Program Review Alumni Survey

The purpose of this survey is to invite you to provide feedback on the [insert program name] program, referred to as Program in the survey. Your feedback will inform improvements to educational programming.

This survey will take you roughly 10 - 12 minutes to complete. Your participation is voluntary and all of your responses will be kept confidential. The findings will be reported in aggregate only and not attributed to any one participant.

Note: We are conducting a program review, not an assessment of individual faculty members. While your honest feedback is important to the review, please refrain from commenting, either positively or negatively, on individual faculty/staff members. Thank you.

Please note that these data are confidential and will not be part of your student record. These data will be reported in aggregate to ensure individuals are not identified. Personal information that you provide to the university and this Program is at all times protected in accordance with the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.

If you have any questions regarding this survey, please contact the Office of Quality Assurance.

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

1. What is your gender identity?

- Man
- □ Non-Binary
- Trans
- Two Spirit
- 🗆 Woman
- □ Prefer not to disclose
- □ I am _____ (please specify)

2. Which of the following best describes your sexual orientation?

- Asexual
- Bisexual
- 🗆 Gay
- Heterosexual
- Lesbian
- Queer
- □ Prefer not to disclose
- □ I am ____ (please specify)

3. Do you have a disability or impairment that impacted your educational experience?

- No
- Yes
- Prefer not to disclose

(If yes) To build awareness and support improvements to educational programming, please note your type of condition(s):

- □ Blind or low vision
- □ Chronic condition
- □ Deaf or hard of hearing
- □ Intellectual
- □ Learning
- □ Mental/emotional health
- □ Mobility/dexterity
- □ Speech/language
- □ Prefer not to disclose
- □ I am _____ (please specify)

4. What is your present citizenship status?

- Canadian citizen
- □ Canadian permanent resident
- □ Citizen of another country with a student visa
- □ Citizen of another country with a spousal or family visa
- □ Prefer not to disclose
- □ I am ____ (please specify)

5. Which of the following best reflects your ethnic/racial identities (choose all that apply):

- Caucasian/White
- Black
- Indigenous
- Person of Colour
- □ Prefer not to disclose
- □ I am ____(please specify)
- 6. Do you feel that your identity was represented within the program?
 - □ No
 - □ Not sure
 - □ Yes
 - a) If you are willing to share, please comment on your experience.
- 7. Did the program provide a supportive environment for different forms of diversity (e.g., racial/ethnic, gender, disability, etc.)?
 - □ No
 - □ Not sure
 - □ Yes
 - a) If you are willing to share, please comment on your experience.
- 8. Was the expression of diverse ideas encouraged and respected?
 - □ No
 - Not sure
 - Yes

a) If you are willing to share, please comment on your experience.

- 9. Did you have the opportunity to demonstrate knowledge and understanding in multiple ways?
 - □ No
 - □ Not sure
 - □ Yes

a) If you are willing to share, please comment on your experience.

- 10. Did you experienced social, emotional, and/or physical barriers in the program that impact your success? For example, discrimination, racism, or lack of accommodations for disabilities.
 - No
 - Not sure
 - Yes

a) If you are willing to share, please comment on your experience.

11. What year did you graduate from this program at TRU?

- □ 2016
- □ 2017
- □ 2018
- □ 2019
- □ 2020
- □ 2021
- Other, please specify: ______
- 12. If you took more than four years [insert appropriate length of time based on program] to complete this program, please indicate the appropriate reason(s):
 - □ A decision to change programs
 - □ Courses were not available when needed
 - □ Family obligations
 - □ Involved in co-op or internships
 - □ Took a semester(s) off
 - □ Tuition and other costs of attendance
 - Work obligations
 - Other:

CAREER PREPAREDNESS

13. Choose all of the items that apply to you:

- 1. I am employed in my major field of study
- 2. I am employed in a related field of my major
- 3. I could not find a job in my major field
- 4. I developed new career interests after graduating from this program
- 5. The jobs in my major field of study did not pay well
- 6. The jobs in my major field of study offered few opportunities for advancement
- 7. I need more employment related education/training
- 8. I am _____ (please specify)

14. How well did this program prepare you for employment?

1	2	3	4	5
Very Well	Relatively Well	Somewhat	Poorly	Not applicable t

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15. Please indicate your level of agreement with the following statements about your employment.

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Not applicable
I would not have been hired for my job without this credential.					
I was able to advance more rapidly in the initial years of my employment because of my education in this program.					

ADMISSIONS AND ADVISING

16. Please identify the extent to which you agree with the following statements:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Not applicable
The program admission requirements were adequate to ensure that I had the background to succeed in this program.						
I am satisfied with the quality of academic advising regarding course selection and program requirements while I was in the program.						
Program information (e.g., Academic Calendar, brochures, TRU website, etc.) clearly described the program content, learning outcomes, and graduation requirements when I took the program.						

DEVELOPMENT OF KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

17. Over the course of this program, describe your progress on the following skills

	Outstanding progress	Considerable progress	Moderate progress	Slight progress	No progress
Leadership and teamwork skills	progreee	progreee	progreeo	progreee	progrooo
Written communication skills					
Self-reflection and goal-setting abilities					
Social responsibility, and ethical and					
sustainable behaviours					
Critical thinking skills					
Awareness of Indigenous knowledges					
and ways					
Knowledge of diverse cultures and worldviews					

PROGRAM STRUCTURE, PROGRAM DELIVERY, AND CURRICULUM

18. Please comment on the extent to which you agree with the following statements:

	Strongly	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly	Not
	Disagree	5		5	Agree	applicable
The sequence of courses in the program was	5				J	
logical.						
The foundation courses in this program						
effectively prepared me for more difficult						
courses.						
The program provided a sufficient range of						
courses.						
I had opportunities to evaluate the program.						
I saw my feedback inform improvements to						
the courses and/or program.						
Faculty members were available for						
consultation outside of class time.						
Faculty members provided me with useful						
feedback on my academic performance.						
Evaluations of my work were fair,						
constructive, and timely.						
Textbooks and learning materials were						
appropriate for the program.						
The knowledge, skills, and confidence I						
acquired adequately prepared me to continue						
my studies and/or enter the job market.						
Faculty members consistently provided clear						
explanations of difficult concepts.						
I had access to experiential, hands-on						
learning opportunities (e.g., community						
service, co-op, internship, practicum)						
The program supported my personal,						
professional, and intellectual growth.						
I had access to the technology resources that						
I needed to be successful in the program.						
I had access to the Library resources that I						
needed to be successful in the program.						
I had access to the mental health and						
wellness supports that I needed to be						
successful in the program.						
I had access to the writing and/or						
mathematics supports that I needed to be						
successful in the program.						
Overall, I was satisfied with this program.						

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

19. In your opinion, what are the greatest strengths of the program?

- 20. In your opinion, what opportunities exist for improvement of the program?
- 21. Are there any courses and/or topics that you would have liked to see the program offer that were not offered? If yes, please specify.