COMMUNITY AND SENSE OF BELONGING

85.2%
Have a social network outside of UCLA that supports them

76.7%
Feel a sense of belonging on campus, overall

69.1%
Feel a sense of belonging with their department or program

7.9%
Considered English their main language when they began graduate school

67.4%
Of graduate students are single

30.9%
Married/ living with a domestic partner

13.8%
Have at least one dependent

43.0%
Spent more than 5 hrs per week fulfilling family/household responsibilities

CAMPUS CLIMATE

Treatment in their program (% “agree” or “strongly agree”)

86.3% reported those in the program are respected regardless of their race/ethnicity
89.7% reported those in the program are respected regardless of their citizenship status
84.2% reported those in the program are respected regardless of their gender
80.0% reported those in the program are treated equitably and fairly by faculty

WORK & FINANCES

33.5% Work for pay off campus
44.4% Work for pay on campus
86.4% On-campus related to their field of study
80.0% Off-campus employment related to their field

Concerned about paying for graduate education

Concerned that funding will run out before completing the program

Source: GPSS 2017
INTERACTIONS WITH OTHERS
Extent to which students engaged with people who are different than them % report that "most of the time" or "always"

66.3% shared a meal or socialized with someone different
79.3% interacted with someone different in class
71.4% discussed academic work or research outside of class
45.0% discussed topics about which you had different opinions

% agree or strongly agree that they have had sufficient opportunity to...
86.7% interact socially and make connections with people in their department/program
86.7% interact academically and make connections with people in their department/program
48.6% interact socially and make connections with people at UCLA outside of their department/program
46.7% interact academically and make connections with people at UCLA outside their department/program

Rating overall quality of interactions with people who are different than them % indicating "positive" or "very positive" quality...
87.8% While sharing a meal or socializing
83.5% While interacting in class
85.1% While discussing academic work or research outside of class
76.9% While discussing different backgrounds
71.8% While discussing topics which you had different opinions

RELIGIOUS AFFILIATIONS
31.3% Christian
3.8% Buddhist
4.6% Jewish
1.8% Muslim
2.1% Other
54.5% None

POLITICAL AFFILIATIONS

Self-reported Ethnicity
19.8% Asian/Asian American
3.2% Black/African American
11.7% Hispanic
0.4% Native American/Alaskan Native
0.2% Pacific Islander
38.3% White Non-Hispanic
4.6% Two or More Races
18.0% International

Self-reported Gender Identity
53.1% Identify as female
45.1% Identify as male
1.1% Identify as genderqueer/Non-conforming
0.6% Identify as different Identity

*Degree Types:
First Professional: Doctoral degrees awarding MD, JD, or DDS
Professional Masters: Master degrees not awarding MA, or MS (e.g.: MPH, MBA)
Academic Masters: Master degrees awarding MS, or MA
Doctorates: All PhDs and other doctorates (e.g., EdD, DMA, SJD, etc.)