

HERI Faculty Survey 2007-2008

NEW Web-based Survey

NEW New Questions

NEW Data and Deliverables

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The Higher Education Research Institute (HERI)

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The Higher Education Research Institute (HERI) serves as an interdisciplinary center for research, evaluation, information, policy studies, and research training in postsecondary education. HERI is housed in the Graduate School of Education & Information Studies (GSE&IS) at the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA). The Institute's research program covers a variety of topics including the outcomes of postsecondary education, leadership development, institutional transformation, faculty performance, federal and state policy, and educational equity. Visiting scholars, faculty, and graduate students have made use of HERI facilities and its research resources since its affiliation with UCLA in 1973.

The Cooperative Institutional Research Program (CIRP)

Director: John H. Pryor

CIRP is a national longitudinal study of the American higher education system. It is regarded as the most comprehensive source of information on college students. Established in 1966 at the American Council on Education, the CIRP is now the nation's largest and oldest empirical study of higher education, involving data on some 1,900 institutions and over 12 million students. The Higher Education Research Institute has administered the CIRP since 1973. The CIRP longitudinal program consists of the Freshman Survey, Your First College Year Survey, and the College Senior Survey, and the triennial Faculty Survey.



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Costs for 2007-2008

- \$675 **Participation Fee**
Now includes your data file
- Processing Fee**
\$2.00 for each submitted (responded to) survey
- FREE** Customized welcome and thank you pages
- \$300 Integrated additional questions (*optional*)
- \$325 Email-distribution to faculty (*optional*)
- \$475 Real-time Data Analysis (*optional*)

For more information and to register for the HERI Faculty Survey go to www.gseis.ucla.edu/heri/facoverview.php

THE 2007-08 FACULTY SURVEY

The Higher Education Research Institute (HERI) at UCLA invites you to participate in the 2007-08 Faculty Survey. Offered once every three years, the Faculty Survey is designed to provide colleges and universities with timely information about faculty workload, teaching practices, job satisfaction and the academic climate of their institutions.

Program Overview

The HERI Faculty Survey provides an institution with a comprehensive profile of their faculty. How do your faculty perceive your institutional priorities? What kinds of goals do they have for their students? Are they engaging students in the classroom and their own research? What are sources of stress for your faculty? What are sources of satisfaction?

These and other timely issues are examined in the Faculty Survey and are based on almost 20 years of research on faculty at the Higher Education Research Institute.

Administering the Survey Has Never Been Easier

This year the HERI Faculty Survey will be administered entirely on-line via a web-based survey. Our new web portal (www.cirpsurveys.org) allows maximum flexibility in survey administration and data distribution. Customized welcome and thank you pages, additional questions, and email survey notifications are available. While HERI recommends that you use our email survey notification system for convenience and reliability, you may elect to send the email survey notifications yourself.

Using Your Faculty Survey Information

Because the HERI Faculty Survey is a comprehensive survey, institutions use the information they receive in many different ways, including:

- Institutional self-study and accreditation
- Assessment
- Policy analysis
- Faculty development


The Survey Instrument

The newly revised HERI Faculty Survey contains many of the historical items you rely upon for information on your faculty, such as:

- Time diary for faculty work and life
- Faculty productivity
- Perceptions of
 - institutional priorities
 - institutional climate
- Teaching/learning and outcomes for undergraduate education
 - Evaluation methods
 - Instructional techniques
 - Goals and outcomes for general education

- Engagement with undergraduates in:
 - Research
 - Teaching
 - Service
- Diversity Issues
 - Integration of diversity in the curriculum
 - Integration of diversity in research
 - Institutional climate for women, minorities, and gay/lesbian faculty
 - Institutional diversity priorities
- Faculty job satisfaction
- Sources of faculty stress, plans to leave or potential for faculty job turnover
- Faculty goals and attitudes that match items on CIRP student surveys
- Faculty salary and satisfaction
- Opportunity to add locally-designed questions

New Items for the Survey

- Interactions with students that foster habits of mind for student learning 
- Enhanced pedagogy items
- Special consideration to:
 - Part-time faculty
 - Two-year and community college faculty

Your Reports and Data

Included in your participation fee:

- Campus Profiles
 - A downloadable Excel file with your institutional results in total and by gender
 - Full-time Undergraduate Faculty
 - with comparison results from similar type institutions*
 - Part-time Undergraduate Faculty
 - with comparison results from similar type institutions*
 - All Respondents
 - broken out by full-time undergraduates, part-time undergraduate, graduate-only faculty, and all others*
- A copy of our monograph "The American College Teacher: National Norms for the 2007-2008 HERI Faculty Survey"

- Your own unit-record data file for further analysis (now at *no additional charge*)
 - data will be available for download the *next day* after a survey has been submitted

Additional Services Available

(additional fee required)

- Peer reports
 - Request a specific group of institutions be combined for your own tailor-made comparison report. You must choose at least 5 institutions to be combined into one peer group.
- Real-time data analysis
 - A web-based data analysis tool gives you the ability to run frequencies, cross tabulations, means, and correlations on your Faculty Survey data, all within our web portal. Just point and click and have your results in seconds!
- A ready-made PowerPoint presentation with your institutional data