

2017 INSPIRE GRADUATE SURVEY AGGREGATE RESULTS

Respondent Profile Data

During late Spring, Summer, and early Fall of 2017, the INSPIRE-G survey for school-level leadership preparation was administered to a national sample of educational leadership program graduates. The overwhelming majority of respondents had completed a UCEA member institutions' leadership preparation program within the prior academic term or year. Specifically, 1869 graduates were surveyed from 23 preparation programs; 834 responded to the INSPIRE graduate survey, representing a 45% response rate. This response rate demonstrates one of the challenges of contacting and collecting follow-up data from graduates after they have completed their program of study. Below are frequency distributions or descriptive statistics for respondent profile data. Participating programs are encouraged to use the aggregate data findings below as comparison indices to data from their individual program reports.

What is your gender?

| | | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|-----------------------|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid | Male | 226 | 27.1 | 29.8 | 29.8 |
| | Female | 531 | 63.7 | 70.1 | 99.9 |
| | Other Gender Identity | 1 | .1 | .1 | 100.0 |
| | Total | 758 | 90.9 | 100.0 | |
| Missing | System | 76 | 9.1 | | |
| Total | | 834 | 100.0 | | |

How do you identify yourself in terms of race/ethnicity?

| | | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|-------|---|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid | American Indian or Alaska Native | 1 | .1 | .1 | .1 |
| | Asian | 18 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.5 |
| | Black or African American | 86 | 10.3 | 11.4 | 14.0 |
| | Hispanic or Latino/a | 63 | 7.6 | 8.4 | 22.3 |
| | Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 3 | .4 | .4 | 22.7 |
| | White | 548 | 65.7 | 72.9 | 95.6 |
| | Bi-racial/Multi-racial | 18 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 98.0 |
| | Other (Specify) | 15 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 100.0 |
| | Total | 752 | 90.2 | 100.0 | |
| | Missing | System | 82 | 9.8 | |
| Total | | 834 | 100.0 | | |

Please indicate your current position.

| | | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|--|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid | Practicing School Leader/Principal/Asst. Principal | 262 | 31.4 | 34.3 | 34.3 |
| | District Leader/Supervisor | 59 | 7.1 | 7.7 | 42.1 |
| | Teacher Leader (e.g., mentor teacher, department chair, coach) | 187 | 22.4 | 24.5 | 66.6 |
| | Classroom Teacher | 183 | 21.9 | 24.0 | 90.6 |
| | Other | 72 | 8.6 | 9.4 | 100.0 |
| | Total | 763 | 91.5 | 100.0 | |
| Missing | System | 71 | 8.5 | | |
| Total | | 834 | 100.0 | | |

What are your current plans for becoming a school leader?

| | | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|---|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid | I have become a school leader since enrolling in the program. | 333 | 39.9 | 44.6 | 44.6 |
| | I intend to go into school leadership someday. | 328 | 39.3 | 44.0 | 88.6 |
| | I think I may go into school leadership someday. | 38 | 4.6 | 5.1 | 93.7 |
| | I am undecided about going into school leadership. | 31 | 3.7 | 4.2 | 97.9 |
| | I do not plan to go into school leadership. | 16 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 100.0 |
| | Total | 746 | 89.4 | 100.0 | |
| Missing | System | 88 | 10.6 | | |
| Total | | 834 | 100.0 | | |

RESPONDENT AGE and PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

| | N | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std. Deviation |
|--|-----|---------|---------|-------|----------------|
| Respondent's Age (2017-Birth year) | 742 | 26 | 68 | 39.07 | 7.975 |
| How many years of experience do you have in the following positions? - - K-12 Teacher | 719 | 0 | 32 | 9.70 | 5.365 |
| -K-12 Teacher Leader (e.g., teacher leader, department chair, instructional coach) | 586 | 0 | 27 | 3.80 | 3.637 |
| -K-12 Administrator (e.g., principal, assistant principal, central office administrator) | 524 | 0 | 24 | 2.10 | 3.427 |
| -Other K-12 Professional Educator (e.g., school counselor, psychologist, librarian, district level employee) | 366 | 0 | 30 | 1.64 | 3.990 |
| -Job in another type of educational agency | 329 | 0 | 29 | 1.45 | 3.592 |
| In TOTAL, how many years of professional educational experience do you have altogether? | 755 | 0 | 38 | 12.45 | 6.320 |
| How many years of experience do you have in jobs outside of education? | 735 | 0 | 30 | 5.51 | 6.283 |
| How many years have you worked at your CURRENT SCHOOL? | 746 | 0 | 31 | 4.80 | 4.393 |
| How many years have you worked at your CURRENT DISTRICT? | 750 | 0 | 32 | 7.99 | 5.891 |
| Valid N (listwise) | 287 | | | | |

What degree will you or did you earn as a result of the completion of this program?

| | | Frequency | Percent | Valid Percent | Cumulative Percent |
|---------|--|-----------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Valid | No graduate degree (e.g., licensure, certificate, or endorsement only) | 148 | 17.7 | 19.5 | 19.5 |
| | Master's degree | 433 | 51.9 | 57.0 | 76.4 |
| | Specialist's degree (or certificate of advanced studies) | 141 | 16.9 | 18.6 | 95.0 |
| | Doctoral degree | 38 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 100.0 |
| | Total | 760 | 91.1 | 100.0 | |
| Missing | System | 74 | 8.9 | | |
| Total | | 834 | 100.0 | | |