

**Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission
2018 Survey of Class of 2012 Maritime University Graduates**

PHONE INTRODUCTION

Hello, may I please speak with <<NAME>>?

(If asked: Hello, this is _____ from _____ speaking to you on behalf of <<UNIVERSITY NAME>> and the Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission. We are conducting a survey of 2012 graduates from universities in the Maritime Provinces.)

Yes, continue

Yes, getting person

No, correct person not there

No, refusal

Correct person, but call back

I'm calling from _____ on behalf of <<UNIVERSITY NAME>> and the Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission.

We are conducting a survey of 2012 graduates from universities in the Maritime Provinces. The purpose of the study is to explore graduates' educational experiences and to find out about their transitions and outcomes following their graduation. For completing the survey, you will be entered into a draw to win a grand prize of \$1,500 or one of 9 prizes of \$500 each. Your answers are important and will be kept strictly confidential.

The survey will take approximately 15 minutes to complete, depending on your answers. Do you have some time to speak with me now?

If NEEDED: The information will be used by provincial governments and universities to evaluate and design policies pertaining to university students and graduates. And, once the survey results are compiled, a report will be published on the MPHEC website (www.mphec.ca).

Yes, continue

No, callback

No, refusal

ONLINE INTRODUCTION

Thank you for your participation in the Survey of Class of 2012 Maritime University Graduates. Your answers are important and will be kept strictly confidential.

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At the end of the survey, you will have an opportunity to enter your name in a prize draw for a grand prize of \$1,500 or one of 9 prizes of \$500 each. To review the draw rules and regulations, please [click here](#).

Please use the buttons below to navigate through the survey.

EVERYONE

I5

Before you begin the survey we'll need to confirm that you are a Class of 2012 graduate by asking a few short questions. The information you provide will be used only for this purpose, and will be kept confidential.

Did you graduate in 2012 with a Bachelor's degree?

Yes

No [**TERMINATE**]

POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION SECTION

Q4

Prior to enrolling in the program you completed in 2012, had you completed any post-secondary certificates, diplomas, or degrees?

Yes

No

Don't know

Refused

Q5

Since your graduation in 2012 have you enrolled in any other education programs leading towards a diploma, certificate or degree?

We are interested only in programs of study that would take someone 3 months or more to complete if taken full time, not individual courses. Please include any programs you have taken even if they have not been completed.

Yes

No **[SKIP TO Q8]**

Don't know **[SKIP TO Q8]**

Refused **[SKIP TO Q8]**

Q6 **[SHOW IF Q5 = YES]**

How many of these programs have you enrolled in since your graduation in 2012?

_____ **[RECORD NUMBER; GENERATE NUMBER OF ROWS IN RESPONSE GRID BELOW]**

Don't know **[SKIP TO Q8]**

Refused **[SKIP to Q8]**

Q7 [ASK GRID QUESTIONS FOR EACH IN Q6]

Please tell us more about [IF Q6 = 1, this program you took] [IF Q6 > 1, the [Q6] programs you took].

[IF Q6 > 2] For the first one...

And the second one...

And the third one...

EDUCATION PROGRAM	CREDENTIAL & PROGRAM	FIELD OF STUDY	Have you completed this program?	[show this column only if answering “no” (or DK) to “have you completed this program?”]	[show this question only if answering “yes” either to “have you completed this program?” or “are you currently enrolled...?”]
	What type of certificate, diploma or degree would someone receive at the end of this program? [use drop-down menu]	What was the main field of study or specialization of the program? [use drop-down menu]		Are you currently enrolled in this program?	What is the main reason you decided to take this program? [use drop down menu]
1			Y/N/DK	Y/N/DK	
2			Y/N/DK	Y/N/DK	
3			Y/N/DK	Y/N/DK	
...			Y/N/DK	Y/N/DK	
9			Y/N/DK	Y/N/DK	

Credential & Program drop-down menu:

- Professional designation (e.g., Dietetics, Chartered Professional Accountants [CPA], CA, CMA, CGA)
- College diploma or certificate (includes CEGEP & other public college credentials)
- University diploma or certificate
- Bachelor’s degree (e.g., B.A., B.Sc., BN, BBA, but excluding Bachelor of Education [B.Ed.])
- Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.)
- Bachelor of Laws or Juris Doctor (LLB or JD)

- Professional health doctorate (e.g., medicine [MD], veterinary medicine [DVM], dentistry [DDS], optometry [OD], chiropractic [DC], naturopathy [ND], pharmacy [PharmD])
- Master's degree (e.g., MA, MSc, MBA, M.Ed)
- PhD/doctorate (e.g., PhD, Ed.D., Mus.D., LLD, D.Psy)
- Apprenticeship certification
- Private college or training school diploma or certificate
- Other (Please specify)
- Don't know
- Refused

Field of study drop-down menu

- **Education**
(e.g. Education, Teaching Assistant, Teaching a second language, student counselling)
- **Visual and Performing Arts and Communications Technologies**
(e.g. Music, Dance, Fine Arts, Theatre, Interior Design, Graphic Communication, Media Arts, Radio and television)
- **Humanities**
(e.g. General Arts, English, French, History, Philosophy, Community Studies, Religious studies, Linguistics, Second language learning)
- **Social Sciences or Behavioural Sciences**
(e.g. Psychology, Geography, Anthropology, Criminology, Economics, Sociology, Journalism, Public Relations, Family Studies, Communications, Political Sciences)
- **Legal Professions and Studies**
(e.g. Law, legal support services)
- **Business and Management**
(e.g. Business, Commerce, Management, Tourism and Hospitality, Accounting, Finance, Administrative Assistant, Human Resources Management, Tourism and Travel Management)
- **Public Administration and Social Service Professions**
(e.g. Human services, Social Work, Public Policy, Public administration, Community organization)
- **Physical and Life Sciences**
(e.g. Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Geology, Biochemistry, Microbiology)
- **Architecture and Engineering**
(e.g. Engineering, Applied Sciences, Community Design, Architecture)
- **Engineering Technologies, Construction Trades, Mechanic and Repair Technologies**
(e.g. Engineering technology, Construction, Power Engineering, Electrical, Heating, Plumbing, Carpentry, Metals Processing, Welding, Survey Technician, Automotive Repair, Heavy Equipment repair, Aircraft Maintenance)

- **Agriculture, Natural Resources and Conservation**
(e.g., Forestry, Agriculture, Environmental Studies, Plant Science Technology, Animal Technology, Environment, Aquaculture, Forest Technology, Landscape)
- **Mathematics, Computer and Information Sciences**
(e.g. Computer Sciences, Mathematics, Informatics, Information Technology, Library Technology, Programmer, Network Administration)
- **Health and related fields**
(e.g. Nursing, Nutrition, Kinesiology, Recreation Management, Health Sciences, Respiratory Therapy, Radiological Therapy, Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine)
- **Personal and Culinary services**
(e.g. Esthetics, Funeral Services, Cooking, Baking)
- **Security and Protective services**
(e.g. Police, Correctional Officer, Firefighting, Conservation Officer)
- **Transportation and Materials Moving**
(e.g. Pilot, Flight Attendant, Marine Navigation/Engineering Technology, Heavy Equipment Operator, Commercial Diving)
- **Personal improvement and leisure**
(e.g. Basic Skills, Personal awareness and self-improvement)
- **Other** (Please specify)
- Don't know
- Refused

Main reason for taking program drop-down menu:

- An interest in learning more about the subject
- It's a requirement for a position/designation that I currently hold
- For career advancement/promotion
- For general self-improvement
- To make a career change
- To make more money
- It's a prerequisite for further education
- It's part of my chosen career path
- Other (Please specify)
- Don't Know
- Refused

Q8

[IF Q5 = YES] During the course of your education (2012 degree and/or any programs you completed since 2012), did you participate in any work placements as part of your program(s)? For example, co-op, internship, practicum.

[IF Q5 = NO] During the course of your 2012 degree, did you participate in any work placements as part of your program(s)? For example, co-op, internship, practicum

Yes

No **[SKIP to Q10]**

Don't know **[SKIP to Q10]**

Refused **[SKIP to Q10]**

Q9A [SHOW IF Q8=YES]

To what extent would you say the work placement(s) you completed...

Please use a 5-point scale where 1 is “not at all” and 5 is “to a great extent”.

	Not at all				To a great extent	Don't know	Not applicable
Increased your satisfaction with your program	1	2	3	4	5	DK	N/A
Prepared you for the workforce	1	2	3	4	5	DK	N/A
Offered you advantages for finding employment	1	2	3	4	5	DK	N/A

Q9B [SHOW IF Q8=YES]

Were any of the work placements you completed part of a Co-operative Education Program?

READ DEFINITION ONLY AS NECESSARY:

A “Co-operative Education Program” is an academic study program that alternates with paid work experience developed and/or approved by the college/university (includes programs with several work terms on an alternating schedule or a co-op internship program with a single work term).

Yes

No

Don't know

Refused

FINANCING EDUCATION SECTION

Q10

The next set of questions deal with the financing of your education.

What were your two main sources of funding for the degree you completed in 2012?

Please select up to 2 sources from the list below, or select ``Some other source`` and type in your own answer. Please be as specific as possible.

Parents

RESP (READ FOR CLARIFICATION IF NECESSARY: Registered Education Savings Plan)

Government Student Loans

Bank/other Financial Institution (e.g. loans, line of credit)

Credit cards

Employment earnings/personal savings

Awards based on merit (e.g. scholarships/awards/fellowships)

Awards based on need (e.g. grants/bursaries)

Employer

Other family (e.g. grandparents, spouse, other family members)

Other government sources

Or some other source (Please specify)

Don't Know

Refused

Q11 [SHOW IF Q5 = YES]

What were your two main sources of funding for the educational programs you've taken since completing your degree in 2012?

Please select up to 2 reasons from the list below, or select ``Some other source`` and type in your own answer. And, please be as specific as possible.

Parents

RESP (READ FOR CLARIFICATION IF NECESSARY: Registered Education Savings Plan)

Government Student Loans

Bank/other Financial Institution (e.g. loans, line of credit)

Credit cards

Employment earnings/personal savings

Awards based on merit (e.g. scholarships/awards/fellowships)

Awards based on need (e.g. grants/bursaries)

Employer

Other family (e.g. grandparents, spouse, other family members)

Other government sources

Or some other source (Please specify)

Don't Know

Refused

Q12

Now we would like to ask about any money you may have borrowed to finance your education; that is, money you have to repay.

Did you borrow any money to finance the ...

Q12a

a. University education you completed in 2012 Yes No

Q12b [SHOW IF Q5 = YES]

b. Educational programs you've taken since 2012 Yes No

Don't know

Refused

[IF Q12a = No or DK, SKIP TO Q19]

[IF Q12a = NO or DK AND (Q5 = 'yes' AND Q12b = NO (or DK)), SKIP TO Q19]

Q13a [SHOW IF Q12A OR Q12B = YES]

<<Degree fill text>>:

(If only 12a = 'yes' [12b = 'no' or 'don't know']) "your 2012 degree"

(If only 12b = 'yes' [12a = 'no' or 'don't know']) "any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

(If 12a & 12b = 'yes') "your 2012 degree and/or any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

Thinking of all the money you borrowed from all sources to finance <<Degree fill text>>, what is the approximate total amount you borrowed and had to repay from all sources combined?

Please indicate the amount borrowed from all sources combined for <<your 2012 degree and/or any education you've taken since 2012 / your 2012 degree / any education you've taken since 2012>>. You may not know the exact amount, but please provide your best estimate.

\$ _____

Don't know

Refused

Q13b [SHOW IF Q12A OR Q12B = YES]

[IF Q13a >= 1] Does this amount include any money borrowed from family members?

[IF Q13a = DK] Did you borrow any money from family members?

Yes

No **[SKIP TO Q14A]**

Don't know **[SKIP TO Q14A]**

Refused **[SKIP TO Q14A]**

Q13c [SHOW IF Q13B = YES]

What is the approximate amount you borrowed and had to repay to family members?

[Q13C CANNOT BE GREATER THAN Q13A]

Total amount borrowed from all sources: \$<<Q13A>>. [IF Q13a = DK, DO NOT SHOW]

\$ _____

Don't Know

Refused

Q14a

Approximately how much do you now owe to all sources on the money you borrowed?

Total amount borrowed from all sources: \$<<Q13A>>. [IF Q13A = DK, DO NOT SHOW]

<<Degree fill text>>:

(If only 12a = 'yes' [12b = 'no' or 'don't know']) "your 2012 degree"

(If only 12b = 'yes' [12a = 'no' or 'don't know']) "any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

(If 12a & 12b = 'yes') "your 2012 degree and/or any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

Please indicate the combined total amount you still owe for <<Degree fill text>>. You may not know the exact amount, but please provide your best estimate.

\$ _____

None

Don't know **[SKIP to Q15]**

Refused **[SKIP to Q15]**

Q14b [SHOW IF BORROWED FROM FAMILY Q13B = YES]

And how much do you owe on the amount borrowed from family members?

Total amount borrowed from family members: \$<<13c answer>>. [IF Q13c = DK, don't have this reminder]

\$ _____

None

Don't know **[SKIP TO Q15]**

Refused **[SKIP TO Q15]**

Q14c [SHOW IF Q14A = \$0]

What circumstances made it possible for you to pay off the loan(s) you took out to finance your education?

Government assistance programs

High paying job

Lived at home

Help from family members

Made it a priority / financial plan

Regular employment income

Small amount of loan

No special circumstances

Other (please specify)

Don't know

Refused

Q15 [SHOW IF Q14A > \$0]

The next few questions are about payments you currently make on the money you owe to all sources, excluding to any family members.

<<Degree fill text>>:

(If only 12a = 'yes' [12b = 'no' or 'don't know']) "your 2012 degree"

(If only 12b = 'yes' [12a = 'no' or 'don't know']) "any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

(If 12a & 12b = 'yes') "your 2012 degree and/or any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

Do you currently make payments on the money you owe for <<degree fill text>>?

Yes

No **[SKIP TO Q18]**

Don't know **[SKIP TO Q18]**

Refused **[SKIP TO Q18]**

Q16 [SHOW IF Q15 = YES, CURRENTLY MAKE PAYMENTS]

Do you make your payments ...?

Note: If you have more than one loan with different repayment schedules, please select Monthly and estimate what is paid each month in total on the next screen.

Weekly
Bi-weekly (i.e. every 2 weeks)
Semi-monthly (i.e. twice a month)
Monthly
Annually
Or on some other interval (Please specify)
Don't know **[SKIP TO Q17b]**
Refused **[SKIP TO Q17b]**

Q17a [SHOW IF Q16_KNOW_FREQUENCY]

<<Degree fill text>>:

(If only 12a = 'yes' [12b = 'no' or 'don't know']) "your 2012 degree"

(If only 12b = 'yes' [12a = 'no' or 'don't know']) "any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

(If 12a & 12b = 'yes') "your 2012 degree and/or any education you have taken since your 2012 degree"

What is the approximate total amount you pay <<Q16 answer>> on the loans you received to finance <<degree fill text>>?

If you pay regular amounts to more than one source, please add together the amounts from all sources . These could be from Government, banks and financial institutions, and/or other sources, paid on a regular basis for <<degree fill text>>. DO NOT include the amount you may pay to family members.

Even if you do not know exact amounts, please give an approximate amount or your best guess.

\$ _____
Don't know
Refused

Q17b

[IF Q5 = YES INSET AT FRONT END OF QUESTION]

Except for times when you may have suspended repayment while studying

[IF Q13B = YES]

Which one of the following best describes your overall experience while repaying your loan(s) to non-family sources? Have you...

[IF Q13B <> YES]

Which one of the following best describes your overall experience while repaying your loan(s)? Have you...

- Always made payments on time
- Occasionally missed making a payment
- Had to stop making payments a few times
- Had to stop making payments altogether
- Other (Please specify)
- Don't know
- Refused

Q18

Have you received or do you receive repayment assistance for any government student loans?

This would be repayment assistance provided from federal or provincial government programs.

- Yes
- No
- I did not have any government student loans
- Don't know
- Refused

EMPLOYMENT SINCE GRADUATION

Q19

The next few questions are about your employment experiences since completing your program in 2012.

Altogether, how many jobs have you had since completing your program in 2012? A change of work activities for the same employer, a change of employer, or both, would count as different jobs. When thinking about these experiences please include self-employment, and any job that began before you graduated and continued after your graduation in 2012.

_____ (record number of jobs)

None

Don't know

Refused

Q20

What was your employment situation last week? Were you ...?

IF "DON'T KNOW" OR SOME OTHER RESPONSE, ASK:

Which one best describes your employment situation last week?

Employed full-time **[SHOW IF Q19_HIGHER_THAN_ZERO]**

Employed part-time **[SHOW IF Q19_HIGHER_THAN_ZERO]**

Employed, but not at work due to temporary layoff, maternity/paternity leave, sick leave or vacation **[SHOW IF Q19_HIGHER_THAN_ZERO]**

Not employed, and looking for work

Not employed, and not looking for work

Don't know **[SKIP TO Q35]**

Refused **[SKIP TO Q35]**

Q21 [SHOW IF Q20_NOT_EMPLOYED_NOT_LOOKING]

What is the main reason you were not looking for a job last week?

- Caring for children/had other family responsibilities
- Going to school
- No longer interested in finding a job / couldn't find a job you wanted
- Waiting for replies from potential/former employer
- Waiting for a new job to start
- I was travelling
- Illness/disability
- Or some other reason (Please specify)
- Don't know
- Refused

JOB DETAILS (UNTIL Q35)

[IF Q19 = 0 (OR DK) OR Q20 = DK (OR REFUSED) SKIP TO Q35]

Q22

Thinking about [IF Q20= FT OR PT your work situation last week] [IF Q20 = LEAVE your work situation from which you took leave] [IF Q20 = NOT EMPLOYED OR LEAVE your most recent work situation], were you ...?

- Working for one employer
- Working for more than one employer
- Self-employed at one type of work
- Working for an employer and self-employed
- Don't know **[SKIP to Q35]**
- Refused **[SKIP to Q35]**

Q23**[If Q22 = Working for one employer OR Self-employed at one type of work]**

Thinking about [IF Q20= FT OR PT your work situation last week] [IF Q20 = LEAVE your work situation from which you took leave] [IF Q20 = NOT EMPLOYED your most recent work situation], what was your occupation or job title?

[If Q22 = Working for more than one employer OR Working for an employer and self-employed]

You indicated that in [IF Q20= FT OR PT your work situation last week] [IF Q20 = LEAVE your work situation from which you took leave] [IF Q20 = NOT EMPLOYED your most recent work situation] you were <<Q22 answer>>. For the next set of questions, please think about your main job, that is, the job at which you worked the most hours. For that job, what was your occupation or job title?

Please provide a fully detailed description (e.g., elementary school teacher, high school teacher, social science research analyst, engineering research analyst).

Occupation/job title (please specify): _____

Don't know

Refused

Q24

What were your main duties and responsibilities?

Please provide a fully detailed description of main duties performed.

Don't know

Refused

Q25

In what type of business, industry, or service did you work?

Please provide full detail of the kind of business, industry or the service, and whether or not it is a public, private, or not-for-profit sector business. (e.g., retail shoe business, aerospace industry, forestry, health services.)

Don't know

Refused

Q26

Was your position permanent, contract, casual, or temporary?

- Permanent
- Contract
- Casual
- Temporary
- Don't know
- Refused

Q27

And approximately how many hours per week did you usually work at the job?

- _____ hours
- Less than 1 hour a week
- Don't know
- Refused

Q28

What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary for the job, including commissions and tips, and before taxes and other deductions? Is it ...?

- Yearly
- Hourly
- Daily
- Weekly
- Bi-weekly (every two weeks)
- Semi-monthly (twice a month)
- Monthly
- Or some other way (please Specify)
- Don't Know
- Refused

Q29a [SHOW IF Q28_KNOW_FREQUENCY]

Including tips and commissions, what is your <<Q28>> wage or salary for the job, before taxes and other deductions?

Note: If you were employed but on temporary leave (layoff, paternity leave, etc) last week, please provide the amount that you would have made if you were at work.

\$ _____

Don't know

Refused

Q29b

And in what year and month did you begin the job?

Year: _____

Don't know

Refused

Month:

January

February

March

April

May

June

July

August

September

October

November

December

Don't Know

Refused

Q30 [SHOW IF Q5 = YES]

Do you feel that the studies you pursued after your 2012 degree were necessary for the job?

Yes

No

Don't Know

Q31

**[SHOW IF (Q20 = EMPLOYED FT OR EMPLOYED PT) AND (Q22 = MORE THAN ONE EMPLOYER OR SELF-EMPLOYED AND WORKING FOR AN EMPLOYER)
[OTHERWISE SKIP TO 34]**

<<Work situation fill text>>

(If Q22 = 'working for more than one employer') "working for more than one employer"

(If Q22 = 'self-employed and working for an employer') "self-employed and working for an employer"

You indicated that last week you were <<work situation fill text>>. How many jobs do you currently have?

_____ (record number of jobs)

Don't know **[SKIP to Q34]**

Refused **[SKIP to Q34]**

Q32 [SHOW IF Q31 >= 2]

We'd like to know your approximate total earnings for all your jobs, before taxes and other deductions, including tips and commissions.

What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary for all your jobs, including commissions and tips, and before taxes and other deductions? Is it ...?

Yearly

Hourly

Daily

Weekly

Bi-weekly (every two weeks)

Semi-monthly (twice a month)

Monthly

Or some other way (Please Specify)

Don't Know **[SKIP to Q34]**

Refused **[SKIP to Q34]**

Q33 [SHOW IF Q32_KNOW_FREQUENCY]

Including tips and commissions, what is your <<Q32 answer>> total wage or salary from all jobs, before taxes and other deductions?

Note: If you were employed but on temporary leave (layoff, paternity leave, etc) last week, please respond with what you would make if you were at work.

\$ _____

Don't know

Refused

EMPLOYMENT RELATION TO EDUCATION

Q34

[If Q22 = Working for one employer OR Self-employed at one type of work]:

Thinking about [IF Q20= FT OR PT your work situation last week] [IF Q20 = LEAVE your work situation from which you took leave] [IF Q20 = NOT EMPLOYED your most recent work situation], to what extent...

[If Q22 = Working for more than one employer OR Working for an employer and self-employed]

You indicated that in [IF Q20= FT OR PT your work situation last week] [IF Q20 = LEAVE your work situation from which you took leave] [IF Q20 = NOT EMPLOYED your most recent work situation] you were <<Q22 answer>>. For the next set of questions, please think about your main job, that is, the job at which you worked the most hours.

For that job, to what extent...

Please use a 5 point scale where 1 is “not at all” and 5 is “to a great extent”.

- | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | Don't |
|--|------------|---|---|---|-------------------|-------|
| | Not at all | | | | To a great extent | Know |
| | | | | | | |
- a. Is it related to the program you completed in 2012? *(if clarification needed: 2012 program)*
 - b. [Show if Q5 = 'Yes'] Is it related to the program(s) you pursued after your 2012 degree?
 - c. Do you use the skills you learned during the program you completed in 2012? *(if clarification needed: 2012 program)*
 - d. [Show if Q5 = 'Yes'] Do you use the skills you learned during the program(s) you pursued after your 2012 degree.

OVERALL ASSESSMENT

Q35

Thinking about all we've asked about, when you look back at the university education you completed in 2012, and your experience since, to what extent was all of your education...

Please use a 5 point scale where 1 is "not at all worth the investment" and 5 is "well worth the investment".

	1 Not at all worth the investme nt	2	3	4	5 Well worth the investme nt	Don't Know
a. Worth the financial investment required						
b. Worth the personal investment of time required for classes and studies						

Q36a

Would you say you are generally satisfied or dissatisfied with your current...

Please use a 5 point scale where 1 means you're "very dissatisfied" and 5 means you're "very satisfied".

Financial situation

- 1 Very dissatisfied
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Very satisfied
- Don't know
- Refused

Q36b**Employment situation**

- 1 Very dissatisfied
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 Very satisfied
- Don't know
- Refused

DEMOGRAPHICS**Q37**

Now, just a few questions about you so we can compare the experiences of different groups of graduates.

In which province, territory, or country were you living in the 12 months before you started the degree program you completed in 2012?

Note: If you lived in more than one place, please indicate where you lived most of the time.

- Newfoundland and Labrador
- Prince Edward Island
- Nova Scotia
- New Brunswick
- Quebec
- Ontario
- Manitoba
- Saskatchewan
- Alberta
- British Columbia
- Northwest Territories
- Nunavut
- Yukon
- In the United States
- In another country outside of Canada and United States
- Don't know
- Refused

Q38

Where do you currently reside; in which province, territory, or country?

Newfoundland and Labrador
Prince Edward Island
Nova Scotia
New Brunswick
Quebec
Ontario
Manitoba
Saskatchewan
Alberta
British Columbia
Northwest Territories
Nunavut
Yukon
In the United States
In another country outside of Canada and United States
Don't know
Refused

Q39

How many times did you move to a different province or country between graduation in 2012 and today?

Never
1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
Don't know
Refused

Q40

What is your marital status?

- Married
- Living with a partner or common law
- Never married (Single)
- Widow/widower
- Separated
- Divorced
- Prefer not to say

Q41

Do you have any children who are financially dependent on you?

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to say

Q42

Are you an Aboriginal person, that is, First Nation (North American Indian), Métis, or Inuk (Inuit)? First Nations (North American Indian) include Status and Non-Status Indians.

- Yes, First Nation (North American Indian)
- Yes, Métis
- Yes, Inuk (Inuit)
- No, not an Aboriginal person **[EXCLUSIVE]**
- Prefer not to say **[EXCLUSIVE]**

Q43

Are you limited in the kind or amount of activity you can do because of a long-term physical condition, mental condition or health problem that has lasted or is expected to last six months or more?

- Yes
- No
- Prefer not to say

Q44

What language did you first learn in childhood and still understand?

Select one.

- English
- French
- English and French equally
- Other Language (Please specify)
- Prefer not to say

Q45

What language do you speak most often at home?

Select one.

- English
- French
- English and French equally
- Other Language (Please specify)
- Prefer not to say

Q46A

The next few questions are about your parents' or guardians' education. First, please select one of your parents/guardians.

Parent/Guardian #1

What is the gender of your Parent/Guardian #1?

- Male
- Female
- Another gender
- Not applicable [**SKIP to Q48**]

Q46b [SHOW IF Q46A = MALE, FEMALE, OR ANOTHER GENDER]

What is the highest level of education they have completed?

High school not completed
High school diploma or equivalent
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma
College, CEGEP, or other non-university certificate or diploma
Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, BSc, BEd)
Professional degree (e.g., law, medicine, veterinary medicine)
Master's or PhD/doctorate degree
Other (Please specify)
Don't Know
Refused

Q47a [SHOW IF Q46A = MALE, FEMALE, OR ANOTHER GENDER]

Parent/Guardian #2

What is the gender of your other parent/guardian, Parent/Guardian #2?

Male
Female
Another gender
Not applicable **[SKIP TO Q48]**

Q47b [SHOW IF Q47A = MALE, FEMALE, OR ANOTHER GENDER]

What is the highest level of education they have completed?

High school not completed
High school diploma or equivalent
Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma
College, CEGEP, or other non-university certificate or diploma
Bachelor's degree (e.g., BA, BSc, BEd)
Professional degree (e.g., law, medicine, veterinary medicine)
Master's or PhD/doctorate degree
Other (Please specify)
Don't Know
Refused

Q48

Do you have any further comments to share about any of the topics covered in this survey?

No additional comments

PRIZE DRAW ENTRY: You are now eligible to enter a draw to win a grand prize of \$1,500 or one of 9 prizes of \$500 each.

This draw will take place on January 3, 2019. Winners will be notified by telephone and/or e-mail.

To view prize draw rules, please [click here](#).

Enter draw

I do not wish to participate in the draw

To be included in this draw, you need to give a valid e-mail address and phone number where we would be able to contact you between January 3 and 15, 2019.

Name _____

E-mail address _____

Phone number (including area code) _____

End