

U. Miami Non-undergraduate Survey: Humanities Activities

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In this report, we analyze two questions (Q42 and Q45) that asked non-undergraduates about their humanities activities.

I. Statistics

Q42: Apart from your work, how often do you take part in any activities, attend any events, or have any hobbies that might fall under the umbrella of the humanities or the arts (going to plays, reading, playing the trombone, etc)?

Total Respondents: 197 out of 236

Often: 50%

Sometimes: 28%

Never: 6%

No answer: 17%

Q45: Would you advise someone to take part in extracurricular clubs or hobbies oriented around the humanities?

Total Respondents: 197 out of 236

Yes: 69% No: 2%

Depends: 12% No answer: 17%

II. Observations

The findings in this category are not particularly surprising; given that the question gave examples of humanities activities, it makes sense that the majority responded that they take part in humanities activities and that they would recommend humanities activities to a friend. In response Q45, which asks whether they would recommend humanities activities to a friend, even with "depends" as an option, "yes" is by far the most popular choice; it was ranked even higher (69% vs 57%) than in the undergrad responses.

Overall, the non-undergraduates demonstrate more participation in the humanities <u>than</u> undergraduates.