

***First-Year Students***

	N	Mean Statistics			Distribution Statistics					Reference Group Comparison Statistics			
		Mean	SD	SE	Percentiles					Mean Diff.	SE	Sig.	Effect size
					5	25	50	75	95				
<b>LEVEL OF ACADEMIC CHALLENGE (LAC)</b>													
UMR	217	47.1	12.8	.9	27	38	47	55	69				
Selected Peers	1,031	52.5	12.9	.4	31	44	53	61	73	-5.4	1.0	.000	-.42
Carnegie Peers	7,422	51.7	13.0	.2	31	43	52	60	73	-4.6	.9	.000	-.36
NSSE 2006	120,512	51.8	13.4	.0	30	43	52	61	74	-4.7	.9	.000	-.35
Top 50%	38,554	55.8	12.9	.1	34	47	56	65	77	-8.7	.9	.000	-.68
Top 10%	5,824	60.5	12.2	.2	40	52	60	69	80	-13.4	.8	.000	-1.10
<b>ACTIVE AND COLLABORATIVE LEARNING (ACL)</b>													
UMR	234	43.4	15.3	1.0	19	33	43	52	67				
Selected Peers	1,125	44.4	15.6	.5	19	33	43	52	71	-1.0	1.1	.386	-.06
Carnegie Peers	8,003	41.6	15.9	.2	19	29	38	52	71	1.8	1.1	.080	.12
NSSE 2006	130,690	41.3	16.0	.0	19	29	38	52	71	2.1	1.0	.047	.13
Top 50%	37,767	45.8	15.9	.1	24	33	43	57	75	-2.4	1.0	.022	-.15
Top 10%	5,004	50.7	16.0	.2	29	38	48	62	81	-7.3	1.1	.000	-.45
<b>STUDENT-FACULTY INTERACTION (SFI)</b>													
UMR	220	30.1	16.8	1.1	6	17	28	39	61				
Selected Peers	1,043	30.9	17.3	.5	6	17	28	39	67	-.8	1.3	.554	-.04
Carnegie Peers	7,497	29.4	16.9	.2	6	17	28	39	61	.7	1.2	.567	.04
NSSE 2006	121,808	32.1	17.6	.1	11	20	28	44	67	-2.0	1.2	.089	-.11
Top 50%	27,964	37.1	18.3	.1	11	22	33	50	72	-7.0	1.1	.000	-.39
Top 10%	3,887	42.0	19.4	.3	17	28	39	56	78	-11.9	1.2	.000	-.61
<b>ENRICHING EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCES (EEE)</b>													
UMR	214	28.0	13.3	.9	10	19	27	35	50				
Selected Peers	1,011	26.4	12.4	.4	8	17	25	33	50	1.6	.9	.088	.13
Carnegie Peers	7,250	26.4	12.8	.2	8	17	25	35	48	1.6	.9	.070	.13
NSSE 2006	117,832	26.7	13.0	.0	8	17	25	35	50	1.2	.9	.164	.10
Top 50%	47,886	30.0	13.1	.1	11	21	29	38	52	-2.1	.9	.021	-.16
Top 10%	6,485	34.4	12.9	.2	14	25	34	43	56	-6.4	.9	.000	-.50
<b>SUPPORTIVE CAMPUS ENVIRONMENT (SCE)</b>													
UMR	213	58.4	16.4	1.1	31	47	58	69	86				
Selected Peers	998	58.1	17.6	.6	28	47	58	69	86	.3	1.3	.795	.02
Carnegie Peers	7,137	59.7	18.5	.2	28	47	61	72	89	-1.3	1.1	.270	-.07
NSSE 2006	115,941	59.1	18.5	.1	28	47	58	72	89	-.7	1.1	.548	-.04
Top 50%	33,535	64.7	18.0	.1	33	53	64	78	94	-6.3	1.2	.000	-.35
Top 10%	5,852	69.7	17.7	.2	39	58	69	83	97	-11.3	1.2	.000	-.63

<sup>a</sup> All statistics weighted by gender, enrollment status, and institutional size. The N is weighted to show the correct degrees of freedom for the statistical tests.