Supplemental Material CBE—Life Sciences Education

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MYSP Summer Bridge 1

INTRO. Talented Students in Science and Engineering: MEYERHOFF SCHOLARS PROGRAM (MYSP)

Dear Meyerhoff Scholar,

This research survey is part of our regular evaluation efforts to gain a better understanding of your experiences at the university and in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program. We plan to send a comparable survey to you each year until you graduate. We expect that it will take you 45 minutes to complete the survey. Please answer each question as accurately and honestly as possible, as your responses are important to our investigation of the various factors that contribute to the success of talented students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM). All your responses will be treated confidentially and will only be seen by the evaluation staff. Results will be reported as group results (e.g., averages), so that information about yourself or other individuals will never be revealed. We appreciate the time and effort that you put into answering this survey and to our larger research effort. Your responses are important for our understanding of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. By continuing, you are agreeing to take this survey. Our research is supported through a major financial commitment from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI). In the survey we will ask questions about the following: Background information, some family information, experiences in high school, and expectations about college. Thank you for contributing to our collective knowledge about the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. If you have any questions at all, please contact the lead program evaluator, Dr. Kenneth Maton, at maton@umbc.edu.

With our utmost appreciation and thanks,

Kenneth Maton, Ph.D. Psychology Department

DEM-ID Please enter your UMBC email address:

DEM-A0 Section A - Student Background. In this first section, we are interested in learning about some of your general background characteristics.

DEM-A1 What is your gender? [Check one.]

- O Male (1)
- O Female (2)

Span N Y Y Y	-A2a Are you Spanish/Hispanic/Latino? [Check all that apply. Check "No" if you are not ish/Hispanic/Latino.] o, Not Spanish/Hispanic/Latino (1) es, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano (2) es, Puerto Rican (3) es, Cuban (4) es, Other Spanish/Hispanic/Latino (specify group) (5)
DEM-A2b What is your race?	
□ A	merican Indian or Alaska Native (specify name of enrolled or principal tribe) (fill in) (4)
□ A	sian (3)
	lack (2)
☐ P	acific Islander (5)
□ W	/hite (1)
	iracial (specify ethnic backgrounds) (6)
	lultiracial (specify ethnic backgrounds) (7)
 0	ther (specify) (8)

DE	DEM-A3 What is your nationality? [Check one.]	
O	Citizen of the United States (1)	
O	Permanent resident of the U.S., non-citizen (2)	
O	Dual citizen, please specify countries (3)	
O	Visa, please specify (4)	
O	Other, please specify (5)	

DEM-A4 In what country were you born?

Q77 In what country was your father born?

Q78 In what country was your mother born?

DEM-A4a If born in the U.S., in what state were you born? OR If not born in the U.S., at what age did you come to the U.S.? [Fill in: e.g., 8 years of age = 08]</br>

DE	DEM-A5 Where did you live the majority of the time when you were growing up? [Check one.]	
\mathbf{O}	Moved around a lot (1)	
\mathbf{O}	Rural or country area (2)	
0	Small town (3)	
0	Small city [under 1 million residents] (4)	
0	Suburb of a city (5)	
\mathbf{O}	Large city [1-2 million residents] (6)	
\mathbf{O}	Very large city [over 2 million residents] (7)	
\mathbf{O}	Military base or reservation (8)	
\mathbf{O}	Other, please specify (9)	

DEM-A6 What is your current age? [Fill in; e.g., 18 years of age = 18.]

DE	M-A7 What is your religious preference? [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	Atheist or Agnostic (1)
\mathbf{O}	Baptist (2)
\mathbf{O}	Buddhist (3)
\mathbf{O}	Catholic (4)
\mathbf{O}	Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (5)
\mathbf{O}	Eastern Orthodox (6)
\mathbf{O}	Episcopalian (7)
\mathbf{O}	Hindu (8)
\mathbf{O}	Jewish (9)
\mathbf{O}	Lutheran (10)
\mathbf{O}	Methodist (11)
\mathbf{O}	Muslim (12)
\mathbf{O}	Nondenominational Christian (13)
\mathbf{O}	Pentecostal or Holiness (14)
	Presbyterian (15)
\mathbf{O}	Other Protestant, please specify (16)
\mathbf{O}	Other Non-Protestant, please specify (17)
O	No religious preference (18)
DE	M-A8 To what extent do you consider yourself to be a spiritual person? [Check one.]
\mathbf{C}	Not at all spiritual (1)
\mathbf{C}	Slightly spiritual (2)
\mathbf{C}	Moderately spiritual (3)
\mathbf{C}	Very spiritual (4)
O	Extremely spiritual (5)

DE	DEM-A12 Describe your high school. [Check one.]	
\mathbf{C}	Public (1)	
O	Private, non-boarding (2)	
\mathbf{O}	Private, boarding (3)	
\mathbf{O}	Home school (4)	
\mathbf{O}	Other, please specify (5)	
DE	M-A13 Where did you receive most of your pre-college education? [Check one.]	
\mathbf{O}	United States (1)	
O	Other, please specify (2)	

DE	DEM-A14 What do you think your highest level of formal education will be? [Check one.]	
\mathbf{C}	Bachelor's degree (1)	
\mathbf{O}	Second/additional Bachelor's degree (2)	
\mathbf{O}	Some graduate school (3)	
\mathbf{O}	Master's degree [e.g., MS, MPH] (4)	
\mathbf{O}	Doctorate degree [e.g., PhD, EdD] (5)	
\mathbf{C}	Professional degree [e.g., MD, DDS] (6)	
\mathbf{O}	MD/PhD (7)	
\mathbf{O}	Other, please specify (8)	

DEM-A15 At what age did you first seriously think about science or engineering as a career'	
[Fil	Il in; e.g., 8 years of age = 08; if you don't remember, mark "Don't remember" below.]
0	Age: (1)
O	Don't remember (2)
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Q١	9 Do you expect to pursue a career in
O	A research university (1)
\mathbf{O}	A liberal arts college (2)
\mathbf{O}	Industry (3)
\mathbf{O}	Government/government agency (4)
\mathbf{O}	Other (please specify) (5)

DEM-A16 Not counting summers and school vacations, did you work for pay an average of 10 hours or more per week when you were in high school? [Check one.]

O Yes, during one of my high school years, I worked 10+ hours per week. (1)

O Yes, during two of my high school years, I worked 10+ hours per week. (2)

O Yes, during three of my high school years, I worked 10+ hours per week. (3)

O Yes, during four of my high school years, I worked 10+ hours per week. (4)

O No, I did not work for pay during high school. (5)

DEM-A17 Not counting summers or school vacations, do you plan to work for pay during the
upcoming year at UMBC? [Check one.]
O No, I will not be working for pay. (1)
O Yes, I will have a part-time job for pay. (2)
O Yes, I will have a full-time job for pay. (3)
O I haven't yet decided whether or not I will work for pay this year. (4)
If No, I will not be working f Is Selected, Then Skip To What is your intended major at
UMBC?If I haven't yet decided wheth Is Selected, Then Skip To What is your intended major
at UMBC?

DEM-A17a If yes, what kind of job do you think you will you have?

Q80 What is your intended major at UMBC?

DE	M-A18 What area of science, technology, engineering, or math (STEM) do you think you	
mię	might have an interest in during your first few years at UMBC? Please fill in.	
O	Fill in: (1)	
O	I do not yet have well-formulated ideas about the area of science, technology, engineering	
	or math in which I would like to work. (2)	

DEM-A19 During high school, I worked many more hours on academic work than my science classmates to keep up the demands of high school. [Check one.]	
O Strongly Disagree (1)	
O Disagree (2)	
O Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	
O Agree (4)	
O Strongly Agree (5)	
O24 How many hours not wook do you articipate you will be attaching during Mayorbeff	
Q81 How many hours per week do you anticipate you will be studying during Meyerhoff	
Summer Bridge?	
O N/A (1)	
O 1-5 hours per week (2)	
O 6-10 hours per week (3)	
O 11-15 hours per week (4)	
O 16-20 hours per week (5)	
O 20 or more hours per week (6)	

DEM-B0 Section B - Family Background. We are now interested in knowing a bit about your family background and the context that may have affected your decision to attend college and major in science or engineering.

DE	M-B1 What was your family situation before you reached age 18? [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	I had no parents/guardians. (1)
\mathbf{C}	I had one parent/guardian. (2)
\mathbf{C}	I had two parents/guardians. (3)
\mathbf{C}	I had more than two parents/guardians. (4)
\mathbf{O}	More than one of the above (Briefly explain) (5)

Answer If What was your family situation before you reached age 18?... I had more than two parents/guardians. Is Selected

DEM-B1DESC Please choose the two parents/guardians with whom you lived the longest and complete all questions for Parent/Guardian 1 and Parent/Guardian 2.

Answer If What was your family situation before you reached age 18?... I had one

parent/guardian. Is Selected Or What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had two parents/guardians. Is Selected Or What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had more than two parents/guardians. Is Selected
DEM-B1a Parent/Guardian 1 - This person is [Check one per parent.] O Male (1) O Female (2)
Answer If What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had one parent/guardian. Is Selected Or What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had two parents/guardians. Is Selected Or What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had more than two parents/guardians. Is Selected
 DEM-B1b Parent/Guardian 1 - How is this person related to you? [Check one per parent.] O Biological parent (1) O Adoptive parent (2) O Step parent [spouse/partner of biological parent] (3) O Other guardian, please specify (4)
Answer If What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had two parents/guardians. Is Selected Or What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had more than two parents/guardians. Is Selected
DEM-B1c Parent/Guardian 2 - This person is [Check one per parent.] O Male (1) O Female (2)
Answer If What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had two parents/guardians. Is Selected Or What was your family situation before you reached age 18? I had more than two parents/guardians. Is Selected
DEM-B1d Parent/Guardian 2 - How is this person related to you? [Check one per parent.] <div><div></div></div>

• Adoptive parent (2)

O Step parent [spouse/partner of biological parent] (3) O Other guardian, please specify (4)

household? [Check one.] O No (1) O Yes (2)
If No Is Selected, Then Skip To Compared with American families in ge
DEM-B2a If yes, what language was that? [Fill in; if more than one language other than English was spoken in your home, please choose the most frequently spoken language.]
DEM-B2b If yes, do you feel that you speak English at least as well as or better than other
languages you speak? [Check one.]
O No, I speak another language better. (1)
O Yes, I speak English better. (2)
O The same. I speak English and the other language about the same. (3)

DEM-B2 When you were growing up, was a language other than English spoken in your

	M-B3 Compared with American families in general at that time, what was your family income ile you were in high school? [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	Far below average (1)
\mathbf{O}	Below average (2)
\mathbf{O}	Average (3)
\mathbf{O}	Above average (4)
0	Far above average (5)
O	M-B4 How difficult was it for you (and your family) to pay your monthly bills? [Check one.] Not at All Difficult (1) Not Very Difficult (2) Somewhat Difficult (3) Very Difficult (4)
O O O	Not at All Difficult (1) Not Very Difficult (2) Somewhat Difficult (3)

DEM-B5 In my neighborhood growing up... [Check one response for each statement.]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Disagree nor Agree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. There was a strong sense of community (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. There were significant problems with muggings, burglaries, assaults, or other crimes.	•	•	•	•	•
c. There were significant problems with illegal drugs being sold and/or used.	•	•	•	•	•

DEM-B6 For each of the following questions, please check either no or yes.

	No (1)	Yes (2)
a. Do you have a close relative (parent, sibling, grandparent, aunt, uncle) who is in a STEM field? (1)	•	•
b. If you had a career-related question, do you have a close relative who could give you relevant advice? (2)	•	•
c. If you had a career-related question, do you have a close teacher from your high school who could give you relevant advice? (3)	•	•

DEM-B7 How often, while you were growing up, did your parents or primary guardians say or do things to... [Check one per question.]

timigs to [One of the per question.]					
	Never (1)	Seldom (2)	Somewhat Often (3)	Often (4)	Very Often (5)
a. Encourage you to be proud of your ethnicity and culture? (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Promote your awareness of your culture and history? (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. Discuss the value of diversity? (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. Talk about discrimination based on race/ethnicity?	•	•	•	•	•
e. Talk about discrimination based on gender? (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. Talk about cultural bias? (6)	•	•	•	•	O
g. Encourage your science or engineering interests/goals? (7)	•	•	•	•	•

DEM-C0 Section C - Your High School Experience. In this section we'd like to know about your experiences while in high school.

DEM-C1 During high school did you have at least one mentor or teacher who had a strong positive impact on your intellectual or personal development? [Check one.]

- O No (1)
- **O** Yes (2)

	Answer If During high school did you have at least one mentor or te Yes Is Selected					
DEM-C2 What was this mentor's or teacher's sex? [Check one.]						
	O Male (1)					
	O Female (2)					
	Answer If During high school did you have at least one mentor or te Yes Is Selected					
	DEM-C3 What was this mentor's or teacher's race? [Check one.]					
	O African American/Black (1)					
	O American Indian (2)					
	O Aleutian, Native Alaskan or Eskimo (3)					
	O Asian/Pacific Islander (4)					
	O Hispanic/Latino (5)					
	O White (non-Hipsanic) (6)					
	O Multiracial, please specify (7)					
	O Other, please specify (8)					
	O Don't know (9)					

Answer If During high school did you have at least one mentor or te Yes Is Selected
DEM-C4 What is the main reason this mentor or faculty member had an impact on you?
[Check one.]
Was excited by the way this person taught a class I was in (1)

O	Was excited by the way this person taught a class I was in (1)
\mathbf{O}	Showed a personal interest in me outside of class (2)

- O Encouraged my academic development (3)
- O Other, please specify (4)

DEM-C5 During high school.... [Check one for each question.]

	No (1)	Yes (2)
a. Did your science or math teachers talk to you about the under-representation of women within their fields? (1)	•	•
b. Did your science or math teachers talk to you about the under-representation of certain racial/ethnic groups within their fields? (2)	•	•

DEM-C6 Thinking about your last year of high school, please indicate how often you did the following: [Check one for each question.]

	Never (1)	Sometimes	Often (3)	Very Often	Does Not
		(2)		(4)	Apply (5)
a. I went to class without completing the required readings or assignments.	0	•	0	•	0
b. I prepared two or more drafts of a paper or assignment before turning it in. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I contributed to class discussion. (3)	0	•	0	•	0
d. I chose to work in a study group with other students. (4)	0	•	0	•	0
e. I actively debated students in the class if I didn't agree with their viewpoints.	•	•	•	•	•
f. I tutored other science/math students who needed help. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I had serious conversations with students who are very different from	0	•	0	•	•

	I			I	
me in terms of their religious beliefs, political opinions, or personal values. (7)					
h. I had political debates with my family. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. I used email to communicate with a faculty member. (9)	•	•	0	0	•
j. I discussed assignments with a faculty member. (10)	0	0	O	O	O
k. I talked about career plans with a faculty member or advisor. (11)	0	0	0	0	0
I. I attended lectures, seminars, or colloquia that were not required for my courses. (12)	•	•	0	•	•
m. I engaged in a sustained and mentored research experience with a faculty member [e.g., thesis/honors project, etc] (13)	•	•	•	•	•

DEM-C7 During high school did you...? [Check one for each question.]

	Not at All (1)	Occasionally (2)	Frequently (3)
a. Keep to yourself? (1)	O	•	•
b. Feel proud about your academic accomplishments? (2)	O	0	•
c. Smoke cigarettes? (3)	•	•	•
d. Feel isolated and lonely? (4)	O	0	0
e. Have science or math teachers who actively engaged you during class? (5)	O	0	•
f. Feel overwhelmed by all you had to do? (6)	O	O	0
g. Speak up during a class discussion when you were not required to do so? (7)	O	0	•
h. Discuss politics with friends? (8)	•	•	•
i. Discuss religion with friends? (9)	•	•	•
j. Discuss your science or engineering interests? (10)	•	•	•
k. Imagine yourself in a science or engineering career? (11)	0	•	•
I. Regularly exercise? . (12)	O	•	•

DEM-C8 During my high school ... [Check one for each question.]

	Disagree (1)	Agree (2)	Don't Know / NA (3)
a. My neighbors generally were of my same racial or ethnic background. (1)	•	•	0
b. My parents preferred that I didn't date people from racial or ethnic backgrounds that were different from mine. (2)	•	•	•
c. At my high school, most students had the same ethnic/racial background as me. (3)	•	•	0
d. Most of my close friends had the same ethnic/racial background racial as me. (4)	•	•	•
e. I was more "academically minded" than most of my immediate friends. (5)	•	•	•

DEM-C9 During your high school years, did you . . . [Check one for each question.]

BEW 66 Barring your m	gir school years, did you	_	
	No (1)	Yes (2)	Does Not Apply (3)
a. Participate in a student organization focused on your race/ethnicity, culture, or first generation status? (1)	•	•	•
b. Hold an office in a student organization (not including student government)? (2)	0	•	•
c. Participate in a study abroad program? (3)	0	0	•
d. Have a roommate of a different race/ethnicity? (4)	0	0	0
e. Participate in student government? (5)	•	•	•
f. Date someone who was from a different race/ethnicity than you? (6)	0	0	0
g. Modify your views on an important political issue after discussions with someone from a different racial/ethnic background than you? (7)	•	•	•
h. Have discussions about racial issues with friends? (8)	•	•	•
i. Have close friends from a different racial/ethnic group? (9)	•	0	•
j. Study regularly with someone from a different racial/ethnic group? (10)	•	0	•
k. Take a class where race or ethnicity was	O	O	O

the main topic? (11)			
I. Take a class where gender was the main topic? (12)	0	0	0
m. Attend a program on racial/ cultural awareness? (13)	•	•	•
n. Miss school due to employment responsibilities? (14)	•	•	•
o. Miss school due to family responsibilities? (15)	0	0	0
p. Meet with your teachers outside of class? (16)	•	0	•

	M-C10 During high school, what was the gender balance of students like in your science and ath classes? [Check one.]
0	There was an under-representation of women. (1)
O	There was an equal balance of men and women. (2)
O	There was an over-representation of women. (3)
O	I attended a single-gender high school. (Please indicate "all girls" or "all boys.") (4)

DEM-C11 During high school, what was the balance of racial/minority students in your science and math classes? [Check one.]

- O There was an under-representation of racial minority students. (1)
- O There was an equal balance of racial minority students. (2)
- O There was an over-representation of racial minority students. (3)

DEM-C12 Looking ahead at the time you will spend as a student at UMBC, do you expect to . . [Check one for each question.]

. [Check one for ea	_			
	No (1)	Maybe (2)	Yes (3)	Does Not Apply (4)
a. Participate in student government (1)	0	0	0	0
b. Study abroad for a semester or for a summer (2)	•	0	•	•
c. Play intramural sports (3)	O	0	0	0
d. Write a honors thesis (4)	•	0	0	0
e. Be a part of Greek life (fraternity/sorority) (5)	•	O	•	•
f. Complete requirements for a double major (6)	0	O	•	0
g. Be a part of the honors program (7)	•	•	•	•
h. Find at least one science or engineering mentor (8)	0	0	•	0
i. Attend UMBC sporting events (9)	0	•	•	0
j. Attend a concert on campus (10)	•	0	•	•
k. Participate in a service learning course for credit (11)	•	O	•	•
I. Conduct independent research (12)	0	O	•	•
m. Rotate in different science or engineering laboratories (13)	•	O	•	•
n. Present my	O	O	O	O

work at a professional scientific conference (14)				
o. Publish a scientific journal article (15)	•	0	0	•
p. Apprentice with doctoral students in science or engineering (16)	•	0	0	•
q. Join a Political Organization (17)	0	0	0	•
r. Join a Gender- Based Organization (18)	•	•	•	•
s. Join a Race/Ethnicity- Based Organization (19)	•	O	O	•
t. Join a Religious-Based Organization (20)	•	•	•	•
u. Join a LGBTQ Organization (21)	•	•	•	0
v. Join a group related to my science-based or engineering- based interests (22)	•	•	•	•
w. Create a new science-based or engineering- based club (23)	•	O	O	•
x. Join Other Organization, please specify: (Fill in) (24)	•	•	•	•

DEM-C13 We are interested in your reasons for pursuing your science or engineering academic interests at UMBC. Please rate each reason. [Check one for each question.]

	Not at All Important (1)	Slightly Important (2)	Moderately Important (3)	Very Important (4)	Extremely Important (5)
a. Influence of my family (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Influence of my teachers (2)	•	•	•	•	O
c. Influence of my close friends (3)	0	0	•	•	0
d. Desire to be stimulated intellectually (4)	0	0	•	•	0
e. Desire to get professional training (5)	0	0	•	•	O
f. A personal experience I had with medicine (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. An experience I had with a scientist or engineer (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. An experience I had in a class (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. An experience I had with a lab (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. Desire to get more time in a science or engineering lab (10)	0	0	0	O	0
k. Prestige of STEM fields	•	•	•	•	0

(11)					
I. Opportunity to be of service to society (12)	0	0	0	0	0
m. Desire for varied work (13)	•	•	•	•	•
n. Desire to go into industry (14)	•	•	•	•	O
o. Desire to make or develop my own theories (15)	•	•	•	•	•
p. Desire to earn a lot of money (16)	•	•	•	0	•
q. Desire to influence how medicine is practiced (17)	•	•	•	•	•
r. Other, please specify (18)	0	0	0	0	•

DEM-C14 How important to you are each of these factors for a science or engineering-related job? [Check one for each question.]

	Not at All	Slightly	Moderately	Very	Extremely
a. Interesting	Important (1)	Important (2)	Important (3)	Important (4)	Important (5)
(1)	O	O	O	O	O
b. Independent work toward goals I set for myself (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. Working with a team of people (3)	•	•	•	0	•
d. Well-paid (4)	•	•	•	•	O
e. Potential to work for justice for all people (5)	0	•	0	0	0
f. Opportunity to have a wide variety of work (6)	0	0	0	0	0
g. Potential to have influence in the community (7)	•	•	•	0	•
h. Well respected/high status (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. Opportunity for leadership (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. Can use my speaking skills (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. Can use my writing skills (11)	•	•	•	0	•
I. Can use my laboratory skills (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. Can use my quantitative	•	•	•	0	•

skills (13)					
n. Can become an expert (14)	0	0	O	0	0
o. Can have one or more supportive mentors (15)	•	•	•	•	•
p. Having clear expectations about my job role (16)	•	•	•	•	•
q. Work for something I believe in (17)	•	•	•	•	•
r. Can be challenged (18)	•	•	•	•	•
s. Can make decisions about how work should be done. (19)	•	•	•	•	•
t. Opportunity to predict my job future (20)	•	•	0	0	0
u. Job Security (21)	•	•	0	0	0
v. Good work/life balance (22)	•	•	•	•	•
w. Opportunity to make a useful contribution to society (23)	•	•	0	0	•
x. Personally satisfying (24)	•	•	•	•	•
y. Opportunities to make exciting new discoveries (25)	•	•	•	•	•
z. Lots of	O	O	O	O	O

different types of job available (26)					
aa. Science is cool (27)	•	•	•	•	O
bb. Opportunity to work with interesting people (28)	•	•	•	•	•
cc. Other reason, please specify (29)	•	•	•	•	O

DEM-E0 Section D - General. This final section asks general information about your current science or engineering interest and who you can go to for support.

DEM-E1 My main source of social and emotional support is: [List relationship; not name (e.g., mother, best friend from high school, etc]

DEM-E2 My main source of academic support is: [List relationship; not name (e.g., mother, best friend from high school, etc]

DE	M-E3 Do you think that you will go to graduate school in a science or engineering related
field	d right after graduation from UMBC? [Check one.]
O	No chance (1)
O	Small chance (2)
O	50-50 chance - toss-up (3)
O	Very likely (4)
O	Absolutely (5)

DE	M-E4 Realistically, by the time I graduate from UMBC, I estimate that my class rank will be in
the	: [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	Bottom 25% (1)
\mathbf{O}	Bottom 50% (2)
\mathbf{O}	Top 50% (3)
\mathbf{O}	Top 25% (4)
\mathbf{O}	Top 10% (5)
\mathbf{O}	Top 5% (6)
\mathbf{O}	Top 1% (7)

DE	M-E5 Which of the following will likely be your criterion for judging that you have been
suc	ccessful in your career? [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	Doing well enough to stay in the profession (1)
0	Doing as well as the average person in the profession (2)
0	Doing a little better than the average person in the profession (3)
0	Doing much better than the average person in the profession (4)
\mathbf{O}	Recognized as one of the top persons in the profession (5)
\mathbf{O}	Other, please specify (fill in) (6)

DEM-E6 Please indicate your agreement with each of the following statements using the following scale:

- Source	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Disagree nor Agree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I am excited about the idea of scientific research. (1)	•	•	0	•	•
b. I expect that my career will focus on research rather than practice (or non-research work). (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I enjoy doing research- related tasks. (3)	0	0	0	0	0
d. I expect that my career will focus on practice (or non-research work) rather than research. (4)	0	0	0	0	0
e. I look forward to working in a research lab. (5)	0	0	0	0	0
f. I am firmly committed to pursuing a career in research. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I am confident that I will achieve my academic goals. (7)	•	•	•	•	•

h. I am confident that I will achieve my long-term career goals. (8)	•	O	O	•
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DEM-E7 This section assesses your confidence in your abilities to function as a scientist or engineer in your area. Indicate the extent to which you are confident you can successfully complete the following tasks. Please select the best answer on the scale from not at all confident to absolutely confident.

	Not at All Confident (1)	Somewhat Confident (2)	Moderately Confident (3)	Very Confident (4)	Absolutely Confident (5)
a. Use technical science skills (use of tools, instruments, and/or techniques) (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Generate a research question to answer (2)	0	•	0	0	0
c. Figure out what data I should collect (3)	•	•	0	0	•
d. Collaborate with other scientists or engineers (4)	•	•	0	•	•
e. Figure out the methods I should use (5)	•	•	0	0	•
f. Show integrity as a scientist or engineer (6)	•	•	0	0	•
g. Be resilient if a project doesn't go my way (7)	0	•	0	0	•
h. Be persistent in seeking an answer (8)	0	•	0	0	0
i. Be a good lab citizen (9)	•	•	•	•	0
j. Be open to	•	•	•	•	•

criticism (10)					
k. Be meticulous in record keeping (11)	0	O	0	•	0
I. Create explanations for the results of the study (12)	0	0	0	0	0
m. Use scientific literature and/or reports to guide research (13)	0	•	O	•	0
n. Develop theories by integrating and coordinating results from multiple studies (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. Report research results in an oral presentation (15)	•	•	•	•	•

DEM-E8 Think about your ability to do the tasks required to complete scientific research. When answering the following questions, answer in reference to your own personal research skills and ability to perform as a competent scientist or engineer.

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Disagree nor Agree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. Eventually, I will be a research star in my scientific or engineering field. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Doing meaningful research will be somewhat difficult for me. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I am confident in my ability to excel in research endeavors. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. I am not so sure about my potential to become a highly influential scientist or engineer. (4)	•	•	•	•	•

DEM-E9 The following questions ask how you think about yourself and your personal identity. We want to understand how much you think that being a scientist or engineer is part of who you are. For the purposes of this study when you see the word scientist or engineer it is intended to mean a professional undertaking research activities in your area of study (e.g., a biologist or a research engineer). Please select the best answer on the scale from strongly disagree to strongly agree.

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Disagree nor Agree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I have a strong sense of belonging to the community of scientists or engineers. (1)	•	•	•	•	0
b. I derive great personal satisfaction from working on a team that is doing important research. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I have come to think of myself as a 'scientist' or 'engineer.' (3)	•	•	•	•	0
d. I feel like I belong in the field of science or engineering. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. The daily work of a scientist or engineer is appealing to me. (5)	•	•	•	•	•

Q82 Please tell us a bit about your views about being a Meyerhoff Scholar.

QOZ 1 IOGOG TOIL GO	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. As a Meyerhoff Scholar, I feel that I have special status on this campus. (1) (1)	•	0	0	•	•
b. I am more likely to get into a top graduate school in science due to my participation in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program. (2) (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I am more likely to complete a PhD in a science or engineering field due to my participation in the Meyerhoff program. (3) (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. Initiatives like the Meyerhoff Scholars Program can increase the number of underrepresented minorities who receive PhDs in science or engineering fields. (4) (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. Summer Bridge will make me more prepared for UMBC than other incoming students. (5) (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I am excited	•	•	•	O	•

about joining a scientific lab. (6) (6)					
g. I enjoy being with students who have a similar career goal as mine. (7) (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I expect to make a scientific discovery while I am here at UMBC. (8) (8)	O	0	•	0	0
i. This program will prepare me to be a successful undergraduate science or engineering student. (9) (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. A doctoral program in a science or engineering field is in my future. (10) (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I am excited about having a professional career in science or engineering. (11) (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. In the Meyerhoff program, I will receive training in how to prepare for graduate school. (12) (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. As a result of the Meyerhoff program, I will be connected to a more diverse array of scientists and engineers in my profession.	•	•	•	•	•

(40) (40)					
(13) (13) n. In the coming years, I think I am going to learn a lot from the other students in my Meyerhoff group. (14) (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. I am excited to be in myMeyerhoff class. (15) (15)	•	O	0	•	0
p. There are already some students in Meyerhoff who I don't particularly relate to. (16) (16)	•	•	•	•	•
q. Administrators of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program will be looking out for my academic well being. (17) (17)	0	0	0	•	0
r. I will be trained in how to prepare for graduate school. (18) (18)	•	•	•	•	•
s. I will be connected to a more diverse array of scientists and engineers in my profession. (19) (19)	•	•	•	•	•
t. I bet that nearly all of the students in my Meyerhoff cohort will get PhDs in science or engineering. (20) (20)	•	•	•	•	•

Q83 The next set of items inquires about how accurately each statement describes your attitudes and beliefs surrounding the Meyerhoff program. [Check one for each statement]

	Not at all accurate (1)	Somewhat accurate (2)	Moderately accurate (3)	Very accurate (4)	Completely accurate (5)
a. I am aware that excellence demands sacrifice. (1) (1)	0	•	0	0	•
b. I strive for excellence in every aspect of my college experience. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I am accountable for my personal behavior and performance. (3) (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. I am mindful of how my actions reflect on others in the program. (4) (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I am accountable not only for myself but also for the personal behavior and performance of others in the program. (5) (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I am expected to consistently encourage other Meyerhoff Scholars. (6) (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. It is my responsibility to make sure that everyone in the program is successful. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I acknowledge	0	O	0	0	•

that my success is partly due to the efforts of the students who came before me. (8) (8)					
i. I am expected to give back to the program, in part through program promotion and providing support to peers. (9) (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I am expected to give back to the larger community, in part through tutoring and advising other students on campus. (10) (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I am expected to give back to the larger community, in part through volunteer work, both on and off campus. (11) (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. I am aware that the goal of the program is to increase the representation of historically underrepresented minorities in STEM. (12) (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. I am personally committed to increasing the representation of historically underrepresented minorities in STEM. (13) (13)	•	•	•	•	•

n. I am aware that the end goal of the program is to complete the PhD in a STEM field. (14) (14)	•	•	0	•	0
o. I consistently receive reinforcement from program staff and students to pursue a STEM PhD. (15)	•	•	•	•	•
p. I am personally committed to the pursuit of a STEM PhD. (16) (16)	•	•	•	•	•
q. I have made a commitment to focus all of my time, effort, and energy on Summer Bridge related activities this summer. (17)	•	•	•	•	•

Q84 The next set of items ask the extent to which feel the following statements are characteristic or not characteristic of you. Be honest – there are no right or wrong answers! [Check one for each statement]

	Very much	Mostly like	Somewhat	Not much like	Not like me at
	like me (1)	me (2)	like me (3)	me (4)	all (5)
a. I have overcome setbacks to conquer an important challenge. (1)	O	•	O	O	•
b. New ideas and projects sometimes distract me from previous ones. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. My interests change from year to year. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. Setbacks don't discourage me. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I am a hard worker. (5)	O	O	O	0	O
f. I have been obsessed with a certain idea or project for a short time but later lost interest. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I often set a goal but later choose to pursue a different one. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I have difficulty maintaining my focus on projects that	•	•	•	•	•

take more than a few months to complete. (8)					
i. I finish whatever I begin. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I have achieved a goal that took years of work. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I become interested in new pursuits every few months. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. I am diligent. (12)	•	•	•	•	•

Q85 Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements. Be honest – there are no right or wrong answers! [Check one for each statement]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. Whenever I had a chance, I sit in the front row of my classes during high school. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Here at UMBC, whenever I have a chance, I expect to sit in the front row of my classes, (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I asked questions of my teachers in my classes during high school. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d Here at UMBC, I expect to ask questions of my teachers during classes. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. If I need to, I ask for help from my peers regarding class work or assignments. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I take good notes during class. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I manage my time wisely. (7)	0	0	0	0	0

h. I know how to find my way around UMBC. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. I am comfortable introducing myself to other people, if necessary.	•	•	•	•	•
j. When necessary, I can step up and be a leader of my peers. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I am able to manage conflict between my peers. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. I am comfortable mingling with peers of different ethnicities and races. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. I have good listening skills. (13)	O	•	O	•	O
n. I am open to points of view that are different from mine. (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. I am willing to help a peer who is in need of academic help. (15)	•	•	•	•	•
p. I have adequate information about what type of	•	•	•	•	•

	I				
research lab I might want to get into here at UMBC (16)					
q. I understand what a career in STEM might look like. (17)	O	•	•	•	•
r. I understand what a career in research might look like. (18)	0	•	•	•	•
s. I know how to dress professionally. (19)	0	0	0	0	0
t. I know how to interact with accomplished people. (20)	0	•	•	•	•
u. I know what a good handshake is. (21)	0	0	0	0	0
v. I know what good posture is. (22)	0	•	•	0	O

DEM-COM1 Please let us know any comments that you have about the survey or anything that you would like to add to clarify your responses.

DEM-END This is the last survey page.

We THANK YOU immensely for your help, participation and support of our assessment of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program!! When you are done with this page, be sure to submit your responses by clicking the "next" button (>>) at the bottom of the page!>

MYSP Summer Bridge 2.1

CAG-INTRO Talented Students in Science and Engineering: MEYERHOFF SCHOLARS PROGRAM (MYSP)Dear Meyerhoff Scholar,

- This research survey is part of our regular evaluation efforts to gain a better understanding of your experiences at the university and in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program. We plan to send a comparable survey to you each year until you graduate. We expect that it will take you 45 minutes to complete the survey. Please answer each question as accurately and honestly as possible, as your responses are important to our investigation of the various factors that contribute to the success of talented students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).<o:p></o:p><o:p></o:p>All your responses will be treated confidentially and will only be seen by the evaluation staff. Results will be reported as group results (e.g., averages), so that information about yourself or other individuals will never be revealed. We appreciate the time and effort that you put into answering this survey and to our larger research effort. Your responses are important for our understanding of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. By continuing, you are agreeing to take this survey. Our research is supported through a major financial commitment from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI). In the survey we will ask questions about the following: Background information, some family information, experiences in high school, personal characteristics, and expectations about college. Thank you for contributing to our collective knowledge about the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. If you have any questions at all, please contact the lead program evaluator, Dr. Kenneth Maton, at maton@umbc.edu.
>With our utmost appreciation and thanks,
 Kenneth Maton, Ph.D.
 Psychology Department

CAG-ID Please enter your UMBC email address:<o:p></o:p>

CAG-1 This scale is made up of a list of statements each of which may or may not be true about you. For each statement choose "definitely true" if you are sure it is true about you and "probably true" if you think it is true but are not absolutely certain. Similarly, you should choose "definitely false" if you are sure the statement is false and "probably false" if you think it is false but are not absolutely certain.

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	Definitely True (1)	Probably True (2)	Probably False (3)	Definitely False (4)
a. If I wanted to go on a trip for a day (for example, to the country or mountains), I would have a hard time finding someone to go with me. (1)	0	0	•	•
b. I feel that there is no one I can share my most private worries and fears with. (2)	•	•	•	0
c. If I were sick, I could easily find someone to help me with my daily chores. (3)	•	•	•	•
d. There is someone I can turn to for advice about handling problems with my family. (4)	•	•	•	•
e. If I decide one afternoon that I would like to go to a movie that evening, I could easily find someone to go with me. (5)	•	•	•	•
f. When I need suggestions on how to deal with a personal problem, I know someone I can	•	•	•	•

(0)				
turn to. (6) g. I don't often get invited to do things with others. (7)	•	•	•	•
h. If I had to go out of town for a few weeks, it would be difficult to find someone who would look after my house or apartment (the plants, pets, garden, etc.). (8)	•	•	•	•
i. If I wanted to have lunch with someone, I could easily find someone to join me. (9)	•	•	•	•
j. If I was stranded 10 miles from home, there is someone I could call who could come and get me. (10)	•	•	•	•
k. If a family crisis arose, it would be difficult to find someone who could give me good advice about how to handle it. (11)	•	•	•	•
I. If I needed some help in moving to a new house or apartment, I would have a hard time finding someone to help me. (12)	•	•	•	•

CAG-2 For each question below, please decide how much the statement characterizes your Actual self as you see it, using one of these answers:<o:p></o:p>

	Not at all characteristic of me (1)	Not very characteristic of me (2)	Slightly characteristic of me (3)	Fairly characteristic of me (4)	Very much characteristic of me (5)
a. I would describe myself as socially unskilled. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. I frequently find it difficult to defend my point of view when confronted with the opinions of others. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I would be willing to describe myself as a pretty "strong" personality.	•	•	•	•	•
d. When I work on a committee I like to take charge of things. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I usually expect to succeed in the things I do. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I feel comfortable approaching someone in a position of authority over me. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I enjoy being around other people,	•	•	•	•	•

and seek out social encounters frequently. (7)					
h. I feel confident of my social behavior. (8)	•	•	0	0	•
i. I feel I can confidently approach and deal with anyone I meet. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I would describe myself as happy. (10)	0	•	0	0	•
k. I enjoy being in front of large audiences. (11)	0	•	0	0	•
I. When I meet a stranger, I often think that he or she is better than I am. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. It is hard for me to start a conversation with strangers. (13)	0	0	0	0	•
n. People seem naturally to turn to me when decisions have to be made (14)	•	0	•	0	0
o. I feel secure in social	0	0	0	0	0

situations. (15)					
p. I like to exert my influence over other people. (16)	O	O	O	0	•

Q35 These questions are related to your experience with the people you know in the scientificcommunity. People in the scientific community can include anyone you know who works in thesciences either in a university setting (faculty members, researchers etc.) or outside the university.

	Strongly Disagree (6)	Disagree (4)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (1)	Strongly Agree (8)
a. I feel that the scientific community provides me with choices and options. (4)	O	O	0	0	•
b. I feel understood by people in the scientific community. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
c. People in the scientific community convey confidence in my ability to do well (6)	•	•	•	•	•
d. People in the scientific community encourage me to ask questions. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
e. People in the scientific community listen to how I would like to do things. (8)	O	O	O	O	•

CAG-M0 Math - The questions below are about your experiences in the most advanced MATH CLASS that you had in high school. You should think about that MATH class when you answer these questions. Please remember that we will keep all your answers private. [Check one response per statement]

CAG-M1 For what MATH class are you reporting?<aiv><aiv><div></aiv></aiv></aiv></aiv></aiv>

CAG-M2 In which year of high school did you take this MATH class?

- O Sophomore (Grade 10) (1)
- Junior (Grade 11) (2)
- O Senior (Grade 12) (3)

CAG-C3

CAG-C3					
	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I was not close to many people in that MATH class. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. People in that MATH class were pretty friendly to me. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I really liked people in that MATH class. (3)	0	0	•	0	0
d. I pretty much kept to myself in that MATH class. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I considered the people in that MATH class to be my friends. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I felt very competent in that MATH class. (6)	0	•	•	0	•
g. People in the class told me I'm good at MATH. (7)	0	0	•	0	•
h. When I was in that MATH class, I did not feel very capable. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. In that class, I did not get much of a chance	0	•	•	0	•

to show my MATH abilities. (9)					
j. I learned interesting new skills in that MATH class. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. In that MATH class, I had to do what I was told. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. I often felt I had no control about how to do my work in that MATH class. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. My ideas were taken into consideration in that MATH class. (13)	•	•	•	•	•
n. I had a lot of say in how much I learned in that MATH class. (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. I was free to express my ideas and opinions in that MATH class. (15)	•	•	•	•	•

CAG-M4 The statements below are about your experiences in MATH in general. You should think about how you feel about MATH and think of how accurate the particular statement is as you reflect on how you approach MATH. Please remember that we will keep all your answers private. [Check one response for each statement]<o:p>

piivate: [Oil	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	7 (7)
a. I work hard when we start something new in MATH. (1)	0	0	0	•	0	0	•
b. The first time my teacher talks about a new topic in MATH, I listen carefully.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
c. If a MATH problem is really hard, I keep working on it. (3)	0	0	0	•	•	0	•
d. When I do badly on a MATH test, I work harder next time.	0	•	•	•	•	•	•
e. When I come to a MATH problem that I can't solve right away, I just give	O	O	•	•	•	•	•

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up. (5)				

CAG-C0 Chemistry - The questions below are about your experiences in the most advanced CHEMISTRY CLASS that you had in high school. You should think about that CHEMISTRY class when you answer these questions. Please remember that we will keep all your answers private.<o:p></o:p>

CAG-C1 For what CHEMISTRY class are you reporting? <o:p></o:p>

CAG-C2 In which year of high school did you take this CHEMISTRY class?

- O Sophomore (Grade 10) (1)
- Junior (Grade 11) (2)
- O Senior (Grade 12) (3)

Q33	Strongly	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly
	Disagree (1)				Agree (5)
a. I was not close to many people in that CHEMISTRY class. (1)	0	O	O	O	O
b. People in that CHEMISTRY class were pretty friendly to me. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I really liked people in that CHEMISTRY class. (3)	O	•	•	•	•
d. I pretty much kept to myself in that CHEMISTRY class. (4)	0	•	•	•	•
e. I considered the people in that CHEMISTRY class to be my friends. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I felt very competent in that CHEMISTRY class. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. People in the class told me I'm good at CHEMISTRY. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. When I was in that CHEMISTRY class, I did	0	•	•	•	•

not feel very					
i. In that class, I did not get much of a chance to show my CHEMISTRY abilities. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I learned interesting new skills in that CHEMISTRY class. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. In that CHEMISTRY class, I had to do what I was told. (11)	•	•	0	0	•
I. I often felt I had no control about how to do my work in that CHEMISTRY class. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. My ideas were taken into consideration in that CHEMISTRY class. (13)	0	0	0	0	0
n. I had a lot of say in how much I learned in that CHEMISTRY class. (14)	•	0	•	•	•
o. I was free to express my ideas and opinions in that CHEMISTRY class. (15)	•	•	•	0	•

CAG-C4 The statements below are about your experiences in CHEMISTRY in general. You should think about how you feel about CHEMISTRY and think of how accurate the particular statement is as you reflect on how you approach CHEMISTRY. Please remember that we will keep all your answers private. [Check one response for each statement]<o:p>

	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	7 (7)
a. I work hard when we start something new in CHEMISTRY. (1)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
b. The first time my teacher talks about a new topic in CHEMISTRY, I listen carefully. (2)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
c. If a CHEMISTRY problem is really hard, I keep working on it. (3)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
d. When I do badly on a CHEMISTRY test, I work harder next time. (4)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
e. When I come to a CHEMISTRY problem that I can't solve right away, I just give up.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

CAG-P0 Physics - The questions below are about your experiences in the most advanced PHYSICS CLASS that you had in high school. You should think about that PHYSICS class when you answer these questions. Please remember that we will keep all your answers private.

CAG-P1 For what PHYSICS class are you reporting?

CAG-P2 In which year of high school did you take this PHYSICS class? <o:p>

- O Sophomore (Grade 10) (1)
- **O** Junior (Grade 11) (2)
- O Senior (Grade 12) (3)

CAG-P3

CAG-F3	Strongly	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly
	Disagree (1)				Agree (5)
a. I was not close to many people in that PHYSICS class. (1)	O	0	•	0	0
b. People in that PHYSICS class were pretty friendly to me. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I really liked people in that PHYSICS class. (3)	0	•	•	•	•
d. I pretty much kept to myself in that PHYSICS class. (4)	0	•	•	•	•
e. I considered the people in that PHYSICS class to be my friends. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I felt very competent in that PHYSICS class. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. People in the class told me I'm good at PHYSICS. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. When I was in that PHYSICS class, I did not feel very	O	O	O	O	O

capable. (8)					
i. In that class, I did not get much of a chance to show my PHYSICS abilities. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I learned interesting new skills in that PHYSICS class. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. In that PHYSICS class, I had to do what I was told. (11)	O	0	O	O	•
I. I often felt I had no control about how to do my work in that PHYSICS class. (12)	0	0	•	0	0
m. My ideas were taken into consideration in that PHYSICS class. (13)	•	•	•	•	•
n. I had a lot of say in how much I learned in that PHYSICS class. (14)	0	•	0	O	•
o. I was free to express my ideas and opinions in that PHYSICS class. (15)	0	0	•	•	•

CAG-P4 The statements below are about your experiences in PHYSICS in general. You should think about how you feel about PHYSICS and think of how accurate the particular statement is as you reflect on how you approach PHYSICS. Please remember that we will keep all your answers private. [Check one response for each statement]<o:p>

	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	7 (7)
a. I work hard when we start something new in PHYSICS. (1)	0	•	•	•	•	•	0
b. The first time my teacher talks about a new topic in PHYSICS, I listen carefully.	0	•	•	•	•	•	•
c. If a PHYSICS problem is really hard, I keep working on it. (3)	0	•	•	•	•	•	•
d. When I do badly on a PHYSICS test, I work harder next time. (4)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
e. When I come to a PHYSICS problem that I can't solve right	O	•	•	•	•	•	•

away, I				
just give up. (5)				
up. (5)				

CAG-4 There are many reasons why students succeed and fail at their schoolwork. For the items below, please think about how accurate it is (on the 1 to 7 scale) that each reason would explain how well you did.<o:p></o:p>

схріантном у	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	7 (7)
a. When I do well in math, it is because I am really good at math. (1)	0	O	•	•	0	0	0
b. When I do well in math, it is because I studied hard for the test. (2)	O	O	•	•	•	•	0
c. When I do well in math, it is because my teacher is a good teacher and is fair grader. (3)	O	0	0	0	O	0	0
d. When I get a poor grade on a chemistry or physics assignment, it is because my teacher graded my work really hard (strict). (4)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
e. When I get a poor grade on a chemistry or physics assignment, it is because I	0	•	•	•	•	•	•

		I	I		I	I	
am not good at these							
topics. (5)							
f. When I							
get a poor							
grade on a							
chemistry							
or physics	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
test, it is because I							
didn't work							
hard							
enough. (6)							
g. When I							
get an							
excellent							
grade on a biology test,							
it is	O	O .	O	O	O	O .	O
because I							
worked very							
hard at it.							
(7)							
h. When I get an							
excellent							
grade on a							
biology test,							
it is because my	O	O	O .	O	O	O	O
teacher is a							
good							
teacher and							
is a fair							
grader. (8)							
i. When I get an							
excellent							
grade on a							
biology test,	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
it is							
because I am talented							
in science.							
(9)							
j. When I							
receive a	•	O	•	O	O	O	O
poor grade							

in math, it is because my teacher thinks I am not good at math. (10)							
k. When I receive a poor grade in math, it is because I am not good at math. (11)	•	•	•	•	0	•	•
I. When I receive a poor grade in math, it is because I didn't study hard enough.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	7 (7)
m. When I do exceptionally well in English, it is because I am very smart in verbal areas. (13)	O	O	O	0	O	O	0
n. When I do exceptionally well in English, it is because I worked really hard. (14)	•	0	•	O	•	•	•
o. When I do exceptionally well in English, it is because my teacher has done a good job teaching and grading the assignments. (15)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
p. When I do not do well on a biology test, it is because I didn't study hard enough. (16)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
q. When I do not do well on a biology test, it is because my teacher did not explain	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

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things clearly. (17)							
r. When I do not do well on a biology test, it is because I am not good at biology. (18)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
s. When I do very well on a chemistry or physics assignment, it is because I have worked hard on the assignment. (19)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
t. When I do very well on a chemistry or physics assignment, it is because I write well. (20)	O	O	•	•	•	•	O
u. When I do very well on a chemistry or physics assignment, it is because my teacher has done an excellent job of teaching me these topics. (21)	0	•	0	•	0	•	0
v. When I receive a low grade in English, it is because English is hard for me. (22)	•	O	•	•	0	•	0

w. When I receive a low grade in English, it is because I haven't worked hard enough. (23)	O	O	O	0	0	O	•
x. When I receive a low grade in English, it is because my teacher was extra strict when he or she graded my paper. (24)	•	O	•	•	•	•	•

Q37 Below is a list of ways you might have felt or behaved recently. Please tell me how often you have felt this way during the PAST WEEK.

	Rarely or none of the time (less than 1 day) (1)	Some or a little of the time (1-2 days) (2)	Occasionally or a moderate amount of time (3-4 days) (3)	Most of the time (5-7 days) (4)
a. I felt that I was just as good as other people. (4)	•	•	•	•
b. I had trouble keeping my mind on what I was doing. (5)	•	•	•	•
c. I felt depressed. (6)	•	•	•	•
d. I felt that everything I did was an effort. (7)	0	0	0	0
e. I felt hopeful about the future. (8)	0	0	0	0
f. My sleep was restless. (9)	•	0	•	•
g. I was happy. (10)	0	0	0	0
h. People were unfriendly. (11)	0	0	0	0
i. I enjoyed life. (12)	•	•	•	0
j. I had crying spells. (13)	0	0	0	0
k. I felt that people disliked me. (14)	•	•	•	0
I. I could not get "going." (15)	0	0	0	0

G-5 Select your ethnicity (check one)
Asian (1)
Hispanic/Latino (2)
Black (3)
American Indian/Native American (4)
White (5)
Other: please specify (6)

CAG-6 Select your gender (check one)<o:p></o:p>

- O Male (1)
- O Female (2)

Answer If Select your ethnicity (check one) Other: please specify Is Not Selected

CAG-7a Each of us is a member of one or more ethnic groups (e.g., Black, Asian, Latino, etc.). For some people, their race or ethnicity is a very important part of who they are, whereas for others it is less important. Please read each statement below carefully and indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree.

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
Being \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices} is an important part of who I am. (1)	0	0	•	0	O
I have a strong sense of belonging with \$\{q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices}\ people. (2)	0	0	•	O	O
I prefer to watch movies or television programs in which \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices} people are the main characters. (3)	0	•	•	•	0
I feel close to other \$\{q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices\} people. (4)	0	0	•	O	O
Most of my friends are \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices}. (5)	0	0	O	O	o
I prefer to read books in which \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoices} people are the main characters. (6)	0	0	O	O	O

Answer If Select your ethnicity (check one) Other: please specify Is Selected

CAG-7b Each of us is a member of one or more ethnic groups (e.g., Black, Asian, Latino, etc.). For some people, their race or ethnicity is a very important part of who they are, whereas for others it is less important. Please read each statement below carefully and indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree.

	Strongl y Disagre e (1)	Disagre e (2)	Neutr al (3)	Agre e (4)	Strongl y Agree (5)
Being \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoicesText Entry} is an important part of who I am. (1)	•	0	0	0	0
I have a strong sense of belonging with \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoicesText Entry} people. (2)	0	O	O	0	O
I prefer to watch movies or television programs in which \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoicesText Entry} people are the main characters. (3)	0	0	•	O	o
I feel close to other \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoicesText Entry} people. (4)	•	O	O	O	O
Most of my friends are \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoicesText Entry}. (5)	0	o	O	O	O
I prefer to read books in which \${q://QID23/ChoiceGroup/SelectedChoicesText Entry} people are the main characters. (6)	0	O	•	O	O

Answer If Select your gender (check one) Male Is Selected

CAG-8M Please read each statement below carefully and indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree.</div>

or disagree. kur	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. Being male has little to do with how I think about myself. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. I prefer to watch movies or television programs that have been made to appeal to boys and men. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. Being male is an important part of my self- image. (3)	0	0	0	0	0
d. Being male has a lot to do with how I think about myself. (4)	•	0	0	•	0
e. Being male is unimportant to my sense of who I am. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I prefer to read books that are mostly read by boys and men. (6)	•	•	•	•	•

Answer If Select your gender (check one) Female Is Selected

CAG-8F Please read each statement below carefully and indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree.

or disagree. <ar></ar>	Strongly	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly
a. Being female has little to do with how I think about myself. (1)	Disagree (1)	•	•	O	Agree (5)
b. I prefer to watch movies or television programs that have been made to appeal to girls and women. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. Being female is an important part of my self- image. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. Being female has a lot to do with how I think about myself.	•	•	•	•	•
e. Being female is unimportant to my sense of who I am.	•	•	•	•	•
f. I prefer to read books that are mostly read by girls and women. (6)	•	•	•	•	•

Answer If Select your gender (check one) Male Is Selected

CAG-9M Rate your agreement or disagreement with each of the following statements.c/div

	Strongly	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly
a. I am a lot like other guys my age. (1)	Disagree (1)	•	•	•	Agree (5)
b. My parents would be upset if I acted like a girl. (2)	0	0	0	0	0
c. I think I am a good example of being a guy. (3)	0	•	•	•	0
d. My friends think it's fine if I act like a girl. (4)	0	0	0	0	0
e. My male friends would think it's fine if I wanted to learn how to knit. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I do NOT feel I fit in with other guys. (6)	0	0	•	0	0
g. I do NOT like boys who often do things that girls usually do. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I would get really mad if someone says I'm acting like a girl. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. My parents would NOT	0	•	•	•	0

mind if I wanted to take ballet lessons. (9)					
j. Things I like to do in my spare time are very different from what most guys like to do in their spare time. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. My friends would NOT like me if I acted like a girl. (11)	0	0	0	•	•
I. My personality is different from the personality of other guys. (12)	0	0	0	0	0
m. My friends would think it's weird if I wanted to take ballet lessons. (13)	0	0	0	•	0
n. The kinds of things I'm good at are similar to what most guys are good at. (14)	O	•	•	•	•
o. My parents would NOT like it if I wanted to learn how to knit. (15)	0	0	0	•	O
p. My parents would be upset if I	0	0	0	0	0

wanted to learn an activity that only girls usually do. (16)					
q. My parents would like for me to choose a career that is common for men to have. (17)	•	•	•	•	•
r. My parents would probably have different career expectations for me if I were a girl. (18)	•	•	•	•	•

Answer If Select your gender (check one) Female Is Selected

CAG-9F Rate your agreement or disagreement with each of the following statements.c/div

	Strongly	Disagree (2)	Neutral (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly
	Disagree (1)				Agree (5)
a. I am a lot like other girls my age. (1)	0	0	•	0	0
b. My parents would be upset if I acted like a guy. (2)	O	O	O	O	O
c. I think I am a good example of being a girl. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. My friends think it's fine if I act like a guy. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. My girl friends would think it's fine if I wanted to learn how to fish or hunt. (5)	•	•	•	•	0
f. I do NOT feel I fit in with other girls. (6)	•	•	•	•	0
g. I do NOT like girls who often do things that boys/guys usually do. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I would get really mad if someone says I'm acting like a man. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. My parents	O	0	0	0	0

	I		I	I	
would think it's fine if I learned how to fix cars and bicycles. (9)					
j. Things I like to do in my spare time are very different from what most girls like to do in their spare time. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. My friends would NOT like me if I acted like a man. (11)	•	O	O	•	•
I. My personality is different from the personality of other girls. (12)	0	O	0	0	0
m. My friends would think it's weird if I learned how to fix cars and bicycles. (13)	O	O	O	O	•
n. The kinds of things I'm good at are similar to what most girls are good at. (14)	0	O	O	0	0
o. My parents would NOT like it if I wanted to learn how to fish and hunt.	•	•	0	•	•

p. My parents would be upset if I wanted to learn an activity that only men usually do. (16)	•	•	•	•	•
q. My parent would like for me to choose a career that is common for women to have. (17)	•	•	•	•	•
r. My parent would probably have different career expectations for me if I were a boy. (18)	•	•	•	•	•

CAG-10 Please read each of the following items carefully, thinking about how it relates to your life, and then indicate how accurate it is for you. Use the following scale to respond:<div>
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	1 (1)	2 (2)	3 (3)	4 (4)	5 (5)	6 (6)	7 (7)
a. I feel like I am free to decide for myself how to live my life. (1)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
b. I really like the people I interact with. (2)	•	0	0	0	•	•	O
c. Often, I do not feel very competent. (3)	0	0	0	0	0	0	O
d. I feel pressured in my life. (4)	0	0	0	0	0	0	O
e. People I know tell me I am good at what I do. (5)	•	•	0	•	•	•	•
f. I get along with people I come into contact with. (6)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
g. I pretty much keep to myself and don't have a lot of social contacts. (7)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
h. I generally feel free to express my ideas and opinions. (8)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
i. I consider the people I regularly interact with to be my friends.	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
j. I have been able to learn interesting new skills recently.	•	•	0	•	•	•	•

(10)							
k. In my daily life, I frequently have to do what I am told. (11)	O	•	0	O	O	0	•
I. People in my life care about me. (12)	O	O	O	O	O	O	O
m. Most days I feel a sense of accomplishment from what I do. (13)	•	0	•	0	0	•	•
n. People I interact with on a daily basis tend to take my feelings into consideration.	•	O	•	O	•	•	•
o. In my life I do not get much of a chance to show how capable I am. (15)	•	0	•	•	•	•	O
p. There are not many people that I am close to. (16)	O	•	0	•	•	•	O
q. I feel like I can pretty much be myself in my daily situations. (17)	•	0	•	0	•	•	O
r. The people I interact with regularly do not seem to like me much. (18)	•	0	•	0	•	•	•
s. I often do not feel very capable. (19)	0	0	•	0	0	•	O
t. There is not much opportunity for me to decide for	0	•	0	0	0	•	O

myself how to do things in my daily life. (20)							
u. People are generally pretty friendly towards me. (21)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

CAG-COM1 Please let us know any comments that you have about the survey or anything that you would like to add to clarify your responses.<o:p></o:p>

CAG-END This is the last survey page. We THANK YOU immensely for your help, participation and support of our assessment of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program!! When you are done with this page, be sure to submit your responses by clicking the "next" button (>>) at the bottom of the page!

SAP-INTRO Talented Students in Science and Engineering: MEYERHOFF SCHOLARS PROGRAM (MYSP)Dear Meyerhoff Scholar,

- This research survey is part of our regular evaluation efforts to gain a better understanding of your experiences at the university and in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program. We plan to send a comparable survey to you each year until you graduate. We expect that it will take you 45 minutes to complete the survey. Please answer each question as accurately and honestly as possible, as your responses are important to our investigation of the various factors that contribute to the success of talented students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).<o:p></o:p><o:p></o:p>All your responses will be treated confidentially and will only be seen by the evaluation staff. Results will be reported as group results (e.g., averages), so that information about yourself or other individuals will never be revealed. We appreciate the time and effort that you put into answering this survey and to our larger research effort. Your responses are important for our understanding of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. By continuing, you are agreeing to take this survey. Our research is supported through a major financial commitment from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI). In the survey we will ask questions about the following: Background information, some family information, experiences in high school, personal characteristics, and expectations about college. Thank you for contributing to our collective knowledge about the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. If you have any questions at all, please contact the lead program evaluator, Dr. Kenneth Maton, at maton@umbc.edu.
>With our utmost appreciation and thanks,
 Kenneth Maton, Ph.D.
 Psychology Department

SAP-INSTR Assessment 3 focuses on your personality, social and academic experiences, view of yourself, and attitudes about what is important in education.

SAP-ID Please enter your UMBC email address:

SAP-A0 Section A - In this section we would like to know how you view your personality and yourself.

SAP-A1 Please read each statement and decide how much you agree or disagree with that statement. Please answer every statement, even if you are not completely sure of your response. [Select one response per statement]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I would be quite bored by a visit to an art gallery.	•	•	•	•	•
b. I plan ahead and organize things, to avoid scrambling at the last minute. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I rarely hold a grudge, even against people who have badly wronged me. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. I feel reasonably satisfied with myself overall. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I would feel afraid if I had to travel in bad weather conditions. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. I wouldn't use flattery to get a raise or promotion at work, even if I thought it would help me get what I want. (6)	•	•	•	•	•

g. I'm interested in learning about the history and politics of other countries. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I often push myself very hard when trying to achieve a goal. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. People sometimes tell me that I am too critical of others. (9)	0	•	•	0	•
j. I rarely express my opinions in group meetings. (10)	O	•	•	•	•
k. I sometimes can't help worrying about little things. (11)	O	•	•	•	•
I. If I knew that I could never get caught, I would be willing to steal a million dollars. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. I would enjoy creating a work of art, such as a novel, a song, or a painting. (13)	O	O	O	O	•
n. When	0	0	0	0	O

working on something, I don't pay much attention to small details. (14)					
o. People sometimes tell me that I'm too stubborn.	0	•	•	•	•

SAP-A2 Please read each statement and decide how much you agree or disagree with that statement. Please answer every statement, even if you are not completely sure of your response. [Select one response per statement]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I prefer jobs that involve active social interaction to those that involve working alone. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. When I suffer from a painful experience, I need someone to make me feel comfortable.	•	•	•	•	•
c. Having a lot of money is not especially important to me. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. I think that paying attention to radical ideas is a waste of time. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I make decisions based on the feeling of the moment rather than on careful thought. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. People think of me as someone who has a	O	O	0	O	0

quick temper.					
(6)					
g. On most days, I feel cheerful and optimistic. (7)	0	0	0	0	•
h. I feel like crying when I see other people crying. (8)	0	0	0	•	O
i. I think that I am entitled to more respect than the average person is. (9)	0	•	•	•	•
j. If I had the opportunity, I would like to attend a classical music concert. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. When working, I sometimes have difficulties due to being disorganized.	O	O	O	O	•
I. My attitude toward people who have treated me badly is "forgive and forget". (12)	O	0	0	0	0
m. I feel that I am an unpopular person. (13)	0	•	•	•	•
n. When it comes to physical danger, I am very fearful.	0	0	0	•	•

(14)					
o. If I want something from someone, I will laugh at that person's worst jokes.	•	0	•	•	•

SAP-A3 Please read each statement and decide how much you agree or disagree with that statement. Please answer every statement, even if you are not completely sure of your response. [Select one response per statement]<o:p></o:p>

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I've never really enjoyed looking through an encyclopedia.	•	•	•	•	•
b. I do only the minimum amount of work needed to get by. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I tend to be lenient in judging other people. (3)	•	•	•	•	0
d. In social situations, I'm usually the one who makes the first move. (4)	•	0	•	•	0
e. I worry a lot less than most people do. (5)	•	•	•	•	0
f. I would never accept a bribe, even if it were very large. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. People have often told me that I have a good imagination.	•	•	•	•	•
h. I always try to be accurate in my work, even at the expense of time. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. I am usually	0	0	O	0	O

quite flexible in my opinions when people disagree with me. (9)					
j. The first thing that I always do in a new place is to make friends. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I can handle difficult situations without needing emotional support from anyone else.	0	0	•	0	0
I. I would get a lot of pleasure from owning expensive luxury goods. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. I like people who have unconventional views. (13)	0	0	0	0	0
n. I make a lot of mistakes because I don't think before I act. (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. Most people tend to get angry more quickly than I do. (15)	•	•	•	0	•

SAP-A4 Please read each statement and decide how much you agree or disagree with that statement. Please answer every statement, even if you are not completely sure of your response. [Select one response per statement]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. Most people are more upbeat and dynamic than I generally am. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. I feel strong emotions when someone close to me is going away for a long time. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I want people to know that I am an important person of high status.	•	•	•	•	•
d. I don't think of myself as the artistic or creative type.	•	•	•	•	•
e. People often call me a perfectionist. (5)	•	•	•	•	0
f. Even when people make a lot of mistakes, I rarely say anything negative. (6)	•	•	•	•	•

g. I sometimes feel that I am a worthless person. (7)	O	0	0	0	0
h. Even in an emergency, I don't feel like panicking. (8)	0	•	•	•	•
i. I wouldn't pretend to like someone just to get that person to do favors for me. (9)	0	•	•	•	•
j. I find it boring to discuss philosophy. (10)	O	0	0	0	•
k. I prefer to do whatever comes to mind, rather than stick to a plan. (11)	0	0	0	0	0
I. When people tell me that I'm wrong, my first reaction is to argue with them. (12)	O	O	O	O	O
m. When I'm in a group of people, I'm often the one who speaks on behalf of the group. (13)	•	•	•	•	•
n. I remain unemotional even in situations where most	•	•	•	•	•

people get very sentimental. (14)					
o. I'd be tempted to use counterfeit money, if I was sure I could get away with it. (15)	O	•	•	•	•

SAP-A5 I see myself as someone who... [Select one response per statement.]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
ais original, comes up with new ideas. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
bis curious about many different things. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
cis ingenious, a deep thinker.	0	0	0	•	•
dhas an active imagination.	•	•	•	•	•
eis inventive. (5)	•	•	•	•	o
fvalues artistic, aesthetic experiences. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
gprefers work that is routine. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
hlikes to reflect, play with ideas. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
iis sophisticated in art, music, or literature. (9)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-A6 We would like to learn a little more about you. In answering the following questions please be honest and accurate and trust your first response based on the options below. [Select one response per statement]

	Not at All Like Me (1)	Unlike Me (2)	Sometimes Like Me (3)	Like Me (4)	Very Much Like Me (5)
a. I have a hard time breaking bad habits. (1)	0	0	0	0	0
b. I am lazy. (2)	0	O	O	O	O
c. I say inappropriate things. (3)	0	0	0	0	O
d. I do certain things that are bad for me, if they are fun. (4)	0	•	•	•	•
e. I refuse things that are bad for me. (5)	0	0	0	0	0
f. I wish I had more self- discipline. (6)	0	0	•	•	•
g. I am good at resisting temptation. (7)	0	0	0	0	0
h. People would say that I have iron-strong self-discipline. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. Pleasure and fun sometimes keep me from getting work done. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I have trouble concentrating. (10)	0	•	•	•	•

k. I am able to work effectively toward long- term goals. (11)	0	•	0	0	•
I. Sometimes I can't stop myself from doing something, even if I know it is wrong. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. I often act without thinking through all the alternatives. (13)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-A7 For each of the statements below, please indicate whether or not the statement is characteristic of you. [Select one response per statement]<o:p></o:p>

	Extremely Uncharacteristic (1)	Somewhat Uncharacteristic (2)	Uncertain (3)	Somewhat Characteristic (4)	Extremely Characteristic (5)
a. I consider how circumstances might play out the future, and try to influence those circumstances with my dayto-day behavior. (1)	O	O	0	•	•
b. Often I engage in a particular behavior in order to achieve outcomes that may not result for many years. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I only act to satisfy immediate concerns, figuring the future will take care of itself. (3)	0	0	•	•	•
d. My behavior is only influenced by the immediate (i.e., a matter of days or weeks) outcomes of my actions. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. My convenience	0	0	0	•	•

is a big factor in the decisions I make or the actions I take. (5)					
f. I am willing to sacrifice my immediate happiness or well-being in order to achieve future outcomes. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I think it is important to take warnings about negative outcomes					
seriously, even if the negative outcome will not occur for many years. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. I think it is more important to perform a behavior with beneficial, long-term outcomes rather than a behavior with less important, immediate outcomes. (8)	O	O	O	•	•
i. I generally ignore warnings about possible future problems because I	O	O	O	•	•

think the problems will be resolved before they reach crisis level. (9)					
j. I think that sacrificing now is usually unnecessary since future outcomes can be dealt with at a later time. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I only act to satisfy immediate concerns, figuring that I will take care of future problems that may occur at a later date. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. Since my day-to-day work has specific outcomes, it is more important to me than behavior that has distant outcomes. (12)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-A8 Below are five statements with which you may agree or disagree. Please be open and honest in your responses. [Select one response per statement]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Slightly Disagree (3)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (4)	Slightly Agree (5)	Agree (6)	Strongly Agree (7)
a. In most ways, my life is close to my ideal. (1) b. The	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
conditions of my life are excellent.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
c. I am completely satisfied with my life. (3)	•	•	•	•	•	•	0
d. So far, I have gotten the important things I want in life. (4)	•	•	0	0	•	•	•
e. If I could live my life over, I would change almost nothing.	•	•	0	•	•	•	•

SAP-A10 Indicate how you view the following health statements, as they pertain to you. [Select one per statement]

	Poor (1)	Fair (2)	Good (3)	Very Good (4)	Excellent (5)
a. My physical health in general is (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. My mental or emotional health in general is (2)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-A11 In general, compared to most (young men/young women) my age, my health is...

- O Much Worse (1)
- O Somewhat Worse (2)
- O About the Same (3)
- O Somewhat Better (4)
- O Much Better (5)

Q92 Below is a list of ways you might have felt or behaved recently. Please tell me how often you have felt this way during the PAST WEEK.

during the PAST V	during the PAST WEEK.							
	Rarely or none of the time (less than 1 day) (1)	Some or a little of the time (1-2 days) (2) (2)	Occasionally or a moderate amount of time (3-4 days) (3) (3)	Most of the time (5-7 days) (4) (4)				
I was bothered by things that usually don't bother me. (17)	O	O	0	O				
I did not feel like eating; my appetite was poor. (18)	•	•	•	•				
I felt that I could not shake off the blues, even with help from my family or friends. (19)	•	•	•	•				
I had no trouble keeping my mind on what I was doing. (21)	•	•	•	0				
I felt depressed. (22)	0	0	0	O				
I felt that everything I did was an effort. (23)	•	•	•	•				
I thought my life had been a failure. (24)	•	•	•	•				
I felt fearful. (25)	•	•	O	O				
My sleep was restless. (26)	•	0	•	•				
I talked less than usual. (27)	O	O	O	O				
I felt lonely. (28)	•	•	•	O				
I had crying	O	O	O	O				

spells. (29)				
I felt sad. (30)	O .	O .	O .	O
I felt that people disliked me. (31)	0	0	0	•
I could not get going. (32)	0	0	0	0
I felt that I was just as good as other people. (33)	•	0	•	•
I felt hopeful about the future. (34)	•	0	0	0
I was happy. (36)	0	0	0	•
People were unfriendly. (38)	0	0	0	0
I enjoyed life. (40)	0	0	0	•

SAP-B0 Section B - In this section we would like to learn about the types of experiences you have had during your lifetime and during high school.

SAP-B1 During high school, how much interaction on campus did you have with . . . [Select one response for each lettered item below.] <o:p></o:p>

	Not Very Much (1)	Some (2)	A Lot (3)
aAsian American students? (1)	0	0	•
bHispanic/Latino students? (2)	•	•	•
cAfrican American students? (3)	•	•	•
dWhite students? (4)	0	0	•
eFirst generation in the U.S. high school students (i.e., born outside of the U.S.)? (5)	•	•	•

SAP-B2 We want to know whether you agree with the statements below. Some of the statements indicate how you feel about belonging to your racial/ethnic group. Some refer to your feelings about what others may think about your racial/ethnic group.

your recilings at	out What ou		int about you		no group.		
	Strongly Disagree (1)	Slightly Disagree (2)	Disagree (3)	Neutral (4)	Agree (5)	Slightly Agree (6)	Strongly Agree (7)
a. Overall, being [my race/ethnicity] has very little to do with how I feel about myself. (1)	O	O	0	O	O	•	0
b. I feel good about people of [my race/ethnicity] (2)	0	•	0	•	•	•	•
c. Overall, others consider [my race/ethnicity] good (3)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
d. In general, being [my race/ethnicity] is an important part of my self- image. (4)	•	•	0	•	•	•	0
e. I am happy that I am [my race/ethnicity]. (5)	•	•	0	•	0	•	•
f. In general, others respect people of [my race/ethnicity]. (6)	•	O	0	O	•	•	•
g. I have a strong sense of belonging to people of [my race/ethnicity] . (7)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
h. I have a	O	•	0	O	0	0	O

strong attachment to other people of [my race/ethnicity]. (8)							
i. Being [my race/ethnicity] is an important reflection of who I am. (9)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
j. In general, other groups view [my race/ethnicity] in a positive manner. (10)	•	•	•	•	•	O	0
k. I am proud to be [my race/ethnicity]. (11)	•	•	•	•	O	O	•
I. Society views people of [my race/ethnicity] as valuable and useful. (12)	•	•	•	•	•	O	•

SAP-B4DESC In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B4a You are treated with less courtesy than other people.
O Almost everyday (1)
O At least once a week (2)
O A few times a month (3)
O A few times a year (4)
O Less than once a year (5)
O Never (6)

Ans	swer If You are treated with less courtesy than other people. Never Is Not Selected
SAI	P-B4b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?
O	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)
O	Your gender (2)
\mathbf{C}	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)
\mathbf{C}	Your age (4)
O	Other (SPECIFY) (5)

SAP-B5DESC In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SA	P-B5a You are treated with less respect than other people.
O	Almost everyday (1)
O	At least once a week (2)
O	A few times a month (3)
O	A few times a year (4)
\mathbf{O}	Less than once a year (5)
O	Never (6)

Answer If You are treated with less respect than other people. Never Is Not Selected	
SAP-B5b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?	
O Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O Your gender (2)	
O Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O Your age (4)	
O Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B6DESC In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B6a You receive poorer service than other people at restaurants or in stores.
O Almost everyday (1)
O At least once a week (2)
O A few times a month (3)
O A few times a year (4)
O Less than once a year (5)
O Never (6)

Answer If You receive poorer service than other people at restauran Never Is Not Selected
SAP-B6b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?
O Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)
O Your gender (2)
O Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)
O Your age (4)
O Other (SPECIFY) (5)

SAP-B7DESC In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B7a People act as if they think you are not smart.			
O	Almost everyday (1)		
O	At least once a week (2)		
0	A few times a month (3)		
O	A few times a year (4)		
O	Less than once a year (5)		
O	Never (6)		

Ansv	wer If People act as if they think you are not smart. Never Is Not Selected	
SAP-B7b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience		
O 1	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O \	Your gender (2)	
O \	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O \	Your age (4)	
0	Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B8DESC In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B8a People act as if they are afraid of you.			
\mathbf{O}	Almost everyday (1)		
\mathbf{C}	At least once a week (2)		
O	A few times a month (3)		
O	A few times a year (4)		
\mathbf{O}	Less than once a year (5)		
\mathbf{O}	Never (6)		

An	swer If People act as if they are afraid of you. &n Never Is Not Selected
SA	P-B8b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?
\mathbf{O}	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)
\mathbf{O}	Your gender (2)
\mathbf{O}	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)
O	Your age (4)
O	Other (SPECIFY) (5)

SAP-B9DESC In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B9a People act as if they think you are dishonest.			
O	Almost everyday (1)		
O	At least once a week (2)		
\mathbf{O}	A few times a month (3)		
O	A few times a year (4)		
O	Less than once a year (5)		
O	Never (6)		

F	Answer If People act as if they think you are dishonest. Never Is Not Selected
S	SAP-B9b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?
(Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)
(O Your gender (2)
(Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)
(O Your age (4)
(Other (SPECIFY) (5)

SAP-B10DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B10a People act as if they are better than you.
O Almost everyday (1)
O At least once a week (2)
O A few times a month (3)
O A few times a year (4)
O Less than once a year (5)
O Never (6)

An	Answer If People act as if they are better than you. Never Is Not Selected		
SA	SAP-B10b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
O	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)		
O	Your gender (2)		
O	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)		
O	Your age (4)		
O	Other (SPECIFY) (5)		

SAP-B11DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B11a You are called names or insulted.		
O	Almost everyday (1)	
O	At least once a week (2)	
O	A few times a month (3)	
O	A few times a year (4)	
O	Less than once a year (5)	
O	Never (6)	

Answer If You are called names or insulted. Never Is Not Selected	
SAP-B11b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?	
O Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O Your gender (2)	
O Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O Your age (4)	
O Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B12DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B12a You are threatened or harassed.		
0	Almost everyday (1)	
O	At least once a week (2)	
O	A few times a month (3)	
O	A few times a year (4)	
O	Less than once a year (5)	
O	Never (6)	

	An	swer If You are threatened or harassed. Never Is Not Selected
	SA	AP-B12b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?
	\mathbf{O}	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)
	\mathbf{O}	Your gender (2)
	\mathbf{O}	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)
	O	Your age (4)
	\mathbf{O}	Other (SPECIFY) (5)

SAP-B13DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B13a You are followed around in stores. <o:p></o:p>		
\mathbf{C}	Almost everyday (1)	
\mathbf{O}	At least once a week (2)	
\mathbf{O}	A few times a month (3)	
\mathbf{O}	A few times a year (4)	
\mathbf{O}	Less than once a year (5)	
\mathbf{O}	Never (6)	

Answer If You are followed around in stores. <o:p></o:p> Never Is Not Selected	
SAP-B13b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?	
O Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O Your gender (2)	
O Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O Your age (4)	
Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B14DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B14a Your teachers treat you with less respect than other students.		
O	Almost everyday (1)	
O	At least once a week (2)	
O	A few times a month (3)	
O	A few times a year (4)	
O	Less than once a year (5)	
O	Never (6)	

Answer If Your teachers treat you with less respect than other stud Never Is Not Selected		
SAP-B14b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
\mathbf{O}	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O	Your gender (2)	
O	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
\mathbf{O}	Your age (4)	
O	Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B15DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B15a Your teachers act as if they think you are not smart.		
Almost everyday (1)		
O At least once a week (2)		
O A few times a month (3)		
O A few times a year (4)		
O Less than once a year (5)		
O Never (6)		

Answer If Your teachers act as if they think you are not smart. &nb Never Is Not Selected		
SAP-B15b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
\mathbf{O}	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
\mathbf{O}	Your gender (2)	
O	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O	Your age (4)	
O	Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B16DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B16a Your teachers act as if they are afraid of you.	
O Almost everyday (1)	
O At least once a week (2)	
O A few times a month (3)	
O A few times a year (4)	
O Less than once a year (5)	
O Never (6)	

Answer If Your teachers act as if they are afraid of you. &n Never Is Not Selected		
SAP-B16b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
\mathbf{O}	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O	Your gender (2)	
O	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O	Your age (4)	
O	Other (SPECIFY) (5)	

SAP-B17DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B17a Have you ever been unfairly discouraged by a teacher or advisor from continuing your education?

- O No (1)
- **O** Yes (2)

Answer If Have you ever been unfairly discouraged by a teacher or a Yes Is Selected		
SAP-B17b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
O Your race, ethnicity, na	tural ancestry or natural origins (1)	
O Your gender (2)		
O Your height, weight or s	some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)	
O Your age (4)		
O Other (SPECIFY) (5) _		

SAP-B18DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B18a Have you ever moved into a neighborhood where neighbors made life difficult for you or your family?<o:p>

- O No (1)
- **O** Yes (2)

Answer If Have you ever moved into a neighborhood where neighbors m Yes Is Selected		
SAP-B18b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
O Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)		
O Your gender (2)		
O Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)		
O Your age (4)		
O Other (SPECIFY) (5)		

SAP-B19DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SAP-B19a Have you ever received service from someone such as a plumber or car mechanic that was worse than what other people got?

- O No (1)
- **O** Yes (2)

Answer If Have you ever received service from someone such as a plu Yes Is Selected		
SAP-B19b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?		
O Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)		
O Your gender (2)		
O Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)		
O Your age (4)		
O Other (SPECIFY) (5)		

SAP-B20DES In your day-to-day life, how often have any of the following things happened to you? [Select one option for each question.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

SA	P-B20a Your teachers expect lower academic performance from you than other students.
	Almost everyday (1)
\mathbf{O}	At least once a week (2)
\mathbf{C}	A few times a month (3)
O	A few times a year (4)
O	Less than once a year (5)
\mathbf{O}	Never (6)

An	swer If Your teachers expect lower academic performance from you Never Is Not Selected
SA	AP-B20b What do you think was the main reason for (this/these) experience(s)?
0	Your race, ethnicity, natural ancestry or natural origins (1)
0	Your gender (2)
0	Your height, weight or some other aspect of your physical appearance (3)
\mathbf{O}	Your age (4)
0	Other (SPECIFY) (5)

SAP-B21 As people go through life, they may experience adverse interactions or conflicts, based on race, involving a person of a different racial background. Did you ever experience such adverse interactions or conflicts? [Choose one option.]

- O No (1)
- O Yes (2)

Answer If As people go through life, they may experience adverse in... Yes Is Selected SAP-B21a If yes, to what extent did you try the following strategies to cope with the adverse interactions? [Select one option for each statement.]

	Not at All (1)	Some of the Time (2)	Always or Almost
			Always (3)
a. Tried to do something about it (1)	O	0	•
b. Accepted it as a fact of life (2)	•	•	•
c. Confronted the situation right away (3)	0	0	O
d. Worked harder to prove them wrong (4)	•	•	•
e. Realized that I brought it on myself (5)	•	•	•
f. Talked to a friend of my same race about what to do about the situation (6)	•	•	•
g. Talked to a friend, regardless of race, about what to do about the situation (7)	0	0	0
h. Considered carefully the point of view that was expressed (8)	0	0	0
i. Got mad (9)	O	O	O
j. Expressed anger (10)	•	•	•
k. Sought or found spiritual comfort and support (11)	•	•	•
I. Didn't let it get to me; refused to think about it too much (12)	0	0	0
m. Mulled it over and ruminate about it (13)	0	•	•
n. Felt that I brought it on myself (14)	O	•	•
o. Found something to do to take my mind off of it (15)	0	•	•

p. Felt depressed (16)	•	O	•
q. Thought later about what I should have said (17)	•	•	•
r. Addressed it right away, in the moment (18)	•	•	•
s. Thought about ways to convey my views to others who were not involved in the interaction (19)	•	•	•
t. Criticized or lectured myself (20)	•	•	•
u. Increased my efforts to make things work with the other party (21)	•	•	•
v. Went on with my day, as if nothing had happened (22)	•	•	0
w. Talked to someone about how I was feeling, after the interaction (23)	•	•	•
x. Tried to keep my feelings to myself (24)	•	•	•
y. Talked to someone who could do something concrete about the situation (25)	•	•	•
z. Expressed anger to the person who caused the problem (26)	•	•	•
aa. Tried to forget that it had happened (27)	O	O	O

SAP-C0 Section C - In this section we would like to understand your ideas and thoughts about having a diverse student body at UMBC, in addition to your ideas about learning.

SAP-C1 To what extent do you disagree or agree with the following statements? [Select one option for each question.]

- Control each	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. In SCIENCE classes, course time should not be used to discuss racial issues. (1)	•	•	0	•	•
b. In NON- SCIENCE classes, course, time should not be used to discuss racial issues. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. A more racially diverse student body can challenge all students to think about different viewpoints.	•	•	•	•	•
d. A more diverse student body hinders students' ability to work together. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. I believe that I am a more effective critical thinker when I consider carefully points of view other than my	•	•	•	•	•

own. (5)					
f. Racial					
diversity on campus will improve students' abilities to work and get along with others after graduation in an increasingly	•	•	•	•	•
diverse					
society. (6) g. My ability to work and get along with others has been enhanced significantly by interactions that I have had with people from a different racial/ethnic background than my own. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
h. My educational experience has been enhanced significantly by being exposed to diverse points of view expressed in the classroom. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. It is important that college	O	0	0	0	0

courses reflect cultural differences such as the needs and strengths of multiple			
multiple income			
groups. (9)			

SAP-C2 Diversity among students enrolled in UMBC will... [Select one response for each question.]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
aenhance my learning and educational experiences. (1)	0	•	•	•	0
bimprove my understanding and ability to work with others by increasing my interactions with individuals who differ from me. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
cimprove my ability to interact with diverse individuals when I am conducting SCIENCE or ENGINEERING. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
dimprove my ability to interact with diverse individuals in society, once I have my Ph.D. (4)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-C3 I believe that I learn best when... [Select one response for each question.]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
aI can participate in class [e.g., by speaking or defending a relevant point during a discussion]. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
bI am in a classroom with 50 students or more. (2)	•	•	0	•	0
cI am in a lab setting. (3)	0	0	0	0	o
dI am working side- by-side someone else. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
eI have a moment to reflect before I express my opinion. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
fI know what questions will be asked in advance. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
gI have a mentor who shows me the ropes. (7)	0	0	0	0	0
hI have the opportunity to "think on my feet." (8)	0	0	0	0	0
iI can use a diagram,	•	•	•	•	•

model, or other visual device to analyze a concept. (9)					
jI actually do it rather than when I just read about it. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
kI have my ideas challenged and critiqued during discussion. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
II can think about a practical application for what I am studying. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
mI am able to connect concepts that I am learning to actual problems I have learned before. (13)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-C4 At UMBC, I expect to encounter some students who will not be as qualified as others due to admissions based on ... [Choose one response for each question.]

	Don't Know / NA (1)	No (2)	Yes (3)
aaffirmative action (1)	•	•	•
bfamily income (2)	O	•	O
cgender-based factors (3)	•	•	•
dgeographical origin (4)	•	•	•
ein-state (or out- of-state) quotas (5)	•	•	•
finternational status (6)	•	•	•
glearning disability (7)	•	•	•
hlegacy (family having gone to UMBC) (8)	0	0	0
iphysical disability (9)	•	•	•
jathlete status (10)	O	•	O
kpolitical beliefs (11)	0	0	0

SAP-C5 My GENDER may limit my chances of ... [Choose one response for each question.]<o:p>

question.jvo.px	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
asucceeding in introductory level math or science courses (1)	0	•	•	•	•
bfinding the faculty mentors that I need to guide me toward graduate school in science or engineering (2)	•	•	•	•	•
cgetting a high quality placement in a science or engineering lab (3)	•	•	•	•	0
dmaking close friends here at UMBC (4)	•	•	•	•	•
ebeing accepted at a top graduate school in a science or engineering field (5)	•	•	•	•	•
flearning from other science or engineering students here at UMBC (6)	•	•	•	•	•
gmeeting important milestones	0	•	•	•	O

during graduate school in a timely way (7)					
hcreating scientific knowledge (8)	•	•	•	•	•
igetting the job I want, once I get my PhD (9)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-C6 My RACE/ETHNICITY may limit my options for... [Choose one response for each question.]

- question.j	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
asucceeding in introductory level math or science courses (1)	•	•	(3) O	•	•
bfinding the faculty mentors that I need to guide me toward graduate school in a science or engineering field (2)	•	•	•	•	•
cgetting a high quality placement in a science or engineering lab (3)	0	0	0	O	0
dmaking good friends here at UMBC (4)	•	•	•	0	•
ebeing accepted at a top graduate school in a science or engineering field (5)	•	•	•	•	•
flearning from other science or engineering students here at UMBC (6)	•	•	•	O	•
gmeeting important milestones	0	•	0	0	O

during graduate school in a timely way (7)					
hcreating scientific knowledge (8)	•	•	•	•	•
igetting the job I want, once I get my PhD (9)	•	•	•	•	•

Q82 These questions are related to your experience with the people you know in the scientific community. People in the scientific community can include anyone you know who works in the sciences either in a university setting (faculty members, researchers etc.) or outside the university.<o:p>

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither agree or disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly agree (5)
a. I feel that the scientific community provides me with choices and options. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
b. I feel understood by people in the scientific community.	•	•	•	•	•
c. People in the scientific community convey confidence in my ability to do well. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
d. People in the scientific community encourage me to ask questions. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
e. People in the scientific community listen to how I would like to do things. (8)	•	•	•	•	•

Q90 These questions focus specifically on mathematics/science. Please use the scale below and honestly indicate to what extent you agree, or disagree with each item.

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
1. I like math and science puzzles. (4) 2.	0	0	0	0	0
Mathematics and science are stimulating and enjoyable to me.	0	0	0	0	•
3. When a math or science problem arises that I can't immediately solve, I stick with it until I have a solution. (6)	0	0	0	0	•
4. Once I start trying to work on a math or science puzzle, I find it hard to stop. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
5. When a question is left unanswered in math or science class, I continue to think about it afterwards.	0	0	0	0	0
6. I am	0	•	O	•	O

challenged by math or science problems I can't understand					
immediately.					
7. Figuring out mathematical					
and science problems does not appeal to me. (10)	0	0	O	O	0
8. The challenge of math and science	•	O	O	O	O
problems does not appeal to me. (11)					
9. Math and science problems are boring. (12)	0	O	O	O	0
10. I don't understand how some people can spend so much time on math and science and seem to enjoy it. (13)	•	•	•	•	•
11. I would rather have someone give me the solution to a difficult math or science problem than to have to work it out for myself. (14)	•	•	•	•	•

Q8	4 How often did you attend church, mosque, synagogue, or other religious setting while in
hig	h school?
O	3 or more times per month (4)
O	Twice per month (5)
O	Once per month (6)
O	Only on special occasions (7)
O	Very infrequently (8)
O	Never (9)
Q8	5 Please elaborate on any involvement you had in organized religion.
Q8	6 How would you rate the importance of your spiritual/religious background to your success?
O	Very important (4)
O	Important (5)
O	Somewhat important (6)
O	Not important (7)
O	Not applicable (8)

Q89 Please use the scale below, and honestly indicate how accurately each item does, or does not, describe you. Just select the option that best describes how accurate the statement is as a description of how you see yourself.

	Not at all Accurate - 1 (1)	2 (2)	Somewhat Accurate - 3 (3)	4 (4)	Completely Accurate - 5 (5)
I experience a close personal relationship with God. (4)	0	•	0	0	•
My religious faith helps me to cope during times of difficulty.	•	•	•	•	•
I generally attend church, mosque or synagogue once a week. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
I experience God 's love and caring on a regular basis. (7)	0	•	•	•	0
I feel quite certain that God will protect me during times of difficulty in my life. (8)	•	•	•	•	•

SAP-COM1 Please let us know any comments that you have about the survey or anything that you would like to add to clarify your responses.

SAP-END This is the last survey page. We THANK YOU immensely for your help, participation and support of our assessment of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program!! When you are done with this page, be sure to submit your responses by clicking the "next" button (>>) at the bottom of the page!

MYSP Summer Bridge 4.1

SBE-INTRO Talented Students in Science and Engineering: MEYERHOFF SCHOLARS PROGRAM (MYSP)Dear Meyerhoff Scholar,

- This research survey is part of our regular evaluation efforts to gain a better understanding of your experiences at the university and in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program. We plan to send a comparable survey to you each year until you graduate. We expect that it will take you 45 minutes to complete the survey. Please answer each question as accurately and honestly as possible, as your responses are important to our investigation of the various factors that contribute to the success of talented students in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM).<o:p></o:p><o:p></o:p>All your responses will be treated confidentially and will only be seen by the evaluation staff. Results will be reported as group results (e.g., averages), so that information about yourself or other individuals will never be revealed. We appreciate the time and effort that you put into answering this survey and to our larger research effort. Your responses are important for our understanding of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. By continuing, you are agreeing to take this survey. Our research is supported through a major financial commitment from the Howard Hughes Medical Institute (HHMI). In the survey we will ask questions about the following: Background information, some family information, experiences in high school, personal characteristics, and expectations about college. Thank you for contributing to our collective knowledge about the Meyerhoff Scholars Program and how best to improve it. If you have any questions at all, please contact the lead program evaluator, Dr. Kenneth Maton, at maton@umbc.edu.
>With our utmost appreciation and thanks,
 Kenneth Maton, Ph.D.
 Psychology Department

SBE-ID Please enter your UMBC email address:

SBI	E-A1 How many hours per week did you anticipate you would be studying during Meyerhoff
Sur	mmer Bridge?
O	N/A (1)
O	1-5 hours per week (2)
O	6-10 hours per week (3)
O	11-15 hours per week (4)
O	15-20 hours per week (5)
O	20 hours or over per week (6)
wee	E-A2 During Meyerhoff Summer Bridge, not including class time, about how many hours per ek did you study? [Check one.] N/A (1) 1-5 hours per week (2) 6-10 hours per week (3) 11-15 hours per week (4) 15-20 hours per week (5)
	20 hours or over per week (6)

SB	SBE-A3 I worked many more hours than my classmates to keep up with the demands of the							
Su	Summer Bridge program. [Check one.]							
O	Strongly Disagree (1)							
O	Disagree (2)							
O	Neither Disagree nor Agree (3)							
O	Agree (4)							
O	Strongly Agree (5)							

SBE-A4 How useful have the following been to you during the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program?<o:p>

1 Togram: <0.p2	Not at all useful (1)	Somewhat useful (2)	Useful (3)	Very useful (4)	Not applicable (5)
a. Meyerhoff Scholars financial scholarship (1)	O O	O	•	(4)	O
b. Study groups (2)	•	•	•	•	· •
c. Receiving tutorial services (3)	•	0	0	•	0
d. Giving tutorial services (4)	0	•	0	0	0
e. Academic advising by faculty (5)	•	0	0	•	0
f. Academic advising by staff (6)	•	0	0	•	0
g. Academic advising by cohort members (7)	•	•	•	•	0
h. Personal counseling by staff (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. Mentoring or support by cohort members (9)	•	•	•	0	0

SBE-A5 Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Quality Ratings. Please use the boxes to rate aspects of the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program related to classes and/or program activities.<o:p></o:p>

	Poor (1)	Fair (2)	Good (3)	Excellent (4)	Does Not Apply / NA (5)
a. Math 150 - Pre-Calculus (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Math 290 - Special Topics (2)	0	0	0	0	O
c. FYS 102 (3)	•	•	•	•	O
d. Fairness of grading (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. The out-of- class interactions with Summer Bridge professors (5)	0	0	•	0	•
f. Class discussions (6)	0	0	0	0	•
g. Availability of academic support from advisors (7)	0	0	•	0	•
h. Available assistance for academic support from other Meyerhoff students (8)	•	•	•	0	•
i. Meyerhoff Summer Bridge organized social activities (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. Opportunities to collaborate with other	O	0	O	0	0

students as part of coursework (10)					
k. Information about what college will be like during the regular academic year (11)	•	0	0	•	•
I. Professional development activities (12)	0	0	0	0	0
m. Faculty investment in Meyerhoff students (13)	0	0	0	0	0
n. Overall quality of course instruction (14)	0	0	0	0	0
o. Likely relevance of coursework to future work in science or engineering (15)	•	•	•	•	•
p. Amount of contact with faculty (16)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-A5 Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Quality Ratings. Please use the boxes to rate aspects of the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program related to classes and/or program activities.<o:p></o:p>

activities.<0.p>	Poor (1)	Fair (2)	Good (3)	Excellent (4)	Does Not
					Apply / NA (5)
q. The friendships you developed with other Meyerhoff Scholars (1)	•	•	•	•	•
r. The relationship or rapport you developed with your roommate(s)	•	•	•	•	•
s. The social life (3)	•	•	•	•	•
t. The food quality (4)	•	•	•	•	•
u. The effectiveness of the Meyerhoff Scholars program director (5)	•	•	•	•	•
v. Extracurricular options on campus during Summer Bridge (6)	•	•	•	•	•
w. Opportunities for unstructured time (7)	•	•	•	•	•
x. Opportunities for respectful exchange of	•	•	•	0	•

ideas (8)					
y. Respect for the expression of diverse beliefs (9)	•	•	•	•	•
z. Housing (10)	•	•	•	•	O
aa. Other, please specify: (fill in) (11)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-A6 Using these adjectives, how would you describe the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program? [Select one adjective per set of statements.]<div><div></div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

	1 (1)	2 (2)
Unsupportive:Supportive (1)	0	0
Competitive:Cooperative (2)	•	•
Closed to New Ideas:Open to New Ideas (3)	•	•
Socially-Inclusive:Socially- Exclusive (4)	•	•
Politically Liberal:Politically Conservative (5)	•	•
Narrow:Broad (6)	•	•
Supportive of Women:Unsupportive of Women (7)	•	•
Hierarchical:Lateral (8)	O	O
Intolerant of Diversity:Embracing of Diversity (9)	0	0
Intolerant of Non-Science Interests:Embracing of Non- Science Interests (10)	•	•

SBI	E-A7 To what extent do you experience a sense of belonging with the other Meyerhoff
stu	dents in Summer Bridge? <o:p></o:p>
\mathbf{O}	Strongly feel that I do not belong; feel excluded (1)
\mathbf{O}	Feel somewhat excluded (2)
\mathbf{O}	Neither feel excluded nor included (3)
\mathbf{O}	Feel somewhat included (4)
\mathbf{O}	Strongly feel that I belong; feel included (5)
SBI	E-A8 How satisfied are you with your decision to participate in the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge
Pro	ogram? [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	Very Dissatisfied (1)
\mathbf{O}	Dissatisfied (2)
\mathbf{O}	Somewhat Dissatisfied (3)
\mathbf{O}	Neutral (4)
\mathbf{O}	Somewhat Satisfied (5)
\mathbf{O}	Satisfied (6)
\mathbf{O}	Very Satisfied (7)

SBE-A9 During the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program, did you...? [Check one for each statement.]

otatoment. _j	Not at all (1)	Occasionally (2)	Frequently (3)
a. Keep to yourself? (1)	0	0	0
b. Feel proud about your academic accomplishments? (2)	0	0	•
c. Smoke cigarettes? (3)	•	•	•
d. Feel isolated and lonely? (5)	0	0	0
e. Have science or math teachers who actively engaged you during class? (6)	•	•	•
f. Feel overwhelmed by all you had to do? (7)	0	•	0
g. Speak up during a class discussion when you were not required to do so? (8)	•	•	•
h. Discuss politics with friends? (9)	•	•	•
i. Discuss religion with friends? (10)	•	•	•
j. Discuss your science or engineering interests with friends? (11)	•	•	•
k. Imagine yourself in a science or engineering career? (12)	•	•	•
I. Regularly exercise? (13)	0	0	0

Q50 Below is a list of ways you might have felt or behaved recently. Please tell me how often you have felt this way during the PAST WEEK.<o:p>

	Rarely or none of the time (less than 1 day) (1)	Some or a little of the time (1-2 days) (2) (2)	Occasionally or a moderate amount of time (3-4 days) (3) (3)	Most of the time (5-7 days) (4) (4)
a. I felt that I was just as good as other people. (1) (4)	•	•	0	•
b. I had trouble keeping my mind on what I was doing. (2) (5)	•	•	•	•
c. I felt depressed. (3) (6)	•	•	•	•
d. I felt that everything I did was an effort. (4) (7)	•	•	•	•
e. I felt hopeful about the future. (5) (8)	•	•	•	•
f. My sleep was restless. (6) (9)	O	•	•	•
g. I was happy. (7) (10)	0	0	0	•
h. People were unfriendly. (8) (11)	O	O	O	0
i. I enjoyed life. (9) (12)	0	0	O	O
j. I had crying spells. (10) (13)	0	0	O	O
k. I felt that people disliked me. (11) (14)	•	•	0	0
I. I could not get "going." (12) (15)	0	•	0	•
m. was bothered by things that usually don't bother me. (13) (16)	•	•	•	•

n. I felt sad. (14) (17)	0	0	0	0
o. I did not feel like eating; my appetite was poor. (15) (18)	•	•	•	•

Q51 For each statement, indicate how often you have felt this way during the past MONTH. [Select one response per statement]

·	Rarely or none of the time (less than once per week) (1) (1)	Some or a little of the time (1-2 days per week) (2) (2)	Occasionally or a moderate amount of the time (3-4 days per week) (3) (3)	Most or all of the time (5-7 days per week) (4) (4)
a. I was bothered by things that usually don't bother me. (1) (4)	•	•	•	•
b. I did not feel like eating; my appetite was poor. (2) (5)	•	•	•	•
c. I felt that I could not shake off the blues, even with help from my family or friends. (3) (6)	•	•	•	•
d. I had no trouble keeping my mind on what I was doing. (4) (7)	•	•	•	•
e. I felt depressed. (5) (8)	•	•	•	•
f. I felt that everything I did was an effort. (6) (9)	•	•	•	•
g. I thought my life had been a failure. (7) (10)	•	•	•	•
h. I felt fearful. (8) (11)	0	0	0	0
i. My sleep was restless. (9) (12)	0	0	0	•
j. I talked less than usual. (10) (13)	O	0	0	0
k. I felt lonely.	0	0	0	O

(11) (14)				
I. I had crying spells. (12) (15)	0	0	0	0
m. I felt sad. (13) (16)	0	0	0	0
n. I felt that people disliked me. (14) (17)	0	•	O	0
o. I could not get going. (15) (18)	0	0	0	0

SBE-A10 During the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program, did you...? [No or Yes for each statement.]<o:p>

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a. Regularly participate in a study group? (1)	0	0
b. Struggle with any part of the academic curriculum? (2)	0	0
c. Use class/workshop time to discuss what life at UMBC will be like? (3)	•	•
d. Use class/workshop time to think about what it means to be a scientist or an engineer? (4)	•	•
e. Find your "niche" in science or engineering? (5)	•	•
f. Have one or more people who you consider to be a mentor? (6)	•	•
g. Experience positive personal growth? (7)	•	•
h. Seriously question your decision to attend Summer Bridge? (8)	•	•
i. Have time to relax with friends? (9)	•	•
j. Become close friends with another Meyerhoff Scholar? (10)	•	•
k. Become close friends with a Meyerhoff Scholar from a different race/ethnicity than you? (11)	•	•
I. Become close to a staff member? (12)	•	•
m. Feel depressed? (13)	•	•
n. Consider leaving Summer Bridge early? (14)	•	•
o. Experience discrimination? (15)	•	•

SBE-A11 Please answer each of the questions below based on what your interactions with the other Meyerhoff Scholars (as a group) DURING THE MEYERHOFF SUMMER BRIDGE PROGRAM:<0:p>

	Never (1)	Infrequent (2)	Sometimes (3)	A lot (4)	All the time (5)
a. How much do you and the other Meyerhoff Scholars get upset with or mad at each other? (1)	0	0	•	0	0
b. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars teach you how to do things that you don't know? (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. How much do you and the other Meyerhoff Scholars get on each other's nerves? (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. How often do you turn to other Meyerhoff Scholars for support with personal problems? (4)	0	0	•	0	O
e. How much do you talk about everything with other Meyerhoff Scholars? (5)	•	•	•	•	•
f. How often do the other Meyerhoff	0	0	•	0	0

Scholars get their way when you do not agree about what to do? (6)					
g. How much do you help the other Meyerhoff Scholars with things they can't do by themselves?	•	•	•	•	•
h. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars like you? (8)	•	•	•	0	•
i. How often do the other Meyerhoff Scholars point out your faults or put you down? (9)	•	O	O	O	•
j. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars treat you like you're admired and respected? (10)	0	0	0	0	•
k. How much do you play around and have fun with the other Meyerhoff Scholars? (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. How much do you and the other	0	0	0	O	•

Meyerhoff Scholars disagree and quarrel? (12)					
m. How often do you depend on the other Meyerhoff Scholars for help, advice, or sympathy? (13)	•	•	•	•	•
n. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars help you figure out or fix things? (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. How much do you and the other Meyerhoff Scholars get annoyed with each other's behavior? (15)	0	•	•	•	•
p. How much do you share your secrets and private feelings with the other Meyerhoff Scholars? (16)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-A11 Please answer each of the questions below based on what your interactions with the other Meyerhoff Scholars (as a group) DURING THE MEYERHOFF SUMMER BRIDGE PROGRAM:

	Never (1)	Infrequent (2)	Sometimes (3)	A lot (4)	All the time (5)
q. How often do the other Meyerhoff Scholars end up being the ones who make the decisions for all of you? (1)	•	•	•	•	•
r. How much do you protect and look out for the other Meyerhoff Scholars? (2)	•	0	0	0	0
s. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars really care about you? (3)	•	•	•	•	•
t. How often do the other Meyerhoff Scholars criticize you? (4)	•	•	•	•	•
u. How much do the other Meyerhoff Science Scholars like or approve of the things you do? (5)	•	•	•	•	•
v. How often do you go places and do enjoyable things with the other	O	O	•	O	0

Meyerhoff Scholars? (6)					
w. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars treat you like you're good at many things? (7)	•	•	•	•	•
x. How much do you and the other Meyerhoff Scholars argue with each other? (8)	•	•	•	•	•
y. When you are feeling down or upset, how often do you depend on the other Meyerhoff Scholars to cheer things up? (9)	•	•	•	•	•
z. How much do you talk to the other Meyerhoff Scholars about things that you don't want others to know? (10)	0	•	•	•	0
aa. How often do the other Meyerhoff Scholars help you when you need to get something done? (11)	•	•	•	•	•
bb. How much do you	0	0	0	•	0

and the other Meyerhoff Scholars hassle or nag one another? (12)					
cc. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars get you to do things their way? (13)	0	•	•	•	•
dd. How often do the other Meyerhoff Scholars say mean or harsh things to you? (14)	•	•	•	•	•
ee. How much do you take care of the other Meyerhoff Scholars? (15)	0	0	0	•	•
ff. How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars have a strong feeling of affection (loving or liking) toward you? (16)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-A12 Please answer each of the questions below based on what your interactions with the other Meyerhoff Scholars (as a group) DURING THE MEYERHOFF SUMMER BRIDGE PROGRAM:<div><div></div></div></div></div></div>

	Not at all Confident (1)	Somewhat Confident (2)	Moderately Confident (3)	Very Confident (4)	Absolutely Confident (5)
a. How sure are you that your relationship with the other Meyerhoff Scholars will last, no matter what? (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. How sure are you that your relationship with the other Meyerhoff Scholars will continue in the years to come?	•	•	•	•	•
c. How sure are you that your relationship with the other Meyerhoff Scholars will last, in spite of arguments or disagreements?	•	•	•	•	•

SB	E-A13 If you were to guess, how many Meyerhoff Scholars in your cohort do you think you
will	be good friends with a year from now? <div><div></div></div>
O	None of them (1)
O	A few of them (2)
O	About half of them (3)
O	Most of them (4)
O	All of them (5)

SBE-A14 My main source of social and emotional support is: [List relationship such as "familial", "siblings", "social peers", "academic peers", etc.; not individual's names]

SBE-A15 My main source of academic support is: [List relationship such as "science teacher", "math teacher", "technology teacher", "academic advisor", "school counselor", "tutor"; not individual's names]

SBE-A16 Please respond to the following statement. [Check one for each statement.]<o:p>

statement.j<0	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Slightly Disagree (3)	Neither Agree nor	Slightly Agree (5)	Agree (6)	Strongly Agree (7)
				Disagree (4)			
a. In most ways, Meyerhoff Summer Bridge is close to ideal. (1)	•	•	•	0	•	•	0
b. The expectations of Meyerhoff Summer Bridge are excellent. (2)	•	•	•	•	•	•	0
c. I am completely satisfied with Meyerhoff Summer Bridge. (3)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
d. So far, I have gotten the important things I want in the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program. (4)	•	•	•	0	•	•	•
e. If I could participate in Meyerhoff Summer Bridge again, I would change almost nothing. (5)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
f. I was academically	0	•	0	0	•	0	O

well- prepared for the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge				
Bridge Program (6)				

SBE-A17 Given everything you know about the Summer Bridge program so far, would you recommend it to a Meyerhoff Scholar in a future year?

- O Definitely would not recommend it (1)
- O Probably would not recommend it (2)
- O Equally likely to recommend it or not recommend it (3)
- O Probably would recommend it (4)
- O Definitely would recommend it (5)

SBE-A18 I found that the Meyerhoff Staff...<o:p>

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. Were inspiring (1)	•	0	0	•	O
b. Did a good job (2)	•	0	0	•	O
c. Were easy to relate to (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. Are good role models (4)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-A19 I believe that being a Meyerhoff Scholar means:<o:p></o:p>

3BL-A19 100	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
			Disagree (3)		, ig. 33 (3)
a. Developing strength of character (1)	•	•	•	0	•
b. Having integrity (2)	•	•	•	O	•
c. Courageously stepping out of comfort zones (3)	0	0	0	0	0
d. Seeking outstanding success and excellence in all pursuits (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. Demonstrating professionalism (5)	0	O	O	O	0
f. Knowing what it takes to achieve in the Meyerhoff Program (6)	•	•	•	•	0
g. Collaborative learning (7)	•	•	O	•	O
h. Learning the importance of being a leader (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. Learning the importance of helping one's peers and contributing to their success (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. Always asking for help (10)	•	0	0	0	•
k. Knowing what resources	•	•	•	•	•

are available and taking advantage of them (11)					
I. Being connected to and representing the Meyerhoff Scholars Program (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. Being connected to and representing UMBC (13)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-B1 Section B. About Being a Meyerhoff Scholar. Please tell us a bit about your views about being a Meyerhoff Scholar.<o:p>

about being a wey	Strongly	Disagree (2)	Neither	Agree (4)	Strongly
	Disagree (1)		Agree nor Disagree (3)		Agree (5)
a. As a Meyerhoff Scholar, I feel that I have special status on this campus. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Professors from science and engineering departments here at UMBC know about Meyerhoff Scholars. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I am more likely to get into a top graduate school in science due to my participation in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. I am more likely to complete a PhD in a science or engineering field due to my participation in the Meyerhoff program. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. Initiatives like the Meyerhoff Scholars Program can increase the number of underrepresented minorities who receive PhDs in science or engineering fields. (5)	•	•	O	•	•
f. Summer Bridge	O	O	O	•	O

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will make me more prepared for UMBC than other incoming students. (6)					
g. I am excited about joining a scientific lab. (7)	O	0	0	0	0
h. I feel comfortable going to our Meyerhoff program director if I have problem. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
i. Sometimes I have felt academically overwhelmed being in Summer Bridge. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I enjoy being with students who have a similar career goal as mine. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
k. I expect to make a scientific discovery while I am here at UMBC. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I. This program will prepare me to be a successful undergraduate science or engineering student. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
m. A doctoral program in a science or engineering field is in my future.	•	•	•	•	•
n. I am excited about having a professional	O	0	0	0	0

career in science or engineering. (14)					
o. In the Meyerhoff program, I will receive training in how to prepare for graduate school. (15)	•	•	•	•	•
p. As a result of the Meyerhoff program, I will be connected to a more diverse array of scientists and engineers in my profession. (16)	•	0	•	•	•

SBE-B1 Section B. About Being a Meyerhoff Meyerhoff Scholar. Please tell us a bit about your views about being a Meyerhoff Scholar.

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
q. In the coming years, I think I am going to learn a lot from the other students in my Meyerhoff group. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
r. I am excited to be in the 26th Meyerhoff class. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
s. I can rely on the other Meyerhoff Scholars for emotional support. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
t. I can rely on the other Meyerhoff Scholars for academic support. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
u. There are some people in my group who I don't particularly relate to. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
v. The Summer Bridge serves an important purpose. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
w. I can rely on a top group of students when I need it. (8)	•	•	•	•	•

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x. Administrators of the Meyerhoff Scholars Program are looking out for my academic well being. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
y. I will be trained in how to prepare for graduate school. (10)	O	O	O	0	•
z. I will be connected to a more diverse array of scientists and engineers in my profession. (11)	O	0	0	0	0
aa. I bet that nearly all of the students in my Meyerhoff cohort will get PhDs in science or engineering. (12)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-B2 Do you think that you will go to graduate school in a science or engineering related field
right after graduation from UMBC? [Check one.]
O No chance (1)
O Small chance (2)
○ 50-50 chance - toss up (3)
O Very likely (4)
O Absolutely (5)
SBE-B3 Realistically, by the end of my undergraduate career at UMBC, I estimate that my
class rank will be in the: [Check one.]<0:p>
O Bottom 25% (1)
O Bottom 50% (2)
O Top 50% (3)
O Top 25% (4)
O Top 10% (5)
O Top 5% (6)
O Top 1% (7)

SB	E-B4 Which of the following will likely be your criterion for judging that you have been
suc	ccessful in your career? [Check one.]
\mathbf{O}	Doing well enough to stay in the profession (1)
O	Doing as well as the average person in the profession (2)
O	Doing a little better than the average person in the profession (3)
O	Doing much better than the average person in the profession (4)
O	Recognized as one of the top persons in the profession (5)
\mathbf{O}	Other, please specify (fill in) (6)

SBE-B5 Please select your agreement for each of the following statements using the following scale: [Check one per statement]<o:p>

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I am excited about the idea of scientific research. (1)	•	O	0	O	0
b. I expect that my career will focus on research rather than practice (or non-research work). (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I enjoy doing research- related tasks. (3)	0	O	O	O	0
d. I expect that my career will focus on practice (or non-research work) rather than research. (4)	0	0	0	0	•
e. I look forward to working in a research lab. (5)	O	0	O	0	0
f. I am firmly committed to pursuing a career in research. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
g. I am confident that I will achieve my academic goals. (7)	•	•	•	•	•

h. I am confident that I will achieve my long-term career goals. (8)	0	0	0	0	•
i. I feel comfortable with my Meyerhoff Scholar peers. (9)	•	•	•	•	•
j. I would be friends with my Meyerhoff Scholar peers, even if I weren't a Meyerhoff Scholar. (10)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-B6 This section assesses your confidence in your abilities to function as a scientist or engineer in your area. Indicate the extent to which you are confident you can successfully complete the following tasks. Please select the best answer on the scale from not at all confident to absolutely confident. Use the prompt: "I can..."<0:p>

	Not at all Confident (1)	Somewhat Confident (2)	Moderately Confident (3)	Very Confident (4)	Absolutely Confident (5)
a. Use technical science skills (use of tools, instruments, and/or techniques) (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Generate a research question to answer (2)	0	0	0	•	•
c. Figure out what data I should collect (3)	•	0	0	•	•
d. Collaborate with other scientists or engineers (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. Figure out the methods I should use (5)	•	0	0	•	•
f. Show integrity as a scientist or engineer (6)	0	0	0	•	0
g. Be resilient if a project doesn't go my way (7)	0	0	0	•	0
h. Be persistent in seeking an answer (8)	0	0	0	•	0
i. Be a good lab citizen (9)	•	•	•	•	0
j. Be open to	•	•	•	•	•

criticism (10)					
k. Be meticulous in record keeping (11)	0	O	0	•	0
I. Create explanations for the results of the study (12)	0	0	0	0	0
m. Use scientific literature and/or reports to guide research (13)	0	•	O	•	0
n. Develop theories by integrating and coordinating results from multiple studies (14)	•	•	•	•	•
o. Report research results in an oral presentation (15)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-B7 Think about your ability to do the tasks required to complete scientific research. When answering the following questions, answer in reference to your own personal research skills and ability to perform as a competent scientist or engineer. [Check one per statement.]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. Eventually, I will be a research star in my scientific or engineering field. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. Doing meaningful research will be somewhat difficult for me. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I am confident in my ability to excel in research endeavors. (3)	•	•	•	•	•
d. I am not so sure about my potential to become a highly influential scientist or engineer. (4)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-B8 The following questions ask how you think about yourself and your personal identity. We want to understand how much you think that being a scientist or engineer is part of who you are. For the purposes of this study, when you see the word scientist or engineer it is intended to mean a professional undertaking research activities in your area of study (e.g., a biologist or a research engineer). Please select the best answer on the scale from strongly disagree to strongly agree. [Check one per statement.]

	Strongly Disagree (1)	Disagree (2)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (3)	Agree (4)	Strongly Agree (5)
a. I have a strong sense of belonging to a community of scientists or engineers. (1)	•	•	•	•	•
b. I derive great personal satisfaction from working on a team that is doing important research. (2)	•	•	•	•	•
c. I have come to think of myself as a 'scientist' or 'engineer.' (3)	•	•	•	•	0
d. I feel like I belong in the field of science or engineering. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
e. The daily work of a scientist or engineer is appealing to me. (5)	•	•	•	•	•

SBE-B9 How well does each statement represent how you feel about the Meyerhoff Scholars Program?<o:p>

Scholars Program: <0.p>						
	Not at all (1)	Somewhat (2)	Mostly (3)	Completely (4)		
a. I get important needs met because I am part of the Meyerhoff Scholars program. (1)	•	•	•	•		
b. Program members and I value the same things. (2)	•	•	•	•		
c. When I have a problem, I can talk about it with members of the program. (3)	•	•	•	•		
d. I can trust people in the program. (4)	•	•	•	•		
e. I can recognize most of the members of the program. (5)	•	•	•	•		
f. Most of the people in my cohort know me. (6)	•	•	•	•		
g. Being a member of the Meyerhoff Scholars program is a part of my identity. (7)	•	•	•	•		
h. I have influence over what the program is like.	•	•	•	•		
i. If there is a problem in the program, members can	0	0	0	0		

get it solved. (9) j. I am with the other Meyerhoff Scholars a lot and enjoy being with them. (10)	•	•	•	0
k. I expect to be a part of the program for a long time, even after graduation from UMBC. (11)	0	0	•	•
I. Members of the program care about each other. (12)	•	•	•	•

SBE-B10 What aspect of Summer Bridge did you appreciate the most?

SBE-B11 What aspect of Summer Bridge did you appreciate the least? <o:p></o:p>

SBE-B12 How could the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program be improved for next year's students?

SBE-B13 Any other last comments about the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program?<o:p>

Q40 These questions are related to your experience with the people you know in the scientific community. People in the scientific community can include anyone you know who works in the sciences either in a university setting (faculty members, researchers etc.) or outside the university.

	Strongly Disagree (2)	Disagree (3)	Neither Agree nor Disagree (4)	Agree (5)	Strongly Agree (6)
a. I feel that the scientific community provides me with choices and options. (4)	0	0	0	0	•
b. I feel understood by people in the scientific community. (5)	•	•	•	•	•
c. People in the scientific community convey confidence in my ability to do well. (6)	•	•	•	•	•
d. People in the scientific community encourage me to ask questions. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
e. People in the scientific community listen to how I would like to do things. (8)	•	•	•	•	•

Q44 The following questions are about your family background. Vhat was the marital status of your parents the majority of time while you were growing up? a. Married (4) b. Never married (5) c. Separated (6) d. Divorced (7) e. Other (please explain): (8)
Q45 What is the current marital status of your parents? a. Married (4) b. Never married (5) c. Separated (6) d. Divorced (7) e. Other (please explain): (8)
Q46 Who lived regularly in the home with you during <u>your first 12 years</u> of life? Select each one that applies. a. Biological Mother (4) b. Biological Father (5) c. Step-Mother (6) d. Step-Father (7) e. Adopted/Foster Mother (8) f. Adopted/Foster Father (9) g. One or more brothers (10) h. One or more sisters (11) i. Grandparents, aunts, uncles, or other adult relatives (12) j. Cousins, nephews, nieces, or other non adult relatives (13) k. Other (who?) (14)
Q47 Who lived regularly in the home with you during <u>your teenage years (age 13 on)</u> ? Select each one that applies. a. Biological Mother (4) b. Biological Father (5) c. Step-Mother (6) d. Step-Father (7) e. Adopted/Foster Mother (8) f. Adopted/Foster Father (9) g. One or more brothers (10) h. One or more sisters (11) i. Grandparents, aunts, uncles, or other adult relatives (12) j. Cousins, nephews, nieces, or other non adult relatives (13) k. Other (who?) (14)

Q4	8 Have you lived with your biological father all of your life?
O	Yes (1)
O	No (2)
\mathbf{C}	If no, please elaborate. (3)

Q52 These questions focus on how you see yourself and your life in general. Please use the scale below, and honestly indicate how accurately each item does, or does not, describe you.

you

	1 -Not at all accurate (1)	2 (2)	3 - Somewhat accurate (3)	4 (4)	5 - Completely accurate (5)
I feel that I am a person of worth, at least on an equal level with others. (11)	•	•	•	•	•
I feel that I have a number of good qualities. (12)	•	•	•	•	•
All in all, I am inclined to feel that I am a failure. (13)	•	•	•	•	•
I am able to do things as well as most other people. (14)	0	0	0	0	0
I feel I do not have much to be proud of (15)	•	•	•	•	0
I take a positive attitude toward myself. (16)	•	•	•	•	•
On the whole, I am satisfied with myself. (17)	0	0	0	0	0
I certainly feel useless at times. (18)	•	0	0	•	O
I wish I could have more respect for myself. (19)	•	•	0	•	0

At times, I think I am no good at all. (20)	0	0	0	O
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Q53Below are various statements about families. You are to decide which of these statements are true of your family and which are false. If you think the statement is TRUE or MOSTLY TRUE of your family, choose "True." If you think the statement is FALSE or MOSTLY FALSE of your family, choose "False."
PoYou may feel that some of the statements are true for some family members and false for others. Choose "True" if the statement is true for most members. Choose "False" if the statement is false for most members. If the members are evenly divided, decide what is the stronger overall impression and answer accordingly.
PoRemember, we would like to know what your family seems like to you. So do not try to figure out how other members see your family, but do give us your general impression of your family for each statement.

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	True (1)	False (2)		
Family members really help and support one another. (4)	•	•		
We feel it is important to be the best at whatever you do. (5)	•	•		
We often talk about political and social problems. (6)	•	•		
Family members attend church, synagogue, mosque, or other places of worship fairly often. (7)	•	•		
Family members are rarely ordered around. (8)	•	•		
We often seem to be killing time at home. (9)	•	•		
Getting ahead in life is very important in our family. (10)	•	•		
We rarely go to lectures, plays, or concerts. (11)	•	•		
We don't say prayers in our family. (12)	•	•		
There are very few rules to follow in our family. (13)	•	•		
We put a lot of energy into what we do at home. (14)	•	•		
How much money a person makes is not very important to us. (15)	•	•		
Learning about new and different things is very important in our family. (16)	O	0		
We often talk about the	•	O		

us your general impression or	your family for each statement.	
	True (1)	False (2)
There is one family member who makes most of the decisions. (4)	•	•
There is a feeling of togetherness in our family. (5)	•	•
We believe in competition and "may the best man win." (6)	•	•
We are not that interested in cultural activities. (7)	•	•
We don't believe in heaven or hell. (8)	•	•
There are set ways of doing things at home. (9)	•	•
We rarely volunteer when something has to be done at home. (10)	•	•
We strive to do things just a little better the next time. (11)	•	•
We rarely have intellectual discussions. (12)	•	•
Family members have strict ideas about what is right and wrong. (13)	•	•
There is a strong emphasis on following rules in our family. (14)	•	•
Family members really back each other up. (15)	•	•
Family members rarely worry about job promotions, school grades, etc. (16)	•	•
Someone in our family plays a musical instrument. (17)	•	•

We believe there are some things you just have to take on faith. (18)	•	•
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Q55 Below are various statements about families. You are to decide which of these statements are true of your family and which are false. If you think the statement is TRUE or MOSTLY TRUE of your family, choose "True." If you think the statement is FALSE or MOSTLY FALSE of your family, choose "False."

'sor>You may feel that some of the statements are true for some family members and false for others. Choose "True" if the statement is true for most members. Choose "False" if the statement is false for most members. If the members are evenly divided, decide what is the stronger overall impression and answer accordingly.

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rannily for each statement.	True (1)	False (2)
Everyone has an equal say in family decisions. (4)	O	O
There is very little group spirit in our family. (5)	•	•
In our family, we don't try that hard to succeed. (6)	•	•
Family members often go to the library. (7)	•	•
In our family each person has different ideas about what is right and wrong. (8)	•	•
We can do whatever we want to in our family. (9)	•	•
We really get along well with each other. (10)	•	•
"Work before play" is the rule in our family. (11)	•	•
Watching TV is more important than reading in our family. (12)	•	•
The Bible/Qur'an/Torah (sacred religious text) is a very important book in our home. (13)	•	•
Rules are pretty inflexible In our household. (14)	•	•
There is plenty of time and attention for everyone in our family. (15)	•	•
Family members are often compared with others as to how well they are doing at work orschool. (16)	•	•

Family members really like music, art, and literature. (17)	•	•
Family members believe that if you sin you will be punished. (18)	•	•
You can't get away with much in our family. (19)	•	•

Q5	6 From the list below, please select the three most important factors that you believe have
cor	ntributed to your academic success. You may add any you think are missing.
	Parental Support (4)
	Teacher Support (5)
	Extended family support (6)
	Church/Religion (7)
	Peers (8)
	Good Schools (9)
	AP Classes (10)
	Access to a good library (11)
	Having a Dream (12)
	Books in the home (13)
	Being left alone (14)
	Computer study guides (15)
	My own hard work (16)
	A family member's example (17)
	Parental push (18)
	Other (2)
	Other (3)

Q57 Using the scale below, please indicate how much support you feel from the following sources to succeed academically.

	1 - None (1)	2 (2)	3 - A Moderate Amount (3)	4 (4)	5 - An Enormous Amount (5)
Parents (4)	0	0	0	0	0
Teachers (5)	•	•	•	O	O
Extended family (6)	•	•	•	•	•
Church / Religion (7)	•	•	•	•	O
Peers (8)	O	O	•	O	O
Good schools (9)	•	•	•	•	O
AP classes (10)	0	0	0	0	O
Access to a good library (11)	•	•	•	•	•
Having a dream (12)	0	0	0	0	O
Books in the home (13)	0	0	0	0	O
Being left alone (14)	•	•	•	•	O
Computer study guides (15)	•	•	•	0	•
My own hard work (16)	•	•	•	•	0
A family member's example (17)	•	•	•	•	•
Other (add one you think is missing): (20)	•	•	•	0	•

Q58 High School Experience

Please indicate how accurate a description of you each of the following statements are, using the following scale:

	1 - Not at all accurate (1)	2 (2)	3 - Somewhat Accurate (3)	4 (4)	5 - Completely accurate (5)
My peers in high school looked up to me. (4)	•	•	•	•	•
My friends in high school viewed me as a "nerd." (5)	•	•	•	•	•
My peers in high school respected me. (6)	O	•	O	O	0
I considered myself a "nerd" in high school. (7)	•	•	•	•	•
My peers in high school saw me as an equal. (8)	•	•	•	•	•
I do not mind being called a nerd. (9)	•	•	•	•	0
In high school I felt smarter than most of my peers in the neighborhood. (10)	•	•	•	•	•
My peers in the neighborhood saw me as a leader. (17)	0	0	0	0	0
My peers in the neighborhood	•	•	0	•	0

had similar aspirations as myself. (18)					
My peers in my neighborhood looked down on me for being serious about school. (19)	O	•	•	•	•

Q59	What	was	the	racial	composition	of	vour	hiah	school?
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- O Predominantly Black or African American (1)
- O Predominantly white (2)
- O About half Black and half white (3)
- O Mixture of several different ethnic groups (4)
- O Other (5) _____

Q60 When you were growing up, did you know any:

	Yes (1)	No (2)
Black mathematicians, scientists, or engineers? (4)	•	•
White mathematicians, scientists, or engineers? (5)	•	•
Male mathematicians, scientists, or engineers? (6)	•	•
Female mathematicians, scientists, or engineers? (7)	0	0
Asian mathematicians, scientists, or engineers? (8)	O	0
Hispanic mathematicians, scientists, or engineers? (9)	•	•

SBE-COM1 Please, let us know any comments that you have about the survey or anything that you would like to add to clarify your responses.<o:p></o:p>

SBE-END Please click the "next" button (>>) below to submit your responses!!! You will receive a confirmation that your responses have been submitted.<o:p></o:p>

End of Year 2014 Meyerhoff Survey

End-of-Year Survey 2014	
1) Please fill in the following.*	
First Name: :	
Last Name::	
UMBC email address::	
2) Please select your cohort.*	
() M22	
() M23	
() M24	
() M25	
3) Gender:	
() Male	
() Female	
4) Race/Ethnic Background	
() African American/ Black	

() Caucasian () Hispanic/Latina(o) () Other (Please indicate):	() Asian/ Pacific Islander	
•	() Caucasian	
() Other (Please indicate):	() Hispanic/Latina(o)	
	() Other (Please indicate):	_

5) How useful were these aspects of the Meyerhoff Summer Bridge Program in PREPARING you for your first full year at UMBC?*

	Not at all useful	Somewhat useful	Useful	Very useful	N/A
Study groups	()	()	()	()	()
Academic advising by faculty	()	()	()	()	()
Academic advising by staff	()	()	()	()	()
Academic support by cohort members	()	()	()	()	()
Personal counseling by staff	()	()	()	()	()
Mentoring or social support by cohort members	()	()	()	()	()
Your Math class	()	()	()	()	()
Summer Bridge grading policy	()	()	()	()	()

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The out-of-class interactions with Summer Bridge professors	()	()	()	()	()
Class discussions	()	()	()	()	()
Summer Bridge organized social activities	()	()	()	()	()
Opportunities to collaborate with other students as part of coursework	()	()	()	()	()
Information about what college will be like during the academic year	()	()	()	()	
Professional development activities	()	()	()	()	()
Faculty investment in Meyerhoff students	()	()	()	()	()
Overall quality of course instruction	()	()	()	()	()
Importance of emphasizing your identity as a scientist/engineer	()	()	()	()	()

6) Since starting your academic year in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program (August 2013 through now), how useful have these features been to you during your first academic year at UMBC?*

	Not at all useful	Somewhat useful	Useful	Very useful	N/A
Meyerhoff financial scholarship	()	()	()	()	()
Study groups	()	()	()	()	()
Receiving tutorial services	()	()	()	()	()
Giving tutorial services	()	()	()	()	()
Academic advising by faculty	()	()	()	()	()
Academic advising by staff	()	()	()	()	()
Academic advising by older Meyerhoffs	()	()	()	()	()
Academic advising by cohort members	()	()	()	()	()

Personal counseling by staff	()	()	()	()	()
Mentoring or support by older Meyerhoffs	()	()	()	()	()
Mentoring or support by cohort members	()	()	()	()	()

7) Since starting your academic year in the Meyerhoff Scholars Program (August 2013 through now), how useful have these features been to you during your first academic year at UMBC?*

	Not at all useful	Somewhat useful	Useful	Very useful	N/A
Organized social activities	()	()	()	()	()
Volunteer activities	()	()	()	()	()
Research site visits	()	()	()	()	()
Being part of the Meyerhoff Program community	()	()	()	()	()
Faculty involvement	()	()	()	()	()

Interactions with program staff	()	()	()	()	()
Interactions with UMBC Administrators	()	()	()	()	()
Interactions with the others in your Meyerhoff cohort	()	()	()	()	()
UMBC President (Dr. Hrabowski)	()	()	()	()	()
Having a research mentor	()	()	()	()	()
On-campus research	()	()	()	()	()
Off-campus research	()	()	()	()	()
Campus visits	()	()	()	()	()
Academic or career networking activities at the university	()	()	()	()	()
Professional development	()	()	()	()	()

8) I found that the Meyerhoff Staff...*

	Strongly Disagree		Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Were inspiring	()	()	()	()	()
Did a good job	()	()	()	()	()
Were easy to relate to	()	()	()	()	()
Are good role models	()	()	()	()	()
Helped motivate me in my academics	()	()	()	()	()
Helped me move forward in achieving my science goals	()	()	()	()	()

9) During this past year, did you...?*

Not at all	Occasionally	Frequently

Feel isolated and lonely?	()	()	()
Feel overwhelmed by all you had to do?	()	()	()
Discuss your science interests with friends?	()	()	()
Imagine yourself in a science career?	()	()	()

10) During the past academic year (after Summer Bridge), did you...?*

	No	Yes
Regularly study in a study group?	()	()
Struggle with any part of the academic curriculum?	()	()
Have one or more people whom you consider to be a mentor?	()	()
Become close friends with another	()	()

Meyerhoff Scholar?		
Become close friends with a Meyerhoff Scholar from a different race/ethnicity than you?	()	()
Become close to a staff member?	()	()
Considering leaving the Meyerhoff Program early?	()	()
Experience discrimination?	()	()

11) What is your major?

12) What type of degree do you hope to eventually attain?* $\,$

- () Bachelor of Science
- () Master of Science
- () PhD
- () MD/PhD
- () MD
- () Other: _____

14) Please mark your agreement for each of the following statements using the following scale: \ast

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Disagree Nor Agree	Agree	Strongly Agree
I am excited about the idea of scientific research.	()	()	()	()	()
I expect that my career will focus on research rather than practice (or non- research work)	()	()	()	()	
I expect	()	()	()	()	()

13) Do you expect to pursue a career in:*

that my career will focus on practice (or non- research work) rather than research.						
I am firmly committed to pursuing a career in research.	()	()	()	()	()	
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17) Please select the best answer on the scale from not at all confident to absolutely confident.*

			Moderately confident		Absolutely confident
Use technical skills (use of tools, instruments, and/or techniques)	()	()	()	()	()
Generate a research question to answer	()	()	()	()	()
Figure out the methods I should use	()	()	()	()	()
Be meticulous in record keeping	()	()	()	()	()
Create explanations for the results of the study	()	()	()	()	()
Use scientific literature and/or reports to guide	()	()	()	()	()

research					
Develop theories by integrating and coordinating results from multiple studies	()	()	()	()	()
Report research results in an oral presentation	()	()	()	()	()

18) Please indicate how much you agree with the following statements.*

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Eventually, I will be a research star in my scientific field.	()	()	()	()	()
Doing meaningful research will be somewhat	()	()	()	()	()

difficult for me.					
I am confident in my ability to excel in research endeavors.	()	()		()	()
I am not so sure about my potential to become a highly influential scientist.	()	()	()	()	()
19) How ma		s per wee	k did yo	ı antic	ipate you
() N/A () 1-5 hours () 6-10 hour () 11-15 hou	ear?* s rs urs	s per wee	k did yo	ı antic	ipate you
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() N/A () 1-5 hours () 6-10 hour () 11-15 hou () 15-20 hou	ear?* rs urs or more the acade				

() 20 hours or more
21) Do you think that you will go to graduate school in a science field right after graduation from UMBC? [Check one.]*
() No chance
() Small chance
() 50-50 chance / toss up
() Very likely
() Sure bet

22) Please select the best answer on the scale from strongly disagree to strongly agree. *

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Disagree nor Agree	Agree	Strongly Agree
I have a strong sense of belonging to the community of scientists.	()	()	()	()	()
I derive great personal satisfaction from	()	()	()	()	()

() 15-20 hours

working on a team that is doing important research.					
I have come to think of myself as a 'scientist.'	()	()	()	()	()
I feel like I belong in the field of science.	()	()	()	()	()
The daily work of a scientist is appealing to me.	()	()	()	()	()

$23) \ How \ well \ does \ each \ statement \ represent \ how \ you \ feel \ about \ the \ Meyerhoff \ Scholars \ Program?*$

	Not at all		Mostly	Completely
I get important needs of mine met because I am a part of the	()	()	()	()

Meyerhoff Scholars Program.				
Program members and I value the same things.	()	()	()	()
When I have a problem, I can talk about it with members of the program.	()	()	()	()
I can trust people in the program.	()	()	()	()
I can recognize most of the members of the program.	()	()	()	()
Most program members know me.	()	()	()	()
Being a member of the Meyerhoff Scholars	()	()	()	()

				,
Program is a part of my identity.				
I have influence over what the program is like.	()	()	()	()
If there is a problem in the program, members can get it solved.	()	()	()	()
I am with the other Meyerhoff Scholars a lot and enjoy being with them.	()	()	()	()
I expect to be a part of the program for a long time.	()	()	()	()
Members of the program care about each other.	()	()	()	()

	Little or None	Somewhat	Very Much	Extremely Much	The Most
How sure are you that your relationship with the other Meyerhoff Scholars will last no matter what?	()	()	()	()	()
How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars treat you like you're admired and respected?	()	()	()	()	()
How much do you play around and have fun with the other Meyerhoff Scholars?	()	()	()	()	()
How much do you and the other Meyerhoff Scholars	()	()	()	()	()

disagree or quarrel?					
How much do the other Meyerhoff Scholars help you figure out or fix things?	()	()	()	()	()

25) Currently, out of your entire class of Meyerhoff Scholars, how many (provid a number) do you consider to be your good friends?*										

26) Please indicate your views about being a Meyerhoff Scholar.*

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Disagree nor Agree	Agree	Strongly Agree
As a Meyerhoff Scholar, I feel that I have special status on this campus.	()	()	()	()	()
Summer	()	()	()	()	()

Bridge will make me more prepared for UMBC than other incoming students.					
I am excited about joining a scientific lab.	()	()	()	()	
I feel comfortable going to our Meyerhoff program director if I have a problem.		()	()	()	
A doctoral program in a science field is in my future.	()	()	()	()	()
I think I am learning a lot from the other students in my Meyerhoff cohort.	()	()	()	()	()
I can rely on the other Meyerhoff Scholars	()	()	()	()	()

for emotional support.					
I can rely on the other Meyerhoff Scholars for academic support.	()	()	()	()	()

27) Please indicate how much you agree with the following statements.*

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Agree	Strongly Agree
In most ways, the Meyerhoff Program is close to ideal.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
The conditions of the Meyerhoff Program are excellent.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
I am completely satisfied with the Meyerhoff Program.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()
So far, I	()	()	()	()	()	()	()

have gotten the important things I want in the Meyerhoff Program.									
Looking back, the Summer Bridge was valuable.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()		
I am academically well-prepared for the Meyerhoff Program.	()	()	()	()	()	()	()		
28) To what extent do you experience a sense of belonging with the other Meyerhoff students in your cohort?* () Strongly feel that I do not belong; feel excluded () Feel somewhat excluded () Neither feel excluded nor included () Feel somewhat included () Strongly feel that I belong; feel included									
29) How satis	sfied are	you with	your dec	ision to p	articipa	ite in t	he Meyer	hoff Scholars	
() Very Dissa	atisfied								
() Very Dissa () Dissatisfied									
	d	ied							

() Somewhat Satisfied

31) As a Meyerhoff Scholars, please indicate how accurate each of the following statements is for you.* $\,$

	Not at all accurate	accurate	Moderately accurate		Completely accurate
I am aware that excellence demands sacrifice.	()	()	()	()	()
I strive for excellence in every aspect of my college experience.	()	()	()	()	()
I am accountable for my personal behavior and performance.	()	()	()	()	()

I am mindful of how my actions reflect on others in the program.	()	()	()	()	()
I am accountable not only for myself but also for the personal behavior and performance of others in the program.	()	()	()	()	()
I am expected to consistently encourage other Meyerhoff Scholars.	()	()	()	()	()
It is my responsibility to make sure that everyone in the program is successful.	()	()	()	()	()
I acknowledge that my success is partly due to the efforts of the students who came before me.	()	()	()	()	()
I am expected to give back to the program, in part through program promotion and providing support to peers.	()	()	()	()	()
I am expected to give back to the	()	()	()	()	()

larger community, in part through tutoring and advising other students on campus.					
I am expected to give back to the larger community, in part through volunteer work, both on and off campus.	()	()	()	()	()
I am aware that the goal of the program is to increase the representation of historically underrepresented minorities in STEM.	()	()	()	()	
I am personally committed to increasing the representation of historically underrepresented minorities in STEM.	()	()	()	()	()
I am aware that the end goal of the program is to complete the PhD in a STEM field.	()	()	()	()	()
I consistently receive	()	()	()	()	()

reinforcement from program staff and students to pursue a STEM PhD.					
I am personally committed to the pursuit of a STEM PhD.	()	()	()	()	()

32) Please indicate the extent to which you agree with each of the following statements.*

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
I feel comfortable sharing my own perspectives and experiences in class.	()	()	()	()
I am able to explore my own background through class.	()	()	()	()
I have been singled out in class because of my race/ethnicity, gender,	()	()	()	()

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sexual orientation, or religious affiliation.				
I feel I have to work harder than other students to be perceived as a good student.	()	()	()	()
In class, I have heard faculty express stereotypes based on race/ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, or religious affiliation.	()	()	()	()
I don't feel comfortable contributing to class discussions.	()	()	()	()

33) Please indicate how many of your instructors:*

	Very few	Less than half	Most, but not all	All
Value individual differences in the	()	()	()	()

classroom				
Are sensitive to the ability levels of all students	()	()	()	()
Encourage students from diverse backgrounds to work together	()	()	()	()
Communicate high expectations for students' performance	()	()	()	()
Encourage students to contribute different perspectives in class	()	()	()	()
Share their own experiences and background in class	()	()	()	()
Include diverse perspectives in class discussions/assignments	()	()	()	()

34) How many of your courses this year involve:*

	Very few	OCC.	Most, but not all	All
Lectures (exclusively or almost exclusively)	()	()	()	()
Class	()	()	()	()

discussions				
Student presentations	()	()	()	()
Group projects	()	()	()	()
Lab work	()	()	()	()
Cooperative learning (small groups)	()	()	()	()

35) Please indicate the extent to which you agree with the following statements. This university... $\!\!\!\!\!^*$

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
Has a long- standing commitment to diversity	()	()	()	()
Promotes the appreciation of cultural differences	()	()	()	()
Has campus administrators who regularly speak about the value of diversity	()	()	()	()
Has a lot of racial tension	()	()	()	()

36)	How often	in the	past academic	vear (i.e. A	ugust throug	gh May)	did vou*
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	Not at all	Occasionally	Frequently
Make an effort to get to know people from diverse backgrounds	()	()	()
Discuss issues related to sexism, gender differences or gender equality	()	()	()

37) Please indicate how often at this university you have...*

	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Very Often
Witnessed discrimination	()	()	()	()	()
Reported an incident of discrimination to a campus authority	()	()	()	()	()

38) Please indicate how often you have experienced the following in class at this university... \ast

	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Very Often
Faculty were able to determine my level of understanding of the course material	()	()	()	()	
Felt that faculty provided me with feedback that helped me assess my progress in class	()	()	()	()	()
Felt that my contributions were valued in class	()	()	()	()	()
Felt that faculty encouraged me to ask questions and participate in discussions	()	()	()	()	()

Thank You!