [MBSCH01]?

0 = No, I have not completed my [TLDEG01]

1 = Yes, I completed my [TLDEG01]

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview but not currently enrolled.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBEXP01

Expect to receive degree or certificate from school 1 before July 2008

Do you expect to receive your [TLDEG01] from [MBSCH01] before July 2008?

0 = No, I do not expect to earn my [TLDEG01] before July 2008

1 = Yes, I expect to earn my [TLDEG01] before July 2008

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBDEM01

Month degree will be awarded from school 1

In what month before July 2008 do you expect to earn your [TLDEG01] from [MBSCH01]?

1 = March

2 = April

3 = May

4 = June

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and expected to complete their degree before July 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBDGMY01

Date degree awarded from school 1

In what month and year was your [TLDEG01] awarded by [MBSCH01]?

Applies to: Respondents who completed a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBTNS01

Attempt to transfer credits from another institution to school 1

Did you attempt to transfer any credits to [MBSCH01] from another college or university for your [TLDEG01]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBTRNC01

Transfer credits accepted by school 1 from another institution

Were all, some, or none of those credits accepted?

0 = None

1 = Some

2 = All

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and attempted to transfer credits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBRNA01

Reason for attending school 1: earn a degree or certificate

[if MBETYP01 ne 1]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to enroll at [MBSCH01] for classes?

[else]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to attend [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01]?

Earn a degree or certificate

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBRNB01

Reason for attending school 1: prepare for transfer

[if MBETYP01 ne 1]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to enroll at [MBSCH01] for classes?

[else]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to attend [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01]?

Prepare for transfer to a 4-year school

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled at a 2-year or less-than-2-year school as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBRNC01

Reason for attending school 1: earn credits

[if MBETYP01 ne 1]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to enroll at [MBSCH01] for classes?

[else]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to attend [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01]?

Earn course credits needed for a program at a different school

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBRND01

Reason for attending school 1: gain job skills

[if MBETYP01 ne 1]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to enroll at [MBSCH01] for classes?

[else]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to attend [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01]?

Gain job or occupational skills

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBRNE01

Reason for attending school 1: self-improvement

[if MBETYP01 ne 1]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to enroll at [MBSCH01] for classes?

[else]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to attend [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01]?

Take courses for recreation, self-improvement or personal interest

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBRNF01

Reason for attending school 1: courses for graduate school

[if MBETYP01 ne 1]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to enroll at [MBSCH01] for classes?

[else]

Which of the following, if any, would you consider to be your main reason(s) for choosing to attend [MBSCH01] for your [TLDEG01]?

Take courses in preparation for graduate school

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled at a 4-year school as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBERN201

Enrolled at school 1 for other degree, certificate, or coursework
[if MBETYP01 = 1]
Since July of 2005, have you earned or been enrolled at [MBSCH01] for any other degrees/certificates or been enrolled there for coursework not related to your [TLDEG01]?
[else]
Since July of 2005, did you earn or were you enrolled at [MBSCH01] for any other degrees/certificates or been enrolled there for coursework not related to these classes?
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBPLAN01

School 1: enrollment plans for the 2008-2009 school year
Do you plan to enroll at [MBSCH01] at any time during the 2008-2009 school year (July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009)?
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBCMP01

Completed at least 2 courses at school 1
Before leaving [MBSCH01], had you completed at least two courses with a passing grade?
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.
Recode note: If MBETYP01 = 1 and (MBERN01 = 1 or MBEXP01 = 1) then MBCMP01 = 1
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVA01

Left school 1: academic problems
Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?
Academic problems
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVB01

Left school 1: class unavailable/ schedule inconvenient
Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?
Classes not available or scheduling not convenient
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVC01

Left school 1: dissatisfied with program/school/faculty
Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?
Dissatisfaction with program, school, campus, or faculty
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVD01

Left school 1: financial reasons
Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?
Financial reasons
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVE01

Left school 1: family responsibilities
Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?
Family responsibilities
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVF01*Left school 1: personal reasons*

Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?

Personal reasons

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVG01*Left school 1: finished taking desired classes*

Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?

Finished taking desired classes

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVH01*Left school 1: called for military service*

Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?

Called for military service

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVI01*Left school 1: involuntary withdrawal or suspension*

Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?

Involuntary withdrawal or suspension

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVX01*Left school 1: other reasons*

Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?

Another reason not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

*Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program**between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year.*

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBLVS01*Left school 1: other specify*

Why did you decide to leave [MBSCH01]?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete their degree before July 2008, and were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year, and indicated other.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBMNL01*Left school 1: main reason*

What was your main reason for leaving [MBSCH01]?

- 1 = Academic problems
- 2 = Classes not available or scheduling not convenient
- 3 = Dissatisfaction with program, school, campus, or faculty
- 4 = Financial reasons
- 5 = Family responsibilities
- 6 = Personal reasons
- 7 = Finished taking desired classes
- 8 = Called for military service
- 9 = Involuntary withdrawal or suspension
- 10 = Another reason not listed

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in a degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview, had not completed nor expected to complete the degree before July 2008, were not currently enrolled nor had plans to enroll for the 2008-2009 school year, and chose more than one reason for leaving [MBSCH01], but did not choose involuntary withdrawal/suspension.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MBENR01*Enrollment at school 2*

Have you enrolled at any other schools besides [MBSCH01] since July 1, 2005?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

Section C: Enrollment Characteristics

MCCLSBA

Type of class: radio: business

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Business

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBB

Type of class: radio: health

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Health

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBC

Type of class: radio: education

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Education (teacher training)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBD

Type of class: radio: engineering and engineering technology

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Engineering and Engineering Technology

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBE

Type of class: radio: computer and informational sciences

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Computer and Informational Sciences

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBF*Type of class: radio: social sciences*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Social Sciences

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBG*Type of class: radio: natural sciences and mathematics*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBH*Type of class: radio: arts and humanities*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Arts and Humanities

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBI*Type of class: radio: communications*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Communications

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBJ*Type of class: radio: vocational programs*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Vocational Programs

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBK*Type of class: radio: university transfer*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

University Transfer

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBL

Type of class: radio: general education

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

General Education

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSBX

Type of class: radio: other

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Other subject area(s) not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLST2

Type of class: radio: other specify

[if TCURENUG = 0]

Please specify what other subject area(s) you were taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG].

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

Please specify what other subject area(s) you have been taking classes in at [TSCHUG].

[else]

Please specify what other subject area(s) you will be taking classes in at [TSCHUG].

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the radio button version of this form and chose other type of class.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYA

Type of class: checkbox: business

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Business

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYB

Type of class: checkbox: health

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Health

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYC

Type of class: checkbox: education

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Education (teacher training)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYD

Type of class: checkbox: engineering and engineering technology
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Engineering and Engineering Technology

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYE

Type of class: checkbox: computer and informational sciences
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Computer and Information Sciences

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYF

checkbox: social sciences
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Social Sciences

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYG

Type of class: checkbox: natural sciences and mathematics
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYH

Type of class: checkbox: arts and humanities
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Arts and Humanities

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYI

Type of class: checkbox: communications
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Communications

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYJ

Type of class: checkbox: vocational programs

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Vocational Programs

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYK

Type of class: checkbox: university transfer

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

University Transfer

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYL

Type of class: checkbox: general education

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

General Education

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYX

Type of class: checkbox: other

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Other subject area(s) not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLTYS

Type of class: checkbox: other specify

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the checkbox version of this form and chose other type of class.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLT01*Type of class 1: text box*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] as an undergraduate? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and were administered the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLD01*Type of class 1: self-coded drop downs*

How would you categorize the answer(s) you gave? (Please match your response(s) provided below to a category from the drop down list.)

- 1 = Business
- 2 = Health
- 3 = Education (teacher training)
- 4 = Engineering and Engineering Technology
- 5 = Computer and Informational Sciences
- 6 = Social Sciences
- 7 = Natural Sciences and Mathematics
- 8 = Arts and Humanities
- 9 = Communications
- 10 = Vocational Programs
- 11 = University Transfer
- 12 = Other

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008, and provided at least one response to the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTA*Type of class: combined: business*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Business

0 = Not business class

1 = Yes, business class

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTB*Type of class: combined: health*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Health

0 = Not health classes

1 = Yes, health classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTC*Type of class: combined: education*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Education (teacher training)

0 = Not education classes

1 = Yes, education classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTD

Type of class: combined: engineering and engineering technology
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Engineering and Engineering Technology

0 = Not engineering classes

1 = Yes, engineering classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTE

Type of class: combined: computer and informational sciences
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Computer and Informational Sciences

0 = Not computer science classes

1 = Yes, computer science classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTF

Type of class: combined: social sciences
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Social Sciences

0 = Not social science classes

1 = Yes, social science classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTG

Type of class: combined: natural sciences and mathematics
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

0 = Not sciences/mathematics classes

1 = Yes, sciences/mathematics classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTH

Type of class: combined: arts and humanities
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Arts and Humanities

0 = Not arts and humanities classes

1 = Yes, arts and humanities classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTI

Type of class: combined: communications
[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Communications

0 = Not communications classes

1 = Yes, communications classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTJ*Type of class: combined: vocational programs*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Vocational Programs

0 = Not vocational programs

1 = Yes, vocational programs

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTK*Type of class: combined: university transfer*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

University Transfer

0 = Not university transfer classes

1 = Yes, university transfer classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTL*Type of class: combined: general education*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

General Education

0 = Not general education classes

1 = Yes, general education classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTX*Type of class: combined: other*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you

were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Other subject area(s) not listed

0 = No other classes

1 = Yes, other classes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCCLSTS*Type of class: combined: other specify*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What subject areas were you taking classes in when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What subject areas have you been taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What subject areas will you be taking classes in at [TSCHUG]?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate not in a degree program between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCDBLMAJ*Major declared or undeclared for non-degree recipients*

[if TCURENUG in (1 2)]

Have you declared a major at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Had you declared a major when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG] for your [IDGTYPUG]?

0 = Not in a degree program

1 = Yes, declared a major

2 = Yes, declared a double major

3 = No

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an associate's or bachelor's degree program but did not complete their degree between July 2005 and June 2008.

Recode note: If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then MCDBLMAJ = 0

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCDEGMAJ*Double major for degree recipients*

Did you have a double major when you earned your [IDGTYPUG] from [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who completed an associate's or bachelor's degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMAJ1

Primary major: string

[if TCURENRUG = 0]

What was your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2 or MCDEGMAJ = 1} primary] major or field of study for your

[TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENRUG = 1]

What is your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What will be your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had declared at least one major.

Recode note: 1) If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then MCMAJ1 = "NOT IN A DEGREE PROGRAM" 2) If

MCDBLMAJ = 3 then MCMAJ1 = "UNDECLARED"

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMJ1GEN

Primary major: general code

[if TCURENRUG = 0]

What was your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2 or MCDEGMAJ = 1} primary] major or field of study for your

[TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENRUG = 1]

What is your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What will be your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

1 = Agriculture/natural resources/related

2 = Architecture and related services

3 = Area/ethnic/cultural/gender studies

4 = Arts--visual and performing

5 = Biological and biomedical sciences

6 = Business/management/marketing/related

7 = Communication/journalism/comm. tech

8 = Computer/info sciences/support tech

9 = Construction trades

10 = Education

11 = Engineering technologies/technicians

12 = English language and literature/letters

13 = Family/consumer sciences, human sciences

14 = Foreign languages/literature/linguistics

15 = Health professions/clinical sciences

16 = Legal professions and studies

17 = Library science

18 = Mathematics and statistics

19 = Mechanical/repair technologies/techs

20 = Multi/interdisciplinary studies

21 = Parks/recreation/leisure/fitness studies

22 = Precision production

23 = Personal and culinary services

24 = Philosophy, religion & theology

25 = Physical sciences

26 = Psychology

27 = Public administration/social services

28 = Science technologies/technicians

29 = Security & protective services

30 = Social sciences and history (except psychology)

31 = Transportation & materials moving

32 = Other

33 = Liberal arts and sciences

98 = Not in a degree program

99 = Undeclared

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had declared at least one major.

Recode note: 1) If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then

MCMJ1GEN = 98 2) If MCDBLMAJ = 3 then

MCMJ1GEN = 99

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMJ1SPE

Primary major: specific code

[if TCURENRUG = 0]

What was your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2 or MCDEGMAJ = 1} primary] major or field of study for your

[TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENRUG = 1]

What is your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What will be your [if MCDBLMAJ = 2} primary] major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

98 = Not in a degree program

99 = Undeclared

101 = Agriculture and related sciences

102 = Natural resources and conservation

201 = Architecture

202 = City/urban, community, and regional planning

203 = Drafting/design engineering technologies/technicians

204 = Architecture, planning, and related services, other

301 = Area, ethnic, cultural, and gender studies

401 = Art history, criticism & conservation

402 = Design & applied arts

403 = Drama/theatre arts and stagecraft

404 = Fine and studio art

405 = Music, general

406 = Music history, literature, and theory

407 = Visual and performing arts, other

408 = Commercial and advertising art

409 = Dance

410 = Film/video and photographic arts

411 = Crafts/craft design, folk art and artisanry

501 = General biology

502 = Biochem/biophysics/molecular biology

503 = Botany/plant biology

504 = Genetics

505 = Microbiological sciences & immunology

506 = Physiology, pathology & related sciences	1012 = Teacher education: Specific subject areas
507 = Zoology/animal biology	1013 = Bilingual, multilingual, and multicultural education
508 = Biological and biomedical sciences	1014 = Ed assessment, evaluation, and research
509 = Biological and physical sciences	1015 = Higher education/higher education administration
510 = Systems science and theory	1016 = Teaching assistant/aide
511 = Biopsychology [main CIP is Multidisc	1017 = Childcare provider/assistant
512 = Biological & biomedical sciences, other	1018 = Physical education teaching and coaching
517 = Ecology, Evolution, Systematics and Population Biology	1019 = Education, other
601 = Accounting and related services	1020 = English/language arts teacher education
602 = Business administration, management and operations	1022 = Mathematics teacher education
603 = Business operations support and assistant services	1024 = Social studies teacher education
604 = Finance and financial management services	1025 = Biology teacher education
605 = Human resources management and services	1026 = Chemistry teacher education
606 = Marketing	1027 = History teacher education
607 = Business, management, marketing, and related support services, other	1101 = Biomedical/medical engineering
608 = Management information systems and services	1102 = Chemical engineering
609 = Real estate	1103 = Civil engineering
610 = Hospitality Administration/Management	1104 = Computer engineering
701 = Communication and media studies	1105 = Electrical, electronics and communications engineering
702 = Communication technologies	1106 = Engineering technologies/technicians
703 = Journalism	1107 = Environmental/environmental health engineering
704 = Communication/journalism/comm. tech, other	1108 = Mechanical engineering
801 = Computer/information technology administration and management	1109 = Engineering, other
802 = Computer programming	1115 = Construction engineering
803 = Computer science	1201 = Creative writing
804 = Computer software and media applications	1202 = American literature
805 = Computer systems analysis	1203 = English literature
806 = Computer systems networking and telecommunications	1204 = English language and literature/letters, others
807 = Data entry/microcomputer applications	1301 = Family and consumer sciences/human sciences
808 = Data processing	1302 = Family and consumer sciences/human sciences, general
809 = Information science/studies	1303 = Child care and support services management
810 = Computer and information sciences and support services, other	1304 = Child care provider/assistant (also under Education)
811 = Computer and information sciences	1305 = Apparel and textiles
901 = Construction trades	1306 = Family and consumer sciences/human sciences, other
1001 = Curriculum and instruction	1401 = Romance languages, literatures, and linguistics
1002 = Educational administration and supervision	1402 = Spanish language and literature
1003 = Educational/instructional media design	1403 = Foreign languages/literature/linguistics, other
1004 = Special education and teaching	1408 = Chinese language and literature
1005 = Student counseling and personnel services	1501 = Health services/allied health/health sciences, general
1006 = Education, other	1502 = Alternative/complementary medicine/sys
1007 = Teacher education: Early childhood education and teaching	1503 = Chiropractic
1008 = Teacher education: Elementary education and teaching	1504 = Audiology/audiologist & hearing sciences
1009 = Teacher education: Secondary education and teaching	1505 = Clinical/medical lab science/allied
1010 = Teacher education: Adult and continuing education and teaching	1506 = Dental support services/allied
1011 = Teacher education: Specific levels, other	1507 = Dentistry
	1508 = Health & medical administrative services
	1509 = Health/medical services/allied health
	1510 = Health/medical technicians/technologists

1511 = Health/medical preparatory programs
 1512 = Medicine, including psychiatry
 1513 = Mental/social health services and allied
 1514 = Clinical pastoral counseling/patient
 counseling
 1515 = Nursing/registered (RN, ASN, BSN, MSN)
 1516 = Nursing science (MS, PhD)
 1517 = Licensed practical/vocational nurse training
 (LPN, LVN, Cert., Dipl., AAS)
 1518 = Nurse/nursing assistant/aide and patient care
 assistant
 1519 = Optometry
 1520 = Osteopathic medicine/osteopathy
 1521 = Pharmacy/pharmaceutical sciences/admin
 1522 = Podiatric medicine/podiatry
 1523 = Public health
 1524 = Rehabilitation & therapeutic professions
 1525 = Veterinary medicine
 1526 = Health aides/attendants/orderlies
 1527 = Dietetics and clinical nutrition services
 1528 = Health /related clinical services, other
 1601 = Law
 1602 = Legal support services
 1603 = General undergraduate legal studies including
 pre-law
 1604 = Legal professions and studies, other
 1701 = Library science
 1801 = Mathematics
 1802 = Statistics
 1803 = Mathematics and statistics, other
 1901 = Electrical/electronics maintenance and repair
 technology
 1902 = Heating, air conditioning, ventilation and
 refrigeration maintenance
 1903 = Vehicle maintenance and repair technologies
 1904 = Mechanical/repair technologies/techs, other
 2001 = Biological and physical sciences
 2002 = Systems science and theory
 2003 = Biopsychology
 2004 = Multi/interdisciplinary studies, other
 2009 = Neuroscience
 2101 = Parks, recreation and leisure studies
 2102 = Health and physical education/fitness
 2201 = Precision metal working
 2202 = Woodworking
 2203 = Precision production, other
 2301 = Cosmetology and related personal grooming
 services
 2302 = Funeral service and mortuary science
 2303 = Culinary arts and related services
 2304 = Personal and culinary services, other
 2401 = Philosophy
 2402 = Religion/religious studies
 2403 = Theology and religious vocations
 2501 = Astronomy & astrophysics
 2502 = Atmospheric sciences and meteorology
 2503 = Chemistry

2504 = Geological & earth sciences/geosciences
 2505 = Physics
 2506 = Biological and physical science [main CIP is
 Multidisc]
 2507 = Systems science and theory [main CIP is
 Multidisc]
 2508 = Physical sciences, other
 2601 = Behavioral psychology
 2602 = Clinical psychology
 2603 = Education/school psychology
 2604 = Psychology, other
 2605 = Biopsychology
 2701 = Public administration
 2702 = Social work
 2703 = Public administration and social service
 professions, other
 2801 = Biology technician/biotechnology laboratory
 technician
 2802 = Nuclear and industrial radiologic
 technologies/technicians
 2803 = Physical science technologies/technicians
 2804 = Science technologies/technician, other
 2808 = Electrical engineering technologies
 2810 = Environmental control technologies
 2812 = Industrial production technologies
 2818 = Computer engineering technologies
 2901 = Criminal justice and corrections
 2902 = Fire protection
 2903 = Security and protective services, other
 3001 = Anthropology
 3002 = Archeology
 3003 = Criminology
 3004 = Demography & population studies
 3005 = Economics
 3006 = Geography & cartography
 3007 = History
 3008 = International relations & affairs
 3009 = Political science and government
 3010 = Sociology
 3011 = Urban studies/affairs
 3012 = Social sciences, other (except psychology)
 3101 = Transportation & materials moving
 3102 = Air transportation
 3103 = Ground transportation
 3104 = Transportation & materials moving, other
 3201 = Other
 3301 = Liberal arts and sciences, general studies and
 humanities

*Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate
 degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had
 declared at least one major.*

Recode note: If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then MCMJ1SPE
 = 98

If MCDBLMAJ = 3 then MCMJ1SPE = 99

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMAJ2*Secondary major: string*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What was your secondary undergraduate major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What is your current secondary major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 2]

What will be your current secondary major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What is your secondary major or field of study?

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had declared a double major.

Recode note: 1) If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then MCMAJ2 = "Not in a degree program"

2) If MCDBLMAJ = 3 then MCMAJ2 = "Undeclared"

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMJ2GEN*Secondary major: general code*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What was your secondary undergraduate major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What is your current secondary major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 2]

What will be your current secondary major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What is your secondary major or field of study?

- 1 = Agriculture/natural resources/related
- 2 = Architecture and related services
- 3 = Area/ethnic/cultural/gender studies
- 4 = Arts--visual and performing
- 5 = Biological and biomedical sciences
- 6 = Business/management/marketing/related
- 7 = Communication/journalism/comm. tech
- 8 = Computer/info sciences/support tech
- 9 = Construction trades
- 10 = Education
- 11 = Engineering technologies/technicians
- 12 = English language and literature/letters
- 13 = Family/consumer sciences, human sciences
- 14 = Foreign languages/literature/linguistics
- 15 = Health professions/clinical sciences
- 16 = Legal professions and studies
- 17 = Library science
- 18 = Mathematics and statistics
- 19 = Mechanical/repair technologies/techs
- 20 = Multi/interdisciplinary studies
- 21 = Parks/recreation/leisure/fitness studies
- 22 = Precision production
- 23 = Personal and culinary services

24 = Philosophy, religion & theology

25 = Physical sciences

26 = Psychology

27 = Public administration/social services

28 = Science technologies/technicians

29 = Security & protective services

30 = Social sciences and history (except psychology)

31 = Transportation & materials moving

32 = Other

98 = Not in a degree program

99 = Undeclared

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had declared a double major.

Recode note: 1) If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then MCMJ2GEN = 98 2) If MCDBLMAJ = 3 then MCMJ2GEN = 99

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMJ2SPE*Secondary major: specific code*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What was your secondary undergraduate major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 1]

What is your current secondary major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 2]

What will be your current secondary major or field of study for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What is your secondary major or field of study?

98 = Not in a degree program

99 = Undeclared

101 = Agriculture and related sciences

102 = Natural resources and conservation

201 = Architecture

202 = City/urban, community, and regional planning

203 = Drafting/design engineering technologies/technicians

204 = Architecture, planning, and related services, other

301 = Area, ethnic, cultural, and gender studies

401 = Art history, criticism & conservation

402 = Design & applied arts

403 = Drama/theatre arts and stagecraft

404 = Fine and studio art

405 = Music, general

406 = Music history, literature, and theory

407 = Visual and performing arts, other

408 = Commercial and advertising art

409 = Dance

410 = Film/video and photographic arts

411 = Crafts/craft design, folk art and artisanry

501 = General biology

502 = Biochem/biophysics/molecular biology

503 = Botany/plant biology

504 = Genetics	1012 = Teacher education: Specific subject areas
505 = Microbiological sciences & immunology	1013 = Bilingual, multilingual, and multicultural education
506 = Physiology, pathology & related sciences	1014 = Ed assessment, evaluation, and research
507 = Zoology/animal biology	1015 = Higher education/higher education administration
508 = Biological and biomedical sciences	1016 = Teaching assistant/aide
509 = Biological and physical sciences	1017 = Childcare provider/assistant
510 = Systems science and theory	1018 = Physical education teaching and coaching
511 = Biopsychology [main CIP is Multidisc	1019 = Education, other
512 = Biological & biomedical sciences, other	1020 = English/language arts teacher education
517 = Ecology/evolution/population biology	1022 = Mathematics teacher education
601 = Accounting and related services	1024 = Social studies teacher education
602 = Business administration, management and operations	1025 = Biology teacher education
603 = Business operations support and assistant services	1026 = Chemistry teacher education
604 = Finance and financial management services	1027 = History teacher education
605 = Human resources management and services	1101 = Biomedical/medical engineering
606 = Marketing	1102 = Chemical engineering
607 = Business, management, marketing, and related support services, other	1103 = Civil engineering
608 = Management information systems and services	1104 = Computer engineering
609 = Real estate	1105 = Electrical, electronics and communications engineering
610 = Hospitality Administration/Management	1106 = Engineering technologies/technicians
701 = Communication and media studies	1107 = Environmental/environmental health engineering
702 = Communication technologies	1108 = Mechanical engineering
703 = Journalism	1109 = Engineering, other
704 = Communication/journalism/comm. tech, other	1113 = Architectural engineering
801 = Computer/information technology administration and management	1115 = Construction engineering
802 = Computer programming	1201 = Creative writing
803 = Computer science	1202 = American literature
804 = Computer software and media applications	1203 = English literature
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806 = Computer systems networking and telecommunications	1301 = Family and consumer sciences/human sciences
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808 = Data processing	1303 = Child care and support services management
809 = Information science/studies	1304 = Child care provider/assistant (also under Education)
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1007 = Teacher education: Early childhood education and teaching	1504 = Audiology/audiologist & hearing sciences
1008 = Teacher education: Elementary education and teaching	1505 = Clinical/medical lab science/allied
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1513 = Mental/social health services and allied	2507 = Systems science and theory [main CIP is Multidisc]
1514 = Clinical pastoral counseling/ patient counseling	2508 = Physical sciences, other
1515 = Nursing/registered (RN, ASN, BSN, MSN)	2601 = Behavioral psychology
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1517 = Licensed practical/vocational nurse training (LPN, LVN, Cert., Dipl., AAS)	2603 = Education/school psychology
1518 = Nurse/nursing assistant/aide and patient care assistant	2604 = Psychology, other
1519 = Optometry	2605 = Biopsychology
1520 = Osteopathic medicine/osteopathy	2701 = Public administration
1521 = Pharmacy/pharmaceutical sciences/admin	2702 = Social work
1522 = Podiatric medicine/podiatry	2703 = Public administration and social service professions, other
1523 = Public health	2801 = Biology technician/biotechnology laboratory technician
1524 = Rehabilitation & therapeutic professions	2802 = Nuclear and industrial radiologic technologies/technicians
1525 = Veterinary medicine	2803 = Physical science technologies/technicians
1526 = Health aides/attendants/orderlies	2804 = Science technologies/technician, other
1527 = Dietetics and clinical nutrition services	2808 = Electrical engineering technologies
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1604 = Legal professions and studies, other	2902 = Fire protection
1701 = Library science	2903 = Security and protective services, other
1801 = Mathematics	3001 = Anthropology
1802 = Statistics	3002 = Archeology
1803 = Mathematics and statistics, other	3003 = Criminology
1901 = Electrical/electronics maintenance and repair technology	3004 = Demography & population studies
1902 = Heating, air conditioning, ventilation and refrigeration maintenance	3005 = Economics
1903 = Vehicle maintenance and repair technologies	3006 = Geography & cartography
1904 = Mechanical/repair technologies/techs, other	3007 = History
2001 = Biological and physical sciences	3008 = International relations & affairs
2002 = Systems science and theory	3009 = Political science and government
2003 = Biopsychology	3010 = Sociology
2004 = Multi/interdisciplinary studies, other	3011 = Urban studies/affairs
2009 = Neuroscience	3012 = Social sciences, other (except psychology)
2101 = Parks, recreation and leisure studies	3101 = Transportation & materials moving
2102 = Health and physical education/fitness	3102 = Air transportation
2201 = Precision metal working	3103 = Ground transportation
2202 = Woodworking	3104 = Transportation & materials moving, other
2203 = Precision production, other	3201 = Other
2301 = Cosmetology and related personal grooming services	3301 = Liberal arts and sciences, general studies and humanities
2302 = Funeral service and mortuary science	
2303 = Culinary arts and related services	
2304 = Personal and culinary services, other	
2401 = Philosophy	
2402 = Religion/religious studies	
2403 = Theology and religious vocations	
2501 = Astronomy & astrophysics	
2502 = Atmospheric sciences and meteorology	
2503 = Chemistry	
2504 = Geological & earth sciences/geosciences	

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had declared a double major.

Recode note: 1) If TENRTPUG in (2 3) then MCMJ2SPE = 98
2) If MCDBLMAJ = 3 then MCMJ2SPE = 99

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMAJCHG

Frequency of formal major change

[if TCURENUG = 0]

How many times did you formally change your major or field of study at [TSCHUG] when you were last enrolled there for your [TDGTYPUG]?

[else]

How many times have you formally changed your major or field of study at [TSCHUG]?

0 = Never

1 = One time

2 = More than one time

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and June 2008 and had declared at least one major.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCUGYR

Undergraduate level of non-degree recipients

[if TCURENUG = 0]

What was your year or level during your most recent term at [TSCHUG] when you were last enrolled there as an undergraduate?

[else]

What is your year or level at [TSCHUG]?

1 = First year or freshman

2 = Second year or sophomore

3 = Third year or junior

4 = Fourth year or senior

5 = Fifth year or higher undergraduate

6 = Unclassified undergraduate

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program or took courses for credit between July 2005 and the time of the interview but had not earned a degree.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGPATYP

GPA measured on 4.00 scale

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Was your grade point average (GPA) at [TSCHUG] when you were last enrolled there for your [TDGTYPUG] measured on a 4.00 scale?

[else if TENRTPUG ne 1]

Was your grade point average (GPA) at [TSCHUG] when you were last enrolled there for your coursework measured on a 4.00 scale?

[else]

Is your grade point average (GPA) at [TSCHUG] measured on a 4.00 scale?

1 = Yes

2 = No, it is or was measured on another grading scale

3 = No, the school does or did not award grades

4 = Yes, but no GPA yet

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGPA

Cumulative GPA

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What was your cumulative GPA at [TSCHUG] through the end of your most recent term there for your [TDGTYPUG]?

[else if TENRTPUG ne 1]

What was your cumulative GPA at [TSCHUG] through the end of your most recent term there?

[else]

What is your cumulative GPA at [TSCHUG]?

Range: 0.00 to 4.00

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and were graded on a 4.0 scale.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGPAEST

Estimate of cumulative GPA

[if TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following best describes your grade point average at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG]?

[else]

Which of the following best describes your grade point average at [TSCHUG] through the end of your most recent term there?

1 = Mostly As (3.75 and above)

2 = As and Bs (3.25-3.74)

3 = Mostly Bs (2.75-3.24)

4 = Bs and Cs (2.25-2.74)

5 = Mostly Cs (1.75-2.24)

6 = Cs and Ds (1.25-1.74)

7 = Mostly Ds or below (below 1.24)

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, were graded on a 4.0 scale but did not report a GPA, or were graded on a scale other than 4.0.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCDROP

Ever while enrolled: withdrew from course after deadline

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you ever...

[else if TENRTPUG = 2]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, did you ever...

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], have you ever...

[Withdraw/Withdrawn] from a course after the normal drop/add deadline?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program or took courses for credit between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCINCMP

Ever while enrolled: received grade of incomplete

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you ever...

[else if TENRTPUG = 2]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, did you ever...

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], have you ever...

[Receive/Received] a grade of incomplete?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program or took courses for credit between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCRPT

Ever while enrolled: repeated course for higher grade

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you ever...

[else if TENRTPUG = 2]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, did you ever...

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], have you ever...

[Repeat/Repeated] a course for a higher grade

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program or took courses for credit between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCPROB

Ever while enrolled: placed on academic probation

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you ever...

[else if TENRTPUG = 2]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, did you ever...

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], have you ever...

[Get placed/Been] on academic probation

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program or took courses for credit between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCDISTED

Distance education: took courses

[if TCURENUG = 0]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you take any courses for credit that were distance education courses?

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], have you taken any courses for credit that were distance education courses?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program since July 2005.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCENTIRE

Distance education: entire program

[if TCURENUG = 0]

Did you complete your entire [TDGTYPUG] program at [TSCHUG] through distance education?

[else]

Are you completing your entire undergraduate program at [TSCHUG] through distance education?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program since July 2005 and took distance education courses.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCANY

location of courses

[if TCURENUG = 0]

Were the distance education courses that you were enrolled in for your [TDGTYPUG] offered through [TSCHUG], another institution, or both?

[else]

Are the distance education courses that you are enrolled in offered through [TSCHUG], another institution, or both?

1 = [TSCHUG]

2 = Another institution

3 = Both

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program since July 2005 and took distance education courses.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSCHRES

Residence while enrolled

[if TCURENUG = 0 and MCENTIRE = 1 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you live with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you live on campus, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] as an undergraduate, did you live on campus, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else if TCURENUG = 1 and MCENTIRE = 1]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], do you live with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], do you live on campus, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

1 = On-campus or in other, school-provided housing

2 = With parent(s)/guardian(s)

3 = Some place else (off campus)

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCPARDEC

Both parents deceased

[if TCURENUG = 0 and MCENTIRE = 1 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you live with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you live on campus, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] as an undergraduate, did you live on campus, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else if TCURENUG = 1 and MCENTIRE = 1]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], do you live with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], do you live on campus, with your parent(s) or guardian(s), or some place else?

Please check here if both of your parents/guardians are/were deceased.

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCDISTNC

Distance between [TSCHUG] and home

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

How far (in miles) was [TSCHUG] from your permanent home when you were last enrolled there for your [TDGTYPUG]?

[else if TENRTPUG ne 1]

How far (in miles) was [TSCHUG] from your permanent home when you were last enrolled there as an undergraduate?

[else]

How far (in miles) is [TSCHUG] from your permanent home?

Mile(s)

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, but did not complete their entire program through distance education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCNUMJOB

Number of jobs

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

How many jobs for pay did you have when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG] -- none, one, or more than one?

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

How many jobs for pay did you have when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework -- none, one, or more than one?

[else]

How many jobs are you currently working for pay -- none, one, or more than one?

job(s)

0 = None

1 = One

2 = More than one

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCONOFF*Job on or off campus*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMBJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Since you had more than one job when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], in the next set of questions please refer to the job at which you worked the most hours. Was that job located primarily on or off campus?

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

The next set of questions focuses on the job you had when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG]. Was your job located primarily on or off campus?

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMBJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

Since you had more than one job when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, in the next set of questions please refer to the one at which you worked the most hours.

Was that job located primarily on or off campus?

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 1 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

The next set of questions focuses on the job you had when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework. Was your job located primarily on or off campus?

[else if TCURENUG = 1 and MCNUMJOB = 2]

Since you have more than one job, in the next set of questions please refer to the one at which you work the most hours. Is that job located primarily on or off campus?

[else]

Is your job located primarily on or off campus?

1 = On campus

2 = Off campus

3 = Both on and off campus

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCDISTWK*Distance from [TSCHUG] to job*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

How far (in miles) was [TSCHUG] from that job?

[else]

How far (in miles) is [TSCHUG] from your job?

Miles

Applies to: Respondents who worked off campus while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSCHJOB*Type of job*

Which of the following best describes that job?

1 = Job with an employer other than [TSCHUG]

2 = Work study job

3 = Paid assistantship

4 = Cooperative employment placement (co-op)

5 = Paid practicum

6 = Job with [TSCHUG], other than work study, assistantship, co-op, or practicum

7 = None of the above

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCEMPTY*Type of employer*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

In that job, did you work for...

[else]

In your job, do you work for...

1 = [TSCHUG]

2 = A for-profit company

3 = A nonprofit organization

4 = A local, state, or federal government

5 = The military (including civilian employees of the military)

6 = None of the above; I [if TCURENUG = 1] am {else} was] self-employed

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, who worked at [TSCHUG] but not through work-study, assistantship, co-op, or practicum.

Recode note: If MCSCHJOB = 6 then MCEMPTY = 1

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCRELMAJ*Job related to major*

[if TCURENUG = 0]

Would you say that job was related to your

[TDGTYPUG] major or field of study?

[else]

Would you say your job is related to your [TDGTYPUG] major or field of study?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled in an Undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview and declared at least one major.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCERNAMT

Amount earned during school year

[if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG = 1]

How much did you earn from ALL your jobs when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

How much did you earn from ALL your jobs when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 1]

How much did you earn from this job, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 1 and MCNUMJOB = 2]

How much do you earn from ALL your jobs, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you are enrolled during the summer.

[else]

How much do you earn from this job, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you are enrolled during the summer.

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCEARNT

Time frame for school year earnings

[if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG = 1]

How much did you earn from ALL your jobs when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

How much did you earn from ALL your jobs when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMJOB = 1]

How much did you earn from this job, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 1 and MCNUMJOB = 2]

How much do you earn from ALL your jobs, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you are enrolled during the summer.

[else]

How much do you earn from this job, before taxes and other deductions? Please exclude summer employment unless you are enrolled during the summer.

1 = For the entire school year

2 = Per term/semester

3 = Per month

4 = Per week

5 = Per hour

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCERNS

Number of months or terms worked

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

About how many [{if MCEARNT = 2} terms {else if MCEARNT = 3} months] did you work during the last school year you were enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG]? Please exclude summer employment unless

you were enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

About how many [{if MCEARNT = 2} terms {else if MCEARNT = 3} months] did you work during the last school year you were enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework? Please exclude summer employment unless you were enrolled during the summer.

[else]

How many [{if MCEARNT = 2} terms {else if MCEARNT = 3} months] will you have worked while you were enrolled at [TSCHUG] during the 2007-2008 school year? Please exclude summer employment unless you

were enrolled during the summer.

[if MCEARNT = 2] term(s)

[else if MCEARNT = 3] month(s)

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, and reported earnings in terms, semesters or months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCHOURS*Hours worked weekly*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMBJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], how many hours did you work per week (on average) at ALL your jobs? Please exclude summer hours if you were not enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMBJOB = 2 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, how many hours did you work per week (on average) at ALL your jobs? Please exclude summer hours if you were not enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMBJOB = 1 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], how many hours did you work per week (on average)? Please exclude summer hours if you were not enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 0 and MCNUMBJOB = 1 and TENRTPUG ne 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, how many hours did you work per week (on average)? Please exclude summer hours if you were not enrolled during the summer.

[else if TCURENUG = 1 and MCNUMJOB = 2]
While enrolled at [TSCHUG], how many hours do you work per week (on average) at ALL your jobs? Please exclude summer hours if you were not enrolled during the summer.

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG], how many hours do you work per week (on average)? Please exclude summer hours if you were not enrolled during the summer.
hour(s)

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWKSWK*Proportion of weeks worked*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

During your last year at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG], did you work all of the weeks you were enrolled, most of them, half of them, or less than half?

[else if TENRTPUG ne 1]

During your last year at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, did you work all of the weeks you were enrolled, most of them, half of them, or less than half?

[else]

While at [TSCHUG] in 2007-2008, would you say you worked all of the weeks you were enrolled, most of them, half of them, or less than half?

1 = All

2 = Most

3 = Half

4 = Less than half

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCTOTERN*Total earnings while enrolled*

MCTOTERN is an internal variable indicating total earnings from employment while enrolled.

Initialize MCTOTERN to -9.

If MCNUMJOB = 0 then MCTOTERN = -3

If MCEARNT = -9 then MCTOTERN = -9

else if MCEARNT = 1 and MCERNAMT > 0
then MCTOTERN = MCERNAMT

else if MCEARNT = 2 AND 1 <= MCERNS <= 4 and
MCERNAMT > 0

then MCTOTERN = MCERNAMT * MCERNS

else if MCEARNT = 2 and MCERNS = -9

then MCTOTERN = -9

else if MCEARNT = 2 and MCERNS >= 5

then MCTOTERN = -6

else if MCEARNT = 3 and 1 <= MCERNS <= 12 and
MCERNAMT > 0

then MCTOTERN = MCERNAMT * MCERNS

else if MCEARNT = 3 and MCERNS in (-6 -9)

then MCTOTERN = MCERNS

else if MCEARNT = 4 and MCERNAMT > 0 and
MCWKSWK > 0

then MCTOTERN = MCERNAMT * (5-
MCWKSWK) * 9

else if MCEARNT = 4 and MCWKSWK = -9

then MCTOTERN = -9

else if MCEARNT = 5 and MCERNAMT > 0 and
MCHOURS > 0 and MCWKSWK > 0

then MCTOTERN = MCERNAMT * MCHOURS *
(5-MCWKSWK) * 9

else if MCEARNT = 5 and MCHOURS in (-6 -9)

then MCTOTERN = MCHOURS

else if MCEARNT = 5 and MCWKSWK in (-6 -9)

then MCTOTERN = MCWKSWK

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCENRWRK

Primary role while enrolled

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG] and working, would you say you were primarily...

[else if TENRTPUG ne 1]

When you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] for your undergraduate coursework, and working, would you say you were primarily...

[else]

While enrolled at [TSCHUG] and working, would you say you are primarily...

1 = A student working to meet expenses or

2 = An employee who decided to enroll in school

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCAFFORD

Afford school without working

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Could you have afforded to attend [TSCHUG] for your [TDGTYPUG] if you had not worked?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Could you have afforded to attend [TSCHUG] if you had not worked?

[else]

Could you afford to attend [TSCHUG] if you were not working?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKA

Reason for working: pay living expenses

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To pay living expenses such as housing, utilities, and transportation

0 = Not to pay living expenses

1 = Yes, to pay living expenses

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKB

Reason for working: pay educational expenses

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To pay educational expenses such as tuition, fees, books, and supplies

0 = Not to pay educational expenses

1 = Yes, to pay educational expenses

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKC

Reason for working: earn spending money

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To earn spending money

0 = Not to earn spending money

1 = Yes, to earn spending money

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKD

Reason for working: minimize debt

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To minimize the amount of debt you have

0 = Not to minimize debt

1 = Yes, to minimize debt

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKE*Reason for working: gain job experience*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To gain job experience

0 = Not to gain job experience

1 = Yes, to gain job experience

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKF*Reason for working: send money home*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To send money home

0 = Not to send money home

1 = Yes, to send money home

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKG*Reason for working: meet parents' expectations*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

To meet your parents' expectations that you work

0 = Not to meet parents' expectations

1 = Yes, to meet parents' expectations

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKH*Reason for working: other*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

Another reason not listed

0 = No other reason

1 = Yes, other reasons

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCWRKS*Reason for working: other specify*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What were your reasons for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What are your reasons for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and chose other reason for working.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCMNRSN*Main reason for working*

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

What was your main reason for working when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

What was your main reason for working when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

What is your main reason for working while you are enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

0 = Pay living expenses

1 = Pay educational expenses

2 = Earn spending money

3 = To minimize the amount of debt you have

4 = To gain job experience

5 = To send money home

6 = Meet parents' expectations to work

7 = None of the above

Applies to: Respondents who worked while enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and chose more than one reason for working.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

M CPRPAA

Help from parents: tuition and fees

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Which of the following have your parents or guardians helped you to pay?

Tuition and fees

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

M CPRPAB

Help from parents: other educational expenses

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Which of the following have your parents or guardians helped you to pay?

Other educational expenses such as books and supplies

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

M CPRPAC

Help from parents: housing costs

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Which of the following have your parents or guardians helped you to pay?

Housing costs, including utilities

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

M CPRPAD

Help from parents: other living expenses

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Which of the following have your parents or guardians helped you to pay?

Other living expenses such as food (meal plan) and transportation

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

M CPRPAE

Help from parents: no financial support

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Which of the following have your parents or guardians helped you to pay?

None of the above - no financial assistance from parents

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCPARDC2

Help from parents: both parents deceased

[if TCURENUG = 0 and TENRTPUG = 1]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled for your [TDGTYPUG] at [TSCHUG]?

[else if TCURENUG = 0]

Which of the following did your parents or guardians help you pay when you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

[else]

Which of the following have your parents or guardians helped you to pay?

None of the above - both parents or guardians ({If T_CURENRUG = 0} were {else} are) deceased

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview and whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Recode note: If MCPARDEC = 1 then MCPARDC2 = 1

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCUGLN

Any undergraduate loans

[if (MBANY = 0 and MBCHECK = 0) or TEVRUG = 0 or TCURENUG = 2]

Now we'd like to ask you about any financial aid you may have received to help pay for your undergraduate education prior to July 1, 2005. Did you take out any type of education loans to help pay for your undergraduate education?

[else]

Did you take out any type of education loans to help pay for your undergraduate education?

0 = No

1 = Yes

3 = Yes, but enrolled in dual program

Applies to: All respondents.

Recode note: If MCUGLAM = 0 then MCUGLN = 0

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNTYA

Type of undergraduate loan: federal

[if MCUGLN = 3]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your education since high school?

[else]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your undergraduate education?

Federal loans, such as Stafford or Perkins loans

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNTYB

Type of undergraduate loan: private

[if MCUGLN = 3]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your education since high school?

[else]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your undergraduate education?

Private loans, such as Sallie Mae Signature, CitiAssist, and EXCEL loans

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNTYC

Type of undergraduate loan: other

[if MCUGLN = 3]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your education since high school?

[else]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your undergraduate education?

Other types of loans

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNTYS

Type of undergraduate loan: other specify

[if MCUGLN = 3]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your education since high school?

[else]

What type of loans did you borrow to help pay for your undergraduate education?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSA

Reason for undergraduate private loan: did not qualify for other aid
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Aid package received did not cover the full cost of tuition, fees, and other expenses

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSB

Reason for undergraduate private loan: did not qualify for other aid
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Did not qualify for other aid

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSC

Reason for undergraduate private loan: loan application faster
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Private loan application process was fast and easy

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSD

Reason for undergraduate private loan: missed FAFSA deadline
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Missed the FAFSA application deadline

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSE

Reason for undergraduate private loan: federal loan disbursement late
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Federal loan disbursement date was past date that tuition was due

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSF

Reason for undergraduate private loan: no difference in terms
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

There was no difference in the terms of the private loan compared to other student loans available

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSG

Reason for undergraduate private loan: deferment of loan repayment
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Loan repayment could be deferred until after graduation

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSH

Reason for undergraduate private loan: issued directly to student
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education? Private education loan checks are issued directly to the student rather than distributed by institution's aid office

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSI

Reason for undergraduate private loan: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Other reason

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNRSS

Reason for undergraduate private loan: other specify
[if MCUGLN = 3]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your education since high school?
[else]

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans for your undergraduate education?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who took out private loans for their undergraduate education and chose other reason for private loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCUGLAM

Amount borrowed for undergraduate education
[if MCUGLN = 3]

How much did you borrow in student loans for your education since high school? Please do not include any money borrowed from family or friends.

[else if TEVRUG = 0]

How much did you borrow in student loans for your entire undergraduate education? Please do not include any money borrowed from family or friends.

[else]

How much have you borrowed in student loans for your entire undergraduate education? Please do not include any money borrowed from family or friends.

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCUGOWE

Amount owed for undergraduate education

How much of that amount do you still owe?

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan amount of greater than 0.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNWRTH

Consider loan debt a worthwhile investment

[if MCUGLN = 3]

Do you consider your student loan debt to be a worthwhile investment in your future?

[else]

Do you consider your undergraduate student loan debt to be a worthwhile investment in your future?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINL

Loan debt influenced enrollment plans

[if MCUGLN = 3]

Has the amount of student loan debt you have from your education since high school influenced your enrollment plans and decisions in any way?

[else]

Has the amount of student loan debt you have from your undergraduate education influenced your enrollment plans and decisions in any way?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who took out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYA

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: increased classes

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Increased the number of classes or credits taken in a term to complete requirements sooner

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYB

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: enrolled during summer
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Enrolled during summer sessions to complete requirements sooner
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYC

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: changed major
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Changed major or selected a particular major to minimize loans needed
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYD

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: decreased number of courses
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Decreased the number of courses or credits taken each term to decrease cost of attendance
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYE

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: took terms off
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt

influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Took one or more terms off from school to help pay cost of attendance
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYF

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: postponed enrolling
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Postponed enrolling for additional education or training
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYG

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: lived at home
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Lived at home to help pay cost of attendance.
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIYH

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]
In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
[else]
In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?
Other reason not listed
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIN2

Loan debt influenced enrollment: radio: other specify

[if MCUGLN = 3]

Please specify in what other way(s) your student loan debt has influenced your enrollment plans and decisions.
[else]

Please specify in what other way(s) your undergraduate student loan debt has influenced your enrollment plans and decisions.

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the radio button version of this form and chose other way that the loan influenced enrollment.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINA

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: increased classes

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Increased the number of classes or credits taken in a term to complete requirements sooner

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINB

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: enrolled during summer

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Enrolled during summer sessions to complete requirements sooner

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINC

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: changed major

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Changed major or selected a particular major to minimize

loans needed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIND

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: decreased number of courses

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Decreased the number of courses or credits taken each term to decrease cost of attendance

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINE

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: took terms off

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Took one or more terms off from school to help pay cost of attendance

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINF

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: postponed enrolling

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Postponed enrolling for additional education or training

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINH

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: lived at home
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Lived at home to help pay cost of attendance.

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNING

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Other reason not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNINS

Loan debt influenced enrollment: checkbox: other specify
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the checkbox version of this form and chose other way that the loan influenced enrollment.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNIT01

Loan debt influenced enrollment 1: text box
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and were administered the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNID01

Loan debt influenced enrollment 1: self-coded drop downs

How would you categorize the answer(s) you gave?

(Please match your response(s) provided below to a category from the drop down list.)

- 1 = Increased the number of classes or credits taken in a term to complete requirements sooner
- 2 = Enrolled during summer sessions to complete requirements sooner
- 3 = Changed major or selected a particular major to minimize loans needed
- 4 = Decreased the number of courses or credits taken each term to decrease cost of attendance
- 5 = Took one or more terms off from school to help pay cost of attendance
- 6 = Postponed enrolling for additional education or training
- 7 = Lived at home to help pay cost of attendance
- 8 = Other

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education and provided at least one response to the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFA

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: increased classes
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Increased the number of classes or credits taken in a term to complete requirements sooner

0 = Did not increase classes

1 = Yes, increased classes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFB

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: enrolled during summer
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Enrolled during summer sessions to complete requirements sooner

0 = Did not enroll during summer

1 = Yes, enrolled during summer

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFC

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: changed major
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Changed major or selected a particular major to minimize loans needed

0 = Did not change major

1 = Yes, changed major

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFD

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: decreased number of courses
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Decreased the number of courses or credits taken each term to decrease cost of attendance

0 = Did not decrease classes

1 = Yes, decreased classes

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFE

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: took terms off
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Took one or more terms off from school to help pay

cost of attendance

0 = Did not take off terms

1 = Yes, took off terms

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFF

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: postponed enrolling
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Postponed enrolling for additional education or training

0 = Did not postpone enrolling

1 = Yes, postponed enrolling

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFG

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: lived at home
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Lived at home to help pay cost of attendance

0 = Did not move back home

1 = Yes, moved back home

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFH

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Other reason not listed

0 = No other reasons

1 = Yes, other reasons

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCLNFS

Loan debt influenced enrollment: combined; other specify
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your enrollment plans and decisions?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents whose enrollment plans were affected by taking out a loan for their undergraduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCPELL

Receive a PELL grant

Have you received a PELL grant since July 2005?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMART

Familiar with SMART grant

Are you familiar with the National SMART Grant that is available for some undergraduates?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a PELL grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTA

SMART awareness: minimum GPA

The following conditions are requirements to receive a SMART grant. Please indicate whether you were aware of each of these requirements.

Minimum GPA of 3.0

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a PELL grant and were familiar with the SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTB

SMART awareness: PELL eligibility

The following conditions are requirements to receive a SMART grant. Please indicate whether you were aware of each of these requirements.

Eligibility for the PELL grant

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008, received a PELL grant, and were familiar with the SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTC

SMART awareness: full-time enrollment in 4-year program

The following conditions are requirements to receive a SMART grant. Please indicate whether you were aware of each of these requirements.

Full-time enrollment in a 4-year degree program

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008, received a PELL grant, and were familiar with the SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTD

SMART awareness: 3rd or 4th year student

The following conditions are requirements to receive a SMART grant. Please indicate whether you were aware of each of these requirements.

Enrollment as a junior or senior (3rd or 4th year student)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008, received a PELL grant, and were familiar with the SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTE

SMART awareness: major requirement

The following conditions are requirements to receive a SMART grant. Please indicate whether you were aware of each of these requirements.

Major in science, math, engineering, technology, or a critical foreign language

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008, received a PELL grant, and were familiar with the SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTRC

Received SMART grant

Have you received a SMART Grant?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008, received a PELL grant, and were familiar with the SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMTG*Change major for SMART grant*

Did you change your major in order to be eligible for a SMART Grant?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRTY*SMART grant: number of years*

Have you received a SMART grant for one year or two?

1 = 1 year

2 = 2 years

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRA*SMART for only one year: major not eligible*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

Had a major that was not eligible for the grant

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRB*SMART for only one year: did not meet minimum GPA*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

Did not meet minimum GPA requirements

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRD*SMART for only one year: did not maintain full time status*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

Did not maintain full time student status

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRE*SMART for only one year: eligible only as a senior*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

Was only eligible for SMART grant for last year (i.e., senior year) of undergraduate degree program

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRG*SMART for only one year: currently a junior*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

I am a junior (3rd year student)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRF*SMART for only one year: other*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

Other reason not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCSMRS*SMART for only one year: other specify*

Why did you only receive a SMART grant for one year?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and June 2008 and received a SMART grant for only one year and chose other reason.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRETR

Received employee tuition reimbursement

[If TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR = 1 and TDGTYPGR = 6]

For the next set of questions, please answer about your post-baccalaureate training at [TSCHGR]. Did you receive any employer tuition reimbursement to help pay for your [TDGTYPGR] at [TSCHGR]?

[else if TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR = 1 and TDGTYPGR ne 6]

For the next set of questions, please answer about your graduate enrollment at [TSCHGR]. Did you receive any employer tuition reimbursement to help pay for your [TDGTYPGR] at [TSCHGR]?

[else if TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR in (2 3)]

For the next set of questions, please answer about your graduate enrollment at [TSCHGR]. Did you receive any employer tuition reimbursement to help pay for your graduate or post-baccalaureate coursework at [TSCHGR]?

[else if TCURENGR = 1 and TENRTPGR = 1 and TDGTYPGR = 6]

For the next set of questions, please answer about your post-baccalaureate training at [TSCHGR]. Have you received any employer tuition reimbursement to help pay for your [TDGTYPGR] at [TSCHGR]?

[else if TCURENGR = 1 and TENRTPGR = 1 and TDGTYPGR ne 6]

For the next set of questions, please answer about your graduate enrollment at [TSCHGR]. Have you received any employer tuition reimbursement to help pay for your [TDGTYPGR] at [TSCHGR]?

[else]

For the next set of questions, please answer about your graduate enrollment at [TSCHGR]. Have you received any employer tuition reimbursement to help pay for your graduate or post-baccalaureate coursework at [TSCHGR]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRAS

Received graduate assistantship

[if TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR = 1]

Did you have a teaching, research, or other graduate assistantship when you were last enrolled at [TSCHGR] for your [TDGTYPGR]?

[else if TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR in (2 3)]

Did you have a teaching, research, or other graduate assistantship when you were last enrolled at [TSCHGR] for your graduate or post-baccalaureate coursework?

[else]

Do you currently have a teaching, research, or other graduate assistantship at [TSCHGR]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRFLW

Received graduate fellowship/scholarship

[If TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR = 1]

Were you awarded any kind of fellowship or scholarship when you were last enrolled at [TSCHGR] for your [TDGTYPGR]?

[else if TCURENGR = 0 and TENRTPGR in (2 3)]

Were you awarded any kind of fellowship or scholarship when you were last enrolled at [TSCHGR] for your graduate or post-baccalaureate coursework?

[else if TCURENGR = 1 and TENRTPGR = 1]

Have you been awarded any kind of fellowship or scholarship for your [TDGTYPGR] at [TSCHGR]?

[else]

Have you been awarded any kind of fellowship or scholarship for your graduate or post-baccalaureate coursework at [TSCHGR]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLN

Any graduate loans

Did you take out a loan to help pay for any graduate education or post-baccalaureate training?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, and could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLTA

Graduate loan type: federal

What type of loans did you receive to help pay for your graduate education or post-baccalaureate training? A federal loan, such as a Stafford, Perkins, or Graduate PLUS loan

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLTB

Graduate loan type: private

What type of loans did you receive to help pay for your graduate education or post-baccalaureate training? A private loan, such as a Sallie Mae Signature, CitiAssist, or EXCEL loan

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLTC

Graduate loan type: other

What type of loans did you receive to help pay for your graduate education or post-baccalaureate training?

Other type of loan

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLTS

Graduate loan type: other specify

What type of loans did you receive to help pay for your graduate education or post-baccalaureate training?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out loans for their graduate education and chose other type of graduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRA

Reason for graduate private loan: aid package did not cover cost

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?

Aid package received did not cover the full cost of tuition, fees, and other expenses

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRB

Reason for graduate private loan: did not qualify for other aid

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?

Did not qualify for other aid

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student

between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRC

Reason for graduate private loan: loan application faster

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?

Private loan application process was fast and easy

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRD

Reason for graduate private loan: missed FAFSA deadline

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?

Missed the FAFSA application deadline

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRE

Reason for graduate private loan: federal loan disbursement late

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?

Federal loan disbursement date was past date that tuition was due

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRF

Reason for graduate private loan: no difference in terms

What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?

There was no difference in the terms of the private loan compared

to other student loans available

0 = Not because no difference in terms

1 = Yes, because no difference in terms

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRG

Reason for graduate private loan: deferment of loan repayment
What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?
Loan repayment could be deferred until after graduation
0 = Not because of loan repayment deferment
1 = Yes, because of loan repayment deferment
Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRH

Reason for graduate private loan: issued directly to student
What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?
Private education loan checks are issued directly to the student rather than distributed by institution's aid office
0 = Not because issued directly to student
1 = Yes, because issued directly to student
Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRI

Reason for graduate private loan: other
What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?
Other reason
0 = No other reasons
1 = Yes, other reasons
Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRLRS

Reason for graduate private loan: other specify
What reasons did you have for taking out private loans?
Please specify:
Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out private loans for their graduate education and chose other reason for taking out graduate private loans.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGRAMT

Amount borrowed for graduate education
[if TCURENGR = 0]
How much did you borrow in student loans for your entire graduate education and/or post-baccalaureate training? (Please do not include any money borrowed from family or friends.)

[else]
How much have you already borrowed in student loans for your entire graduate education and/or post-baccalaureate training? (Please do not include any money borrowed from family or friends.)
Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out loans for their graduate education.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCGOWE

Amount owed for graduate education
How much of that amount do you still owe?
Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled as a graduate student between July 2005 and the time of the interview, could distinguish between their undergraduate and graduate loans, and took out loans for their graduate education, and reported an amount greater than 0.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCRPYST

Currently repaying any education loans
[if MCUGLN = 3]
Are you currently repaying any of the educational loans for your education since high school?
[else]
Are you currently repaying any educational loans for your undergraduate education?
0 = No
1 = Yes
Applies to: Respondents who owed money on their undergraduate loans.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCRPYAMT

Monthly payment on education loans
[if MCUGLN = 3]
How much do you pay each month for your education loans?
[else]
How much do you pay each month for your undergraduate education loans?
Applies to: Respondents who currently were repaying their undergraduate loans.
Recode note: If MCRPYST = 0 then MCRPYAMT = 0
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCNTPAY

Reason not currently repaying loans

[if MCUGLN = 3] Why are you not yet repaying your education loans?

[else]

Why are you not yet repaying your undergraduate loans?

- 1 = Currently enrolled and not yet required to pay loans
- 2 = Loans are in forbearance
- 3 = Loans have been cancelled
- 4 = Loans are in an individualized, income-contingent loan repayment plan which does not yet require repayment
- 5 = Loans are still within 6-month grace period since graduation
- 6 = Loans have been discharged due to personal bankruptcy
- 7 = Other reason not listed

Applies to: Respondents who currently were not repaying their undergraduate loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCNTPAS

Reason not currently repaying loans: other specify

[if MCUGLN = 3]

Why are you not yet repaying your education loans?

[else]

Why are you not yet repaying your undergraduate loans?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who currently were not repaying their undergraduate loans and chose other reason for not repaying loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MCFAMLN

Help repaying loans

[if MCUGLN = 3]

Do you expect that anyone, such as family or friends, will help you repay your education loans?

[else]

Do you expect that anyone, such as family or friends, will help you repay your undergraduate loans?

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who currently were repaying their undergraduate loans or were not repaying except for those whose reasons were loan cancellation or discharge due to bankruptcy.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

Section D: Employment

MDJSTAT

Currently employed

Are you currently employed?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJBTL

Job title

What is your job title and what do you do in your job?(Please enter your job title and duties in the textboxes below and click on the "Search for Occupation" button. If you have more than one job, please refer to the job at which you work the most hours when answering the next few questions.)

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJBDY

Job duties

What is your job title and what do you do in your job?(Please enter your job title and duties in the textboxes below and click on the "Search for Occupation" button. If you have more than one job, please refer to the job at which you work the most hours when answering the next few questions.)

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDOCC2

Occupation: general code

What is your job title and what do you do in your job?(Please enter your job title and duties in the textboxes below and click on the "Search for Occupation" button. If you have more than one job, please refer to the job at which you work the most hours when answering the next few questions.)

11 = Management Occupations

13 = Business and Financial Operations Occupations

15 = Computer and Mathematical Occupations

17 = Architecture and Engineering Occupations

19 = Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations

21 = Community and Social Services Occupations

23 = Legal Occupations

25 = Education, Training, and Library Occupations

27 = Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations

29 = Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations

31 = Healthcare Support Occupations

33 = Protective Service Occupations

35 = Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations

37 = Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations

39 = Personal Care and Service Occupations

41 = Sales and Related Occupations

43 = Office and Administrative Support Occupations

45 = Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations

47 = Construction and Extraction Occupations

49 = Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations

51 = Production Occupations

53 = Transportation and Material Moving Occupations

55 = Military Specific Occupations

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDOCC3*Occupation: specific code*

What is your job title and what do you do in your job?
 (Please enter your job title and duties in the textboxes
 below and click on the "Search for Occupation" button.
 If you have more than one job, please refer to the job at
 which you work the most hours when answering the next
 few questions.)

111 = Top executives
 112 = Advertising/marketing/etc manager
 113 = Operations specialties manager
 119 = Other management
 131 = Business operations specialist
 132 = Financial specialist
 151 = Computer specialist
 152 = Mathematical science
 171 = Architects, surveyors, and cartographers
 172 = Engineers
 173 = Drafter/engineering/mapping technician
 191 = Life scientists
 192 = Physical scientists
 193 = Social scientists and related workers
 194 = Life/physical/social science technician
 211 = Counselor/social worker/other specialist
 212 = Religious workers
 231 = Lawyers, judges, and related workers
 232 = Legal support workers
 251 = Postsecondary teacher
 252 = Primary/secondary/special ed teacher
 253 = Other teachers and instructors
 254 = Librarians, curators, and archivists
 259 = Other education/training/library
 271 = Art and design workers
 272 = Entertainer/performer/sports/related
 273 = Media and communication
 274 = Media and communication equipment
 291 = Health diagnosing/treating practitioner
 292 = Health technologists and technicians
 299 = Other healthcare practitioner/technical
 311 = Nursing/psychiatric/home health aide
 312 = Occupational/physical therapist aide
 319 = Other healthcare support
 331 = First-line manager, protective service
 332 = Fire fighting and prevention
 333 = Law enforcement
 339 = Other protective service
 351 = Supervisor, food preparation and serving
 352 = Cooks and food preparation
 353 = Food and beverage serving
 359 = Other food preparation/serving related
 371 = Supervisor, building/grounds maintenance
 372 = Building cleaning and pest control
 373 = Grounds maintenance
 391 = Supervisor, personal care and service
 392 = Animal care and service
 393 = Entertainment attendants and related
 394 = Funeral service

395 = Personal appearance
 396 = Transportation/tourism/lodging attendant
 399 = Other personal care and service
 411 = Supervisors, sales
 412 = Retail sales
 413 = Sales representative, services
 414 = Sales representative, wholesale, etc
 419 = Other sales and related
 431 = Supervisor, office/administrative
 432 = Communications equipment operators
 433 = Financial clerks
 434 = Information and record clerks
 435 = Material recording, scheduling, etc
 436 = Secretaries and administrative assistant
 439 = Other office and administrative support
 451 = Supervisor, farming/fishing/forestry
 452 = Agricultural
 453 = Fishing and hunting
 454 = Forest, conservation, and logging
 471 = Supervisors, construction and extraction
 472 = Construction trades
 473 = Helpers, construction trades
 474 = Other construction and related
 475 = Extraction
 491 = Supervisor, installation, etc
 492 = Electrical equipment installer, etc
 493 = Vehicle/mobile equipment installers, etc
 499 = Other installation, etc
 511 = Supervisors, production
 512 = Assemblers and fabricators
 513 = Food processing
 514 = Metal workers and plastic
 515 = Printing
 516 = Textile, apparel, and furnishings
 517 = Woodworkers
 518 = Plant and system operators
 519 = Other production
 531 = Supervisor, transportation/moving
 532 = Air transportation
 533 = Motor vehicle operator
 534 = Rail transportation
 535 = Water transportation
 536 = Other transportation
 537 = Material moving
 551 = Military officer special/ tactical ops
 552 = First-line enlisted military supervisor
 553 = Enlisted tactical ops, air/weapon crew

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDOCC6

Occupation: detailed code

What is your job title and what do you do in your job?
 (Please enter your job title and duties in the textboxes below and click on the "Search for Occupation" button. If you have more than one job, please refer to the job at which you work the most hours when answering the next few questions.)

- 111011 = Chief execs, landscaping/groundskeeping
- 111021 = General and operations managers
- 111031 = Legislators, tree trimmers and pruners
- 112011 = Advertising and promotions managers
- 112021 = Marketing managers, gaming supervisors
- 112022 = Sales managers, slot key persons
- 112031 = Public relations managers
- 113011 = Admin services manager, animal trainer
- 113021 = Computer/information systems managers
- 113031 = Financial managers
- 113041 = Compensation and benefits managers
- 113042 = Training and development managers
- 113049 = Human resources managers, all other
- 113051 = Industrial production managers
- 113061 = Purchasing managers
- 113071 = Transportation,storage,etc manager
- 119011 = Farm/ranch/other agricultural managers
- 119012 = Farmers and ranchers
- 119021 = Construction managers
- 119031 = Ed administrator/preschool/child care
- 119032 = Ed administrator, elementary/secondary
- 119033 = Ed administrator, postsecondary
- 119039 = Ed administrator, all other
- 119041 = Engineering managers
- 119051 = Food service managers
- 119061 = Funeral directors
- 119071 = Gaming managers
- 119081 = Lodging managers
- 119111 = Medical and health services managers
- 119121 = Natural sciences managers
- 119131 = Postmasters and mail superintendents
- 119141 = Property,real estate,etc managers
- 119151 = Social and community service managers
- 119199 = Managers, all other
- 131011 = Agent/business manager of artists
- 131021 = Purchasing agent/buyer, farm products
- 131022 = Wholesale/retail buyer, except farm
- 131023 = Purchasing agent, except wholesale
- 131031 = Claims adjuster, examiner, investigator
- 131032 = Insurance appraisers, auto damage
- 131041 = Compliance officer (not agriculture)
- 131051 = Cost estimators
- 131061 = Emergency management specialists
- 131071 = Employment, recruitment, specialist
- 131072 = Compensation, benefits, specialist
- 131073 = Training and development specialists
- 131079 = Hr/training/specialists, all other
- 131081 = Logisticians
- 131111 = Management analysts

- 131121 = Meeting and convention planners
- 131199 = Business ops specialists, all other
- 132011 = Accountants and auditors
- 132021 = Appraisers and assessors of real estate
- 132031 = Budget analysts
- 132041 = Credit analysts
- 132051 = Financial analysts
- 132052 = Personal financial advisors
- 132053 = Insurance underwriters
- 132061 = Financial examiners
- 132071 = Loan counselors
- 132072 = Loan officers
- 132081 = Tax examiner, collector, revenue agent
- 132082 = Tax preparers
- 132099 = Financial specialists, all other
- 151011 = Computer and info scientist, research
- 151021 = Computer programmers
- 151031 = Computer software engineer, applications
- 151032 = Computer software engineer, systems
- 151041 = Computer support specialists
- 151051 = Computer systems analysts
- 151061 = Database administrators
- 151071 = Network/computer systems administrator
- 151081 = Network system/data analyst
- 151099 = Computer specialists, all other
- 152011 = Actuaries
- 152021 = Mathematicians
- 152031 = Operations research analysts
- 152041 = Statisticians
- 152091 = Mathematical technicians
- 152099 = Mathematical scientists, all other
- 171011 = Architects, except landscape and naval
- 171012 = Landscape architects
- 171021 = Cartographers and photogrammetrists
- 171022 = Surveyors
- 172011 = Aerospace engineer
- 172021 = Agricultural engineer
- 172031 = Biomedical engineer
- 172041 = Chemical engineer
- 172051 = Civil engineer
- 172061 = Computer hardware engineer
- 172071 = Electrical engineer
- 172072 = Electronics engineer, except computer
- 172081 = Environmental engineer
- 172111 = Health/safety engineer, except mining
- 172112 = Industrial engineer
- 172121 = Marine engineer and naval architect
- 172131 = Materials engineer
- 172141 = Mechanical engineer
- 172151 = Geological engineer, including mining
- 172161 = Nuclear engineer
- 172171 = Petroleum engineer
- 172199 = Engineer, all other
- 173011 = Architectural and civil drafter
- 173012 = Electrical and electronics drafter
- 173013 = Mechanical drafter
- 173019 = Drafter, all other

173021 = Aerospace engineer/ops technician	211015 = Rehabilitation counselors
173022 = Civil engineering technician	211019 = Counselors, all other
173023 = Electrical engineering technician	211021 = Child, family, and school social workers
173024 = Electro-mechanical technician	211022 = Medical and public health social workers
173025 = Environmental engineering technician	211023 = Mental health/substance social worker
173026 = Industrial engineering technician	211029 = Social workers, all other
173027 = Mechanical engineering technician	211091 = Health educators
173029 = Engineering tech, other (except drafter)	211092 = Probation officer/correctional treatment
173031 = Surveying and mapping technician	211093 = Social and human service assistants
191011 = Animal scientists	211099 = Community/social specialist, other
191012 = Food scientists and technologists	212011 = Clergy
191013 = Soil and plant scientists	212021 = Director, religious activities, and edu
191021 = Biochemists and biophysicists	212099 = Religious workers, all other
191022 = Microbiologists	231011 = Lawyers
191023 = Zoologists and wildlife biologists	231021 = Administrative law judge, etc
191029 = Biological scientists, all other	231022 = Arbitrators, mediators, and conciliators
191031 = Conservation scientists	231023 = Judge, magistrate judge, magistrate
191032 = Foresters	232011 = Paralegals and legal assistants
191041 = Epidemiologists	232091 = Court reporters
191042 = Medical scientist, except epidemiologist	232092 = Law clerks
191099 = Life scientists, all other	232093 = Title examiner, abstractor, and searcher
192011 = Astronomers	232099 = Legal support workers, all other
192012 = Physicists	251011 = Business, postsecondary
192021 = Atmospheric and space scientists	251021 = Computer science, postsecondary
192031 = Chemists	251022 = Mathematical science, postsecondary
192032 = Materials scientists	251031 = Architecture, postsecondary
192041 = Environmental scientist, includes health	251032 = Engineering teachers, postsecondary
192042 = Geoscientist, except hydrologists	251041 = Agricultural science, postsecondary
192043 = Hydrologists	251042 = Biological science, postsecondary
192099 = Physical scientists, all other	251043 = Forestry/conservation sci, postsecondary
193011 = Economists	251051 = Atmospheric science, postsecondary
193021 = Market research analysts	251052 = Chemistry, postsecondary
193022 = Survey researchers	251053 = Environmental science, postsecondary
193031 = Clinical/counseling/school psychologist	251054 = Physics, postsecondary
193032 = Industrial-organizational psychologists	251061 = Anthropology/archeology, postsecondary
193039 = Psychologists, all other	251062 = Area/ethnic/cultural, postsecondary
193041 = Sociologists	251063 = Economics, postsecondary
193051 = Urban and regional planners	251064 = Geography, postsecondary
193091 = Anthropologists and archeologists	251065 = Political science, postsecondary
193092 = Geographers	251066 = Psychology, postsecondary
193093 = Historians	251067 = Sociology, postsecondary
193094 = Political scientists	251069 = Social science, postsecondary, all other
193099 = Social scientist and related, other	251071 = Health specialties, postsecondary
194011 = Agricultural and food science technician	251072 = Nurse instructor/teacher, postsecondary
194021 = Biological technician	251081 = Education, postsecondary
194031 = Chemical technician	251082 = Library science, postsecondary
194041 = Geological and petroleum technician	251111 = Criminal justice, etc, postsecondary
194051 = Nuclear technician	251112 = Law, postsecondary
194061 = Social science research assistant	251113 = Social work, postsecondary
194091 = Environmental/protection science tech	251121 = Art, drama, and music, postsecondary
194092 = Forensic science technician	251122 = Communications, postsecondary
194093 = Forest and conservation technician	251123 = English lang/literature, postsecondary
194099 = Life/physical technician, other	251124 = Foreign lang/literature, postsecondary
211011 = Substance abuse/behavioral counselor	251125 = History, postsecondary
211012 = Ed, vocational, and school counselor	251126 = Philosophy and religion, postsecondary
211013 = Marriage and family therapists	251191 = Graduate teaching assistants
211014 = Mental health counselors	251192 = Home economics, postsecondary

251193 = Recreation/fitness, postsecondary	273043 = Writers and authors
251194 = Vocational education, postsecondary	273091 = Interpreters and translators
251199 = All other, postsecondary	273099 = Media/communication worker, all other
252011 = Preschool teacher, except special ed	274011 = Audio and video equipment technicians
252012 = Kindergarten teacher, except special ed	274012 = Broadcast technicians
252021 = Elementary teacher, except special ed	274013 = Radio operators
252022 = Middle teacher, except special/voc	274014 = Sound engineering technicians
252023 = Vocational ed teacher, middle	274021 = Photographers
252031 = Secondary teacher, except special/ voc ed	274031 = Camera operator/tv/video/motion picture
252032 = Vocational ed teacher, secondary	274032 = Film and video editors
252041 = Special ed teacher, pre-k/k/elementary	274099 = Media/communication equipment, all other
252042 = Special ed teacher, middle	291011 = Chiropractors
252043 = Special ed teacher, secondary	291021 = Dentists, general
253011 = Adult literacy/remedial ed/ged teacher	291022 = Oral and maxillofacial surgeons
253021 = Self-enrichment education teacher	291023 = Orthodontists
253099 = Teachers and instructors, all other	291024 = Prosthodontists
254011 = Archivists	291029 = Dentists, all other specialists
254012 = Curators	291031 = Dietitians and nutritionists
254013 = Museum technicians and conservators	291041 = Optometrists
254021 = Librarians	291051 = Pharmacists
254031 = Library technicians	291061 = Anesthesiologists
259011 = Audio-visual collections specialists	291062 = Family and general practitioners
259021 = Farm and home management advisors	291063 = Internists, general
259031 = Instructional coordinators	291064 = Obstetricians and gynecologists
259041 = Teacher assistants	291065 = Pediatricians, general
259099 = Ed/training/library worker, all other	291066 = Psychiatrists
271011 = Art directors	291067 = Surgeons
271012 = Craft artists	291069 = Physicians and surgeons, all other
271013 = Fine artist, including painter, etc	291071 = Physician assistants
271014 = Multi-media artists and animators	291081 = Podiatrists
271019 = Artists and related workers, all other	291111 = Registered nurses
271021 = Commercial and industrial designers	291121 = Audiologists
271022 = Fashion designers	291122 = Occupational therapists
271023 = Floral designers	291123 = Physical therapists
271024 = Graphic designers	291124 = Radiation therapists
271025 = Interior designers	291125 = Recreational therapists
271026 = Merchandise displayer/window trimmer	291126 = Respiratory therapists
271027 = Set and exhibit designers	291127 = Speech-language pathologists
271029 = Designers, all other	291129 = Therapists, all other
272011 = Actors	291131 = Veterinarians
272012 = Producers and directors	291199 = Health diagnosing practitioner, other
272021 = Athletes and sports competitors	292011 = Medical/clinical laboratory technologist
272022 = Coaches and scouts	292012 = Medical/clinical laboratory technician
272023 = Umpire/referee/other sports official	292021 = Dental hygienists
272031 = Dancers	292031 = Cardiovascular technologist/technician
272032 = Choreographers	292032 = Diagnostic medical sonographers
272041 = Music directors and composers	292033 = Nuclear medicine technologists
272042 = Musicians and singers	292034 = Radiologic technologists and technicians
272099 = Entertainer/performer/sports, other	292041 = Emergency medical technician/paramedic
273011 = Radio and television announcers	292051 = Dietetic technicians
273012 = Public address system/other announcer	292052 = Pharmacy technicians
273021 = Broadcast news analysts	292053 = Psychiatric technicians
273022 = Reporters and correspondents	292054 = Respiratory therapy technicians
273031 = Public relations specialists	292055 = Surgical technologists
273041 = Editors	292056 = Veterinary technologists and technicians
273042 = Technical writers	

292061 = Licensed practical/vocational nurse	353031 = Waiters and waitresses
292071 = Medical records/health info technician	353041 = Food servers, nonrestaurant
292081 = Opticians, dispensing	359011 = Dining room/cafeteria attendant, etc
292091 = Orthotists and prosthetists	359021 = Dishwashers
292099 = Health technologist/technician, other	359031 = Host/hostess, restaurant, etc
299011 = Occupational health/safety specialist	359099 = Food prep/serving related, other
299012 = Occupational health/safety technician	371011 = First-line manager, housekeeping/janitor
299091 = Athletic trainers	371012 = First-line manager, landscaping, etc
299099 = Healthcare practitioner/technical, other	372011 = Janitor/cleaner, except maid/housekeeper
311011 = Home health aides	372012 = Maid/housekeeper
311012 = Nursing aides, orderlies, and attendants	372019 = Building cleaning workers, all other
311013 = Psychiatric aides	372021 = Pest control workers
312011 = Occupational therapist assistants	373011 = Chief exec, landscaping/groundskeeping
312012 = Occupational therapist aides	373013 = Legislator, tree trimmer and pruner
312021 = Physical therapist assistants	373019 = Grounds maintenance workers, all other
312022 = Physical therapist aides	391011 = Marketing managers, gaming supervisor
319011 = Massage therapists	391012 = Sales managers, slot key persons
319091 = Dental assistants	392011 = Admin services manager, animal trainer
319092 = Medical assistants	392021 = Nonfarm animal caretakers
319093 = Medical equipment preparers	393011 = Gaming dealers
319094 = Medical transcriptionists	393012 = Gaming and sports book writer/runner
319095 = Pharmacy aides	393019 = Gaming service workers, all other
319096 = Veterinary assistant/lab animal care	393021 = Motion picture projectionists
319099 = Healthcare support workers, all other	393031 = Usher, lobby attendant, and ticket taker
331011 = First-line manager, correctional officer	393091 = Amusement and recreation attendants
331012 = First-line manager, police/detectives	393092 = Costume attendants
331021 = First-line manager, fire fighting, etc	393093 = Locker/coat/dressing room attendant
331099 = First-line manager, protective, other	393099 = Entertainment attendant, related, other
332011 = Fire fighters	394011 = Embalmers
332021 = Fire inspectors and investigators	394021 = Funeral attendants
332022 = Forest fire/prevention specialist	395011 = Barbers
333011 = Bailiffs	395012 = Hairdresser, hairstylist, cosmetologist
333012 = Correctional officers and jailers	395091 = Makeup artist, theatrical/performance
333021 = Detectives and criminal investigators	395092 = Manicurists and pedicurists
333031 = Fish and game wardens	395093 = Shampooers
333041 = Parking enforcement workers	395094 = Skin care specialists
333051 = Police and sheriff patrol officers	396011 = Baggage porters and bellhops
333052 = Transit and railroad police	396012 = Concierges
339011 = Animal control workers	396021 = Tour guides and escorts
339021 = Private detectives and investigators	396022 = Travel guides
339031 = Gaming surveillance officer/investigator	396031 = Flight attendants
339032 = Security guards	396032 = Transportation (not flight) attendant
339091 = Crossing guards	399011 = Child care workers
339092 = Lifeguard/ski patrol/other service	399021 = Personal and home care aides
339099 = Protective service workers, all other	399031 = Fitness trainer and aerobics instructor
351011 = Chefs and head cooks	399032 = Recreation workers
351012 = First-line manager, food prep/serving	399041 = Residential advisors
352011 = Cooks, fast food	399099 = Personal care/service worker, all other
352012 = Cooks, institution and cafeteria	411011 = First-line manager, retail sales
352013 = Cooks, private household	411012 = First-line manager, non-retail sales
352014 = Cooks, restaurant	412011 = Cashiers
352015 = Cooks, short order	412012 = Gaming change persons and booth cashiers
352019 = Cooks, all other	412021 = Counter and rental clerks
352021 = Food preparation workers	412022 = Parts salespersons
353011 = Bartenders	412031 = Retail salespersons
353021 = Food prep/serving, includes fast food	413011 = Advertising sales agents
353022 = Counter attendant, cafeteria, etc	

413021 = Insurance sales agents	436013 = Medical secretaries
413031 = Securities, commodities, etc agent	436014 = Secretary, except legal/medical/exec
413041 = Travel agents	439011 = Computer operators
413099 = Sales representative, services, other	439021 = Data entry keyers
414011 = Sales rep, wholesale, technical	439022 = Word processors and typists
414012 = Sales rep, wholesale, except technical	439031 = Desktop publishers
419011 = Demonstrators and product promoters	439041 = Insurance claims/policy processing clerk
419012 = Models	439051 = Mail clerk/machine op, except postal
419021 = Real estate brokers	439061 = Office clerks, general
419022 = Real estate sales agents	439071 = Office machine op, except computer
419031 = Sales engineers	439081 = Proofreaders and copy markers
419041 = Telemarketers	439111 = Statistical assistants
419091 = Door-to-door sales, etc, related	439199 = Office and administrative support, other
419099 = Sales and related workers, all other	451011 = First-line manager, farming, etc
431011 = First-line manager, office/admin support	451012 = Farm labor contractors
432011 = Switchboard operator, includes answering	452011 = Agricultural inspectors
432021 = Telephone operators	452021 = Animal breeders
432099 = Communications equipment operator, other	452041 = Grader/sorter, agricultural products
433011 = Bill and account collectors	452091 = Agricultural equipment operators
433021 = Billing/posting clerk/machine operator	452092 = Farmworker/laborer: crop, nursery, etc
433031 = Bookkeeping/accounting/auditing clerk	452093 = Farmworkers, farm and ranch animals
433041 = Gaming cage workers	452099 = Agricultural workers, all other
433051 = Payroll and timekeeping clerks	453011 = Fishers and related fishing workers
433061 = Procurement clerks	453021 = Hunters and trappers
433071 = Tellers	454011 = Forest and conservation workers
434011 = Brokerage clerks	454021 = Fallers
434021 = Correspondence clerks	454022 = Logging equipment operators
434031 = Court, municipal, and license clerks	454023 = Log graders and scalers
434041 = Credit authorizers, checkers, and clerks	454029 = Logging workers, all other
434051 = Customer service representatives	471011 = First-line manager, construction, etc
434061 = Eligibility interviewer, govt program	472011 = Boilermakers
434071 = File clerks	472021 = Brickmasons and blockmasons
434081 = Hotel, motel, and resort desk clerks	472022 = Stonemasons
434111 = Interviewer, except eligibility/loan	472031 = Carpenters
434121 = Library assistants, clerical	472041 = Carpet installers
434131 = Loan interviewers and clerks	472042 = Floor layer, except carpet, wood, tiles
434141 = New accounts clerks	472043 = Floor sanders and finishers
434151 = Order clerks	472044 = Tile and marble setters
434161 = HR assistant, except payroll/timekeeping	472051 = Cement masons and concrete finishers
434171 = Receptionists and information clerks	472053 = Terrazzo workers and finishers
434181 = Reservation/transportation ticket agent	472061 = Construction laborers
434199 = Information and record clerks, all other	472071 = Paving, etc equipment operator
435011 = Cargo and freight agents	472072 = Pile-driver operators
435021 = Couriers and messengers	472073 = Operating engineer, other operator
435031 = Police, fire, and ambulance dispatchers	472081 = Drywall and ceiling tile installers
435032 = Dispatcher, except police/fire/ambulance	472082 = Tapers
435041 = Meter readers, utilities	472111 = Electricians
435051 = Postal service clerks	472121 = Glaziers
435052 = Postal service mail carriers	472131 = Insulation worker, floor/ceiling/wall
435053 = Postal mail sorter, processor, etc	472132 = Insulation workers, mechanical
435061 = Production, planning, expediting clerk	472141 = Painters, construction and maintenance
435071 = Shipping, receiving, and traffic clerks	472142 = Paperhangers
435081 = Stock clerks and order fillers	472151 = Pipelayers
435111 = Weigher, measurer, etc, recordkeeping	472152 = Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters
436011 = Executive secretary/admin assistant	472161 = Plasterers and stucco masons
436012 = Legal secretaries	472171 = Reinforcing iron and rebar workers
	472181 = Roofers

472211 = Sheet metal workers	493091 = Bicycle repairer
472221 = Structural iron and steel workers	493092 = Recreational vehicle service technician
473011 = Helpers, brickmason, blockmason, etc	493093 = Tire repairers and changer
473012 = Helpers, carpenters	499011 = Mechanical door repairer
473013 = Helpers, electricians	499012 = Control installer, except mechanical
473014 = Helpers, painter, paperhanger, etc	499021 = Heat/air conditioning/fridge mechanic
473015 = Helpers, pipelayer, plumber, etc	499031 = Home appliance repairer
473016 = Helpers, roofers	499041 = Industrial machinery mechanics
473019 = Helpers, construction trades, all other	499042 = Maintenance and repair workers, general
474011 = Construction and building inspectors	499043 = Maintenance workers, machinery
474021 = Elevator installers and repairers	499044 = Millwrights
474031 = Fence erectors	499045 = Refractory material repairer, not brick
474041 = Hazardous materials removal workers	499051 = Electrical power-line installer
474051 = Highway maintenance workers	499052 = Telecommunications line installer
474061 = Rail-track laying/maintenance operator	499061 = Camera/photographic equipment repairer
474071 = Septic tank servicer/sewer pipe cleaner	499062 = Medical equipment repairer
474091 = Segmental pavers	499063 = Musical instrument repairers and tuners
474099 = Construction, related workers, other	499064 = Watch repairers
475011 = Derrick operators, oil and gas	499069 = Precision instrument repairer, other
475012 = Rotary drill operators, oil and gas	499091 = Coin/vending/amusement machine servicer
475013 = Service unit operator, oil/gas/mining	499092 = Commercial divers
475021 = Earth drillers, except oil and gas	499093 = Fabric menders, except garment
475031 = Explosives worker, etc	499094 = Locksmiths and safe repairers
475041 = Continuous mining machine operators	499095 = Building/mobile home installer
475042 = Mine cutting/channeling machine operator	499096 = Riggers
475049 = Mining machine operators, all other	499097 = Signal and track switch repairers
475051 = Rock splitters, quarry	499098 = Helper, installation/maintenance/repair
475061 = Roof bolters, mining	499099 = Installation/maintenance/repair, other
475071 = Roustabouts, oil and gas	511011 = First-line manager, production/operating
475081 = Helpers--extraction workers	512011 = Aircraft structure, etc assembler
475099 = Extraction workers, all other	512021 = Coil winders, tapers, and finishers
491011 = First-line manager, mechanic, etc	512022 = Electrical equipment assembler
492011 = Computer, etc machine repairer	512023 = Electromechanical equipment assemblers
492021 = Radio mechanics	512031 = Engine and other machine assemblers
492022 = Telecommunication installer, except line	512041 = Structural metal fabricators and fitters
492091 = Avionics technicians	512091 = Fiberglass laminators and fabricators
492092 = Electric motor/power tool/other repairer	512092 = Team assemblers
492093 = Electrical installer, transportation	512093 = Timing device assembler, adjuster, etc
492094 = Electrical repairer, commercial, etc	512099 = Assemblers and fabricators, all other
492095 = Electrical repairer, powerhouse, etc	513011 = Bakers
492096 = Electronic installer/repairer, vehicles	513021 = Butchers and meat cutters
492097 = Home entertainment installer/repairer	513022 = Meat, poultry, and fish cutter/trimmer
492098 = Security/fire alarm systems installer	513023 = Slaughterers and meat packers
493011 = Aircraft mechanic/service technician	513091 = Food/tobacco roast, etc machine operator
493021 = Automotive body and related repairers	513092 = Food batchmakers
493022 = Automotive glass installer/repairer	513093 = Food cooking machine operator
493023 = Automotive service technician/mechanic	514011 = Comp-control machine op, metal/plastic
493031 = Bus/truck mechanic, diesel specialist	514012 = Numeric tool/process control programmer
493041 = Farm equipment mechanics	514021 = Extruding machine setter, metal/plastic
493042 = Mobile equipment mechanic, except engine	514022 = Forging machine setter, metal/plastic
493043 = Rail car repairers	514023 = Rolling machine setter, metal/plastic
493051 = Motorboat mechanic	514031 = Cutting,etc machine setter,metal/plastic
493052 = Motorcycle mechanic	514032 = Drilling machine setter, metal/plastic
493053 = Outdoor power equipment/other mechanic	514033 = Grinding machine setter, metal/plastic
	514034 = Lathe machine tool setter, metal/plastic

514035 = Milling machine setter, metal/plastic	519022 = Grinding and polishing workers, hand
514041 = Machinists	519023 = Mixing/blending machine setter
514051 = Metal-refining furnace operator/tender	519031 = Cutters and trimmers, hand
514052 = Pourers and casters, metal	519032 = Cutting/slicing machine setter
514061 = Model makers, metal and plastic	519041 = Extruding, etc machine setter
514062 = Patternmakers, metal and plastic	519051 = Furnace, etc operator
514071 = Foundry mold and coremakers	519061 = Inspector/tester/sorter/sampler/weigher
514072 = Molding machine setter, metal/plastic	519071 = Jeweler/precious stone/metal workers
514081 = Multiple machine setter, metal/plastic	519081 = Dental laboratory technicians
514111 = Tool and die makers	519082 = Medical appliance technicians
514121 = Welders, cutters, solderers, and brazers	519083 = Ophthalmic laboratory technicians
514122 = Welding, etc machine setter	519111 = Packaging/filling machine operator
514191 = Heat treating setter, metal/plastic	519121 = Coating/painting/spraying machine setter
514192 = Lay-out workers, metal and plastic	519122 = Painters, transportation equipment
514193 = Plating machine setter, metal/plastic	519123 = Painting/coating/decorating worker
514194 = Tool grinders, filers, and sharpeners	519131 = Photographic process workers
514199 = Metal/plastic workers, all other	519132 = Photographic processing machine operator
515011 = Bindery workers	519141 = Semiconductor processors
515012 = Bookbinders	519191 = Cementing/gluing machine operator
515021 = Job printers	519192 = Cleaning, etc equipment operator
515022 = Prepress technicians and workers	519193 = Cooling/freezing equipment operator
515023 = Printing machine operators	519194 = Etchers and engravers
516011 = Laundry and dry-cleaning workers	519195 = Molder, etc, except metal/plastic
516021 = Presser/textile/garment/related material	519196 = Paper goods machine setter
516031 = Sewing machine operators	519197 = Tire builders
516041 = Shoe and leather workers and repairers	519198 = Helpers--production workers
516042 = Shoe machine operators and tenders	519199 = Production workers, all other
516051 = Sewers, hand	531011 = Aircraft cargo handling supervisors
516052 = Tailors, dressmakers, and custom sewers	531021 = First-line manager, helpers, etc
516061 = Textile bleaching/dyeing operator	531031 = First-line manager, material-moving
516062 = Textile cutting machine setter	532011 = Airline pilot, copilot, flight engineer
516063 = Textile knitting/weaving machine setter	532012 = Commercial pilots
516064 = Textile winding, etc machine setter	532021 = Air traffic controllers
516091 = Extruding machine setter, synthetic, etc	532022 = Airfield operations specialists
516092 = Fabric and apparel patternmakers	533011 = Ambulance driver/attendant, except emt
516093 = Upholsterers	533021 = Bus drivers, transit and intercity
516099 = Textile/apparel/furnishings, all other	533022 = Bus drivers, school
517011 = Cabinetmakers and bench carpenters	533031 = Driver/sales workers
517021 = Furniture finishers	533032 = Truck drivers, heavy and tractor-trailer
517031 = Model makers, wood	533033 = Truck driver, light/delivery services
517032 = Patternmakers, wood	533041 = Taxi drivers and chauffeurs
517041 = Sawing machine setter, wood	533099 = Motor vehicle operators, all other
517042 = Woodwork machine setter, except sawing	534011 = Locomotive engineers
517099 = Woodworkers, all other	534012 = Locomotive firers
518011 = Nuclear power reactor operators	534013 = Rail yard engineer/dinkey op/hostler
518012 = Power distributors and dispatchers	534021 = Railroad brake/signal/switch operator
518013 = Power plant operators	534031 = Railroad conductors and yardmasters
518021 = Stationary engineer and boiler operator	534041 = Subway and streetcar operators
518031 = Water/liquid waste treatment plant op	534099 = Rail transportation workers, all other
518091 = Chemical plant and system op	535011 = Sailors and marine oilers
518092 = Gas plant operators	535021 = Captain/mate/pilot of water vessels
518093 = Petroleum system/refinery op, gauger	535022 = Motorboat operators
518099 = Plant and system operators, all other	535031 = Ship engineers
519011 = Chemical equipment operators and tenders	536011 = Bridge and lock tenders
519012 = Separating, etc machine setter	536021 = Parking lot attendants
519021 = Crushing, etc machine setter	536031 = Service station attendants

536041 = Traffic technicians
 536051 = Transportation inspectors
 536099 = Transportation workers, all other
 537011 = Conveyor operators and tenders
 537021 = Crane and tower operators
 537031 = Dredge operators
 537032 = Excavating/loading dragline operator
 537033 = Loading machine/underground mining
 537041 = Hoist and winch operators
 537051 = Industrial truck and tractor operators
 537061 = Cleaners of vehicles and equipment
 537062 = Laborer, etc, hand
 537063 = Machine feeders and offbearers
 537064 = Packers and packagers, hand
 537071 = Gas compressor/gas pump station
 operator
 537072 = Pump operators, except wellhead pumpers
 537073 = Wellhead pumpers
 537081 = Refuse/recyclable material collector
 537111 = Shuttle car operators
 537121 = Tank car, truck, and ship loaders
 537199 = Material moving workers, all other
 551011 = Air crew officers
 551012 = Aircraft launch and recovery officers
 551013 = Armored assault vehicle officers
 551014 = Artillery and missile officers
 551015 = Command and control center officers
 551016 = Infantry officers
 551017 = Special forces officers
 551019 = Officer special/tactical ops manag, oth
 552011 = First-line manager, air crew member
 552012 = First-line manager, weapons specialist
 552013 = First-line manager, other tactical ops
 553011 = Air crew members
 553012 = Aircraft launch and recovery specialists
 553013 = Armored assault vehicle crew members
 553014 = Artillery and missile crew members
 553015 = Command and control center specialists
 553016 = Infantry
 553017 = Radar and sonar technicians
 553018 = Special forces
 553019 = Enlisted tactical operations, etc, other

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDCURTYP

Type of employer

Job title: [MDJBTL]

In your current job, do you work for...

2 = A for-profit company

3 = A nonprofit organization

4 = A local, state, or federal government

5 = The military (including civilian employees of the military)

6 = None of the above; I am self-employed

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDIND

Industry: string

Job title: [MDJBTL]

[if MDCURTYP = 6]

What is your primary business or industry?

[else]

What is your employer's primary business or industry?

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not in the government or military.

Recode note: 1) If MDCURTYP = 5 (military) then

MDIND = "Military" 2) If MDCURTYP = 4

(government) then MDIND = "Government"

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDINDCD

Industry: code

Job title: [MDJBTL]

[if MDCURTYP ne 6]

Occupation: [MDOCC1] Industry: [MDIND] From the list below, please select the category which best describes your employer's industry or business area. As you click on a selection, examples of the industry will be displayed in the box.

[else]

Occupation: [MDOCC1] Industry: [MDIND] From the list below, please select the category which best describes your industry or business area. As you click on a selection, examples of the industry will be displayed in the box.

- 0 = None listed
- 11 = Agriculture, forestry, fishing, hunting
- 21 = Mining
- 22 = Utilities
- 23 = Construction
- 31 = Manufacturing
- 42 = Wholesale trade
- 44 = Retail/retail trade
- 48 = Transportation and warehousing
- 51 = Information/communication/data processing
- 52 = Finance and insurance
- 53 = Real estate and rental and leasing
- 54 = Professional, scientific, and technical services
- 55 = Management of companies and enterprises
- 61 = Education/education services
- 62 = Health care and social assistance
- 71 = Arts, entertainment, and recreation
- 72 = Hotels/motels/accommodations and food services
- 92 = Public administration
- 561 = Administrative and support services
- 562 = Waste management/environmental remediation
- 811 = Personal care services
- 812 = Automotive repair and maintenance
- 999 = All other services

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not in the government or military.

Recode note: 1) If MDCURTYP = 5 (military) then MDINDCD = 92 2) If MDCURTYP = 4 (government) then MDINDCD = 92

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDSIMJBB

Same/similar job before enrolled

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Did you have your current job, or a similar job, before you enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

Did you have your current job, or a similar job, before you enrolled

at [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDSIMJE

Same/similar job while enrolled

Did you have your current job, or a similar job, while you were

enrolled at [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBM

Total number of months in same/similar job

Job title: [MDJBTL] How long have you been working in your current job and any similar jobs you had before it?

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at the same/similar job while/before enrolled.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDTMPSMY

Date began job

Job title: [MDJBTL]

In what month and year did you first start your current job?

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDHOURS

Hours worked weekly Job title: [MDJBTL]

On average, how many hours do you work per week in your job? hour(s)

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDERNAMT

Job earnings: amount

Job title: [MDJBTL]

How much do you earn from your job?

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEARNT*Job earnings: time period*

Job title: [MDJBTTL]

How much do you earn from your job?

- 1 = Per year
- 2 = Per month
- 3 = Per week
- 4 = Per hour

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDTOTERN*Job earnings: total earnings*

MDTOTERN is an internal variable indicating earnings from current job.

Initialize MDTOTERN = -9

- If MDERNAMT = -9 then MDTOTERN = -9
- else if MDEARNT = MDTOTERN = -9
- else if MDEARNT = 1 then MDTOTERN = MDERNAMT
- else if MDEARNT = 2 then MDTOTERN = MDERNAMT*12
- else if MDEARNT = 3 then MDTOTERN = MDERNAMT*52
- else if MDEARNT = 4 then MDTOTERN = MDERNAMT*2000

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBA*Employee benefits: medical insurance*

Job title: [MDJBTTL] Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Medical insurance

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBB*Employee benefits: other health insurance*

Job title: [MDJBTTL]

Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Other health insurance, such as dental or optical

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBC*Employee benefits: life insurance*

Job title: [MDJBTTL]

Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Life insurance

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBD*Employee benefits: retirement or other financial*

Job title: [MDJBTTL] Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Retirement or other financial benefits, such as a

401(k)/403(b)

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBE*Employee benefits: flexible spending account*

Job title: [MDJBTTL] Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Flexible spending account

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBF*Employee benefits: employee assistance program*

Job title: [MDJBTTL] Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer? Employee assistance

program (counseling/legal)

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPBG

Employee benefits: tuition reimbursement

Job title: [MDJBTL] Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Tuition reimbursement

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEMPH

Employee benefits: other facilities/subsidies

Job title: [MDJBTL] Which of the following benefits does your current employer offer?

Other employee facilities or subsidies, such as for childcare, transit, or fitness

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJBREA

Job responsibilities: supervise others

Job title: [MDJBTL] In your current job, do you...

Supervise the work of others?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJBREB

Job responsibilities: participate in hiring or firing decisions

Job title: [MDJBTL] In your current job, do you...

Participate in hiring or firing decisions?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJBREC

Job responsibilities: set salary rates

Job title: [MDJBTL] In your current job, do you...

Participate in setting salary rates for employees?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDFIRSTJ

First job since enrolled at [TSCHUG]

Job title: [MDJBTL] Is your current job the first job you had after you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not at the same job they had while enrolled.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDRELMAJ

Job related to major or field of study at [TSCHUG]

Job title: [MDJBTL] Would you say your job is related to the major or field of study you had when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] as an undergraduate?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status or declared at least one major, and were employed but not at the same job they had while enrolled. Recode note: If MDSIMJE = 1 then MDRELMAJ =

MCRELMAJ

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDRELCRS

Job related to coursework at [TSCHUG]

Job title: [MDJBTL] Would you say your job is related to the coursework you had when you were last enrolled at [TSCHUG] as an undergraduate?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and had not declared a major, and were employed but not at the same job they had while enrolled.

Recode note: If MDSIMJE = 1 then MDRELCRS = MCRELCRS

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDEDDIFF

Job would be difficult without coursework at [TSCHUG]

Job title: [MDJBTL] Would it be difficult for you to do your current job without having had the undergraduate courses you took at [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDSKILL

Use of skills from coursework at [TSCHUG]

Job title: [MD]BTL] In your current job, do you use the skills, specialized equipment, software, and/or technology that you were trained to use in your undergraduate coursework at [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDCONLIC

Job requirements: license

Job title: [MD]BTL]

[if MDCURTYTYP ne 6] Were any of the following required by your current employer as a condition for working?

[else]

Were any of the following required as a condition for working?

An occupational license or professional certification

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDCONCER

Job requirements: certificate

Job title: [MD]BTL]

[if MDCURTYTYP ne 6]

Were any of the following required by your current employer as a condition for working?

[else]

Were any of the following required as a condition for working?

A diploma or certificate from a trade school

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDCONDEG

Job requirements: 2-year or 4-year degree

Job title: [MD]BTL]

[if MDCURTYTYP ne 6]

Were any of the following required by your current employer as a condition for working?

[else]

Were any of the following required as a condition for working?

A 2-year or 4-year college degree

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLICT2

License/certification: general code

Job title: [MD]BTL]

What license or professional certification is required for your current position? (Please select a general area and then the specific discipline within the general area. Use the arrow at the right side of the first box to display the general areas. Click to select the desired general area, and then select the desired specific discipline within the area from the second box.)

General area

100 = Accounting

200 = Agriculture

300 = Arts

400 = Business

500 = Communications

600 = Construction

700 = Counseling

800 = Education

900 = Engineering

1000 = Health

1100 = Insurance

1200 = Manufacturing

1300 = Personal services

1400 = Public safety

1500 = Real estate

1600 = Repair

1700 = Transportation

1800 = Vendor-specific business/computer certification

1900 = Food services

2000 = Law

99900 = Other

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed with a professional license or certificate.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLICT4

License/certification: specific code

Job title: [MDJBTL]

What license or professional certification is required for your current position? (Please select a general area and then the specific discipline within the general area. Use the arrow at the right side of the first box to display the general areas. Click to select the desired general area, and then select the desired specific discipline within the area from the second box.)

- Specific area
- 1 = CPA
 - 2 = Auditor
 - 3 = Broker
 - 4 = Bookkeeping
 - 5 = Agriculture
 - 6 = Pest control
 - 7 = Forestry
 - 8 = Wildlife management
 - 9 = Professional arts
 - 10 = Photography
 - 11 = Other arts
 - 12 = Finance
 - 13 = Human resources/benefits
 - 14 = Management
 - 15 = Purchasing
 - 16 = Communications
 - 17 = Broadcast
 - 18 = Architecture
 - 19 = Building
 - 20 = Welding
 - 21 = Other construction
 - 22 = Social work
 - 23 = Therapist
 - 24 = Counselor
 - 25 = Elementary/secondary teaching
 - 26 = Childcare
 - 27 = Teacher's aide
 - 28 = Library
 - 29 = Administration
 - 30 = Professional engineer
 - 31 = Engineer in training
 - 32 = Engineering technician
 - 33 = Medicine
 - 34 = Dentistry
 - 35 = Pharmacy
 - 36 = Chiropractic
 - 37 = Optometry
 - 38 = Podiatry
 - 39 = Registered nursing
 - 40 = Licensed practical nursing
 - 41 = Midwifery
 - 42 = Physical therapy
 - 43 = EMT/paramedic
 - 44 = Medical/dental technician
 - 45 = Physical therapy
 - 46 = Veterinary medicine

- 47 = Veterinary technician
- 48 = Other health
- 49 = Insurance
- 50 = Underwriter
- 51 = Actuary law - attorney
- 52 = Mediator
- 53 = Paralegal
- 54 = Manufacturing
- 55 = Cosmetology
- 56 = Barber
- 57 = Massage
- 58 = Fitness/personal training
- 59 = Other personal services
- 60 = Public safety
- 61 = Law enforcement
- 62 = Real estate
- 63 = Automotive mechanic
- 64 = Heating/air conditioning
- 65 = Electronics
- 66 = Aviation
- 67 = Jewelry/watch/lens/other fine craftsman
- 68 = Commercial transportation license
- 69 = Hazardous materials
- 70 = Xerox copier
- 71 = IBM
- 72 = Microsoft
- 73 = Cisco
- 74 = Other vendor-specific
- 75 = Food services
- 76 = Attorney
- 999 = Other, general

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed with a professional license or certificate.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDPRGCR1

Took classes at [TSCUG] toward certificate

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Did you take any classes at [TSCUG] that were necessary for you to qualify for or to maintain your current occupational license or professional certification?

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed with a professional license or certificate.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDSTRTCR

Current job considered start of career

Job title: [MDJBTL] Do you consider your current job to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBA

Job description: radio: helped explore options

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Helping to explore different career options

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBB

Job description: radio: established career

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Already part of an established career

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBC

Job description: radio: allowed freedom for other interests

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Allows freedom to pursue other interests

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBD

Job description: radio: paid the bills

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Pays the bills

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBG

Job description: radio: experience for more education

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Providing experience needed to pursue additional education

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBI

Job description: radio: experience for career

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Providing experience needed to enter a particular career

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRBJ

Job description: radio: other

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Other

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTRC2

Job description: radio: other specify

Please specify the other way(s) in which, since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, you would you describe your job.

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the radio button version of this form and chose another description.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAA

Job description: checkbox: helped explore options

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Helping to explore different career options

0 = Did not help to explore career options

1 = Yes, helped to explore career options

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAB

Job description: checkbox: established career

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Already part of an established career

0 = Not already part of established career

1 = Yes, already part of established career

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox

button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAC

Job description: checkbox: allowed freedom for other interests

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Allows freedom to pursue other interests

0 = Did not allow to pursue other interests

1 = Yes, allowed to pursue other interests

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAD

Job description: checkbox: paid the bills

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Pays the bills

0 = Did not pay the bills

1 = Yes, paid the bills

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAG

Job description: checkbox: experience for more education

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Providing experience needed to pursue additional education

0 = Not experience for more education

1 = Yes, experience for more education

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAI

Job description: checkbox: experience for career

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Providing experience needed to enter a particular career

0 = Not experience for career

1 = Yes, experience for career

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAJ

Job description: checkbox: other

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Other

0 = No other descriptions for job

1 = Yes, other descriptions for job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCAS

Job description: checkbox: other specify

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form and chose another description.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCT01

Job description 1: text box

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and were administered the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCD01

Job description 1: self-coded drop downs

How would you categorize the answer(s) you gave? (Please match your response(s) provided below to a category from the drop down list.)

1 = Helping to explore different career options

2 = Allows freedom to pursue other interests

3 = Already part of an established career

4 = Pays the bills

5 = Providing experience needed to pursue additional education

6 = Providing experience needed to enter a particular career

7 = Other

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career, and provided at least one response to the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCA

Job description: combined: helped explore options

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Helping to explore different career options

0 = Did not help to explore career options

1 = Yes, helped to explore career options

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCB

Job description: combined: established career

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Already part of an established career

0 = Not already part of established career

1 = Yes, already part of established career

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCC

Job description: combined: allowed freedom for other interests

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Allows freedom to pursue other interests

0 = Did not allow to pursue other interests

1 = Yes, allowed to pursue other interests

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCD

Job description: combined: paid the bills

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Pays the bills

0 = Did not pay the bills

1 = Yes, paid the bills

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCE

Job description: combined: experience for more education

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job? Providing experience needed to pursue additional education

0 = Did not prepare for more education

1 = Yes, prepared for more education

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCF

Job description: combined: experience for career

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Providing experience needed to enter a particular career

0 = Did not prepare to enter a career

1 = Yes, prepared to enter a career

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCG

Job description: combined: other

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Other

0 = No other descriptions for job

1 = Yes, other descriptions for job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNTCS

Job description: combined: other specify

Job title: [MDJBTL] Since you do not consider this to be the beginning of a career you are pursuing in your occupation or industry, how would you describe your job?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job not considered to be the beginning of a career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDADVNC

Education at [TSCHUG] will help advance career

Job title: [MDJBTL] Will your undergraduate education at [TSCHUG] help you advance in your career?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed at a job considered to be part of an already established career.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDUNDEMP

Qualified for more demanding job with education from [TSCHUG]

Job title: [MDJBTL] As a result of the education you received at [TSCHUG], do you feel that you have the qualifications for a more demanding job than your current job?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBSA*Job satisfaction: pay*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Your pay

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBSB*Job satisfaction: fringe benefits*

Job title: [MDJBTL]

Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job: Fringe benefits

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBSC*Job satisfaction: challenge of work*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Importance and challenge of your work

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBSD*Job satisfaction: promotion opportunity*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Opportunities for promotion and advancement

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBSE*Job satisfaction: use of education*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Opportunities to use your training and education

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOBSF*Job satisfaction: job security*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Job security

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOB SG*Job satisfaction: opportunities for further training*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Opportunities for further training and education

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDJOB SH*Job satisfaction: overall*

Job title: [MDJBTL] Please indicate whether you are satisfied with each of the following in your current job:

Overall, would you say you are satisfied with your job?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed but not self-employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDAD*Job placement: responded to advertisement*

Job title: [MDJBTL] What did you do to find your current job?

Responded to job advertisements in a newspaper, magazine, or on the Internet

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDRESUME

Job placement: sent out resume

Job title: [MDJBTL]

What did you do to find your current job?

Sent out resumes or contacted employers

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNETWRK

Job placement: networked with friends or relatives

Job title: [MDJBTL] What did you do to find your

current job? Networked with friends or relatives

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDSCHHELP

Job placement: used school assistance

Job title: [MDJBTL]

What did you do to find your current job?

Used school assistance such as the placement office, school job fairs, or spoke with faculty or staff

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDPLCOTH

Job placement: other

Job title: [MDJBTL] What did you do to find your

current job?

Found job in another way

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDPLCSPE

Job placement: other specify

Job title: [MDJBTL] What did you do to find your

current job?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were employed and indicated finding their job through other means.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDSEARCH

Looking for a job

Are you currently looking for a job?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were not employed.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDUNCMP

Unemployment compensation

Are you receiving unemployment compensation while you are not working?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and were not employed and looking for a job.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDUNEMP3

Ever unemployed for at least three months

We'd like to ask you about any periods of unemployment you may have had since you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG] -that is, periods of at least 3 months when you were not working but looking for work. Since your undergraduate enrollment at [TSCHUG], have you ever been unemployed and looking for work for a period of 3 months or more?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status. Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDNUMOUT

Periods of unemployment

Since you were last enrolled as an undergraduate at [TSCHUG], how many times have you been unemployed and looking for a job for a period of more than 3 months? time(s)

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and had been unemployed for more than three months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLTMPMY*Date of last employment*

Since your undergraduate enrollment at [TSCHUG], in what month and year were you last employed?

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and had been unemployed for more than three months and reported the number of unemployment periods.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLTMPN*When last employed: no employment after undergraduate enrollment*

Since your undergraduate enrollment at [TSCHUG], in what month and year were you last employed? No employment after undergraduate enrollment

0 = Employed since enrolled

1 = Never employed since enrolled

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and had been unemployed for more than three months and reported the number of unemployment periods.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDUNTIM*Longest period of unemployment: total number of months*

After your undergraduate enrollment at [TSCHUG], what was the longest period of time you were unemployed and looking for a job?

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and had been unemployed for more than three months and reported the number of unemployment periods.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNINC*Loan debt influenced employment plans*

[if MCUGLN = 3]

Has the amount of student loan debt you have from your education since high school influenced your employment plans and decisions in any way?

[else]

Has the amount of student loan debt you have from your undergraduate education influenced your employment plans and decisions in any way?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and took out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYA*Loan debt influenced employment: radio: took job outside field*

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Took job outside field of study or training to cover the monthly student loan payment

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYB*Loan debt influenced employment: radio: took less desirable job*

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Took less desirable job

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYC*Loan debt influenced employment: radio: looked for higher paid job*

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to look for higher paying job

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYD

Loan debt influenced employment: radio: worked sooner
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to go to work sooner than originally planned

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYE

Loan debt influenced employment: radio: worked more hours
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to work more hours than desired

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYF

Loan debt influenced employment: radio: worked more than one job
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to work more than one job at the same time

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIYG

Loan debt influenced employment: radio: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Other reason not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNINN

Loan debt influenced employment: radio: other specify
[if MCUGLN = 3]

Please specify the other way(s) in which your student loan debt has influenced your employment plans and decisions.

[else]

Please specify the other way(s) in which your undergraduate student loan debt has influenced your employment plans and decisions.

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the radio button version of this form and chose other way loans affected plans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICA

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: took job outside field
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

Took job outside field of study or training to cover the monthly student loan payment

0 = Did not take job outside of field

1 = Yes, took job outside of field

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICB

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: took less desirable job
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

Took less desirable job

0 = Did not take a less desirable job

1 = Yes, took a less desirable job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICC

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: looked for higher paid job

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to look for higher paying job

0 = Did not look for higher paying job

1 = Yes, looked for higher paying job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICD

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: worked sooner
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

Had to go to work sooner than originally planned

0 = Did not work sooner than planned

1 = Yes, worked sooner than planned

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICE

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: worked more hours
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to work more hours than desired

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICF

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: worked more than one job

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to work more than one job at the same time

0 = Did not work more than one job

1 = Yes, worked more than one job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICG

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Other reason not listed

0 = No other reasons

1 = Yes, other reasons

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNICS

Loan debt influenced employment: checkbox: other specify
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the checkbox button version of this form and chose other way loans affected plans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIT01

Loan debt influenced employment 1: text box
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? (Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the

"Provide an additional response" button.) *Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and were administered the textbox/ dropdown version of this form.*

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNID01

Loan debt influenced employment 1: self-coded drop downs
How would you categorize the answer(s) you gave? (Please match your response(s) provided below to a category from the drop down list.) This dropdown should contain the same item response options as in MCLNINCR.

- 1 = Took job outside field of study or training to cover the monthly student loan payment
- 2 = Took less desirable job
- 3 = Had to look for higher paying job
- 4 = Had to go to work sooner than originally planned
- 5 = Had to work more hours than desired
- 6 = Had to work more than one job at the same time
- 7 = Other

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan, and provided at least one

response to the textbox/ dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIA

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: took job outside field
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Took job outside field of study or training to cover the monthly student loan payment

0 = Did not take job outside of field

1 = Yes, took job outside of field

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIB

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: took less desirable job
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Took less desirable job

0 = Did not take a less desirable job

1 = Yes, took a less desirable job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIC

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: looked for higher paid job
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to look for higher paying job

0 = Did not look for higher paying job

1 = Yes, looked for higher paying job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNID

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: worked sooner
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to go to work sooner than originally planned

0 = Did not work sooner than planned

1 = Yes, worked sooner than planned

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIE

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: worked more hours
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to work more hours than desired

0 = Did not work more hours than desired

1 = Yes, worked more hours than desired

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIF

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: worked more than one job

[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Had to work more than one job at the same time

0 = Did not work more than one job

1 = Yes, worked more than one job

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIG

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: other
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Other reason not listed

0 = No other reasons

1 = Yes, other reasons

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MDLNIS

Loan debt influenced employment: combined: other specify
[if MCUGLN = 3]

In what ways has your student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions?

[else]

In what ways has your undergraduate student loan debt influenced your employment plans and decisions? Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who were not currently enrolled and respondents who were bachelor's degree recipients regardless of current enrollment status, and whose employment plans were affected by taking out an undergraduate loan.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

Section E: Background

MECITZN

United States citizenship status

Are you a U.S. citizen?

- 1 = Yes
- 2 = No, resident alien/permanent resident
- 3 = No - Student visa, in the country on an F1 or F2 visa, or on a J1 or J2 exchange visitor visa

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVOTE

Registered to vote

Are you registered to vote in U.S. elections?

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were US citizens.

Recode note: If MECITZN > 1 then MEVOTE = 0

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEEVRT

Ever voted in any election

Have you ever voted in a national, state, or local election in the

United States?

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were US citizens and registered to vote.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEMARR

Current marital status

What is your current marital status?

- 1 = Single, never married
- 2 = Married
- 3 = Separated
- 4 = Divorced
- 5 = Widowed

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEHSNUM

Number of people in household

Other than yourself, how many people live in your house?

Observed range: 1 - 20

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPODP

Household composition: lived with spouse/partner

With whom do you live in your house?

Spouse or domestic partner

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who did not live by themselves.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDPNTS

Household composition: lived with children/dependents

With whom do you live in your house?

Children and/or other dependents

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who did not live by themselves.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEPARIL

Household composition: lived with parents or in-laws

With whom do you live in your house?

Parents or in-laws

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who did not live by themselves.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESIBOR

Household composition: lived with siblings/relatives

With whom do you live in your house?

Siblings or other relatives (not including parents or children)

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who did not live by themselves.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEROOM

Household composition: lived with roommates/housemates

With whom do you live in your house?

Roommate(s) or housemate(s) (who are not related to you)

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who did not live by themselves.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEHSOTH

Household composition: other

With whom do you live in your house?

Another person or people not listed

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who did not live by themselves.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEPARST*Parent marital status*

What is the current marital status of your parent(s) or guardian(s)? (If your parents are divorced or separated, answer this question about the parent you lived with the most during the last 12 months. If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you actually received support from a parent.)

- 1 = Married
- 2 = Living together or domestic partners but not married
- 3 = Single
- 4 = Divorced or separated
- 5 = Widowed
- 6 = None of the above - both parents or guardians are deceased

Applies to: Respondents under age 30 whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEPARINC*Parent income in 2007*

[if MEPARST in (3 4 5)]

What was your parent or guardian's income in calendar year 2007? If your parents are divorced or separated, answer this question about the parent you lived with more during the last 12 months. If you did not live with one parent more than the other, answer about the parent who provided more financial support during the last 12 months, or during the most recent year that you actually received support from a parent.

[else]

What was your parents' or guardians' income in calendar year 2007?

- 1 = Under \$30,000
- 2 = \$30,000-\$59,999
- 3 = \$60,000-\$89,999
- 4 = \$90,000-\$119,999
- 5 = \$120,000-\$179,999
- 6 = \$180,000 and above

Applies to: Respondents under age 30 whose parents or guardians were not deceased.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDEPS*Has dependent children*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Do you or your spouse have any children under the age of 25 that you support financially?

[else]

Do you have any children under the age of 25 that you support financially?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDEP2*Number of dependent children*

How many children do you have?

child/children Observed range: 1 - 20

Applies to: Respondents with at least one dependent child.

Recode note: If MEDEPS = 0 then MEDEP2 = 0

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDAGE*Age of youngest dependent child*

[if MEDEP2 > 1]

What is the age of your youngest child?

[else if MEDEP2 = 1]

How old is your child?

[else]

If you have more than one child, please report the age of your youngest child. If you have one child, please report the age of that child.

Observed range: 1 - 25

Applies to: Respondents with at least one dependent child.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEINCOM*Household income in 2007*

[if MEMARR in (2 3)]

What was your income from all sources (including income from work, investments, alimony, etc.) prior to taxes and deductions for calendar year 2007? (Please exclude your spouse's income.)

[else]

What was your income from all sources (including income from work, investments, alimony, etc.) prior to taxes and deductions for calendar year 2007?

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEINEST

Household income estimate in 2007

[if MEMARR in (2 3)]

This question about your income is critical to understanding the financial benefits and labor market outcomes of people who have attended a college or vocational/trade school since high school. What was your income from all sources (including income from work, investments, alimony, etc.) prior to taxes and deductions for calendar year 2007? (Please exclude your spouse's income.) Please indicate the range that best estimates your income from all sources for 2007.

[else]

This question about your income is critical to understanding the financial benefits and labor market outcomes of people who have attended a college or vocational/trade school since high school. What was your income from all sources (including income from work, investments, alimony, etc.) prior to taxes and deductions for calendar year 2007? Please indicate the range that best estimates your income from all sources for 2007.

- 1 = Less than \$20,000
- 2 = \$20,000-\$29,999
- 3 = \$30,000-\$39,999
- 4 = \$40,000-\$49,999
- 5 = \$50,000-\$59,999
- 6 = \$60,000-\$69,999
- 7 = \$70,000-\$79,999
- 8 = \$80,000-\$89,999
- 9 = \$90,000-\$99,999
- 10 = \$100,000-\$149,999
- 11 = Above \$150,000

Applies to: Respondents who did not provide an income.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEINCSP

Spouse income in 2007

How much would you estimate your spouse earned from all sources prior to taxes and deductions in calendar year 2007?

Applies to: Respondents who were married.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEINSRA

Spouse income estimate in 2007

This item is critical to understanding the financial benefits and labor market outcomes of people who have attended a college or vocational/trade school since high school. Please indicate the range that best estimates the amount your spouse earned from work in 2007.

- 1 = Less than \$20,000
- 2 = \$20,000-\$29,999
- 3 = \$30,000-\$39,999
- 4 = \$40,000-\$49,999
- 5 = \$50,000-\$59,999
- 6 = \$60,000-\$69,999

7 = \$70,000-\$79,999

8 = \$80,000-\$89,999

9 = \$90,000-\$99,999

10 = \$100,000-\$149,999

11 = Above \$150,000

Applies to: Respondents who were married and did not provide an income for their spouse.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEUNTAX

Received untaxed benefits in 2007

[if MEMARR = 2]

In 2007, did you or your spouse receive any untaxed income or benefits, such as child support, TANF (AFDC), food stamps, Social Security, worker's compensation, or disability payments?

[else]

In 2007, did you receive any untaxed income or benefits, such as child support, TANF (AFDC), food stamps, Social Security, worker's compensation, or disability payments?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

METANF

Untaxed benefit type: TANF

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007?

TANF (AFDC)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESOCSEC

Untaxed benefit type: social security benefits

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007? Social Security benefits

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEWRKCMP*Untaxed benefit type: worker's compensation*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007? Worker's compensation

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDISAB*Untaxed benefit type: disability payments*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007?

Disability payments

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESTMPS*Untaxed benefit type: food stamps*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007? Food stamps

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECHILD*Untaxed benefit type: child support*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007? Child support

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

METAXTYX*Untaxed benefit type: other*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Which of the following did you or your spouse receive in 2007?

[else]

Which of the following did you receive in 2007? Another benefit not listed

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who received untaxed benefits.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEHOUSE*Own home or pay rent*

[if MEMARR = 2]

Do you own a home or are you paying rent? If someone other than your spouse makes mortgage or rent payments on your behalf, please answer, "Neither own a home nor pay rent."

[else]

Do you own a home or are you paying rent? If someone makes mortgage or rent payments on your behalf, please answer, "Neither own a home nor pay rent."

0 = Neither own a home nor pay rent

1 = Own home (or pay a mortgage)

2 = Pay rent

Applies to: Respondents who were not living on campus while currently enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEMTGAMT*Monthly rent or mortgage payment amount*

[if MEMARR = 2 and MEHOUSE = 1]

How much is your monthly mortgage payment? If you share payment of your mortgage with anybody other than your spouse, please indicate the amount for which you and your spouse are responsible.

[else if MEMARR = 2 and MEHOUSE = 2]

How much is your monthly rent payment? If you share payment of your rent with anybody other than your spouse, please indicate the amount for which you and your spouse are responsible.

[else if MEMARR ne 2 and MEHOUSE = 1]

How much is your monthly mortgage payment? If you share payment of your mortgage with others, please indicate the amount for which you are responsible. [else]

How much is your monthly rent payment? If you share payment of your rent with others, please indicate the amount for which you are responsible.

Applies to: Respondents who were not living on campus while currently enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, and owned a home or paid rent.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEMTGDK

Monthly rent or mortgage payment amount: don't know
 [if MEMARR = 2 and MEHOUSE = 1]
 How much is your monthly mortgage payment? If you share payment of your mortgage with anybody other than your spouse, please indicate the amount for which you and your spouse are responsible.
 [else if MEMARR = 2 and MEHOUSE = 2]
 How much is your monthly rent payment? If you share payment of your rent with anybody other than your spouse, please indicate the amount for which you and your spouse are responsible.
 [else if MEMARR ne 2 and MEHOUSE = 1]
 How much is your monthly mortgage payment? If you share payment of your mortgage with others, please indicate the amount for which you are responsible. [else]
 How much is your monthly rent payment? If you share payment of your rent with others, please indicate the amount for which you are responsible.
 Don't know
 0 = No
 1 = Yes
Applies to: Respondents who were not living on campus while currently enrolled as an undergraduate between July 2005 and the time of the interview, and owned a home or paid rent but did not provide an amount. Recode note: If MEMTGAMT >= 0 then MEMTGDK = 0
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECARLON

Have a car payment
 [if MEMARR = 2]
 Do you make loan or lease payments for a car, truck, motorcycle, or other vehicle? If someone other than your spouse makes the payments on your behalf, please answer, "no."
 [else]
 Do you make loan or lease payments for a car, truck, motorcycle, or other vehicle? If someone makes the payments on your behalf, please answer, "no."
 0 = No
 1 = Yes
Applies to: All respondents.
 Recode note: If MECARLON = 1 and MECARAMT = 0 then MECARLON = 0
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECARAMT

Car payment amount
 How much do you pay for your vehicle loan or lease each month?
Applies to: Respondents who made loan or lease payments for a vehicle.
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MENUMCRD

Number of credit cards

How many credit cards do you have in your own name that are billed to you? card(s)
 Observed range: 1 - 20
Applies to: All respondents.
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MENMCDDK

Number of credit cards: don't know
 How many credit cards do you have in your own name that are billed to you?
 Don't know
 0 = Do know number of credit cards
 1 = Do not know number of credit cards
Applies to: All respondents.
 Recode note: If MENUMCRD >= 0 then MENMCDDK = 0
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEPAYOFF

Payoff or carry credit balance
 [if MENUMCRD = 1]
 Do you usually pay off your credit card balance each month, or carry the balance over from month to month?
 [else]
 Do you usually pay off your credit card balances each month, or carry balances over from month to month?
 1 = Pay off balance(s)
 2 = Carry balance(s)
Applies to: Respondents with at least one credit card.
 Recode note: If MEPAYOFF = 2 and MECRDBAL = 0 then MEPAYOFF = 1
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECRDBAL

Balance due on all credit cards
 [if MENUMCRD = 1]
 What was the balance on your credit card according to your last statement?
 [else]
 What was the combined balance of all your credit cards according to your last statements?
Applies to: Respondents with at least one credit card who carried their balances from month to month.
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPLV

Spouse highest education level
 What is your spouse's highest level of education?
 1 = Did not complete high school
 2 = High school diploma or equivalent
 3 = Vocational or technical training
 4 = Less than 2 years of college
 5 = Associate's degree
 6 = 2 or more years of college but no degree
 7 = Bachelor's degree
 8 = Graduate degree
Applies to: Respondents who were married.
 Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPCOL*Spouse attended college in 2007-2008*

Did your spouse attend college or graduate school during the 2007-2008 school year?

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes, full-time
- 2 = Yes, part-time

Applies to: Respondents who were married.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPLN*Spouse student loans*

Does your spouse currently have student loans? If your spouse has student loans, but is not yet repaying the loans, select "yes."

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were married.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPAMT*Spouse total student loan amount*

What is the total amount still owed for your spouse's student loans?

Applies to: Respondents who were married and whose spouse had student loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPLNPY*Spouse monthly student loan payment*

What are the monthly payments for your spouse's student loans?

Applies to: Respondents who were married and whose spouse had student loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESPLNIR*Spouse monthly student loan payment: not yet in repayment*

What are the monthly payments for your spouse's student loans?

Not yet in repayment

- 0 = In repayment of student loans
- 1 = Not yet in repayment of student loans

Applies to: Respondents who were married and whose spouse had student loans.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECOMSRV*Community service or volunteer in last 12 months*

Have you performed any community service or volunteer work in the last 12 months? Please do not include charitable donations (such as food, clothing, money, etc.), paid community service, or court-ordered service.

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTUT

Volunteer type: radio: tutoring/education-related

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Tutoring, education-related work with kids

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLKIDS

Volunteer type: radio: other work with kids

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Other work with kids (coaching, sports, Big Brother or Big Sister, etc.)

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLFUND

Volunteer type: radio: fundraising (political and non-political)

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Fundraising (political and non-political)

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLSOUP

Volunteer type: radio: homeless shelter/soup kitchen

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Homeless shelter or soup kitchen

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLNEI

Volunteer type: radio: neighborhood improvement

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Neighborhood improvement, clean-up, or Habitat for Humanity

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLHEA

Volunteer type: radio: health services

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Health services or hospital, nursing home, group home

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLCHU

Volunteer type: radio: service to a church

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Service to a church or other religious organization

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLOTH

Volunteer type: radio: other

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Other

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTP2

Volunteer type: radio: other specify

Please specify the other type(s) of community service or volunteer work you performed.

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the radio button version of this form and chose other type of volunteer work.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBTU

Volunteer type: checkbox: tutoring/education-related

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Tutoring, education-related work with kids

0 = Not tutoring/education-related

1 = Yes, tutoring/education-related

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBKID

Volunteer type: checkbox: other work with kids

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Other work with kids (coaching, sports, Big Brother or Big Sister, etc.)

0 = Not other work with kids

1 = Yes, other work with kids

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBFND

Volunteer type: checkbox: fundraising (political and non-political)

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Fundraising (political and non-political)

0 = Not fundraising

1 = Yes, fundraising

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBSUP

Volunteer type: checkbox: homeless shelter/soup kitchen

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Homeless shelter or soup kitchen

0 = Not homeless shelter/soup kitchen

1 = Yes, homeless shelter/soup kitchen

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBNEI

Volunteer type: checkbox: neighborhood improvement

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Neighborhood improvement, clean-up, or Habitat for Humanity

0 = Not neighborhood improvement

1 = Yes, neighborhood improvement

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBHEA*Volunteer type: checkbox: health services*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Health services or hospital, nursing home, group home

0 = Not health services

1 = Yes, health services

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBCHU*Volunteer type: checkbox: service to a church*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Service to a church or other religious organization

0 = Not service to a church

1 = Yes, service to a church

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBOTH*Volunteer type: checkbox: other*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Another type of service not listed

0 = No other services

1 = Yes, other services

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLBSPE*Volunteer type: checkbox: other specify* What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform? Please specify:*Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the checkbox version of this form and chose other type of volunteer work.*

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLT01*Volunteer type 1: text box*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform? Please enter one response in the box provided. For each additional response you wish to provide, click the "Provide an additional response" button.)

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and were administered the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLD01*Volunteer type 1: self-coded drop downs*

How would you categorize the answer(s) you gave? (Please match your response(s) provided below to a category from the drop down list.)

1 = Tutoring, education-related work with kids

2 = Other work with kids (coaching, sports, Big Brother or Big Sister, etc.)

3 = Service to a church or other religious organization

4 = Fundraising (political and non-political)

5 = Homeless shelter or soup kitchen

6 = Health services or hospital, nursing home, group home

7 = Neighborhood improvement, clean-up, or Habitat for Humanity

8 = Other

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months, and provided at least one response to the textbox/dropdown version of this form.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTA*Volunteer type: combined: tutoring/ education-related*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Tutoring, education-related work with kids

0 = Not tutoring/education-related

1 = Yes, tutoring/education-related

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTB*Volunteer type: combined: other work with kids*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Other work with kids (coaching, sports, Big Brother or Big Sister, etc.)

0 = Not other work with kids

1 = Yes, other work with kids

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTC*Volunteer type: combined: fundraising (political and non-political)*

What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?

Fundraising (political and non-political)

0 = Not fundraising

1 = Yes, fundraising

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTD

Volunteer type: combined: homeless shelter/soup kitchen
What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?
Homeless shelter or soup kitchen
0 = Not homeless shelter/soup kitchen
1 = Yes, homeless shelter/soup kitchen
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTE

Volunteer type: combined: neighborhood improvement What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?
Neighborhood improvement, clean-up, or Habitat for Humanity
0 = Not neighborhood improvement
1 = Yes, neighborhood improvement
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTF

Volunteer type: combined: health services
What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?
Health services or hospital, nursing home, group home
0 = Not health services
1 = Yes, health services
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTG

Volunteer type: combined: service to a church
What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?
Service to a church or other religious organization
0 = Not service to a church
1 = Yes, service to a church
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTH

Volunteer type: combined: other
What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?
Other
0 = No other services
1 = Yes, other services
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLTS

Volunteer type: combined: other specify
What types of community service or volunteer work did you perform?
Please specify:
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLHRS

Hours volunteered per month
On average, how many hours did you volunteer each month during the last year? hour(s) per month
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEVLONE

One time volunteer event
On average, how many hours did you volunteer each month during the last year?
One time event
0 = No
1 = Yes
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCLASS

Volunteer reason: class requirement
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work? It was a class requirement or participation was through a campus organization such as a sorority/fraternity
0 = No
1 = Yes
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCENC

Volunteer reason: encouraged by friends/family/faculty
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?
Participation was encouraged by friends, family, faculty, or a mentor
0 = No
1 = Yes
Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.
Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCPERS

Volunteer reason: expression of personal beliefs and values
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?

As an expression of personal beliefs and/or values
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCMEET

Volunteer reason: meet new people
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?

To meet new people
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCSKIL

Volunteer reason: develop useful skills
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?

To develop useful skills
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCFEEL

Volunteer reason: feel good about self
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?

To feel good (for self-esteem)
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCOTH

Volunteer reason: other
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?

Another reason not listed
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESCSPE

Volunteer reason: other specify
Why did you become involved in your community service or volunteer work?

Please specify:

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months and indicated other.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTCAR

Rate volunteer: helped career choice
Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It helped you choose a career
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTREAL

Rate volunteer: revealed how to apply skills
Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It revealed how to apply your knowledge, skills, and/or interests to real world issues
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTRES

Rate volunteer: addition to resume
Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It was an important addition to your resume
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTMAJ

Rate volunteer: clarified choice of majors
Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It clarified your choice of majors
0 = No
1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTCOM

Rate volunteer: helped to be more compassionate

Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It helped you become a more compassionate person

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTSOC

Rate volunteer: increased awareness of social issues

Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It increased your awareness of social issues

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MERTSKIL

Rate volunteer: expanded skills

Which of the following statements describe your experience in your community service or volunteer work activities?

It expanded your skills (leadership, communication, etc.)

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who had volunteered in the past 12 months.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDISSN

Disability: sensory impairment

Do you have a sensory impairment, such as blindness, deafness, or a severe vision or hearing impairment, that has lasted for 6 months or more?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDISMOB

Disability: mobility impairment

Do you have a mobility impairment that has substantially limited one or more basic physical activities, such as walking, climbing stairs, reaching, lifting, or carrying, for 6 months or more?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEDISOTH

Disability: other impairment

Excluding any disabilities already mentioned, do you have any other physical, mental, emotional, or learning condition that has lasted 6 months or more?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEMAIN

Main disability or impairment

What is the main type of condition or impairment you have?

1 = Hearing impairment (i.e., deaf or hard of hearing)

2 = Blindness or visual impairment that cannot be corrected by wearing glasses

3 = Speech or language impairment

4 = Orthopedic or mobility impairment

5 = Specific learning disability or dyslexia

6 = Attention deficit disorder (ADD)

7 = Health impairment or problem

8 = Mental, emotional or psychiatric condition

9 = Depression

10 = Developmental disability

11 = Brain injury

12 = Other

Applies to: Respondents who indicated they had a sensory, mobility or other impairment.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEHIGHED

Highest education level expected

Now we'd like to ask a few questions about your educational and personal goals. What is the highest level of education you ever expect to complete?

0 = No degree or certificate expected

2 = Undergraduate certificate or diploma (occupational or technical program)

3 = Associate's degree

4 = Bachelor's degree

6 = Post-baccalaureate certificate or program

8 = Master's degree

9 = Post-master's certificate

10 = Professional degree

11 = Doctoral degree

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEPLNTCH*Plan on teaching at K-12 level*

Do you plan on becoming a teacher at the K-12 (kindergarten through grade 12) level?

- 1 = Definitely yes
- 2 = Probably yes
- 3 = Probably not
- 4 = Definitely not

Applies to: Respondents who were not working as a K-12 teacher.

Recode note: If MDOC2C6 in (252012 252021 252022 252023 252031 252032 252041 252042 252043) then
MEPLNTCH = 1

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEPLINF*Personal goals: influence political structure*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Influencing the political structure

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEWLOFF*Personal goals: being financially well-off*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Being very well-off financially

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MESTEADY*Personal goals: find steady work*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Being able to find steady work

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MELEADR*Personal goals: being a leader in the community*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Being a leader in the community

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECLSFAM*Personal goals: living close to relatives*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Living close to parents and relatives

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEAREA*Personal goals: leaving the area where you grew up*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Getting away from the area where you grew up

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MELEISUR*Personal goals: leisure time*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Having leisure time to enjoy interests

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEKIDS*Personal goals: having children*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Having children

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEEXPRT*Personal goals: recognized as an expert*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Being recognized as an expert in your field of work

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEMEAN*Personal goals: meaning and purpose in life*

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Finding meaning and a sense of purpose in your life

- 0 = No
- 1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEHELP

Personal goals: help others in need

Please indicate which of the following personal goals are very important to you.

Helping others in need

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: All respondents.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEINCHO

Satisfaction: institutional choice

[if TCURENUG = 0]

Are you satisfied with the quality of the undergraduate education you received at [TSCHUG]? [else]

Are you satisfied with the quality of the undergraduate education you are receiving at [TSCHUG]?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MEMAJCHO

Satisfaction: choice of major

[if MCDEGMAJ = 1 or MCDBLMAJ = 2]

Are you satisfied with your choice of majors at [TSCHUG]?

[else if MCMAJ1 = -9]

Are you satisfied with your choice of undergraduate major or course of study?

[else]

Are you satisfied with your choice of [MCMAJ1] as your undergraduate major or course of study? Are you satisfied with your most recent choice of undergraduate major or course of study?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program and who had declared at least one major between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

MECOBEN

Satisfaction: career options and earnings potential

Do you think that your career options and earnings potential are worth the amount of time you spent and the financial cost of your education so far?

0 = No

1 = Yes

Applies to: Respondents who were enrolled in an undergraduate degree program between July 2005 and the time of the interview.

Sources: BPS:04/09 field test student interview

Appendix D

Training Materials

**NPSAS 2008 Full Scale
Telephone Interviewer Training Agenda
Two Day Agenda: Sunday-Monday**

Day 1/Session 1
5:00 p.m.

1:00 p.m.–

Welcome and Introduction
Overview of Study
Your Role as an Interviewer
Confidentiality
TI Introductions
Demonstration Interview
Frequently Asked Questions
Break
Introduction to the Front End
Q x Q Review
Short Break
Q x Q Review Continued
Wrap-up questions
Break

Day 1/Session 2
9:30 p.m.

5:30 p.m.–

FAQ Review
Coding practice
Round Robin Mock #1
Break
FAQ Review
Paired Mocks
Coding exercise review
Wrap-up questions

Day 2/Session 3
10:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.–

Welcome/Notarization/Confidentiality Review
Coding Certification
FAQ Review
Additional Front End Practice
Round Robin Mock #2
Break
Training Evaluations
Certification Interviews/FAQ Certification

BPS Telephone Interview Training

April 2, 2008 6–10pm

6:00–6:10	Introductions/Conf. forms
6:10–6:25	Study Overview (Main Differences)
6:25–6:40	FAQ Introduction - Randy
6:40–7:45	QxQs with special focus on additional BPS coders
7:45–8:00	<i>Break</i>
8:00–8:45	Round Robin
8:45–9:00	FAQ Review
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