Demographics

Position	Ν	%	Employment	Ν	%
Faculty	68	40.48%	Full-time	164	98.20%
Administration	26	15.48%	Part-time	3	1.80%
Staff	72	42.86%	Temporary	0	0.00%
Board member/trustee	2	1.19%	Total	167	100.00%
Total	168	100.00%	No Response	7	
No Response	6				
			Tenure Status	Ν	%
Gender	Ν	%	Tenured	37	43.02%
Female	106	62.35%	Tenure-track	27	31.40%
Male	54	31.76%	Non-tenure track	12	13.95%
Prefer not to respond	10	5.88%	Other tenure status	10	11.63%
Total	170	100.00%	Total	86	100.00%
No Response	4		No Response	88	
Ethnicity/Race	Ν	%	Teaching Assignment	Ν	%
African-American	15	8.82%	Credit courses	56	74.67%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1	0.59%	Non-credit courses	5	6.67%
Asian or Pacific Islander	3	1.76%	Both credit and non-credit courses	8	10.67%
Caucasian/White	106	62.35%	Other teaching assignment	6	8.00%
Hispanic	23	13.53%	Total	75	100.00%
Other race	2	1.18%	No Response	99	
Race - Prefer not to respond	20	11.76%			
Total	170	100.00%			
No Response	4		Rank	Ν	%
			Professor	17	24.29%
			Associate professor	19	27.14%
Years Employed	Ν	%	Assistant professor	30	42.86%
Less than 1 year	15	8.98%	Instructor/lecturer	2	2.86%
1-5 years	48	28.74%	Adjunct	2	2.86%
6-10 years	50	29.94%	Total	70	100.00%
11-20 years	36	21.56%	No Response	104	
More than 20 years	18	10.78%			
Total	167	100.00%			
No Response	7				

Demographics

Institution Question	Ν	%
Campus item - Answer 1	0	0%
Campus item - Answer 2	0	0%
Campus item - Answer 3	0	0%
Campus item - Answer 4	0	0%
Campus item - Answer 5	0	0%
Campus item - Answer 6	0	0%
Total	0	100.00%
No Response	174	
Institution Question 2	Ν	%
Campus item 2 - Answer 1	0	0%
Campus item 2 - Answer 2	0	0%
Campus item 2 - Answer 3	0	0%
Campus item 2 - Answer 4	0	0%
Campus item 2 - Answer 5	0	0%
Campus item 2 - Answer 6	0	0%
Total	0	100.00%
No Response	174	
Group Code	Ν	%
0004	1	33.33%
0008	1	33.33%
5123	1	33.33%
Total	3	100.00%
No Response	171	

Scales: In Order of Importance

		College of the Mainland - IPS			National Community Colleges IPS		
Scale	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
Safety and Security	6.61	5.27 / 1.06	1.34	6.49	5.47 / 1.15	1.02	-0.20 *
Concern for the Individual	6.60	5.39 / 1.02	1.21	6.56	5.72 / 1.01	0.84	-0.33 ***
Academic Advising/Counseling	6.59	4.95 / 1.25	1.64	6.50	5.52 / 1.12	0.98	-0.57 ***
Admissions and Financial Aid	6.58	5.06 / 1.06	1.52	6.49	5.48 / 1.15	1.01	-0.42 ***
Instructional Effectiveness	6.57	5.60 / 0.83	0.97	6.54	5.80 / 0.87	0.74	-0.20 **
Campus Climate	6.56	5.19 / 0.97	1.37	6.50	5.68 / 0.95	0.82	-0.49 ***
Student Centeredness	6.52	5.38 / 1.16	1.14	6.48	5.81 / 1.01	0.67	-0.43 ***
Registration Effectiveness	6.49	5.29 / 1.02	1.20	6.39	5.56 / 0.97	0.83	-0.27 ***
Service Excellence	6.48	5.07 / 1.07	1.41	6.43	5.49 / 1.09	0.94	-0.42 ***
Academic Services	6.46	5.42 / 1.08	1.04	6.45	5.73 / 1.03	0.72	-0.31 ***
Campus Support Services	6.28	5.05 / 1.10	1.23	6.21	5.25 / 1.26	0.96	-0.20 *
Responsiveness to Diverse Populations		5.62 / 1.07			5.90 / 1.02		-0.28 ***

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Items: In Order of Importance

		College of the Mainland - IF	rs	National Community Colleges IPS			Mean Difference
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
40. Nearly all of the faculty are knowledgeable in their fields.	6.84	5.99 / 1.11	0.85	6.74	6.08 / 1.09	0.66	-0.09
13. The quality of instruction students receive in most classes is excellent.	6.82	5.63 / 1.08	1.19	6.70	5.68 / 1.17	1.02	-0.05
7. Security staff respond quickly in emergencies.	6.80	6.12 / 1.00	0.68	6.61	5.69 / 1.50	0.92	0.43 ***
21. Academic advisors are knowledgeable about program requirements.	6.80	4.53 / 1.86	2.27	6.65	5.49 / 1.47	1.16	-0.96 ***
20. The campus is safe and secure for all students.	6.79	5.31 / 1.47	1.48	6.70	5.83 / 1.28	0.87	-0.52 ***
31. This institution has a good reputation within the community.	6.73	4.00 / 1.73	2.73	6.60	5.79 / 1.41	0.81	-1.79 ***
24. Students are made to feel welcome on this campus.	6.71	5.44 / 1.34	1.27	6.61	5.98 / 1.12	0.63	-0.54 ***
2. The personnel involved in registration are helpful.	6.70	4.96 / 1.51	1.74	6.56	5.46 / 1.41	1.10	-0.50 ***
18. Faculty are fair and unbiased in their treatment of individual students.	6.70	5.56 / 1.18	1.14	6.66	5.72 / 1.24	0.94	-0.16
1. Faculty care about students as individuals.	6.67	5.88 / 1.04	0.79	6.64	5.88 / 1.14	0.76	0.00
3. Academic advisors are approachable.	6.67	4.91 / 1.62	1.76	6.60	5.60 / 1.35	1.00	-0.69 ***
28. Admissions staff are knowledgeable.	6.67	5.22 / 1.33	1.45	6.57	5.61 / 1.36	0.96	-0.39 ***
54. Campus item 4	6.63	5.57 / 1.33	1.06				
32. Faculty provide timely feedback about student progress in their courses.	6.62	5.26 / 1.37	1.36	6.54	5.65 / 1.25	0.89	-0.39 ***
36. This school does whatever it can to help students reach their educational goals.	6.59	5.29 / 1.27	1.30	6.49	5.72 / 1.24	0.77	-0.43 ***

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Items: In Order of Importance

		College of the Mainland - I	PS	Na	Mean Difference		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
67. Cost as factor in decision to enroll.	6.59			6.45			
4. Adequate financial aid is available for most students.	6.58	5.33 / 1.26	1.25	6.48	5.59 / 1.35	0.89	-0.26 *
11. Students are able to register for classes they need with few conflicts.	6.58	4.81 / 1.60	1.77	6.38	5.21 / 1.43	1.17	-0.40 **
50. Students are able to experience intellectual growth here.	6.58	5.68 / 1.15	0.90	6.58	6.02 / 1.07	0.56	-0.34 ***
9. Financial aid awards are announced to students in time to be helpful in college planning.	6.57	4.81 / 1.46	1.76	6.46	5.25 / 1.51	1.21	-0.44 **
27. Academic advisors are knowledgeable about the transfer requirements of other schools.	6.57	4.79 / 1.47	1.78	6.41	5.17 / 1.50	1.24	-0.38 **
17. The campus staff are caring and helpful.	6.56	5.50 / 1.21	1.06	6.52	5.86 / 1.14	0.66	-0.36 ***
29. The equipment in the lab facilities is kept up to date.	6.56	4.70 / 1.54	1.86	6.50	5.49 / 1.46	1.01	-0.79 ***
15. Parking lots are well-lighted and secure.	6.55	4.24 / 1.85	2.31	6.40	5.48 / 1.49	0.92	-1.24 ***
12. The college shows concern for students as individuals.	6.54	5.23 / 1.46	1.31	6.53	5.71 / 1.29	0.82	-0.48 ***
16. Academic advisors are concerned about students' success as individuals.	6.54	4.93 / 1.56	1.61	6.50	5.58 / 1.33	0.92	-0.65 ***
23. Policies and procedures regarding registration and course selection are clear and well-publicized.	6.54	5.20 / 1.47	1.34	6.48	5.50 / 1.43	0.98	-0.30 **
34. Counseling staff care about students as individuals.	6.54	5.31 / 1.19	1.23	6.49	5.68 / 1.39	0.81	-0.37 **
44. Students seldom get the "run-around" when seeking information on this campus.	6.53	4.13 / 1.72	2.40	6.47	4.84 / 1.71	1.63	-0.71 ***
46. Program requirements are clear and reasonable.	6.53	5.66 / 0.99	0.87	6.53	5.89 / 1.11	0.64	-0.23 *

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Items: In Order of Importance

		College of the Mainland - II	PS	Ν	Mean Difference		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
5. Classes are scheduled at times that are convenient for students.	6.51	5.48 / 1.33	1.03	6.36	5.67 / 1.27	0.69	-0.19
43. Faculty are usually available after class and during office hours.	6.50	5.69 / 1.20	0.81	6.44	5.68 / 1.33	0.76	0.01
22. Computer labs are adequate and accessible.	6.49	5.52 / 1.37	0.97	6.47	5.64 / 1.44	0.83	-0.12
14. Financial aid counselors are helpful.	6.47	4.80 / 1.41	1.67	6.47	5.43 / 1.43	1.04	-0.63 ***
48. On the whole, the campus is well-maintained.	6.45	4.52 / 1.65	1.93	6.46	5.98 / 1.27	0.48	-1.46 ***
35. Tutoring services are readily available.	6.44	5.60 / 1.27	0.84	6.49	5.92 / 1.27	0.57	-0.32 **
49. There is a good variety of courses provided on this campus.	6.44	5.44 / 1.27	1.00	6.46	5.89 / 1.21	0.57	-0.45 ***
8. Academic advisors help students set goals to work toward.	6.43	4.85 / 1.50	1.58	6.36	5.30 / 1.44	1.06	-0.45 ***
38. The business office is open during hours which are convenient for most students.	6.43	5.51 / 1.26	0.92	6.33	5.69 / 1.31	0.64	-0.18
41. New student orientation services help students adjust to college.	6.42	5.63 / 1.16	0.79	6.34	5.42 / 1.47	0.92	0.21
52. Campus item 2	6.42	5.13 / 1.41	1.29				
37. The assessment and course placement procedures are reasonable.	6.41	5.30 / 1.28	1.11	6.34	5.52 / 1.33	0.82	-0.22
10. Library resources and services are adequate.	6.35	5.76 / 1.17	0.59	6.35	5.83 / 1.24	0.52	-0.07
30. Class change (drop/add) policies are reasonable.	6.35	5.64 / 1.12	0.71	6.31	5.81 / 1.25	0.50	-0.17
57. Campus item 7	6.35	5.19 / 1.44	1.16				

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Items: In Order of Importance

	College of the Mainland - IPS			Na	Mean Difference		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
33. There are adequate services to help students decide upon a career.	6.34	4.81 / 1.37	1.53	6.31	5.23 / 1.48	1.08	-0.42 **
19. The career services office provides students with the help they need to get a job.	6.33	4.55 / 1.56	1.78	6.33	5.23 / 1.55	1.10	-0.68 ***
51. Campus item 1	6.33	5.47 / 1.34	0.86				
47. Channels for expressing student complaints are readily available.	6.32	5.37 / 1.32	0.95	6.33	5.59 / 1.41	0.74	-0.22
68. Financial aid as factor in decision to enroll.	6.32			6.43			
42. Billing policies are reasonable.	6.31	5.41 / 1.09	0.90	6.32	5.54 / 1.33	0.78	-0.13
26. The amount of student parking space on campus is adequate.	6.29	5.44 / 1.59	0.85	6.25	4.91 / 1.82	1.34	0.53 ***
39. Administrators are approachable to students.	6.28	5.36 / 1.34	0.92	6.27	5.66 / 1.34	0.61	-0.30 **
58. Campus item 8	6.28	5.50 / 1.33	0.78				
56. Campus item 6	6.25	4.75 / 1.54	1.50				
53. Campus item 3	6.08	5.52 / 1.34	0.56				
25. The student center is a comfortable place for students to spend their leisure time.	6.02	5.07 / 1.37	0.95	5.84	5.12 / 1.63	0.72	-0.05
45. Nearly all classes deal with practical experiences and applications.	6.01	5.16 / 1.11	0.85	6.08	5.46 / 1.29	0.62	-0.30 **
73. Geographic setting as factor in decision to enroll.	5.96			5.87			
60. Campus item 10	5.86	3.58 / 1.82	2.28				

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Items: In Order of Importance

		College of the Mainland - II	PS	Na	Mean Difference		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
6. Internships or practical experiences are provided in each degree/ certificate program.	5.83	4.76 / 1.43	1.07	5.99	5.11 / 1.56	0.88	-0.35 *
59. Campus item 9	5.64	4.08 / 1.69	1.56				
55. Campus item 5	5.48	5.30 / 1.14	0.18				
75. Personalized attention prior to enrollment as factor in decision to enroll.	5.46			5.89			
72. Recommendations from family/friends as factor in decision to enroll.	5.35			5.60			
69. Academic reputation as factor in decision to enroll.	5.26			5.83			
70. Size of institution as factor in decision to enroll.	4.86			5.30			
74. Campus appearance as factor in decision to enroll.	4.65			5.30			
71. Opportunity to play sports as factor in decision to enroll.	3.19			3.58			
61. Institution's commitment to part-time students?		5.78 / 1.17			5.94 / 1.17		-0.16
62. Institution's commitment to evening students?		5.36 / 1.42			5.76 / 1.32		-0.40 ***
63. Institution's commitment to older, returning learners?		5.60 / 1.26			5.95 / 1.17		-0.35 ***
64. Institution's commitment to under-represented populations?		5.77 / 1.28			5.91 / 1.21		-0.14
65. Institution's commitment to commuters?		5.62 / 1.23			5.90 / 1.21		-0.28 **
66. Institution's commitment to students with disabilities?		5.62 / 1.27			5.96 / 1.22		-0.34 ***

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Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Academic Advising/Counseling

		College of the Mainland - IPS			National Community Colleges IPS			
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap		
ACADEMIC ADVISING/COUNSELING	6.59	4.95 / 1.25	1.64	6.50	5.52 / 1.12	0.98	-0.57 ***	
3. Academic advisors are approachable.	6.67	4.91 / 1.62	1.76	6.60	5.60 / 1.35	1.00	-0.69 ***	
8. Academic advisors help students set goals to work toward.	6.43	4.85 / 1.50	1.58	6.36	5.30 / 1.44	1.06	-0.45 ***	
16. Academic advisors are concerned about students' success as individuals.	6.54	4.93 / 1.56	1.61	6.50	5.58 / 1.33	0.92	-0.65 ***	
21. Academic advisors are knowledgeable about program requirements.	6.80	4.53 / 1.86	2.27	6.65	5.49 / 1.47	1.16	-0.96 ***	
27. Academic advisors are knowledgeable about the transfer requirements of other schools.	6.57	4.79 / 1.47	1.78	6.41	5.17 / 1.50	1.24	-0.38 **	
34. Counseling staff care about students as individuals.	6.54	5.31 / 1.19	1.23	6.49	5.68 / 1.39	0.81	-0.37 **	
36. This school does whatever it can to help students reach their educational goals.	6.59	5.29 / 1.27	1.30	6.49	5.72 / 1.24	0.77	-0.43 ***	

Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Academic Services

		College of the Mainland - IP	5	N	Mean Difference		
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
ACADEMIC SERVICES	6.46	5.42 / 1.08	1.04	6.45	5.73 / 1.03	0.72	-0.31 ***
10. Library resources and services are adequate.	6.35	5.76 / 1.17	0.59	6.35	5.83 / 1.24	0.52	-0.07
22. Computer labs are adequate and accessible.	6.49	5.52 / 1.37	0.97	6.47	5.64 / 1.44	0.83	-0.12
29. The equipment in the lab facilities is kept up to date.	6.56	4.70 / 1.54	1.86	6.50	5.49 / 1.46	1.01	-0.79 ***
35. Tutoring services are readily available.	6.44	5.60 / 1.27	0.84	6.49	5.92 / 1.27	0.57	-0.32 **

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Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Admissions and Financial Aid

		College of the Mainland - IPS	5	N	Mean Difference		
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
ADMISSIONS AND FINANCIAL AID	6.58	5.06 / 1.06	1.52	6.49	5.48 / 1.15	1.01	-0.42 ***
4. Adequate financial aid is available for most students.	6.58	5.33 / 1.26	1.25	6.48	5.59 / 1.35	0.89	-0.26 *
9. Financial aid awards are announced to students in time to be helpful in college planning.	6.57	4.81 / 1.46	1.76	6.46	5.25 / 1.51	1.21	-0.44 **
14. Financial aid counselors are helpful.	6.47	4.80 / 1.41	1.67	6.47	5.43 / 1.43	1.04	-0.63 ***
28. Admissions staff are knowledgeable.	6.67	5.22 / 1.33	1.45	6.57	5.61 / 1.36	0.96	-0.39 ***

Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Campus Climate

		College of the Mainland - IP	S National Community Colleges IPS				Mean Difference
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
CAMPUS CLIMATE	6.56	5.19 / 0.97	1.37	6.50	5.68 / 0.95	0.82	-0.49 ***
1. Faculty care about students as individuals.	6.67	5.88 / 1.04	0.79	6.64	5.88 / 1.14	0.76	0.00
12. The college shows concern for students as individuals.	6.54	5.23 / 1.46	1.31	6.53	5.71 / 1.29	0.82	-0.48 ***
17. The campus staff are caring and helpful.	6.56	5.50 / 1.21	1.06	6.52	5.86 / 1.14	0.66	-0.36 ***
20. The campus is safe and secure for all students.	6.79	5.31 / 1.47	1.48	6.70	5.83 / 1.28	0.87	-0.52 ***
24. Students are made to feel welcome on this campus.	6.71	5.44 / 1.34	1.27	6.61	5.98 / 1.12	0.63	-0.54 ***
31. This institution has a good reputation within the community.	6.73	4.00 / 1.73	2.73	6.60	5.79 / 1.41	0.81	-1.79 ***
36. This school does whatever it can to help students reach their educational goals.	6.59	5.29 / 1.27	1.30	6.49	5.72 / 1.24	0.77	-0.43 ***
39. Administrators are approachable to students.	6.28	5.36 / 1.34	0.92	6.27	5.66 / 1.34	0.61	-0.30 **
41. New student orientation services help students adjust to college.	6.42	5.63 / 1.16	0.79	6.34	5.42 / 1.47	0.92	0.21
44. Students seldom get the "run-around" when seeking information on this campus.	6.53	4.13 / 1.72	2.40	6.47	4.84 / 1.71	1.63	-0.71 ***
47. Channels for expressing student complaints are readily available.	6.32	5.37 / 1.32	0.95	6.33	5.59 / 1.41	0.74	-0.22

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Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Campus Support Services

		College of the Mainland - IPS	5	Na	Mean Difference		
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
CAMPUS SUPPORT SERVICES	6.28	5.05 / 1.10	1.23	6.21	5.25 / 1.26	0.96	-0.20 *
19. The career services office provides students with the help they need to get a job.	6.33	4.55 / 1.56	1.78	6.33	5.23 / 1.55	1.10	-0.68 ***
25. The student center is a comfortable place for students to spend their leisure time.	6.02	5.07 / 1.37	0.95	5.84	5.12 / 1.63	0.72	-0.05
33. There are adequate services to help students decide upon a career.	6.34	4.81 / 1.37	1.53	6.31	5.23 / 1.48	1.08	-0.42 **
41. New student orientation services help students adjust to college.	6.42	5.63 / 1.16	0.79	6.34	5.42 / 1.47	0.92	0.21

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Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Concern for the Individual

		College of the Mainland - IPS National Community Colleges IPS					Mean Difference
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
CONCERN FOR THE INDIVIDUAL	6.60	5.39 / 1.02	1.21	6.56	5.72 / 1.01	0.84	-0.33 ***
1. Faculty care about students as individuals.	6.67	5.88 / 1.04	0.79	6.64	5.88 / 1.14	0.76	0.00
12. The college shows concern for students as individuals.	6.54	5.23 / 1.46	1.31	6.53	5.71 / 1.29	0.82	-0.48 ***
16. Academic advisors are concerned about students' success as individuals.	6.54	4.93 / 1.56	1.61	6.50	5.58 / 1.33	0.92	-0.65 ***
18. Faculty are fair and unbiased in their treatment of individual students.	6.70	5.56 / 1.18	1.14	6.66	5.72 / 1.24	0.94	-0.16
34. Counseling staff care about students as individuals.	6.54	5.31 / 1.19	1.23	6.49	5.68 / 1.39	0.81	-0.37 **

Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Instructional Effectiveness

		College of the Mainland - IP	S	N	ational Community Colleges	Mean Difference	
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
INSTRUCTIONAL EFFECTIVENESS	6.57	5.60 / 0.83	0.97	6.54	5.80 / 0.87	0.74	-0.20 **
1. Faculty care about students as individuals.	6.67	5.88 / 1.04	0.79	6.64	5.88 / 1.14	0.76	0.00
13. The quality of instruction students receive in most classes is excellent.	6.82	5.63 / 1.08	1.19	6.70	5.68 / 1.17	1.02	-0.05
18. Faculty are fair and unbiased in their treatment of individual students.	6.70	5.56 / 1.18	1.14	6.66	5.72 / 1.24	0.94	-0.16
32. Faculty provide timely feedback about student progress in their courses.	6.62	5.26 / 1.37	1.36	6.54	5.65 / 1.25	0.89	-0.39 ***
40. Nearly all of the faculty are knowledgeable in their fields.	6.84	5.99 / 1.11	0.85	6.74	6.08 / 1.09	0.66	-0.09
43. Faculty are usually available after class and during office hours.	6.50	5.69 / 1.20	0.81	6.44	5.68 / 1.33	0.76	0.01
45. Nearly all classes deal with practical experiences and applications.	6.01	5.16 / 1.11	0.85	6.08	5.46 / 1.29	0.62	-0.30 **
46. Program requirements are clear and reasonable.	6.53	5.66 / 0.99	0.87	6.53	5.89 / 1.11	0.64	-0.23 *
49. There is a good variety of courses provided on this campus.	6.44	5.44 / 1.27	1.00	6.46	5.89 / 1.21	0.57	-0.45 ***
50. Students are able to experience intellectual growth here.	6.58	5.68 / 1.15	0.90	6.58	6.02 / 1.07	0.56	-0.34 ***

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Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Registration Effectiveness

	College of the Mainland - IPS National Community Colleges IPS					Mean Difference	
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
REGISTRATION EFFECTIVENESS	6.49	5.29 / 1.02	1.20	6.39	5.56 / 0.97	0.83	-0.27 ***
2. The personnel involved in registration are helpful.	6.70	4.96 / 1.51	1.74	6.56	5.46 / 1.41	1.10	-0.50 ***
5. Classes are scheduled at times that are convenient for students.	6.51	5.48 / 1.33	1.03	6.36	5.67 / 1.27	0.69	-0.19
11. Students are able to register for classes they need with few conflicts.	6.58	4.81 / 1.60	1.77	6.38	5.21 / 1.43	1.17	-0.40 **
23. Policies and procedures regarding registration and course selection are clear and well-publicized.	6.54	5.20 / 1.47	1.34	6.48	5.50 / 1.43	0.98	-0.30 **
30. Class change (drop/add) policies are reasonable.	6.35	5.64 / 1.12	0.71	6.31	5.81 / 1.25	0.50	-0.17
38. The business office is open during hours which are convenient for most students.	6.43	5.51 / 1.26	0.92	6.33	5.69 / 1.31	0.64	-0.18
42. Billing policies are reasonable.	6.31	5.41 / 1.09	0.90	6.32	5.54 / 1.33	0.78	-0.13

Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Responsiveness to Diverse Populations

		College of the Mainland - IP	S	Ni	ational Community Colleges	IPS	Mean Difference
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
RESPONSIVENESS TO DIVERSE POPULATIONS		5.62 / 1.07			5.90 / 1.02		-0.28 ***
61. Institution's commitment to part-time students?		5.78 / 1.17			5.94 / 1.17		-0.16
62. Institution's commitment to evening students?		5.36 / 1.42			5.76 / 1.32		-0.40 ***
63. Institution's commitment to older, returning learners?		5.60 / 1.26			5.95 / 1.17		-0.35 ***
64. Institution's commitment to under-represented populations?		5.77 / 1.28			5.91 / 1.21		-0.14
65. Institution's commitment to commuters?		5.62 / 1.23			5.90 / 1.21		-0.28 **
66. Institution's commitment to students with disabilities?		5.62 / 1.27			5.96 / 1.22		-0.34 ***

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Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Safety and Security

	College of the Mainland - IPS National Community Colleges IPS					Mean Difference	
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
SAFETY AND SECURITY	6.61	5.27 / 1.06	1.34	6.49	5.47 / 1.15	1.02	-0.20 *
7. Security staff respond quickly in emergencies.	6.80	6.12 / 1.00	0.68	6.61	5.69 / 1.50	0.92	0.43 ***
15. Parking lots are well-lighted and secure.	6.55	4.24 / 1.85	2.31	6.40	5.48 / 1.49	0.92	-1.24 ***
20. The campus is safe and secure for all students.	6.79	5.31 / 1.47	1.48	6.70	5.83 / 1.28	0.87	-0.52 ***
26. The amount of student parking space on campus is adequate.	6.29	5.44 / 1.59	0.85	6.25	4.91 / 1.82	1.34	0.53 ***

Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Service Excellence

		College of the Mainland - IPS	S	N	Mean Difference		
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
SERVICE EXCELLENCE	6.48	5.07 / 1.07	1.41	6.43	5.49 / 1.09	0.94	-0.42 ***
2. The personnel involved in registration are helpful.	6.70	4.96 / 1.51	1.74	6.56	5.46 / 1.41	1.10	-0.50 ***
17. The campus staff are caring and helpful.	6.56	5.50 / 1.21	1.06	6.52	5.86 / 1.14	0.66	-0.36 ***
39. Administrators are approachable to students.	6.28	5.36 / 1.34	0.92	6.27	5.66 / 1.34	0.61	-0.30 **
44. Students seldom get the "run-around" when seeking information on this campus.	6.53	4.13 / 1.72	2.40	6.47	4.84 / 1.71	1.63	-0.71 ***
47. Channels for expressing student complaints are readily available.	6.32	5.37 / 1.32	0.95	6.33	5.59 / 1.41	0.74	-0.22

Scales: In Order With Items That Make Up the Scale - Student Centeredness

		College of the Mainland - IPS	5	N	Mean Difference		
Scale/Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
STUDENT CENTEREDNESS	6.52	5.38 / 1.16	1.14	6.48	5.81 / 1.01	0.67	-0.43 ***
12. The college shows concern for students as individuals.	6.54	5.23 / 1.46	1.31	6.53	5.71 / 1.29	0.82	-0.48 ***
17. The campus staff are caring and helpful.	6.56	5.50 / 1.21	1.06	6.52	5.86 / 1.14	0.66	-0.36 ***
24. Students are made to feel welcome on this campus.	6.71	5.44 / 1.34	1.27	6.61	5.98 / 1.12	0.63	-0.54 ***
39. Administrators are approachable to students.	6.28	5.36 / 1.34	0.92	6.27	5.66 / 1.34	0.61	-0.30 **

Items: In Sequential Order

		College of the Mainland - II	2S	Ν	ational Community Colleges	onal Community Colleges IPS		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap		
1. Faculty care about students as individuals.	6.67	5.88 / 1.04	0.79	6.64	5.88 / 1.14	0.76	0.00	
2. The personnel involved in registration are helpful.	6.70	4.96 / 1.51	1.74	6.56	5.46 / 1.41	1.10	-0.50 ***	
3. Academic advisors are approachable.	6.67	4.91 / 1.62	1.76	6.60	5.60 / 1.35	1.00	-0.69 ***	
4. Adequate financial aid is available for most students.	6.58	5.33 / 1.26	1.25	6.48	5.59 / 1.35	0.89	-0.26 *	
5. Classes are scheduled at times that are convenient for students.	6.51	5.48 / 1.33	1.03	6.36	5.67 / 1.27	0.69	-0.19	
6. Internships or practical experiences are provided in each degree/ certificate program.	5.83	4.76 / 1.43	1.07	5.99	5.11 / 1.56	0.88	-0.35 *	
7. Security staff respond quickly in emergencies.	6.80	6.12 / 1.00	0.68	6.61	5.69 / 1.50	0.92	0.43 ***	
8. Academic advisors help students set goals to work toward.	6.43	4.85 / 1.50	1.58	6.36	5.30 / 1.44	1.06	-0.45 ***	
9. Financial aid awards are announced to students in time to be helpful in college planning.	6.57	4.81 / 1.46	1.76	6.46	5.25 / 1.51	1.21	-0.44 **	
10. Library resources and services are adequate.	6.35	5.76 / 1.17	0.59	6.35	5.83 / 1.24	0.52	-0.07	
11. Students are able to register for classes they need with few conflicts.	6.58	4.81 / 1.60	1.77	6.38	5.21 / 1.43	1.17	-0.40 **	
12. The college shows concern for students as individuals.	6.54	5.23 / 1.46	1.31	6.53	5.71 / 1.29	0.82	-0.48 ***	
13. The quality of instruction students receive in most classes is excellent.	6.82	5.63 / 1.08	1.19	6.70	5.68 / 1.17	1.02	-0.05	
14. Financial aid counselors are helpful.	6.47	4.80 / 1.41	1.67	6.47	5.43 / 1.43	1.04	-0.63 ***	
15. Parking lots are well-lighted and secure.	6.55	4.24 / 1.85	2.31	6.40	5.48 / 1.49	0.92	-1.24 ***	

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Items: In Sequential Order

		College of the Mainland - IF	s	Ni	ational Community Colleges	IPS	Mean Difference
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
16. Academic advisors are concerned about students' success as individuals.	6.54	4.93 / 1.56	1.61	6.50	5.58 / 1.33	0.92	-0.65 ***
17. The campus staff are caring and helpful.	6.56	5.50 / 1.21	1.06	6.52	5.86 / 1.14	0.66	-0.36 ***
18. Faculty are fair and unbiased in their treatment of individual students.	6.70	5.56 / 1.18	1.14	6.66	5.72 / 1.24	0.94	-0.16
19. The career services office provides students with the help they need to get a job.	6.33	4.55 / 1.56	1.78	6.33	5.23 / 1.55	1.10	-0.68 ***
20. The campus is safe and secure for all students.	6.79	5.31 / 1.47	1.48	6.70	5.83 / 1.28	0.87	-0.52 ***
21. Academic advisors are knowledgeable about program requirements.	6.80	4.53 / 1.86	2.27	6.65	5.49 / 1.47	1.16	-0.96 ***
22. Computer labs are adequate and accessible.	6.49	5.52 / 1.37	0.97	6.47	5.64 / 1.44	0.83	-0.12
23. Policies and procedures regarding registration and course selection are clear and well-publicized.	6.54	5.20 / 1.47	1.34	6.48	5.50 / 1.43	0.98	-0.30 **
24. Students are made to feel welcome on this campus.	6.71	5.44 / 1.34	1.27	6.61	5.98 / 1.12	0.63	-0.54 ***
25. The student center is a comfortable place for students to spend their leisure time.	6.02	5.07 / 1.37	0.95	5.84	5.12 / 1.63	0.72	-0.05
26. The amount of student parking space on campus is adequate.	6.29	5.44 / 1.59	0.85	6.25	4.91 / 1.82	1.34	0.53 ***
27. Academic advisors are knowledgeable about the transfer requirements of other schools.	6.57	4.79 / 1.47	1.78	6.41	5.17 / 1.50	1.24	-0.38 **
28. Admissions staff are knowledgeable.	6.67	5.22 / 1.33	1.45	6.57	5.61 / 1.36	0.96	-0.39 ***
29. The equipment in the lab facilities is kept up to date.	6.56	4.70 / 1.54	1.86	6.50	5.49 / 1.46	1.01	-0.79 ***
30. Class change (drop/add) policies are reasonable.	6.35	5.64 / 1.12	0.71	6.31	5.81 / 1.25	0.50	-0.17

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Items: In Sequential Order

		College of the Mainland - II	PS	N	ational Community Colleges	onal Community Colleges IPS		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap		
31. This institution has a good reputation within the community.	6.73	4.00 / 1.73	2.73	6.60	5.79 / 1.41	0.81	-1.79 ***	
32. Faculty provide timely feedback about student progress in their courses.	6.62	5.26 / 1.37	1.36	6.54	5.65 / 1.25	0.89	-0.39 ***	
33. There are adequate services to help students decide upon a career.	6.34	4.81 / 1.37	1.53	6.31	5.23 / 1.48	1.08	-0.42 **	
34. Counseling staff care about students as individuals.	6.54	5.31 / 1.19	1.23	6.49	5.68 / 1.39	0.81	-0.37 **	
35. Tutoring services are readily available.	6.44	5.60 / 1.27	0.84	6.49	5.92 / 1.27	0.57	-0.32 **	
36. This school does whatever it can to help students reach their educational goals.	6.59	5.29 / 1.27	1.30	6.49	5.72 / 1.24	0.77	-0.43 ***	
37. The assessment and course placement procedures are reasonable.	6.41	5.30 / 1.28	1.11	6.34	5.52 / 1.33	0.82	-0.22	
38. The business office is open during hours which are convenient for most students.	6.43	5.51 / 1.26	0.92	6.33	5.69 / 1.31	0.64	-0.18	
39. Administrators are approachable to students.	6.28	5.36 / 1.34	0.92	6.27	5.66 / 1.34	0.61	-0.30 **	
40. Nearly all of the faculty are knowledgeable in their fields.	6.84	5.99 / 1.11	0.85	6.74	6.08 / 1.09	0.66	-0.09	
41. New student orientation services help students adjust to college.	6.42	5.63 / 1.16	0.79	6.34	5.42 / 1.47	0.92	0.21	
42. Billing policies are reasonable.	6.31	5.41 / 1.09	0.90	6.32	5.54 / 1.33	0.78	-0.13	
43. Faculty are usually available after class and during office hours.	6.50	5.69 / 1.20	0.81	6.44	5.68 / 1.33	0.76	0.01	
44. Students seldom get the "run-around" when seeking information on this campus.	6.53	4.13 / 1.72	2.40	6.47	4.84 / 1.71	1.63	-0.71 ***	

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Items: In Sequential Order

		College of the Mainland - IF	25	N	ational Community Colleges	tional Community Colleges IPS		
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap		
45. Nearly all classes deal with practical experiences and applications.	6.01	5.16 / 1.11	0.85	6.08	5.46 / 1.29	0.62	-0.30 **	
46. Program requirements are clear and reasonable.	6.53	5.66 / 0.99	0.87	6.53	5.89 / 1.11	0.64	-0.23 *	
47. Channels for expressing student complaints are readily available.	6.32	5.37 / 1.32	0.95	6.33	5.59 / 1.41	0.74	-0.22	
48. On the whole, the campus is well-maintained.	6.45	4.52 / 1.65	1.93	6.46	5.98 / 1.27	0.48	-1.46 ***	
49. There is a good variety of courses provided on this campus.	6.44	5.44 / 1.27	1.00	6.46	5.89 / 1.21	0.57	-0.45 ***	
50. Students are able to experience intellectual growth here.	6.58	5.68 / 1.15	0.90	6.58	6.02 / 1.07	0.56	-0.34 ***	
51. Campus item 1	6.33	5.47 / 1.34	0.86					
52. Campus item 2	6.42	5.13 / 1.41	1.29					
53. Campus item 3	6.08	5.52 / 1.34	0.56					
54. Campus item 4	6.63	5.57 / 1.33	1.06					
55. Campus item 5	5.48	5.30 / 1.14	0.18					
56. Campus item 6	6.25	4.75 / 1.54	1.50					
57. Campus item 7	6.35	5.19 / 1.44	1.16					
58. Campus item 8	6.28	5.50 / 1.33	0.78					
59. Campus item 9	5.64	4.08 / 1.69	1.56					
60. Campus item 10	5.86	3.58 / 1.82	2.28					

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Items: In Sequential Order

	College of the Mainland - IPS			National Community Colleges IPS			Mean Difference
Item	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	Importance	Agreement / SD	Performance Gap	
61. Institution's commitment to part-time students?		5.78 / 1.17			5.94 / 1.17		-0.16
62. Institution's commitment to evening students?		5.36 / 1.42			5.76 / 1.32		-0.40 ***
63. Institution's commitment to older, returning learners?		5.60 / 1.26			5.95 / 1.17		-0.35 ***
64. Institution's commitment to under-represented populations?		5.77 / 1.28			5.91 / 1.21		-0.14
65. Institution's commitment to commuters?		5.62 / 1.23			5.90 / 1.21		-0.28 **
66. Institution's commitment to students with disabilities?		5.62 / 1.27			5.96 / 1.22		-0.34 ***
67. Cost as factor in decision to enroll.	6.59			6.45			
68. Financial aid as factor in decision to enroll.	6.32			6.43			
69. Academic reputation as factor in decision to enroll.	5.26			5.83			
70. Size of institution as factor in decision to enroll.	4.86			5.30			
71. Opportunity to play sports as factor in decision to enroll.	3.19			3.58			
72. Recommendations from family/friends as factor in decision to enroll.	5.35			5.60			
73. Geographic setting as factor in decision to enroll.	5.96			5.87			
74. Campus appearance as factor in decision to enroll.	4.65			5.30			
75. Personalized attention prior to enrollment as factor in decision to enroll.	5.46			5.89			

Summary Items

Summary Item	College of the Mainland - IPS	National Community Colleges IPS	Mean Difference
So far, how has your college experience met your expectations?	Average: 4.49	Average: 4.83	-0.34
1=Much worse than expected	0%	0%	
2=Quite a bit worse than I expected	0%	0%	
3=Worse than I expected	9%	4%	
4=About what I expected	47%	37%	
5=Better than I expected	27%	35%	
6=Quite a bit better than I expected	11%	12%	
7=Much better than expected	3%	9%	
Rate your overall satisfaction with your experience here thus far.	Average: 5.15	Average: 5.61	-0.46
1=Not satisfied at all	0%	0%	
2=Not very satisfied	0%	1%	
3=Somewhat dissatisfied	9%	4%	
4=Neutral	11%	7%	
5=Somewhat satisfied	34%	22%	
6=Satisfied	38%	48%	
7=Very satisfied	5%	16%	
All in all, if you had to do it over, would you enroll here again?	Average: 5.45	Average: 5.86	-0.41
1=Definitely not	0%	0%	
2=Probably not	2%	1%	
3=Maybe not	4%	2%	
4=I don't know	12%	7%	
5=Maybe yes	19%	10%	
6=Probably yes	45%	48%	
7=Definitely yes	15%	28%	