Fall 2012 University of Nebraska-Lincoln CASNR Senior Exit Survey Data

(81 Students)

What was your primary degree program in the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR)?

- Water... 1.4%
- Veterinary... 0.0%
- Plant Biology 0.0%
- Natural... 8.1%
- Insect... 4.1%
- Horticulture 4.1%
- Grassland... 0.0%
- Food... 6.8%
- Fisheries... 6.8%
- Environment... 4.1%
- Applied... 4.1%
- Agronomy 13.5%
- Agricultural... 10.8%
- Agribusiness 12.2%

Did you have a specialization and/or minor?

- No 29
- Yes 52

Did you pursue a dual degree?

- No 75
- Yes 6

Did you participate in research as a graduate?

- No 59
- Yes 22
How important was each of the following factors in your decision to enter your current CASNR degree program?

(Factors listed from most important to least important based on student response)

1. Academic program better suited to your interests
2. Academic program/curriculum
3. Scholarship/financial aid
4. Reputation of UNL’s College of Agriculture Sciences and Natural Resources
5. Recommendation of friend(alumni)/family
6. Faculty member contact
7. Opportunity for internship
8. Personal/family reasons
9. Class size
10. Academic Degree Advising
11. Credit evaluations/transfer of credits
12. Clubs and extracurricular options
13. Opportunity for service learning
14. Opportunity to get involved in research
15. FFA/4H background
16. Opportunity for study abroad
The staff provided timely information on academic matters that were helpful in making an informed decision about my degree?

The career advising and information provided by the College was useful.

The College sponsored quality study abroad experiences for students.

Average satisfaction with the College Services provided by staff in 103 Agriculture Hall, such as Associate Deans, Study Abroad, and Career Services professionals.

Did you participate in a college/departmental study abroad experience?

- Yes: 10.0%
- No: 90.0%
Did you receive funding for your study abroad experience?

- Yes: 75.0%
- No: 25.0%

If Yes, what type of funding did you receive?

- Global Gateway: 50.0%
- CASNR International Study Abroad Scholarship: 50.0%
- Kleis International Travel Grant: 16.7%
- Other: 16.7%
Did the study abroad experience enhance or enrich your undergraduate experience at UNL?

- Yes: 100.0%
- No: 0.0%

Did you meet with an academic degree adviser to plan your academic program?

- Yes: 94.8%
- No: 5.2%
How many times did you meet with your adviser?

- 1-3 times: 36.5%
- 4-6 times: 25.7%
- 7-9 times: 29.7%
- More than 10 times: 8.1%

How do you typically communicate with your academic degree adviser?

- Email: 87.7%
- Facebook: 1.4%
- Personal Meeting: 86.3%
- Phone: 30.1%
- I don't communicate with my adviser on a regular basis: 0.0%
How satisfied are you with your academic degree adviser?

- Highly Dissatisfied: 11.0%
- Dissatisfied: 4.1%
- Neutral: 4.1%
- Satisfied: 35.6%
- Highly Satisfied: 49.3%

During your time in CASNR, what were the ways that you found out about CASNR events?

- Email: 97.4%
- Facebook: 39.7%
- Flyers: 55.1%
- Radio: 5.1%
- Professors/instructors: 53.8%
- Other students: 65.4%
- Advisers: 21.8%
How would you like to be notified of career fairs, etc. sponsored by CASNR?

- Email: 93.6%
- Facebook: 26.9%
- Flyers/Posters: 34.6%
- Radio: 2.6%
- Professors/Instructors: 37.2%
- Other students: 29.5%
- Academic degree advisers: 30.8%
- Phone: 2.6%

Average level of agreement or disagreement with the following statements on academic preparation:

- I am satisfied with the quality of my preparation for entering graduate studies: 3.68
- I am satisfied with the quality of my preparation for a career: 4.09
- I am satisfied with the academic quality of classes in my degree program: 4.22
- I received quality faculty support in my degree program: 4.23

3.40 3.60 3.80 4.00 4.20 4.40
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Were you under the ACE program at UNL?

- Yes: 62.8%
- No: 37.2%
Please check all the activities and events you participated that were sponsored by CASNR.

What is your gender?

- Male: 56.6%
- Female: 43.4%
- Transgender: 0.0%
What is your race/ethnicity? Please select one.

- White: 97.4%
- Hispanic: 1.3%
- African-American: 1.3%
- Asian-American: 0.0%
- Native-American: 0.0%

Where did you reside before coming to UNL?

- In a rural area-on a farm: 17.9%
- In a rural area-but not a farm: 38.5%
- In a suburban community: 19.2%
- In an urban community: 24.4%
Which category best describes your residency status?

- In-state student: 88.5%
- Out-of-state student: 11.5%
- International student: 0.0%