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University of Delaware

Community Engagement Initiative: Community Partner Survey

As part of its commitment to civic engagement, the University of Delaware (UD) would like your feedback about its community work. Results will be incorporated into future progress reports about UD civic and community engagement and used to guide planning efforts. The survey will take less than 5 minutes to complete and has just 3 easy-click through pages. Thank you for sharing your thoughts and perspectives with us.

Q1. On a scale of 1 to 10 where 1 is poor and 10 is excellent, how would you rate UD's community engagement work?

Q2. In the past year, has your attitude toward UD's work in the community improved,	
declined or stayed the same?	
	Declined
	Stayed the same
	Improved

Thinking about your experience over the past 12 months, to what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements: indicate how strongly you agree with the following statements on a 1-4 scale with 1 being "Strongly disagree", 2 "Disagree", 3 "Agree", 4 "Strongly agree".

- Q3. I have a strong partnership with UD.
- Q4. My relationship with UD in the community is reciprocal; there is a mutual benefit.
- Q5. The community-based research UD does is beneficial.
- Q6. I have a good sense of the work UD is doing in the community.
- Q7. I am aware of the Partnership for Public Education at UD.
- **Q8.** I am aware of the Partnership for Healthy Communities at UD.
- Q9. I am aware of the Partnership for Arts and Culture at UD.
- Q10. I know how to get in touch with a University employee capable of helping with my community needs.
- Q11. It is easy to host a community meeting or event at a UD-owned facility.

Thinking about your experience over the past 12 months, to what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements regarding general community engagement and perceptions? *Indicate how strongly you agree with the following statements on a 1-4 scale with 1 being "Strongly disagree"*, 2 "Disagree", 3 "Agree", 4 "Strongly agree".

- Q12. Professors at UD community-minded
- Q13. UD supports arts and cultural activities in the state.
- Q14. UD supports K-12 education in the state.
- Q15. UD supports community-based public health in the state.
- Q16. UD is a trustworthy partner in the community.
- Q17. Equity matters to UD when it comes to its community work.
- Q18. UD is collaborative in its approach to working with the community.

Q19. UD employees are not aware of the work that its own University is doing in the community. Q20. UD does not understand the critical or unmet needs of communities in Delaware. Q21. UD takes advantage of the community. Q22. UD often provides scientific evidence for policy in Delaware. Q23. UD has helped to improve community economic development in the state of Delaware.
Please answer the following questions about the extent of your engagement with UD in the past year. Q24. In the past 12 months, how many UD-hosted meetings or events have you attended? Q25. In the past 12 months, about how many projects, grants or programs supported by the University of Delaware were you engaged in? Q26. In the past year, about how many different UD faculty, staff or students have you met or worked with? Q27. Estimating in dollars, what financial benefit has your engagement with UD resulted in?
Q28. Please provide any additional thoughts, advice or feedback you have about UDs community engagement here.
Please answer the following questions about yourself. These questions will conclude the survey. Q29. What is your primary business/organizational zip code?
Q30. What sector does your primary business/organization fall into? Non-Profit PreK – 12 Education Higher Education Corporate Volunteer Government
Q31. What is the main area of interest for your primary business/organization? Arts PreK – 12 Education/Youth Programming Higher Education Health Environment Agriculture Policy Economic Development Criminal Justice Job Training Community Organizing Other
Q32. How many years have you worked on projects or in partnership with UD?