Peel Social Lab Student Survey

Cohort 1, Wave 1

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Sampling: All students taking SOC100 in Winter 2017 were invited to participate, and were rewarded one bonus percentage point towards their course grade for participation.

UTM\_YEARS. How long have you been a student at UTM?

1. this is my first year
2. this is my second year
3. this is my third year
4. this is my fourth year
5. longer than four years

LEFTRIGHT. In terms of politics, do you generally think of yourself as …

1. extremely liberal
2. liberal
3. leaning liberal
4. moderate, middle of the road
5. leaning conservative
6. conservative
7. extremely conservative

PARTYID. What political party do you identify with most closely, even if you are not an official member?

1. Liberal
2. Conservative
3. New Democratic Party (NDP)
4. Green Party
5. Other (please specify) [TEXT BOX]
6. None

**Parent Demographics**

Pick one of the caregivers who live with you when you were 16 years old. We will refer to this as your first caregiver. Answer the next several questions with regard to your first caregiver.

CAREGIVE1\_EDUC. What is the highest level of education that this caregiver has attained?

1. No schooling
2. Some elementary
3. Elementary school diploma
4. Some high school
5. High school diploma
6. Some trade, technical or vocation school, or business college
7. Some community college, CEGEP or nursing school
8. Some university
9. Diploma or certificate from trade, technical or vocational school, or business college
10. Diploma or certificate from community college, CEGEP or nursing school
11. Bachelor or undergraduate degree, or teacher’s college
12. Degree in Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine, or Optometry
13. Masters
14. Earned doctorate
15. Other (please specify) [TEXT BOX]

SWB. Using a scale of 0 to 10 where 0 means “very dissatisfied” and 10 means “very satisfied, how do you feel about your life as a whole right now?

[RESPONSE OPTIONS 0 TO 10, WITH ENDPOINTS LABELED]

SRH. In general, would you say your health is…

1. Poor
2. Fair
3. Good
4. Very good
5. Excellent

SRH\_M. In general, would you say your mental health is…

1. Poor
2. Fair
3. Good
4. Very good
5. Excellent

Rate your level of agreement or disagreement with the following statements.

MASTERY1. I have little control over the things that happen to me

MASTERY2. I often feel helpless dealing with the problems of life

MASTERY3. Sometimes I feel that I’m being pushed around in life

1. Strongly disagree
2. Disagree
3. Neither Agree nor Disagree
4. Agree
5. Strongly Agree

MAJOR\_SOC. How likely is it that you will major in sociology?

1. Extremely unlikely
2. Very unlikely
3. Unlikely
4. Somewhat unlikely
5. Neither unlikely or likely
6. Somewhat likely
7. Likely
8. Very likely
9. Extremely likely

How would you rate your abilities in the following areas?

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| SKILL\_MATH | Mathematics |
| SKILL\_WRITE | Writing |
| SKILL\_READ | Critical reading |
| SKILL\_SCIENCE | Science |
| SKILL\_ART | Art and Music |
| SKILL\_TECH | Technology |

1. I am extremely bad at this
2. I am very bad at this
3. I am somewhat bad at this
4. I am neither good nor bad at this
5. I am somewhat good at this
6. I am very good at this
7. I am extremely good at this

SKILL\_VERBAL. [scale of SKILL\_WRITE and SKILL\_READ]

PARTY\_X. [Indicator variable coded one if the respondent reported belonging to party “X” in the variable PARTYID]

AGE. How old are you (in years)?

[RESPONSE OPTIONS FROM LESS THAN 15 TO MORE THAN 70]