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UNIVERSITY QUESTIONNAIRE FOR FINAL YEAR STUDENTS

NATIONAL SURVEY OF HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT

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Ref. No:

Name:

Address:

University:

New permanent address, if any:

(If applicable)

Date of marriage _____ 196__

Change of name _____

Children - date of birth and sex

IF YOU ARE NOT GRADUATING THIS SUMMER, please fill in pages 1-3 only and return the whole questionnaire to us with the remainder incomplete.

If not this year, when are you graduating? _____ 196__

IF YOU ARE GRADUATING THIS SUMMER, please answer all the questions.

HOW TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE: Write the answer in the space provided, or circle the appropriate number - e.g.

Yes ①

No 0

COURSE

1.(a) Are you still attending the university named above?

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Yes 1

No 0

(b) If 'No', please give details of what you are doing now, date of leaving university, and briefly the reason or reasons for leaving.

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GENERAL HEALTH

4. (a) The last accident we have recorded for you was _____

We have no accidents recorded for you for a long time.

Have you had any accident _____ since then _____ in which you were burnt or scalded, you broke a bone, since you left school _____ you were badly cut or bruised, or injured by a chemical?

Yes 1
No 0

(b) If 'Yes', please give the following details about each accident, starting with the earliest.

	ACCIDENT 1	ACCIDENT 2	ACCIDENT 3
What sort of injury? (i.e. burn, cut, broken bone etc.)			
What part was hurt?			
When did it happen?			
Where was it treated?			
Who by?			
What sort of scar or trouble does it still give you?			
How did it happen?			
Where did it happen?			

5. (a) The last hospital admission recorded for you was _____

We have no hospital admissions recorded for you for a long time.

Have you been in hospital as an inpatient since you left school?

since then ?

Yes 1
No 0

(b) (If 'Yes')

What hospital was it?

When did you go in?

What were you in hospital for?

How long were you in hospital?

What was the name of the doctor who looked after you?

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ONLY FOR THOSE GRADUATING THIS YEAR

UNIVERSITY

How would you rate some of the following characteristics of the university and student life? Below are a number of statements. Please circle the number that fits most closely with your views and experience:

i.e. If you completely agree with one or other statement, circle the 1 or 7 as appropriate:

If you agree fairly well, circle the 2 or 6 as appropriate:

If you think that the statements are partly true, circle the 3 or 5:

If you are entirely neutral, circle the 4.

TEACHU2

6. (a) Teaching on the whole was very stimulating, thorough and good ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Teaching was very dull, dreary and lacking in imagination
- (b) The staff gave an excellent idea to the students of the standard and breadth of work needed for finals ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... The staff gave no idea of the standard needed for finals and left the students to find out for themselves
- (c) Staff regarded students and teaching as their first and most important responsibility ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Staff regarded students and teaching as a nuisance which prevented them getting on with their own work
- (d) Staff were most accessible and social meetings were very frequent ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Social contacts with staff were non-existent

ATOMU2

7. (a) University was an extremely friendly place ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... It was very difficult to make any friends at all
- (b) Contacts with students were an education in themselves ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Students were monosyllabic and it was impossible to gain anything from them
- (c) Intellectual atmosphere at the university was very invigorating and exciting ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... The atmosphere was boring, dreary and unexciting
- (d) There was at least one excellent place in which to work which was conducive to study ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... It was impossible to find anywhere quiet to study

PRELIFU2

8. (a) There was always plenty of time for clubs and other activities not associated with work ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Work left no time free for other activities
- (b) University course was highly satisfactory both in breadth and intellectual stimulation ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... University course was narrowly focussed and intellectually restricting
- (c) The university is an excellent preparation for the world outside ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... The university life is divorced from the outside world and offers no adequate preparation for it
- (d) Would not have missed the experience of the university years for anything ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Thankful that the course is over

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CONTACTS WITH STAFF MEMBERS

9. What was the smallest seminar, tutorial or practical teaching group that you attended in each year?

(a) 2nd year	2CLSISZSU2 Seminar	Tutorial 3CLSISZTU2	2CLSISZPU2 Practical or clinical
Individual	1	1	1
2 - 4	2	2	2
5 - 9	3	3	3
10 - 19	4	4	4
20 or more	5	5	5
Not applicable	y	y	y

(b) 3rd year	3CLSISZSU2 Seminar	Tutorial 3CLSISZTU2	3CLSISZPU2 Practical or clinical
Individual	1	1	1
2 - 4	2	2	2
5 - 9	3	3	3
10 - 19	4	4	4
20 or more	5	5	5
Not applicable	y	y	y

(c) 4th year	4CLSISZSU2 Seminar	Tutorial 4CLSISZTU2	4CLSISZPU2 Practical or clinical
Individual	1	1	1
2 - 4	2	2	2
5 - 9	3	3	3
10 - 19	4	4	4
20 or more	5	5	5
Not applicable	y	y	y

ACCOMMODATION

10. When we last contacted you, you were living at _____

Are you still living there? Yes 1 SACOMU2
No 0

If 'No', please give an account of your moves since then: MOVESU2

TERM AND YEAR OF MOVE	MOVED TO - (e.g. home, college/hostel/hall, digs with food, digs without food, flat supervised by university, other flat, etc. - please specify).	REASON FOR MOVE
1		
2		
3		
4		PACOMU2

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EMPLOYMENT:

11. Do you plan to take:

- PHDEGU2 Postgraduate degree 1
- Another 1st degree 2
- Diploma 3
- Other further study 4
- Articles 5
- Nothing 6

If 1 - 5, please elaborate:

12. (a) Have you consulted anyone about a job?

- JBDISU2 Yes 1
- No 0
- Not looking for one at present y

(b) If 'Yes', whom did you consult?

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(c) If 'No', who, if anyone, do you intend to consult?

13. Given *ideal* circumstances, what job would you really like?

14. (a) Have you got a job yet?

- JBYETU2 Yes 1
- No 0

(b) If 'Yes', what is it?

(c) If 'No', what job do you think you will actually get?

How do you picture the job you have got or think you will actually get (ignoring the ideal)? JPICTU2

Ring only the number on each scale that you feel is most appropriate and answer these questions as quickly as you can, giving your first impressions:

- If you feel that the description at one or other end of the scale fits the job very closely, ring 1 or 7 as appropriate:
- If quite closely, ring 2 or 6 as appropriate:
- If only slightly, ring 3 or 5 as appropriate:
- Ring 4 if irrelevant.

- 15. (a) A developing go-ahead job ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... A dead-end job
- (b) Good starting salary ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Poor starting salary
- (c) Likely to give you opportunities for meeting interesting, stimulating people ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Likely to hinder you from meeting interesting, stimulating people
- (d) Good use of knowledge gained in your degree course ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Waste of knowledge gained in your degree course
- (e) A respected profession ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... A rather despised profession

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JPIC2U2

- 16. (a) Great freedom to plan your own work ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Having to stick rigidly to a given syllabus
- (b) Good ultimate salary prospects ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Poor ultimate salary prospects
- (c) Using a subject you like in an interesting way ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Using a subject you like in a boring way
- (d) Being involved in society in general ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Being isolated from society
- (e) Work for which you feel you have a definite vocation ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Work for which you definitely lack a vocation

JPIC3U2

- 17. (a) Work with good academic standing ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Work with poor academic standing
- (b) Promotion prospects not limited by class or type of degree ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Promotion prospects limited by class or type of degree
- (c) Work conducive to bringing out the best in you on the whole ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Work conducive to bringing out the worst in you on the whole
- (d) Intellectually stimulating work ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Intellectually deadening work
- (e) Good chances of getting additional salary allowances on the basis of good work ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Poor chances of getting additional salary allowances on the basis of good work

JPIC4U2

- 18. (a) A job with high social status ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... A job with low social status
- (b) Type of work which you would like very much ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Type of work which you would dislike very much
- (c) Plenty of scope for initiative ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... A repressive, regimented job
- (d) Work which would remain interesting ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Work which would soon become boring
- (e) Broadening and maturing to one's personality ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 ... Narrowing, stunting to one's personality

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Will you rate the items below on how important you yourself consider them in choosing your career?

Bear in mind any financial commitments or other responsibilities which you have to take into account in your career plans.

Please ring the appropriate number to show how important this item is for you.

- JPIC5U2**
- | | <i>Very
important</i> | <i>Definitely
not
wanted</i> |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| 19. (a) Promotion would depend on the quality of your work and not on seniority | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 | |
| (b) Work which would demand considerable initiative | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 | |
| (c) Your colleagues would be interesting and stimulating | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 | |
| (d) You would be doing a socially useful job | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 | |
| (e) There would be opportunities for travel on the job | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 | |

- CCON2U2**
- | | |
|---|---|
| 20. (a) You would be very much your own boss | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (b) There would be good opportunities for promotion throughout your career | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (c) There would be good relations between all levels of staff . | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (d) You would be able to increase the specialist knowledge gained in your degree course | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (e) Your work would have some social prestige attached to it | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |

- CCON3U2**
- | | |
|--|---|
| 21. (a) Promotion would depend on merit and not on the class or type of your degree | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (b) The ultimate salary prospects in the career would be good | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (c) Your salary would depend on the amount of work you put into the job and not on fixed amounts | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (d) You would be able to rise to a position of responsibility in a short time | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |
| (e) You would have the opportunity of continuing with your studies as part of your work | ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7 |

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CCON4U2

Very important

Definitely not wanted

- 22. (a) You would be able to use the knowledge gained in your degree ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (b) It would be up to you to develop your work as you chose ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (c) You would be doing work which would have some standing in in academic circles ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (d) There would be a congenial atmosphere in which to work 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (e) You would have opportunities to work in a field which was quite outside your previous experience ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7

CCON5U2

- 23. (a) It would be easy to get a job overseas in this field of work ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (b) Further full-time training would not be needed before starting this work ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (c) The work would be intellectually developing and stimulating ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (d) There would be security of employment 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (e) There would be plenty of opportunity to develop outside interests ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7

CCON6U2

- 24. (a) The starting salary would be good 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (b) The work would make full use of your capabilities 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (c) Your work would be of immediate benefit to others 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (d) You would be meeting a variety of different types of people ... 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7
- (e) A job with long holidays 1 ... 2 ... 3 ... 4 ... 5 ... 6 ... 7

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SECOND THOUGHTS

25(a) Given another chance would you study a different subject or subjects from your present one or ones?

Yes 1
No 0

(If 'Yes',)

(b) What subject/s would you choose?

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WSUBJU2

(c) Why did you not choose this subject/s originally (e.g. lack of information about subject at time, wrong qualifications, change of attitude etc.)?

26. What advice would you give a friend starting his course at your University?

GENERAL

27. Are there any other comments you would like to make about your course or life in the last 2-3 years - if so, please do so - we are always most interested to have your own remarks and will treat them as entirely confidential.

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THANK YOU VERY MUCH