2012-13 University Senate Evaluation



1. Have you ever served on the Senate?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	35.1%	67
No	64.9%	124
	answered question	191
	skipped question	1

2. Have you ever attended or viewed a Senate meeting?

	Response Percent	Response Count
Yes	61.6%	117
No	38.4%	73
	answered question	190
	skipped question	2

3. How long have you been at Michigan Tech?

	Respor Perce	
1-6 years	43.	5% 83
7-12 years	20.	4% 39
13-20 years	16.	2% 31
More than 21 years	19.	9% 38
	answered questi	on 191
	skipped questi	on 1

4. The Senate has been effective in development of shared governance policies and procedures listed below.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Rating Count
(a) Selection and evaluation of university administrators	15.4% (27)	21.1% (37)	39.4% (69)	20.6% (36)	3.4% (6)	175
(b) Guidelines for charter	6.3% (11)	13.8% (24)	46.6% (81)	29.3% (51)	4.0% (7)	174
(c) Policies on appointment, promotion, and tenure of faculty	4.6% (8)	9.7% (17)	38.9% (68)	42.3% (74)	4.6% (8)	175
(d) Establishment, dissolution, and changes in degree programs.	2.9% (5)	5.8% (10)	29.1% (50)	45.9% (79)	16.3% (28)	172
(e) Other	13.3% (10)	4.0% (3)	74.7% (56)	6.7% (5)	1.3% (1)	75
				Other (Type	and Evaluate)	25
				answe	red question	176
				skip	ped question	16

5. The Senate has been effective in reflecting your concerns regarding the use of university resources.

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Rating Count
(a) Fringe Benefits	14.1% (25)	22.0% (39)	20.3% (36)	35.0% (62)	8.5% (15)	177
(b) Budget	17.2% (30)	24.1% (42)	34.5% (60)	21.3% (37)	2.9% (5)	174
(c) Admission standards and procedures	11.1% (19)	15.8% (27)	48.5% (83)	22.2% (38)	2.3% (4)	171
(d) Policies on appointment and promotion of professional staff	9.8% (17)	16.2% (28)	50.9% (88)	21.4% (37)	1.7% (3)	173
(e) Other	12.7% (8)	4.8% (3)	77.8% (49)	4.8% (3)	0.0% (0)	63
				Other (Type	and Evaluate)	16

answered question	177
skipped question	15

6. The Senate has been effective in communicating issues that impact you.

Response Count	Response Percent	
10	5.6%	Strongly Disagree
34	19.1%	Disagree
48	27.0%	Neutral
77	43.3%	Agree
9	5.1%	Strongly Agree
18	Comments	
178	answered question	
14	skipped question	

7. The Senate has provided appropriate input to your unit and/or department in the development of proposals submitted to it.

	Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree	1.7%	3
Disagree	13.4%	23
Neutral	41.3%	71
Agree	37.2%	64
Strongly Agree	6.4%	11
	Comments	15
	answered question	172
	skipped question	20

8. The Senate has acted in a timely manner on proposals submitted by your group.

	Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree	1.8%	3
Disagree	5.4%	9
Neutral	54.2%	91
Agree	32.7%	55
Strongly Agree	6.0%	10
	Comments	13
	answered question	168
	skipped question	24

9. Your senator keeps you informed about issues being considered by the Senate.

	Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree	3.4%	6
Disagree	4.5%	8
Neutral	8.9%	16
Agree	48.0%	86
Strongly Agree	35.2%	63

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skipped question

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answered question 179
skipped question 13

10. The Senate should have an independent budget to facilitate contracting with independent experts to aid in decision making.

	Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree	10.2%	18
Disagree	13.6%	24
Neutral	28.4%	50
Agree	27.8%	49
Strongly Agree	19.9%	35
	Comments	23
	answered question	176

11. The Senate is an effective body in representing staff.

	Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree	8.2%	14
Disagree	18.7%	32
Neutral	57.9%	99
Agree	14.6%	25
Strongly Agree	0.6%	1

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answered question 171 skipped question 21

12. The Senate is an effective body in representing faculty.

	Response Percent	Response Count
Strongly Disagree	14.9%	26
Disagree	19.4%	34
Neutral	22.9%	40
Agree	38.3%	67
Strongly Agree	4.6%	8

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answered question	175
skipped question	17

13. What can the Senate do to get the information to you more effectively from the list below?

	Very low	Low	Neutral	High	Very High	Rating Count
a. E-mail	2.3% (4)	1.8% (3)	14.0% (24)	51.5% (88)	30.4% (52)	171
b. Organize forums	8.4% (14)	19.9% (33)	30.7% (51)	32.5% (54)	8.4% (14)	166
c. Blog	20.0% (33)	21.2% (35)	31.5% (52)	23.0% (38)	4.2% (7)	165
d. Others (type and evaluate)	15.8% (9)	3.5% (2)	70.2% (40)	7.0% (4)	3.5% (2)	57
					Comments	19

answered question	174
skipped question	18

14. What kind of proposals should the Senate spend more time on?

	Very Low	Low	Neutral	High	Very High	Rating Count
a. Shared Governance	1.8% (3)	3.5% (6)	24.1% (41)	42.4% (72)	28.2% (48)	170
b. Use of University Resources	1.1% (2)	2.3% (4)	17.7% (31)	48.6% (85)	30.3% (53)	175
c. Policies on appointment and promotion of faculty	4.0% (7)	8.7% (15)	38.2% (66)	37.0% (64)	12.1% (21)	173

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