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### Survey Questionnaire

#### Education: Screening Questions

1. Is it correct that you pursued [DEGREELEVEL] from [INSTITUTION]?

<1> Yes → SKIP TO Q3

<0> No

#### ASK IF Q1=0

2. Please tell us what degree or credential you pursued from [INSTITUTION]: [TEXT BOX]  
(limit 100 Ch.)

3. Did you complete any other degrees from a college or university after your time at [INSTITUTION]?

*Include undergraduate or graduate degrees completed after your time at [INSTITUTION]. Do not include degrees pursued, but not yet complete, or certifications or other non-degree credentials.*

<1> Yes

<0> No → SKIP TO Q5

#### ASK IF Q3=1

4. What college or university degrees do you complete after pursuing your [DEGREELEVEL] from [INSTITUTION]? *Describe one degree in each row.*

	Degree Level	College/University Name	Year Degree Earned	Field of Study
4a	*DROPDOWN OF DEGREELEVEL3	TEXTBOX	DROPDOWN	DROPDOWN Fields of Study
4b	*DROPDOWN OF DEGREELEVEL3	TEXTBOX	DROPDOWN	DROPDOWN Fields of Study
4c	*DROPDOWN OF DEGREELEVEL3	TEXTBOX	DROPDOWN	DROPDOWN Fields of Study

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5. Since your time at [INSTITUTION], have you pursued, but not yet completed a degree from a college or university?

<1> Yes

<0> No → SKIP TO Q7

ASK IF Q5=1

6. Are you currently enrolled in a degree program at a college or university?

<1> Yes

<0> No

7. Have you completed any certifications, licensures, or other professional non-degree credentials? *For example, art teaching licensure.*

<1> Yes

<0> No

8. Have you pursued, but not yet completed, a certification, licensure, or other professional non-degree credential?

<1> Yes

<0> No → SKIP TO Q10 IF DEGREELEVEL=a master's degree OR a doctorate's degree;  
SKIP TO Q11 IF DEGREELEVEL≠a master's degree AND ≠a doctorate's

ASK IF Q8=1

9. Are you currently enrolled in a certificate, licensure program, or other non-degree program?

<1> Yes

<0> No

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ASK IF DEGREELEVEL=a master's degree OR a doctorate's degree

10. What college or university bachelor-level or graduate degrees do you complete prior to pursuing your [DEGREELEVEL] from [INSTITUTION]? *Describe one degree in each row.*

	Degree Level	College/University Name	Year Degree Earned	Field of Study
10a	*DROPDOWN OF DEGREELEVEL3	TEXTBOX	DROPDOWN	DROPDOWN Fields of Study
10b	*DROPDOWN OF DEGREELEVEL3	TEXTBOX	DROPDOWN	DROPDOWN Fields of Study
10c	*DROPDOWN OF DEGREELEVEL3	TEXTBOX	DROPDOWN	DROPDOWN Fields of Study

PROCEED TO 'INSTITUTIONAL SATISFACTION'

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**Institutional Satisfaction**

**Now, we'd like to ask you questions about your time at [INSTITUTION].**

11. Overall, how would you rate your experience at [INSTITUTION] while pursuing your degree? *Select one.*

*If you earned more than one degree from [INSTITUTION], please answer about the degree you most recently completed.*

- <4> Excellent
- <3> Good
- <2> Fair
- <1> Poor

12. How connected do you feel to [INSTITUTION]? *Select one.*

- <4> Very much
- <3> Some
- <2> Very little
- <1> Not at all

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13. Would you recommend [INSTITUTION] to another student like you? *Select one.*

- <1> Yes
- <0> No

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ASK 'SECTION-A' QUESTIONS IF GRADUATED/DEPARTED FROM [INSTITUTION] IN THE LAST 25 YEARS; OTHERWISE, SKIP TO END OF 'SECTION-A' (Q54)

START SECTION-A

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Please select the option that best describes how satisfied you were with the following opportunities at [INSTITUTION]:** *Select a response for each row.*

*If you earned more than one degree from [INSTITUTION], please answer about the degree you most recently completed.*

Opportunities to...

14. perform, exhibit, or present your artistic or design work
15. work across different artistic or design disciplines
16. take non-arts classes
17. find an internship, apprenticeship, or other professional work-training related to your career interests
18. network with alumni
19. network with artists, designers, and other creative professionals
20. integrate your artistic or design work with other subjects or issues of interest to you

<4> Very satisfied

<3> Somewhat satisfied

<2> Somewhat dissatisfied

<1> Very dissatisfied

<9> Not relevant

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Please select the option that best describes how satisfied you were with the following aspects of your experience at [INSTITUTION].** *Select a response for each row.*

21. overall quality of instructors
22. quality of advising about academics, career, or further education
23. exposure to a broad view of career options, both in and out of the arts and design

<4> Very satisfied

<3> Somewhat satisfied

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- <2> Somewhat dissatisfied
- <1> Very dissatisfied
- <9> Not relevant

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**How often did you do the following while enrolled at [INSTITUTION]?** *Select a response for each row.*

- 24. learn about creative works from a diversity of artists, designers, or other creatives within your coursework
- 25. learn from faculty and instructors who represent a diversity of identities
- 26. learn from guest speakers, artists, or other visiting professionals who represent a diversity of identities
- 27. learn about matters of racial justice or social equity within your coursework
- 28. learn about artistic or creative practices from cultural backgrounds different from your own within your coursework
- 29. work with an artist in the local community
- 30. work on a project with or in a role serving the local community

- <4> Often
- <3> Sometimes
- <2> Rarely
- <1> Never

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**While enrolled at [INSTITUTION], how often did you feel the following?** *Select a response for each row.*

- 31. respected by your instructors and faculty
- 32. respected by your classmates
- 33. treated differently by your instructors and faculty in a way that affected you negatively
- 34. treated differently by your classmates in a way that affected you negatively
- 35. valued by your classmates
- 36. valued by your instructors and faculty

- <4> Often
- <3> Sometimes
- <2> Rarely

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<1> Never

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**In your opinion, how much did [INSTITUTION] help you acquire or develop each of the following skills? Select a response for each row.**

- 37. Critical thinking skills
- 38. Business, financial, or entrepreneurial skills
- 39. Creative thinking and problem-solving skills
- 40. Communication skills
- 41. Research skills
- 42. Technology skills
- 43. Artistic technique
- 44. Project management skills
- 45. Networking and relationship-building skills

<4> Very much

<3> Some

<2> Very little

<1> Not at all

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**MATRIX FORMAT**

**In your opinion, how much did your coursework at [INSTITUTION] help you acquire or develop each of the following abilities? Select a response for each row.**

- 46. To be resilient (able to pick yourself up when things do not go as planned)
- 47. To adapt (able to change to meet a new set of circumstances)
- 48. To recognize opportunities to advance your ideas or career
- 49. To collaborate with others from cultures and demographics different from your own
- 50. To evaluate multiple approaches to solving a problem

<4> Very much

<3> Some

<2> Very little

<1> Not at all

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**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Did you do the following while at [INSTITUTION]?** *Select a response for each row.*

- 51. complete a portfolio (a document/record of your cumulative artistic work) or a thesis/capstone project?
- 52. utilize career service offerings?
- 53. complete an internship, apprenticeship, or other professional work-training relevant to your degree?

<1> Yes  
<0> No  
<77> Don't recall

**END SECTION-A**

- 54. While enrolled at [INSTITUTION], did you use any of the following types of assistance?  
*Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected  
<0> Not selected

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- No assistance **IF SELECTED, THEN ALL OTHER RESPONSES==0**
  - Visual assistance, screen readers, and/or audio descriptions
  - Assistance in speaking, language interpretation
  - Emotional or behavioral supports or assistance
  - Assistive listening devices, captioning, or other deaf or hard-of-hearing supports
  - Intellectual, cognitive, or developmental supports or assistance
  - Assistance with a learning disability
  - Mobility assistance, for example automated doors, elevators, or wheelchairs
  - Other assistance not listed here, please share: **[TEXT BOX]**
  - Prefer to not answer **IF SELECTED, THEN ALL OTHER RESPONSES==0**
- 55. Is there anything that [INSTITUTION] could have done better to prepare you for your career or for your further education? Please describe.

**TEXT BOX**

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PROCEED TO 'EARLY WORK EXPERIENCES'

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**Early Work Experiences**

ASK 'SECTION-B' QUESTIONS IF GRADUATED/DEPARTED FROM [INSTITUTION] IN THE LAST 25 YEARS; OTHERWISE, SKIP TO 'CURRENT WORK' (Q59)

START SECTION-B

56. After leaving [INSTITUTION], how long did it take for you to obtain full-time work (working for pay or profit for 35 or more hours per week)? *Select one.*

- <1> Obtained work prior to leaving [INSTITUTION]
- <2> Obtained work in less than four months
- <3> Obtained work in four to twelve months
- <4> Obtained work after more than a year
- <5> Have not yet found work → SKIP TO 'CURRENT WORK'
- <6> Did not search for full-time work after leaving program → SKIP TO 'CURRENT WORK'
- <7> Pursued further education immediately afterwards → SKIP TO 'CURRENT WORK'

ASK IF Q#=1, 2, 3, or 4  
MATRIX FORMAT

**How closely related was this full-time work experience to ...** *Select a response for each row.*

57. ...to your education or training from [INSTITUTION]?
58. ...to your long-term career interests?

- <2> Closely related
- <1> Somewhat related
- <0> Not Related

END SECTION-B

PROCEED TO 'CURRENT WORK'

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**Current Work**

Now, we'd like to ask some questions about your employment.

59. Have you ever been self-employed, an independent contractor, or a freelance worker? *Select one.*

<1> Yes, I do this currently.

<2> Yes, I have done it in the past, but no longer do.

<3> No, I have not done this.

60. Were you working for pay or profit during a typical week in September 2022? *Select one.*

<1> Yes

<0> No → **SKIP TO Q101**

ASK 'SECTION-C' IF Q60=1

START SECTION-C

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61. During a typical week in September 2022, about how many hours did you work for pay or profit? *Select one.*

**DROP DOWN**

<1> 1-10

<2> 11-20

<3> 21-30

<4> 31-35

<5> 36-40

<6> 41-50

<7> 51-60

<8> 61 or more

62. During a typical week in September 2022, were you working for one or more than one employer? *Select one.*

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- <1> One employer
- <2> More than one employer

**MATRIX FORMAT**

63. During a typical week in September 2022, did your work duties include any of the following? *Select all that apply.*

- <1> Selected
- <0> Not selected

- Teaching visual or performing arts, design, or creative writing
- Managing or administering programs relevant to arts, design, or creative writing
- Managing artists, designers, or other creative workers
- Creating, rehearsing, or performing music, dance, or other theatrical arts
- Creating, planning, or showing visual arts work
- Editing, publishing, or showcasing designs or creative writing
- Use of expertise in artistic, design, architecture, or creative writing techniques
- Use of expertise in public, community-engaged, or social practice art

64. Please indicate the arts and design occupations in which you currently work. *Select all that apply.*

- <1> Selected
- <0> Not selected

- No occupation in arts or design **IF SELECTED, ALL OTHER RESPONSE OPTIONS = 0**
- Actor
- Architect
- Arts administrator or manager (including development, marketing, or box office/sales)
- Arts educator – in higher education
- Arts educator – in K-12
- Arts educator - outside of K-12 or higher education
- Craft artist
- Dancer or choreographer
- Designer - Graphic designer, illustrator, or art director
- Designer - Interior designer

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- Designer - Web designer
- Engineer or technician (sound, light, other)
- Film, TV, or video artist
- Fine artist
- Multi-media artist or animator
- Museum or gallery worker, including curator
- Musician (including instrumental, vocal, conductor, composer, arranger)
- Photographer
- Production designer or production manager
- Theater and stage director or producer
- Writer, author, or editor
- Other arts or design occupation not listed, please describe: **TEXT BOX**

65. Please indicate any additional occupations in which you currently work. *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

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- No additional occupation **IF SELECTED, ALL OTHER RESPONSE OPTIONS = 0; → SKIP TO Q#**
  - Communications (e.g., journalism, marketing, public relations, advertising)
  - Computer and mathematics (e.g., IT, analysts, and software developers)
  - Education, training, and library
  - Financial and other business services
  - Healthcare
  - Legal
  - Management (e.g., executives and managers)
  - Office and administrative support
  - Sales (e.g., real estate, retail sales)
  - Social services (e.g., counselors, social workers, and religious workers)
  - Other occupation not listed, please describe: **TEXT BOX**

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ASK IF 2 OR MORE SELECTED FROM Q64 AND Q65, NOT ACCOUNTING FOR 'No occupation in arts or design' and 'No additional occupation'

66. Please select the occupation in which you spend most of your paid work time. *Select one.*

Response options populated with responses selected in Q64 & Q65, IF IN Q64 "No occupation in arts or design" IS NOT SELECTED OR IF IN Q65 "None listed here" IS NOT SELECTED. Dropdown menu.

ASK IF ANY RESPONSE CATEGORY IN Q63=1 OR IF ANY IN Q64 SELECTED OTHER THAN "No occupation in arts or design"

67. What is the most important resource to which you currently do not have access, but need to advance your artistic or design career? *Select one.*

<0> I am not currently seeking to advance an artistic or design career

<10> I currently feel adequately resourced to advance an artistic or design career

<1> Space, such as studio or performance/exhibition space

<2> Equipment

<3> Business advising

<4> Funding (e.g., grants, loans, investment capital)

<5> Publicity and recognition of your work

<6> Professional networks

<7> Childcare or elder care

<8> Technology support

<9> Other, please describe: **TEXT BOX**

ASK IF ANY RESPONSE CATEGORY IN Q63=1 OR IF ANY IN Q64 SELECTED OTHER THAN "No occupation in arts or design"

68. Would you like to share your own professional online bio, such as your LinkedIn or Patreon profile, or a link to your professional website or online portfolio? *If so, enter one weblink per text box below. Any details provided will be solely used for the purpose of informing research.*

[TEXT BOX1]

[TEXT BOX2]

[TEXT BOX3]

[TEXT BOX4]

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**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Thinking about your paid work during a typical week in September 2022, indicate your level of satisfaction with each of the following:** *Select a response for each aspect of paid work listed in each row.*

- 69. Job security
- 70. Opportunity for advancement
- 71. Pay or earnings
- 72. Benefits (e.g., health insurance, leave)
- 73. Flexibility of work hours
- 74. Flexibility of work location
- 75. Level of responsibility

<4> Very satisfied

<3> Somewhat satisfied

<2> Somewhat dissatisfied

<1> Very dissatisfied

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Again, thinking about your paid work during a typical week in September 2022, indicate your level of satisfaction with each of the following:** *Select a response for each aspect of paid work listed in each row*

- 76. Opportunity to contribute to society
- 77. Opportunity to be creative
- 78. Opportunity to be intellectually challenged
- 79. Alignment with your values
- 80. Degree of independence
- 81. Overall job satisfaction

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- <4> Very satisfied
- <3> Somewhat satisfied
- <2> Somewhat dissatisfied
- <1> Very dissatisfied

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**How important was each of the following to perform effectively in your paid work in September 2022?** *Select a response for each skillset listed in each row.*

- 82. Critical thinking skills
- 83. Business, financial, or entrepreneurial skills
- 84. Creative thinking and problem-solving skills
- 85. Communication skills
- 86. Research skills
- 87. Technology skills
- 88. Artistic technique
- 89. Project management skills
- 90. Networking and relationship-building skills

- <4> Very important
- <3> Important
- <2> Slightly important
- <1> Not important

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Again, how important was each of the following to perform effectively in your paid work in September 2022?** *Select a response for each ability listed.*

- 91. Ability to collaborate with people from cultures and demographics different from your own
- 92. Ability to network and build relationships
- 93. Ability to communicate clearly or persuasively
- 94. Ability to evaluate multiple approaches to solving a problem

- <4> Very important
- <3> Important
- <2> Slightly important

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<1> Not important

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**How often do you feel the following in your paid work?** *Select a response for each row.*

- 95. Respected by your co-workers or collaborators
- 96. Treated differently by co-workers or collaborators in way that affected you negatively
- 97. Valued by your co-workers or collaborators

<4> Often  
<3> Sometimes  
<2> Rarely  
<1> Never

**MATRIX FORMAT**

**Overall, to what extent would you say your career...**

- 98. ... is related to your field of study or training during your time at [INSTITUTION]?
- 99. ... draws upon skills and abilities developed during your time at [INSTITUTION]?

<2> Closely related  
<1> Somewhat related  
<0> Not related

- 100. Based on your experience, how important is having a degree in arts, design, or a related management field to advancing a career in arts or design?

<4> Very important  
<3> Important  
<2> Slightly important  
<1> Not important

→ **SKIP TO 'PRE-PANDEMIC WORK & EXPERIENCE SINCE THE ONSET OF THE PANDEMIC'**

**END SECTION-C**

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ASK IF Q60=0

101. What are your reasons for not currently working for pay or profit? *Select all that apply.*

<1> Retired

<2> Unemployed and looking for work

<3> Full-time student

<4> Full-time family caregiver

<5> Working, but not for pay or profit (e.g., as an unpaid intern or in another volunteer capacity)

<6> Other, please describe: [TEXT BOX]

PROCEED TO 'PRE-PANDEMIC WORK & EXPERIENCE SINCE THE ONSET OF THE PANDEMIC'

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**Pre-Pandemic Work & Experience since the onset of the Pandemic**

Now, we'd like to ask some questions about what things were like for you just before the widespread onset of the COVID-19 pandemic. Please think back to what things were like for you in early March 2020, just before the pandemic started to spread across the United States.

**ASK IF Q60=1**

102. In general, were you doing the same kind of work or in similar occupations in early March 2020 as you were in September 2022?

<1> Yes → **SKIP TO Q105**

<0> No

**ASK IF Q102=0**

103. Please indicate the arts and design occupations in which you worked in early March 2020. *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

- DRAFT**
- No occupation in arts or design **IF SELECTED, ALL OTHER RESPONSE OPTIONS = 0**
  - Actor
  - Architect
  - Arts administrator or manager (including development, marketing, or box office/sales)
  - Arts educator – in higher education
  - Arts educator – in K-12
  - Arts educator - outside of K-12 or higher education
  - Craft artist
  - Dancer or choreographer
  - Designer - Graphic designer, illustrator, or art director
  - Designer - Interior designer
  - Designer - Web designer
  - Engineer or technician (sound, light, other)
  - Film, TV, or video artist
  - Fine artist
  - Multi-media artist or animator

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- Museum or gallery worker, including curator
- Musician (including instrumental, vocal, conductor, composer, arranger)
- Photographer
- Production designer or production manager
- Theater and stage director or producer
- Writer, author, or editor
- Other arts or design occupation not listed, please describe: **TEXT BOX**

**ASK IF Q102=0**

104. Please indicate any additional occupations in which you worked in early March 2020. *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

- No additional occupation **IF SELECTED, ALL OTHER RESPONSE OPTIONS = 0; → SKIP TO Q#**
- Communications (e.g., journalism, marketing, public relations, advertising)
- Computer and mathematics (e.g., IT, analysts, and software developers)
- Education, training, and library
- Financial and other business services
- Healthcare
- Legal
- Management (e.g., executives and managers)
- Office and administrative support
- Sales (e.g., real estate, retail sales)
- Social services (e.g., counselors, social workers, and religious workers)
- Other occupation not listed, please describe: **TEXT BOX**

105. In early March 2020, was any of your work for pay or profit considered to be self-employment, or work as an independent contractor or freelance worker? *Select one.*

<1> Yes

<0> No

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ASK 'SECTION-D' IF:

1. Q102=1 AND ANY RESPONSE CATEGORY IN Q63=1; OR
2. Q102=1 AND ANY RESPONSE IN Q64 SELECTED OTHER THAN "No occupation in arts or design"; OR
3. Q102=0 AND ANY RESPONSE IN Q103 SELECTED OTHER THAN "No occupation in arts or design"

OTHERWISE, SKIP TO 'EDUCATION FINANCING'

START SECTION-D

Now, we'd like to ask some questions about what things have been like for you since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, so since mid-March 2020. We recognize that the pandemic affected people differently, including in very challenging ways, and we sincerely appreciate you answering these questions.

106. Since the onset of the pandemic, from mid-March 2020 until now, how much of your work has been related to arts or design? *Select one.*

<3> More of my work is related to arts or design than before March 2020  
<2> My work's relation to arts or design has remained the same as before  
<1> Less of my work is related to arts or design than before March 2020

107. Which of the following changes, if any, did you make to your creative work since the start of the pandemic? *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected  
<0> Not selected

- Changed the content, style, or media of the art that you create or perform
- Sought out new collaborators, communities, or professional networks
- Increased efforts to have your creative work address problems in your community
- Other change, please describe: [TEXT BOX]
- No notable changes **IF SELECTED, ALL OTHER RESPONSE OPTIONS = 0**

108. Since the onset of the pandemic, how important has it been to you to update or learn new skills to advance your career? *Select one.*

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- <4> Very important
- <3> Important
- <2> Slightly important
- <1> Not important → SKIP TO Q111

### ASK IF Q108=3 or 4

109. What types of skills have you sought in effort to advance your career since the start of the pandemic? *Select all that apply.*

- <1> Selected
- <0> Not selected

- Technology skills
- Tech-based production skills
- Business, financial, or entrepreneurial skills
- Skills in artistic or design techniques
- Skills in anti-oppressive practices
- Skills to facilitate a change to a different occupational field
- Other skills, please describe: [TEXT BOX]

### ASK IF Q108=3 or 4

110. Where did you acquire new skills to advance your career? *Select all that apply.*

- <1> Selected
- <0> Not selected

- College or university degree program
- College or university non-degree program or coursework
- Employer-provided training or resources
- Trade associations, unions, or other regional organizations that support creative workers
- Online courses or other formal trainings, other than college or university programs
- Self-taught
- Existing mentors or friends
- New acquaintances or connections made since the onset of the pandemic
- Other, please describe: [TEXT BOX]

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Now, think back to what things were like for you during the first year of the pandemic, so between mid-March 2020 and February 2021. This is the period of the pandemic before vaccines were approved for widespread public distribution in the United States.

111. How, if at all, was your paid work affected between mid-March 2020 and February 2021? *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

- Lost a job, was furloughed, or otherwise was out of work
- Lost personal income or experienced a pay cut
- Utilized unemployment benefits or other government assistance
- Stopped or cut back work specifically for family caregiving
- Started a new full-time or part-time job in arts or design
- Started a new full-time or part-time job not related to arts or design
- Picked up new gigs or project-based arts or design work
- Picked up new gigs or project-based work not related to arts or design
- Paid work was not affected **IF SELECTED, ALL OTHER RESPONSE OPTIONS = 0**

END SECTION-D

**PROCEED TO 'EDUCATION FINANCING'**

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**Education Financing**

ASK ‘EDUCATION FINANCING’ OF THOSE WHO GRADUATED WITHIN THE LAST 25 YEARS; OTHERWISE, SKIP TO ‘ADDITIONAL RESEARCH PARTICIPATION’

Now, we’d like to ask you some questions about the resources you have utilized to pay for your education.<sup>1</sup>

ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = bachelor’s degree

112. What resources did you use to pay for your bachelor’s degree(s)?

*When answering this question, please consider the financing for the cost of tuition, books and supplies, room and board, and other fees. Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

- Financial assistance from parents, spouse, or other relatives, **not to be repaid**
- Loans from parents or other relatives, **to be repaid**
- Loans from state or federal government
- Loans from other sources, such as banks or the school you attended
- Tuition waivers, fellowships, grants, or scholarships
- Work study or assistantships
- Earnings from employment
- Personal savings
- Other, please share: **TEXT BOX**

ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = bachelor’s degree

113. This question asks about how much you borrowed (loans from any source that are to be repaid) to finance your bachelor’s degree(s) and how much you still owe as of September 1, 2022. *Select one response in each of the columns below:*

	Total Amount Borrowed	Total Amount Owed as of September 1, 2022
\$0		

<sup>1</sup> Questions in this section are adapted from the National Survey of College Graduates: <https://www.nsf.gov/statistics/srvygrads/surveys/srvygrads-2021-new-respondents.pdf>

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\$1-10,000		
\$10,001-\$20,000		
\$20,001-\$30,000		
\$30,001-\$40,000		
\$40,001-\$50,000		
\$50,001-\$60,000		
\$60,001-\$70,000		
\$70,001-\$80,000		
\$80,001-\$90,000		
\$90,001 or more		

ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = master's degree

114. What resources did you use to pay for your master's degree(s)?

*When answering this question, please consider the financing for the cost of tuition, books and supplies, room and board, and other fees. Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

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- Financial assistance from parents, spouse, or other relatives, **not to be repaid**
- Loans from parents or other relatives, **to be repaid**
- Loans from state or federal government
- Loans from other sources, such as banks or the school you attended
- Tuition waivers, fellowships, grants, or scholarships
- Work study or assistantships
- Earnings from employment
- Personal savings
- Other, please share: **TEXT BOX**

ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = master's degree

115. This question asks about how much you borrowed (loans from any source that are to be repaid) to finance your master's degree(s) and how much you still owe as of September 1, 2022. *Select one response in each of the columns below:*

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	Total Amount Borrowed	Total Amount Owed as of September 1, 2022
\$0		
\$1-10,000		
\$10,001-\$20,000		
\$20,001-\$30,000		
\$30,001-\$40,000		
\$40,001-\$50,000		
\$50,001-\$60,000		
\$60,001-\$70,000		
\$70,001-\$80,000		
\$80,001-\$90,000		
\$90,001 or more		

ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = master's degree

116. Why did you pursue your master's degree(s)? *Select all that apply.*

- To improve skills or knowledge in your current occupational field
- To increase opportunities for promotion or advancement in your current occupational field
- To facilitate a change to a different occupational field
- Required or expected by employer
- To start your own business
- Other: **TEXT BOX**

ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = doctorate's degree

117. What resources did you use to pay for your doctorate's degree?

*When answering this question, please consider the financing for the cost of tuition, books and supplies, room and board, and other fees. Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not selected

- Financial assistance from parents, spouse, or other relatives, **not to be repaid**
- Loans from parents or other relatives, **to be repaid**
- Loans from state or federal government

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- Loans from other sources, such as banks or the school you attended
- Tuition waivers, fellowships, grants, or scholarships
- Work study or assistantships
- Earnings from employment
- Personal savings
- Other, please share: **TEXT BOX**

**ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = doctorate's degree**

118. This question asks about how much you borrowed (loans from any source that are to be repaid) to finance your doctorate's degree and how much you still owe as of September 1, 2022. *Select one response in each of the columns below:*

	Total Amount Borrowed	Total Amount Owed as of September 1, 2022
\$0		
\$1-10,000		
\$10,001-\$20,000		
\$20,001-\$30,000		
\$30,001-\$40,000		
\$40,001-\$50,000		
\$50,001-\$60,000		
\$60,001-\$70,000		
\$70,001-\$80,000		
\$80,001-\$90,000		
\$90,001 or more		

**ASK IF DEGREELEVEL, Q4A, Q4B, Q4C, Q10A, Q10B, or Q10C = doctorate's degree**

119. Why did you pursue your doctorate's degree(s)? *Select all that apply.*

- To improve skills or knowledge in your current occupational field
- To increase opportunities for promotion or advancement in your current occupational field
- To facilitate a change to a different occupational field
- Required or expected by employer
- To start your own business
- Other: **TEXT BOX**

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**Additional Research Participation**

Thank you again for your participation in this survey. By responding to this survey, you are helping to inform important insights about the lives and careers of individuals who have trained in the arts, design, and related management fields.

120. \*Are you open to possible future contact about participating in research that seeks to better understand the lives and careers of arts and design alumni? *Select one.*

<1> Yes

<0> No → SKIP TO 'Identity & Socio-Demographic Questions'

ASK IF Q120=1

121. If you prefer that we contact you through a different email address, please indicate it in the space provided. Please enter one email address per box.

[TEXT BOX1; 50-character limit]

[TEXT BOX2; 50-character limit]

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### Identity & Socio-Demographic Questions

Finally, we would like to ask about your background and how you identify yourself. *Why?* College and university leaders, policymakers, and researchers want to know whether different groups have fundamentally similar or different educational experiences. By providing this information, you will help us answer these and other important questions.\*

122. If you'd like, please share a few words or phrases you use to describe your own identity. *For example, some people identify themselves as parents or based on familial relationships, based on their religious beliefs or cultural heritage, based on the things they like to do, or based on their outlook on life.* Please briefly describe your identity however you would like. **TEXT BOX**

123. \*Which best describes how you identify yourself in terms of race and ethnicity? *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not Selected

- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian Indian
- Chinese
- Asian (other than Chinese or Asian Indian)
- Black or African American
- Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin
- Middle Eastern or North African
- Multiracial
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- White
- A racial or ethnic identity that is not listed, please share: **[TEXT BOX]**
- Prefer to not answer **IF SELECTED, THEN ALL OTHER RESPONSES==0**

124. What is your age? In years: **Number box (no decimals), [3 Ch. Limit]**

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\* A red asterisk indicates that the question requires a response. In each of these cases, the option 'Prefer to not answer' is provided.

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125. \*Which best describes your current gender identity? *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not Selected

- Female
- Male
- A gender identity that is not listed (e.g., gender fluid, two-spirit, transgender male), please share: [TEXT BOX]
- Prefer to not answer **IF SELECTED, THEN ALL OTHER RESPONSES==0**

126. \*Which best describes your current sexual orientation? *Select all that apply.*

<1> Selected

<0> Not Selected

- Asexual or aromatic
- Bisexual or pansexual
- Gay or lesbian
- Heterosexual
- A sexual orientation that is not listed, please share: [TEXT BOX]
- Prefer to not answer **IF SELECTED, THEN ALL OTHER RESPONSES==0**

127. \*What is your current marital status? *Select one.*

<1> Single (never married)

<2> Married or domestic partner

<3> Divorced/Separated

<4> Widowed

<9> Prefer to not answer **IF SELECTED, THEN ALL OTHER RESPONSES==0**

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128. Is your current primary residence within the 50 states of the United States? *Select one.*

<1> Yes → PROCEED TO Q129

<0> No → SKIP TO Q130

ASK IF Q128=1

129. What is the zip code of your primary residence? [NUMBER BOX, 5-digits] → SKIP TO Q131

ASK IF Q128=0

130. Where do you primarily reside? [DROPDOWN LIST OF COUNTRIES & US TERRITORIES] → PROCEED TO Q131

131. \*Are you a parent or legal guardian? *Select one.*

<1> Yes

<0> No

<9> Prefer to not answer

132. \*How many children under the age of 18 currently live with you or are dependent on your household income for support? *Select one.*

<0> 0

<1> 1

<2> 2

<3> 3 or more

<9> Prefer to not answer

133. What is the highest level of education completed by any of your parents or guardians? *Select one.*

<1> Did not finish high school

<2> Graduated from high school or equivalent

<4> Completed an associate's degree (AA, AS, etc.)

<5> Completed a bachelor's degree (BA, BS, etc.)

<6> Completed a master's degree (MA, MS, etc.)

<7> Completed a doctoral degree (PhD, JD, MD, etc.)

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134. If you were to use one of four names to describe your family’s social class during your teen years, which of the following names would you choose? *Select one.*

- <1> Lower class
- <2> Working class
- <3> Middle class
- <4> Upper class

**Finally, we would like to ask about income. This information will provide insights on how arts and design alumni have fared during the economic challenges of the last few years. Please share your personal and household incomes for each calendar year in the table below:**

	<b>2019</b> Year before the pandemic	<b>2020</b> First year of the pandemic	<b>2021</b> Second year of the pandemic	<b>2022 Projected Income</b>
<b>135. Personal Income</b>  (Do not include spousal income or interest on jointly owned assets.)	DROPDOWN INCOME-PERSONAL	DROPDOWN INCOME-PERSONAL	DROPDOWN INCOME-PERSONAL	DROPDOWN INCOME-PERSONAL
<b>136. Household Income</b>  (Include your personal income, spousal income, interest on any jointly owned assets and any other income sources.)	DROPDOWN INCOME-HH	DROPDOWN INCOME-HH	DROPDOWN INCOME-HH	DROPDOWN INCOME-HH

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**Closing**

137. If there are additional things you would like to tell us about your education, community life, or career that were not adequately covered on the survey, please do so here. **TEXT BOX**

138. Would you like to receive updated information about SNAAP, including the 2022 survey results? *Select one.*

<1> Yes

<0> No → **SKIP TO 'INCENTIVE DETAILS'**

**ASK IF Q138=1**

139. If you prefer that we contact you through a different email address, please indicate it in the space provided.

[TEXT BOX; 50-character limit]

**ADD IN INCENTIVE DETAILS**

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Thank you for completing this questionnaire!

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**Appendix: Response Lists**

**DEGREELEVEL**

- <4> an associate's degree
- <5> a bachelor's degree
- <6> a master's degree
- <7> a doctoral degree
- <8> a certification
- <9> coursework or other professional development

**DEGREELEVEL3**

- <5> a bachelor's degree (BA, BS, etc.)
- <6> a master's degree (MA, MS, etc.)
- <7> a doctoral degree (PhD, JD, MD, etc.)

**Fields of Study**

*NOTE: to update against CIP Codes*

- Architecture
- Art History & Curatorial Studies
- Arts, Entertainment or Media Management Administration
- Arts Education (Art, Dance, Drama, Music)
- Craft
- Creative Writing
- Dance
- Design
- Fine & Studio Art
- Media Arts
- Music
- Theater
- Other Arts or Design
- Biological Science, Agriculture, & Natural Resources
- Business
- Communications (Non-arts)
- Education (Non-arts)

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Engineering  
Health Professions  
Humanities  
Physical Science, Mathematics, & Computer Science  
Social Sciences  
Social Service Professions  
Other Degree, not arts or design field of study  
Unknown or Unidentified

**INCOME-PERSONAL**

<1> \$10,000 or less  
<2> \$10,001 to \$20,000  
<3> \$20,001 to \$30,000  
<4> \$30,001 to \$40,000  
<5> \$40,001 to \$50,000  
<6> \$50,001 to \$60,000  
<7> \$60,001 to \$70,000  
<8> \$70,001 to \$80,000  
<9> \$80,001 to \$90,000  
<10> \$90,001 to \$100,000  
<11> 100,001 to 150,000  
<12> More than \$150,000  
<13> Prefer to not answer

**INCOME-HH**

<0> Same as personal income  
<1> \$10,000 or less  
<2> \$10,001 to \$20,000  
<3> \$20,001 to \$30,000  
<4> \$30,001 to \$40,000  
<5> \$40,001 to \$50,000  
<6> \$50,001 to \$60,000  
<7> \$60,001 to \$70,000  
<8> \$70,001 to \$80,000  
<9> \$80,001 to \$90,000  
<10> \$90,001 to \$100,000

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- <11> 100,001 to 150,000
- <12> More than \$150,000
- <13> Prefer to not answer

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