ASCCC Event Modality Survey - Initial Report

Data as of August 18, 2023

Background

In response to Resolution Spr23 01.04 - Attendees' Preferences and ASCCC's Feasibility, ASCCC staff developed an Event Modality Survey and distributed it to the field on August 1, 2023. The survey questions sought to identify participants' attendance at various events in 2022 and 2023 to-date, motivations for their decision to attend or not, and how certain modalities would impact their decision to attend future events.

Overview

The survey contained 34 questions and yielded 289 responses as of this report. Questions 1 through 10 pertained to respondent demographics and Questions 11 through 34 focused on various ASCCC events, in-person and virtual attendance, factors that influenced past attendance and would likely influence future participation. Approximately 87.19% of respondents are full-time faculty members and 12.81% are part-time. 67.97% of respondents identify as White; 15.66% identify as Mexican, Mexican American, or Chicano; 8.9% identify as Black; and the remaining 7.47% identify as one of 15 other race options.

The 2022 events included in the survey were Curriculum Institute, Spring Plenary Session, Fall Plenary Session, Faculty Leadership Institute, and Career and Noncredit Institute. In addition to these events, participants were asked about virtual participation in the Accreditation Institute, Part-Time Faculty Institute, and CalOER Conference. Each of these events had varied in-person vs virtual attendance and some respondents attended multiple events. The 2023 events included Curriculum Institute, Spring Plenary Session, and Faculty Leadership Institute.
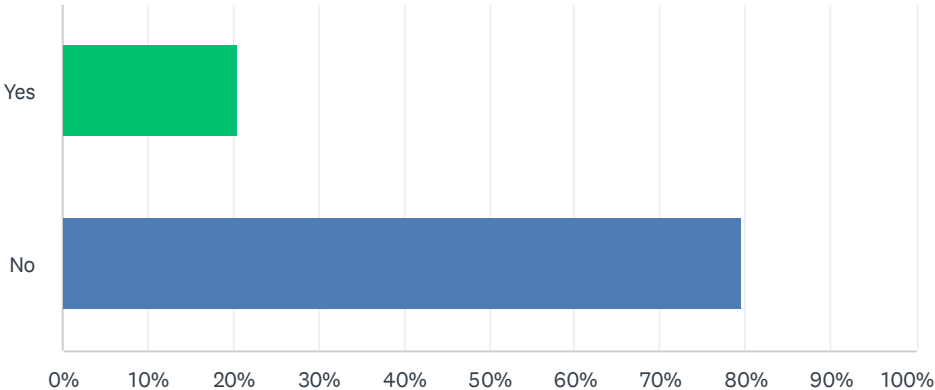
Respondents indicated a variety of motivating factors that determined if and how they would participate in a given ASCCC event. Factors included (but were not limited to) the topic of the event or individual breakout sessions, cost of registration or accommodations, networking opportunities, and timing of the event.

Lastly, respondents were asked about the likelihood they would participate in future ASCCC events if they were offered in-person, virtually, or as a hybrid model. They were also asked if they would participate in specified events if they were only offered as a virtual event.

ASCCC is currently awaiting additional responses and conducting analysis of the data collected to provide insights on future event offerings.

Q1 Are you Hispanic or Latino (Check one)
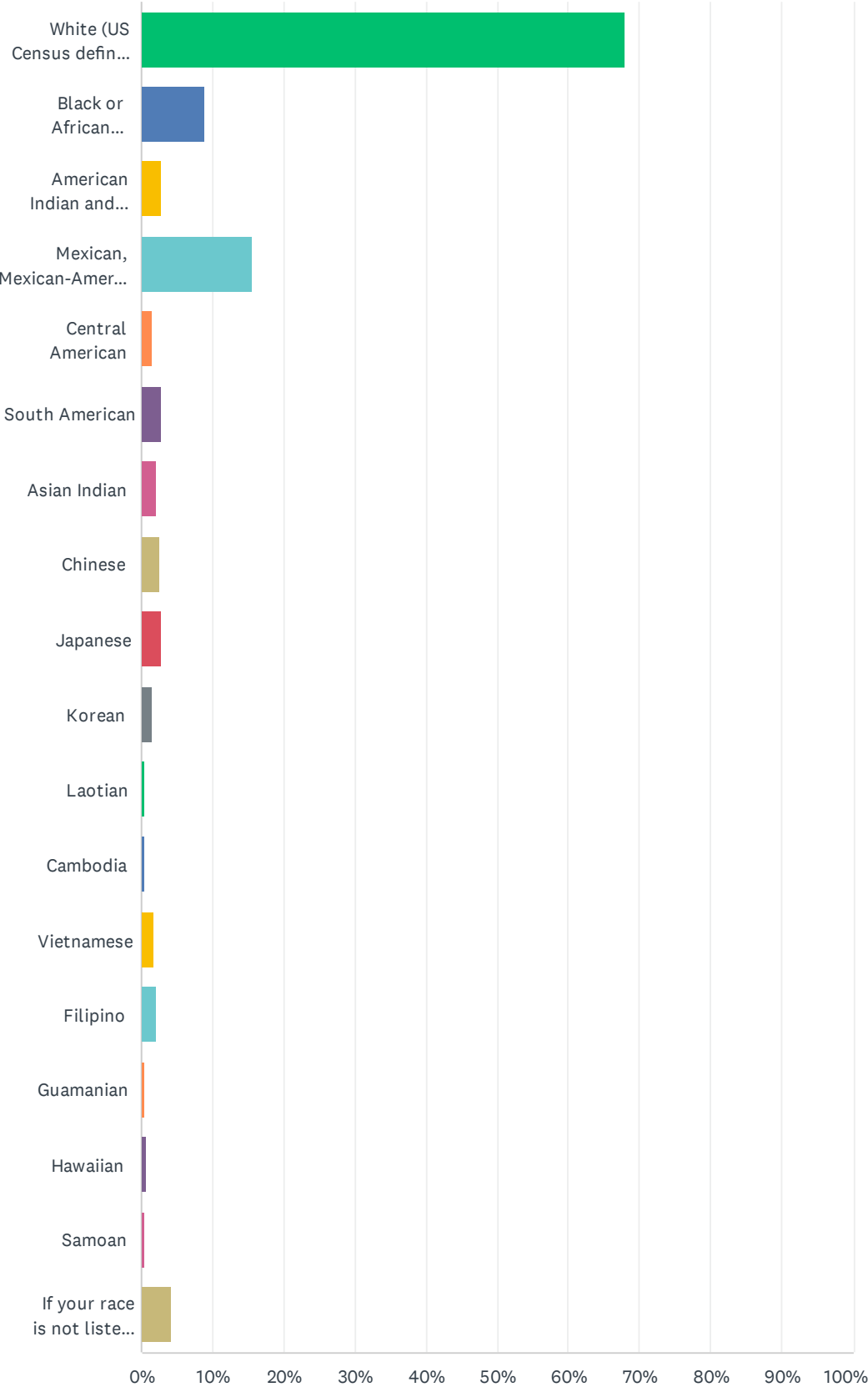
Answered: 284   Skipped: 5

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	20.42%	58
No	79.58%	226
TOTAL		284

Q2 Select the race you identify as? (Check all that apply)

Answered: 281   Skipped: 8

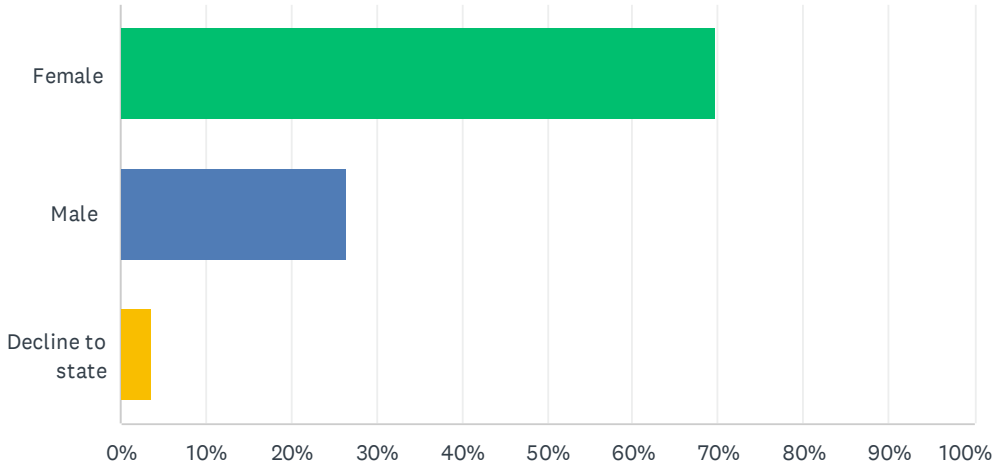# Academic Senate of California Community Colleges Event Modality Survey 2023

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
White (US Census defines white as a person having origins in any of the original peoples of Europe, the Middle East, or North Africa. It includes people who indicate their race as "White" or report entries such as Irish, German, Italian, Lebanese, Arab, Moroccan, or Caucasian.)	67.97%	191
Black or African American (US Census defines Black or African American as a person having origins in any of the Black racial groups of Africa. It includes people who indicate their race as "Black or African American," or report entries such as African American, Kenyan, Nigerian, or Haitian.)	8.90%	25
American Indian and Alaska Native. (US Census defines American Indian and Alaska Native as a person having origins in any of the original peoples of North and South America (including Central America) and who maintains tribal affiliation or community attachment. This category includes people who indicate their race as "American Indian or Alaska Native" or report entries such as Navajo, Blackfeet, Inupiat, Yup'ik, or Central American Indian groups or South American Indian groups.	2.85%	8
Mexican, Mexican-American, Chicano	15.66%	44
Central American	1.42%	4
South American	2.85%	8
Asian Indian	2.14%	6
Chinese	2.49%	7
Japanese	2.85%	8
Korean	1.42%	4
Laotian	0.36%	1
Cambodia	0.36%	1
Vietnamese	1.78%	5
Filipino	2.14%	6
Guamanian	0.36%	1
Hawaiian	0.71%	2
Samoan	0.36%	1
If your race is not listed please, inform us:	4.27%	12
Total Respondents: 281		

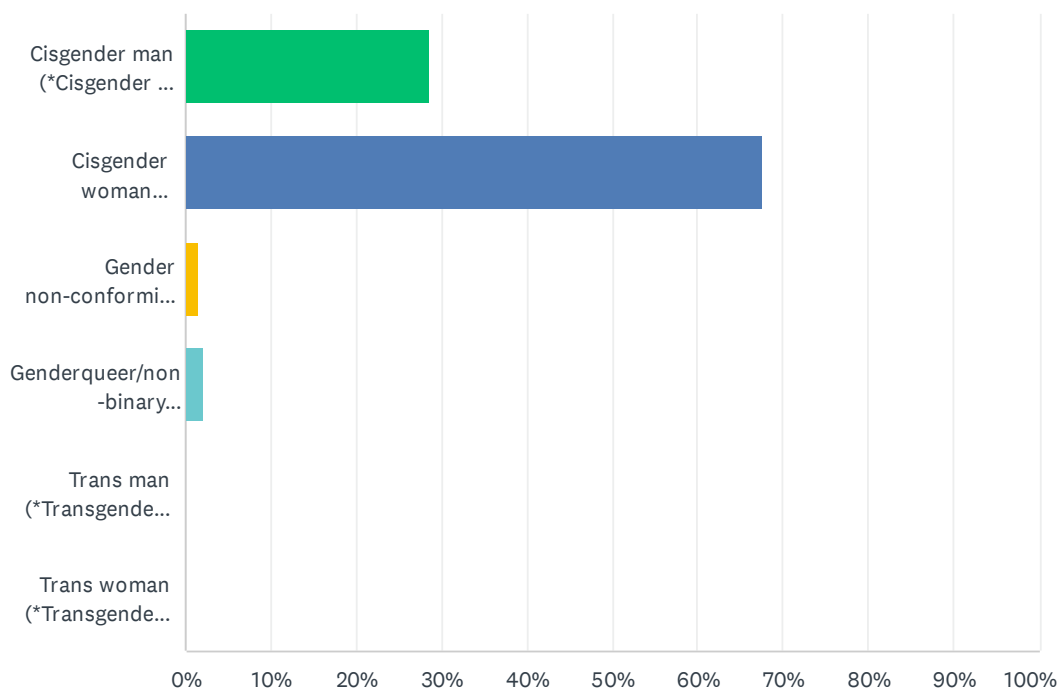# Q3 What sex were you assigned at birth?

Answered: 275   Skipped: 14

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Female	69.82%	192
Male	26.55%	73
Decline to state	3.64%	10
TOTAL		275

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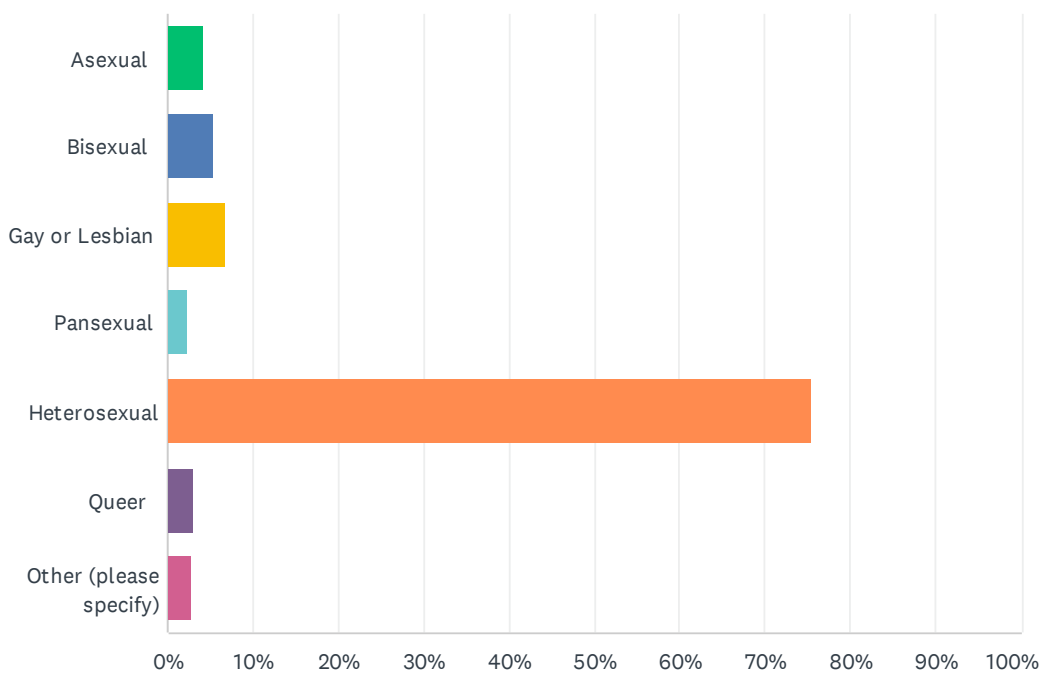
Q4 What is your current gender identity?

Answered: 269   Skipped: 20

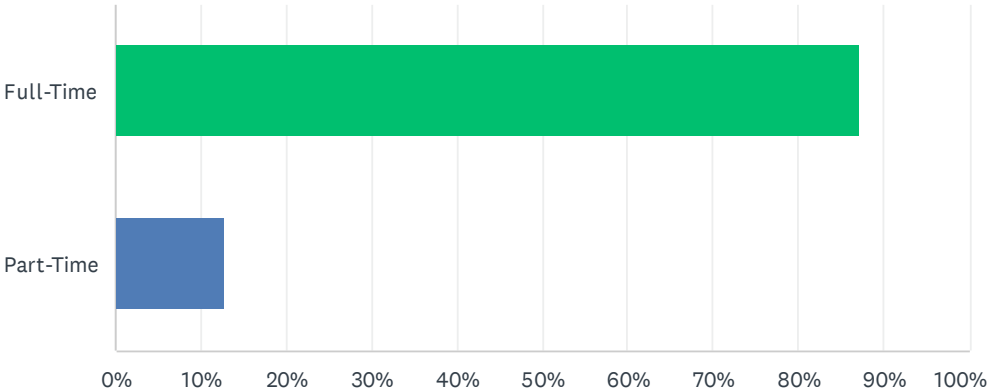| ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Cisgender man (*Cisgender is defined as a person whose gender identity aligns with their sex assigned at birth.)	28.62%	77
Cisgender woman (*Cisgender is defined as a person whose gender identity aligns with their sex assigned at birth.)	67.66%	182
Gender non-conforming (*Gender non-conforming is defined as a person whose behavior or appearance does not conform to traditional gender expectations.)	1.49%	4
Genderqueer/non-binary (*Non-binary is defined as a person whose gender identity is not exclusively male or female)	2.23%	6
Trans man (*Transgender is defined as a person whose gender identity and/or expression is different from their sex assigned at birth.)	0.00%	0
Trans woman (*Transgender is defined as a person whose gender identity and/or expression is different from their sex assigned at birth.)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		269

Q5 What is your sexual orientation?

Answered: 262   Skipped: 27

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Asexual	4.20%	11
Bisexual	5.34%	14
Gay or Lesbian	6.87%	18
Pansexual	2.29%	6
Heterosexual	75.57%	198
Queer	3.05%	8
Other (please specify)	2.67%	7
TOTAL		262

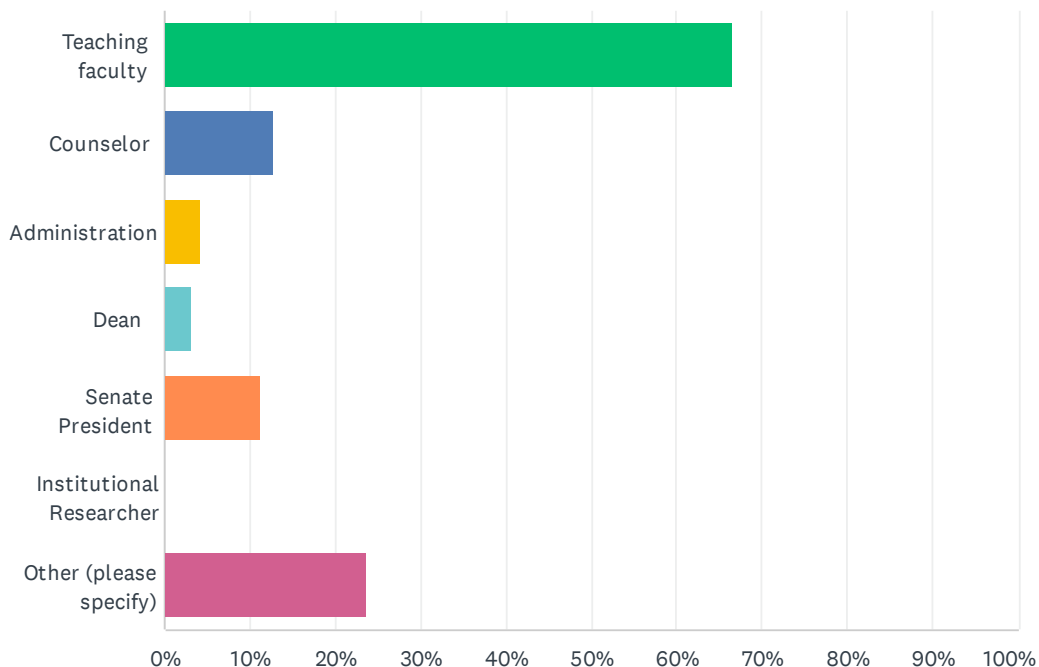## Q6 What is your employment status?

Answered: 281   Skipped: 8

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Full-Time	87.19%	245
Part-Time	12.81%	36
TOTAL		281

Q7 Which of the following best describes your role at your college? (You may select multiple)
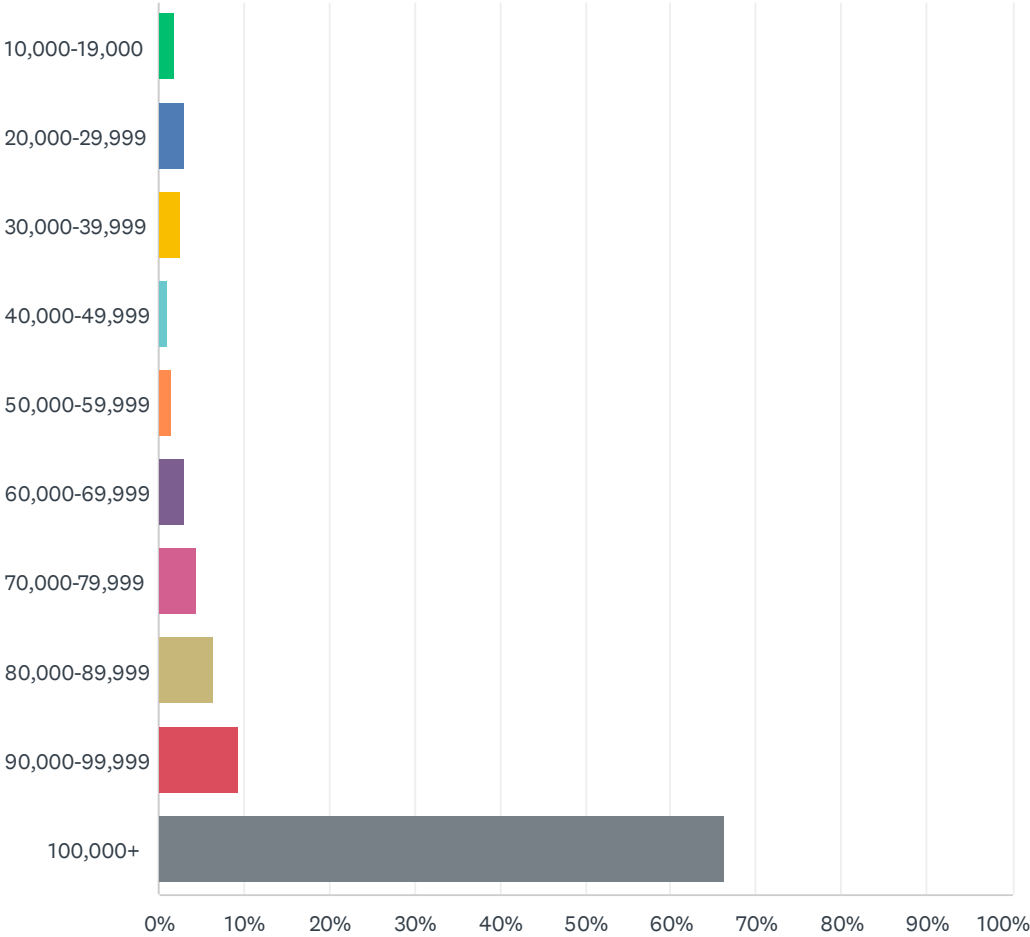
Answered: 283   Skipped: 6

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Teaching faculty	66.43%	188
Counselor	12.72%	36
Administration	4.24%	12
Dean	3.18%	9
Senate President	11.31%	32
Institutional Researcher	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	23.67%	67
Total Respondents: 283		

Q8 What is your gross annual income (before taxes and deductions) for all of your teaching faculty positions combined?
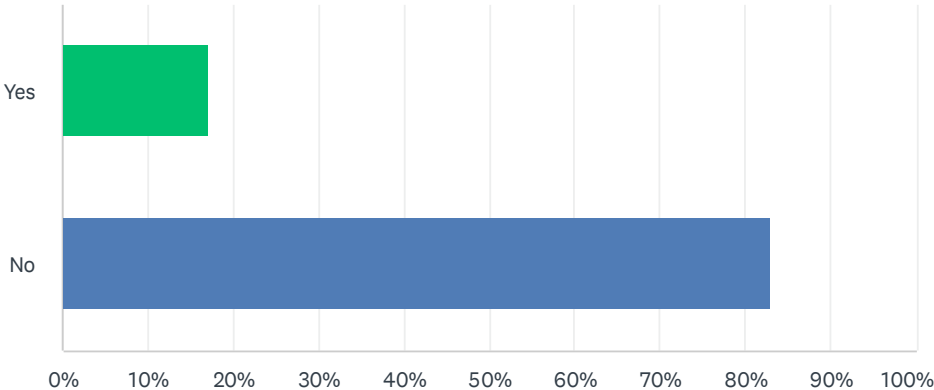
Answered: 264   Skipped: 25

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
10,000-19,000	1.89%	5
20,000-29,999	3.03%	8
30,000-39,999	2.65%	7
40,000-49,999	1.14%	3
50,000-59,999	1.52%	4
60,000-69,999	3.03%	8
70,000-79,999	4.55%	12
80,000-89,999	6.44%	17
90,000-99,999	9.47%	25
100,000+	66.29%	175
TOTAL		264

Q9 Do you consider yourself differently abled?
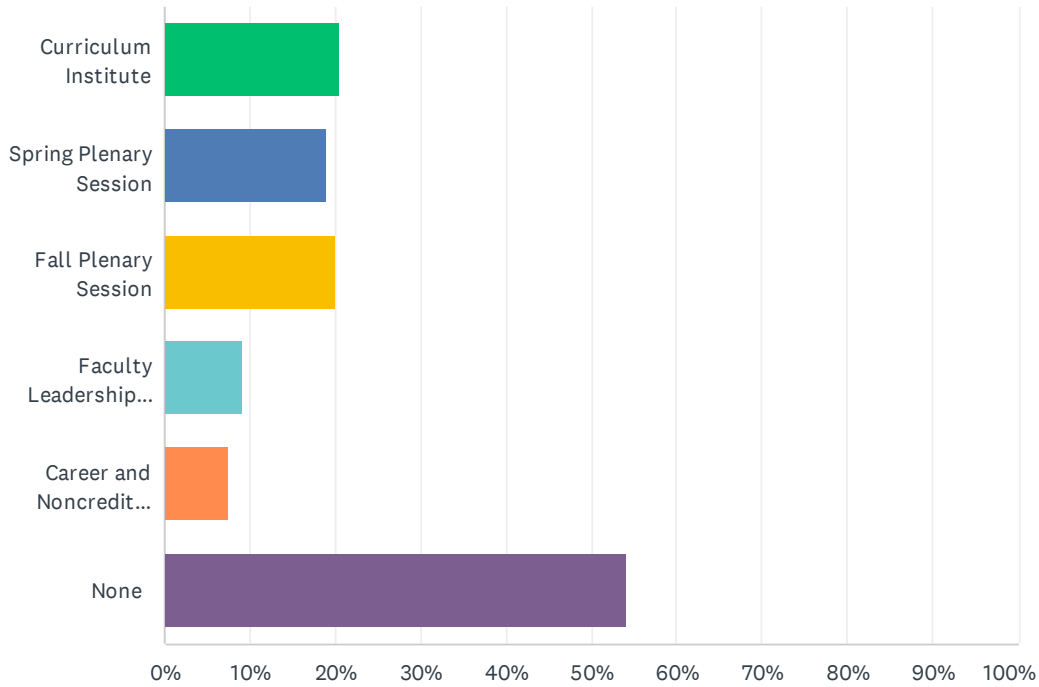
Answered: 276   Skipped: 13

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	17.03%	47
No	82.97%	229
TOTAL		276

Q10 If you feel comfortable please describe how you are differently abled?

Answered: 30   Skipped: 259

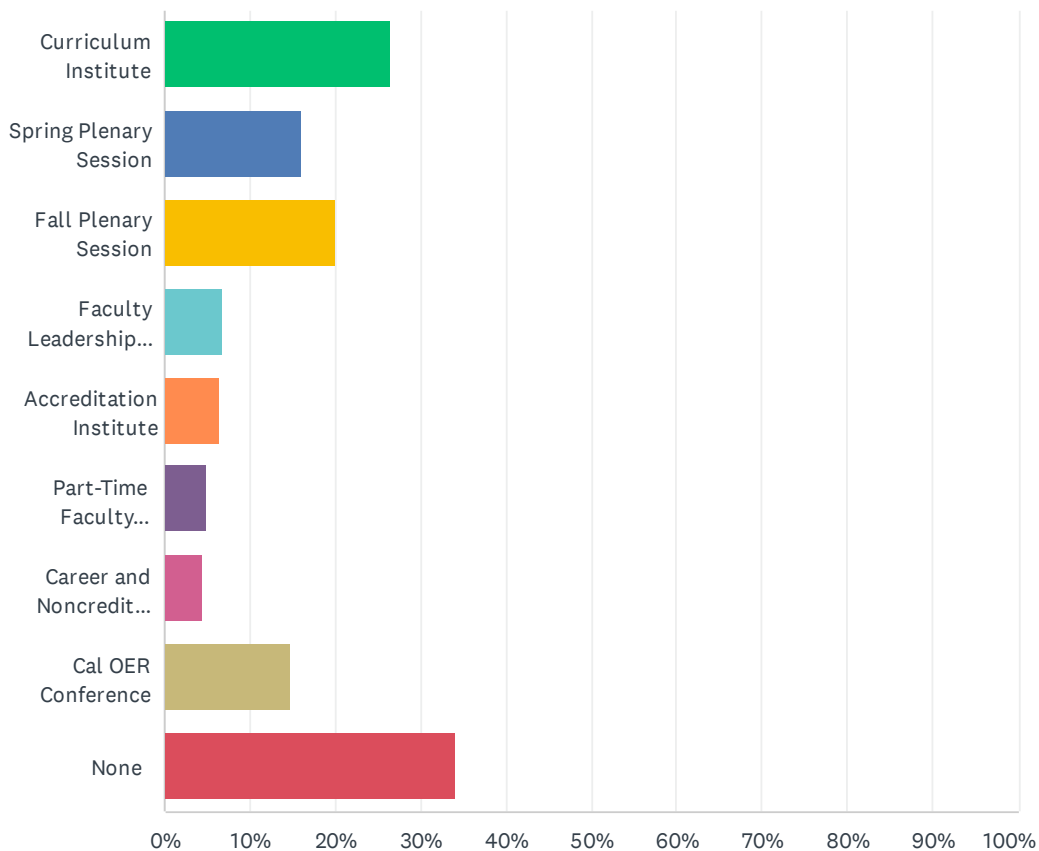# Q11 In 2022, which of the following events did you attend in person?

Answered: 270   Skipped: 19

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Curriculum Institute	20.37%	55
Spring Plenary Session	18.89%	51
Fall Plenary Session	20.00%	54
Faculty Leadership Institute	9.26%	25
Career and Noncredit Education Institute	7.41%	20
None	54.07%	146
Total Respondents: 270		

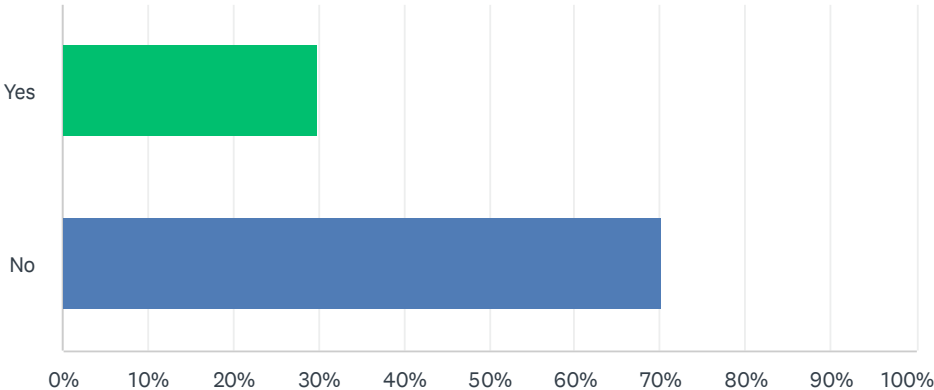# Q12 In 2022, which of the following events did you attend only using the online platform?

Answered: 264   Skipped: 25

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Curriculum Institute	26.52%	70
Spring Plenary Session	15.91%	42
Fall Plenary Session	20.08%	53
Faculty Leadership Institute	6.82%	18
Accreditation Institute	6.44%	17
Part-Time Faculty Institute	4.92%	13
Career and Noncredit Education Institute	4.55%	12
Cal OER Conference	14.77%	39
None	34.09%	90
Total Respondents: 264		

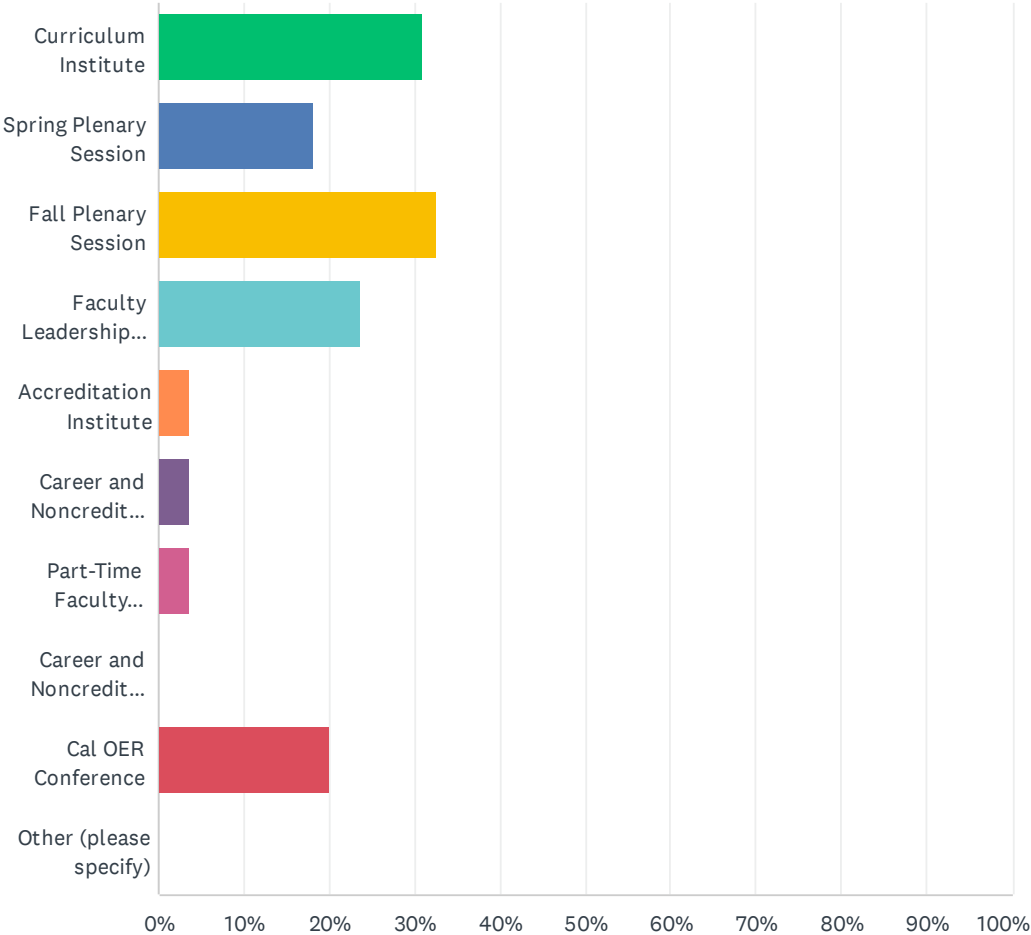## Q13 Was this your first time attending any of these events?

Answered: 187   Skipped: 102

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	29.95%	56
No	70.05%	131
TOTAL		187

Q14 Which of the following events did you attend for the first time?
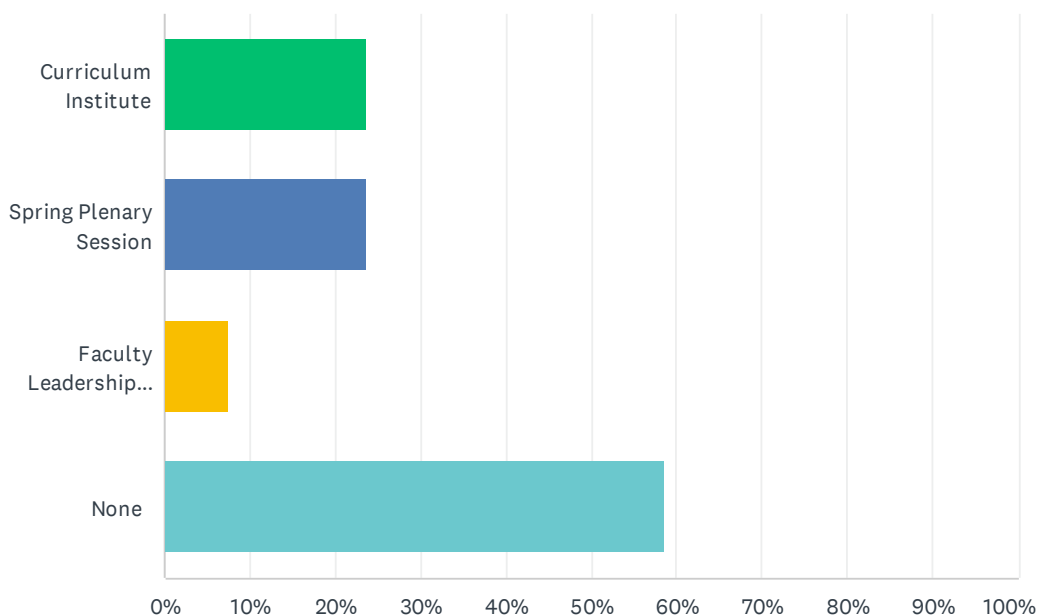
Answered: 55   Skipped: 234

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Curriculum Institute	30.91%	17
Spring Plenary Session	18.18%	10
Fall Plenary Session	32.73%	18
Faculty Leadership Institute	23.64%	13
Accreditation Institute	3.64%	2
Career and Noncredit Education Institute	3.64%	2
Part-Time Faculty Institute	3.64%	2
Career and Noncredit Education Institute	0.00%	0
Cal OER Conference	20.00%	11
Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
Total Respondents: 55		

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	

Q15 In 2023, which of the following events did you attend in person?
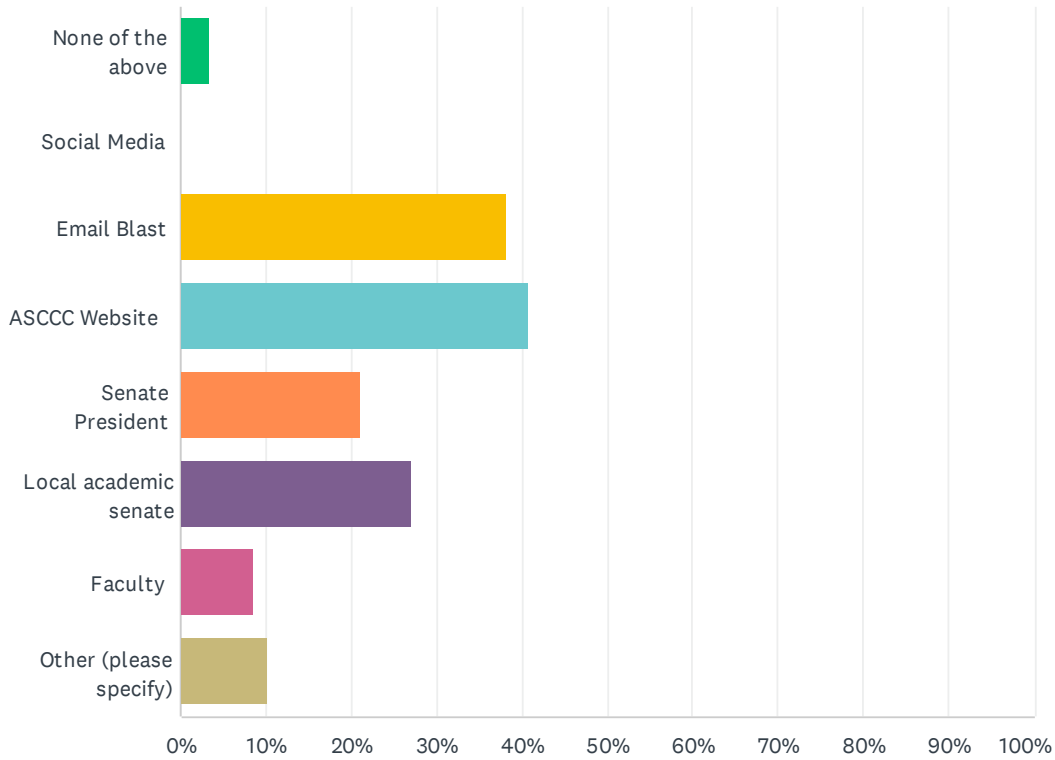
Answered: 271 Skipped: 18

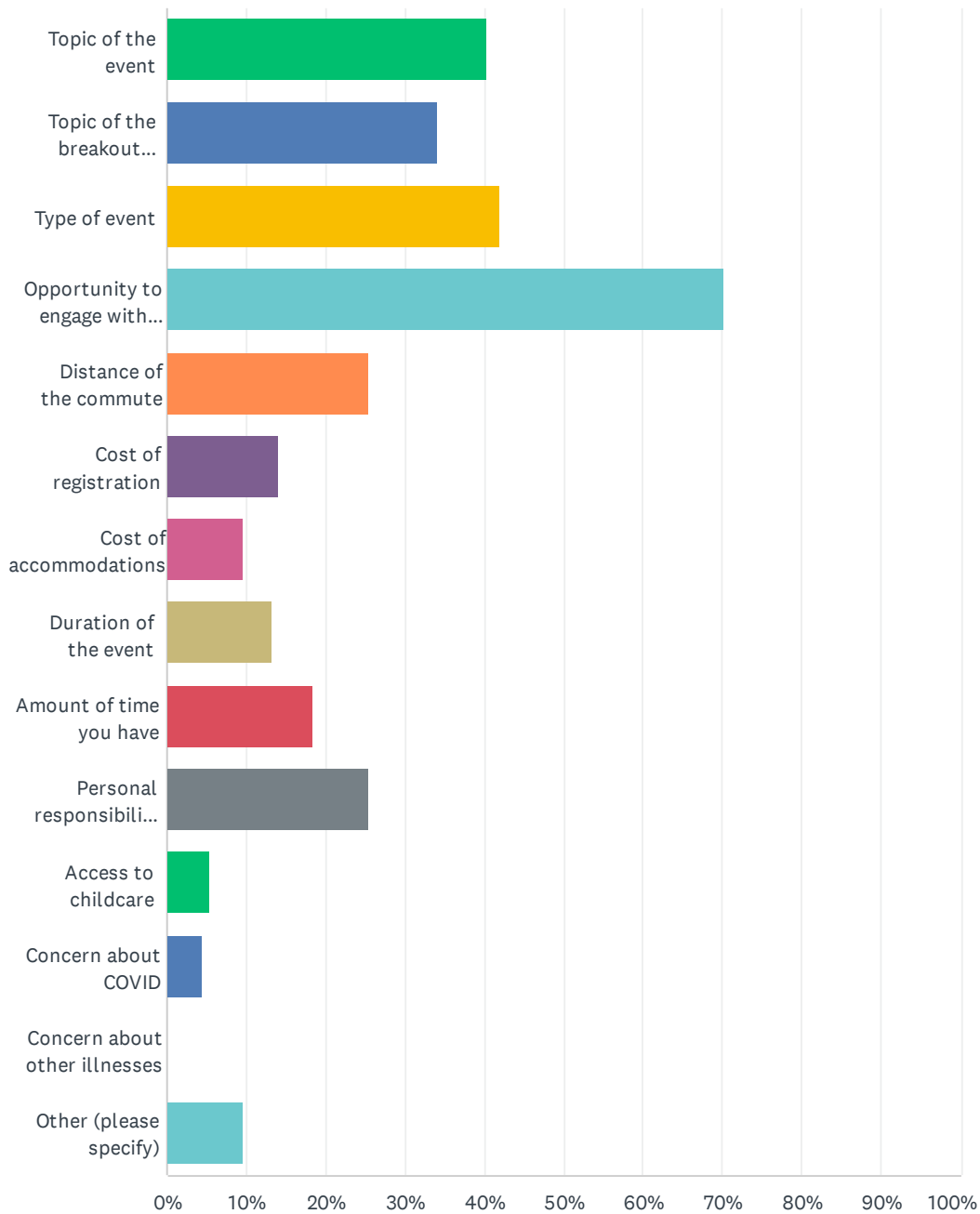| ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Curriculum Institute	23.62%	64
Spring Plenary Session	23.62%	64
Faculty Leadership Institute	7.38%	20
None	58.67%	159
Total Respondents: 271		

Q16 How did you hear about the event?

Answered: 118   Skipped: 171

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None of the above	3.39%	4
Social Media	0.00%	0
Email Blast	38.14%	45
ASCCC Website	40.68%	48
Senate President	21.19%	25
Local academic senate	27.12%	32
Faculty	8.47%	10
Other (please specify)	10.17%	12
Total Respondents: 118		

Q17 Select all the factors that informed your decision to attend in person?
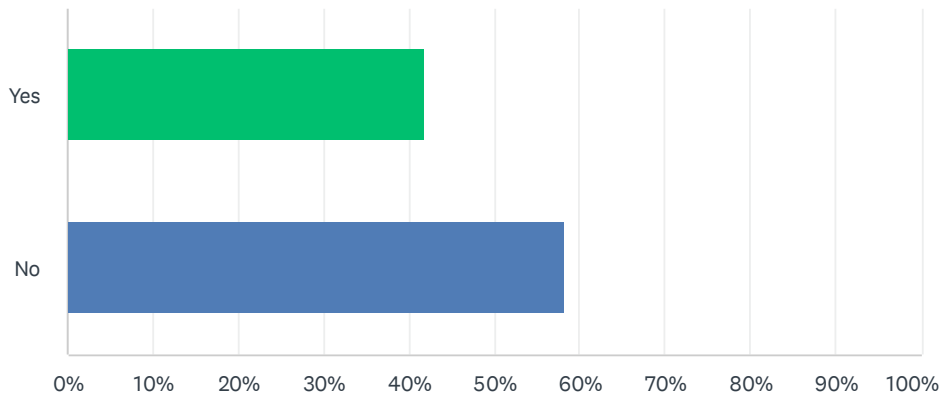
Answered: 114   Skipped: 175

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Topic of the event	40.35%	46
Topic of the breakout sessions	34.21%	39
Type of event	42.11%	48
Opportunity to engage with colleagues	70.18%	80
Distance of the commute	25.44%	29
Cost of registration	14.04%	16
Cost of accommodations	9.65%	11
Duration of the event	13.16%	15
Amount of time you have	18.42%	21
Personal responsibilities	25.44%	29
Access to childcare	5.26%	6
Concern about COVID	4.39%	5
Concern about other illnesses	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	9.65%	11
Total Respondents: 114		

Q18 Have you ever registered for an in-person event but at some point during the event, attended virtually instead?
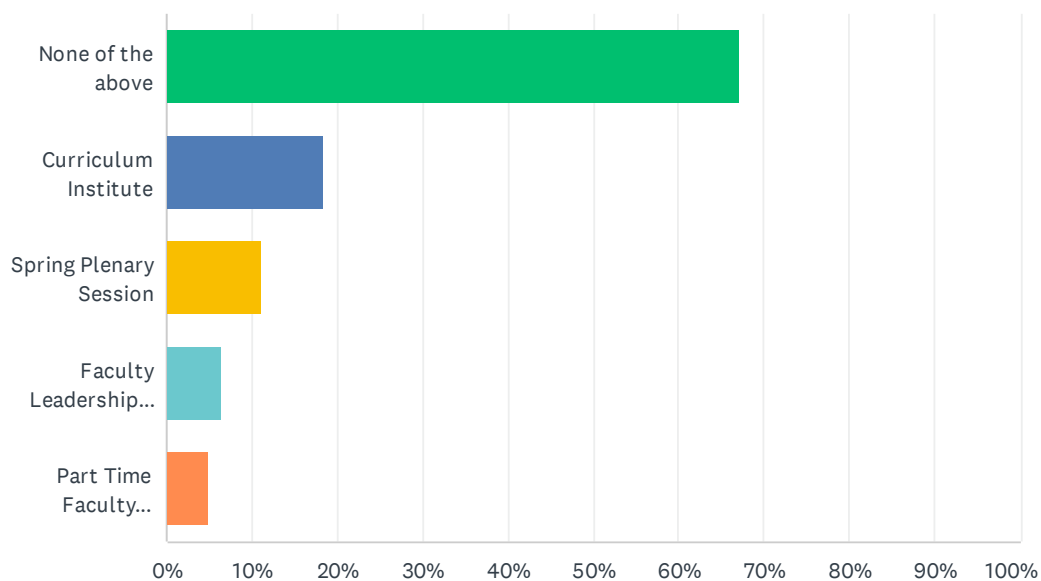
Answered: 115   Skipped: 174

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	41.74%	48
No	58.26%	67
TOTAL		115

Q19 Please describe what influenced you to alternate to the virtual platform?

Answered: 41　Skipped: 248

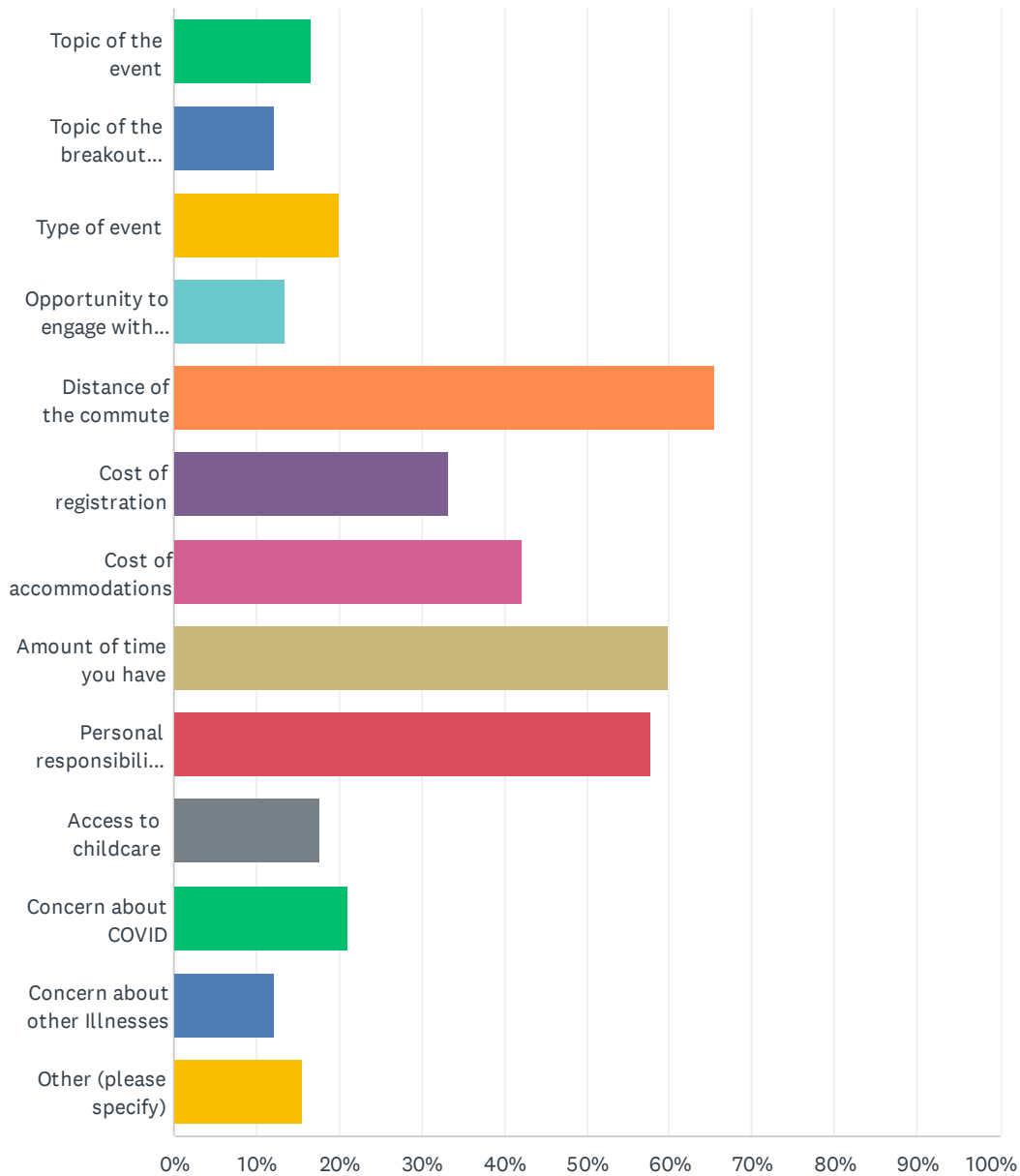# Q20 In 2023, which of the following events did you attend online only?

Answered: 268   Skipped: 21

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None of the above	67.16%	180
Curriculum Institute	18.28%	49
Spring Plenary Session	11.19%	30
Faculty Leadership Institute	6.34%	17
Part Time Faculty Regional Meeting	4.85%	13
Total Respondents: 268		

Q21 What factors informed your decision to attend virtually?
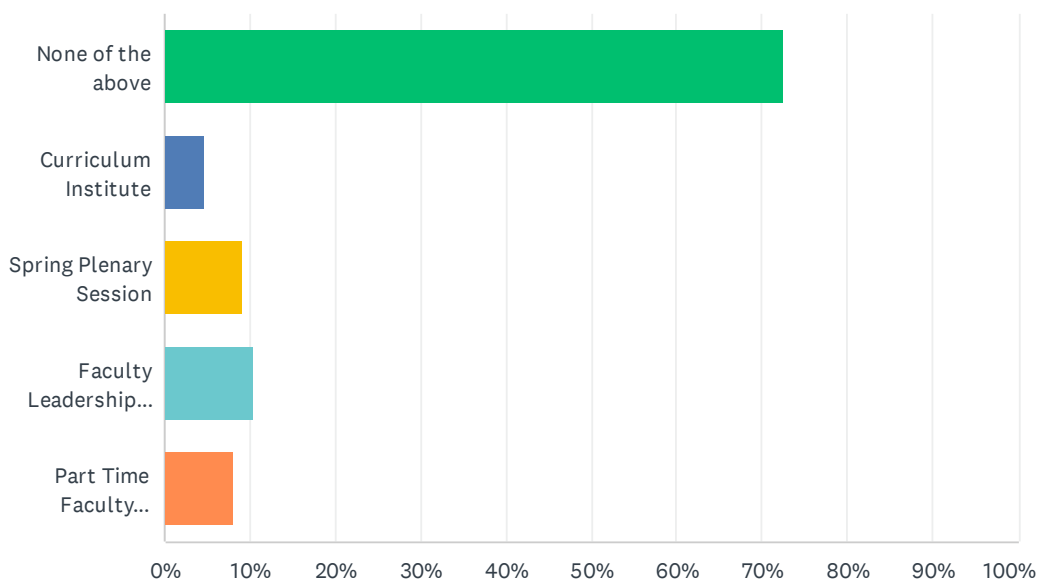
Answered: 90   Skipped: 199

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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Topic of the event	16.67%	15
Topic of the breakout sessions	12.22%	11
Type of event	20.00%	18
Opportunity to engage with colleagues	13.33%	12
Distance of the commute	65.56%	59
Cost of registration	33.33%	30
Cost of accommodations	42.22%	38
Amount of time you have	60.00%	54
Personal responsibilities	57.78%	52
Access to childcare	17.78%	16
Concern about COVID	21.11%	19
Concern about other Illnesses	12.22%	11
Other (please specify)	15.56%	14
Total Respondents: 90		

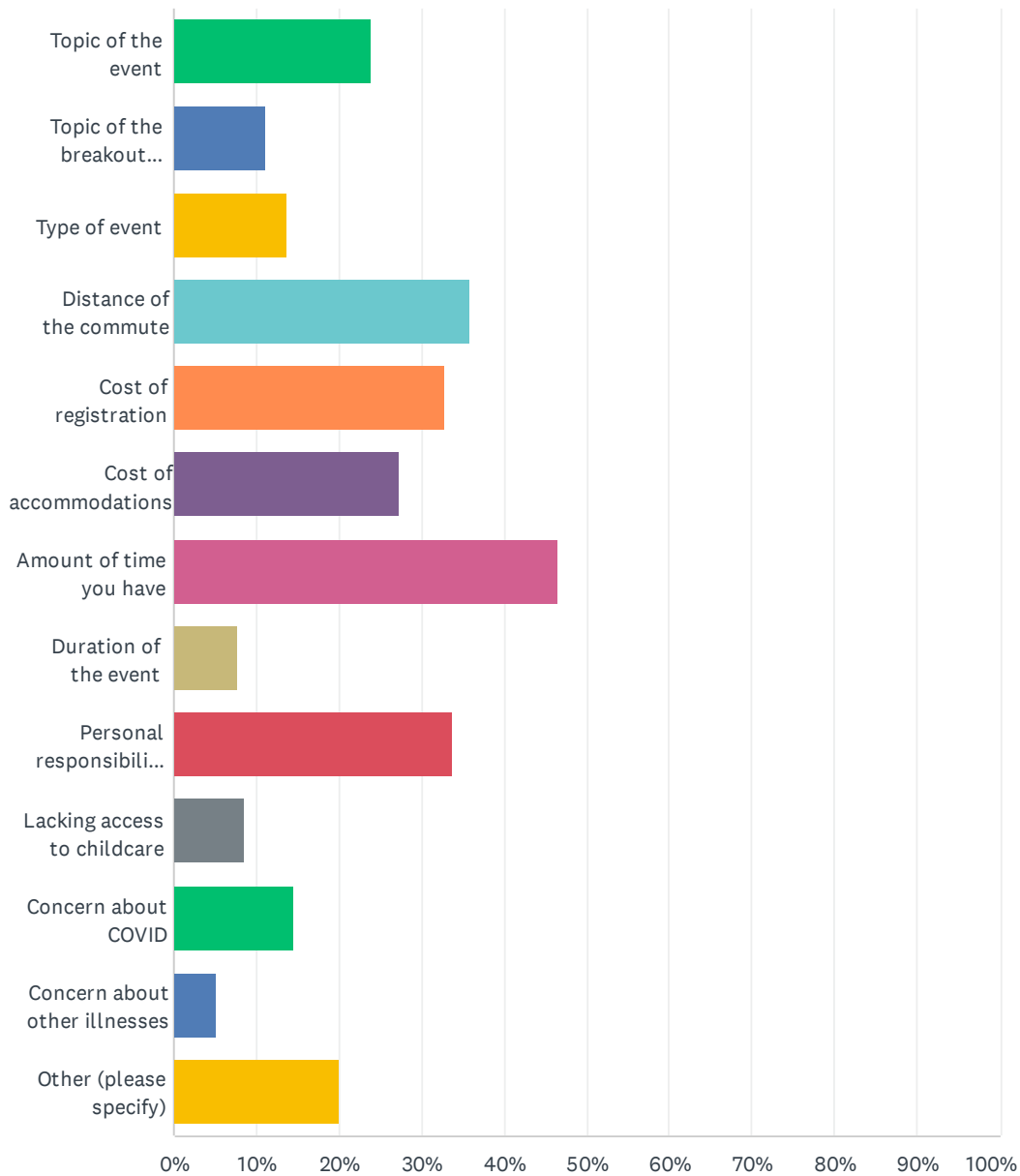# Q22 In 2023, was it your first time attending any of the following events?

Answered: 87   Skipped: 202

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
None of the above	72.41%	63
Curriculum Institute	4.60%	4
Spring Plenary Session	9.20%	8
Faculty Leadership Institute	10.34%	9
Part Time Faculty Regional Meeting	8.05%	7
Total Respondents: 87		

Q23 What factors informed your decision to not attend the events?
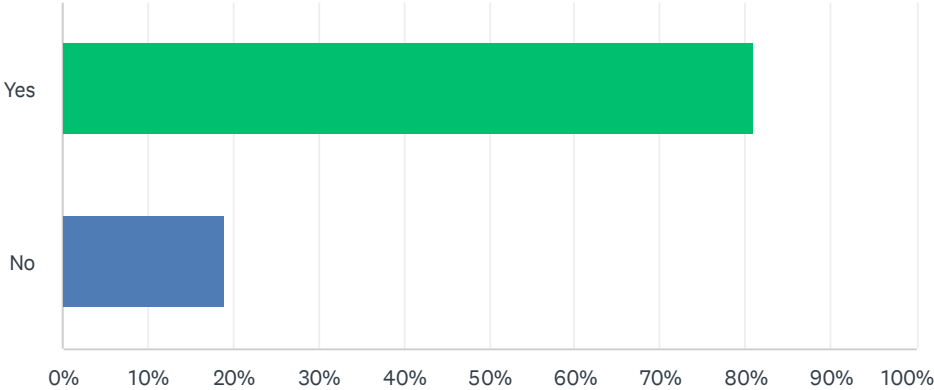
Answered: 234   Skipped: 55

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Topic of the event	23.93%	56
Topic of the breakout sessions	11.11%	26
Type of event	13.68%	32
Distance of the commute	35.90%	84
Cost of registration	32.91%	77
Cost of accommodations	27.35%	64
Amount of time you have	46.58%	109
Duration of the event	7.69%	18
Personal responsibilities	33.76%	79
Lacking access to childcare	8.55%	20
Concern about COVID	14.53%	34
Concern about other illnesses	5.13%	12
Other (please specify)	20.09%	47
Total Respondents: 234		

Q24 Does your college provide any financial support to attend ASCCC events?
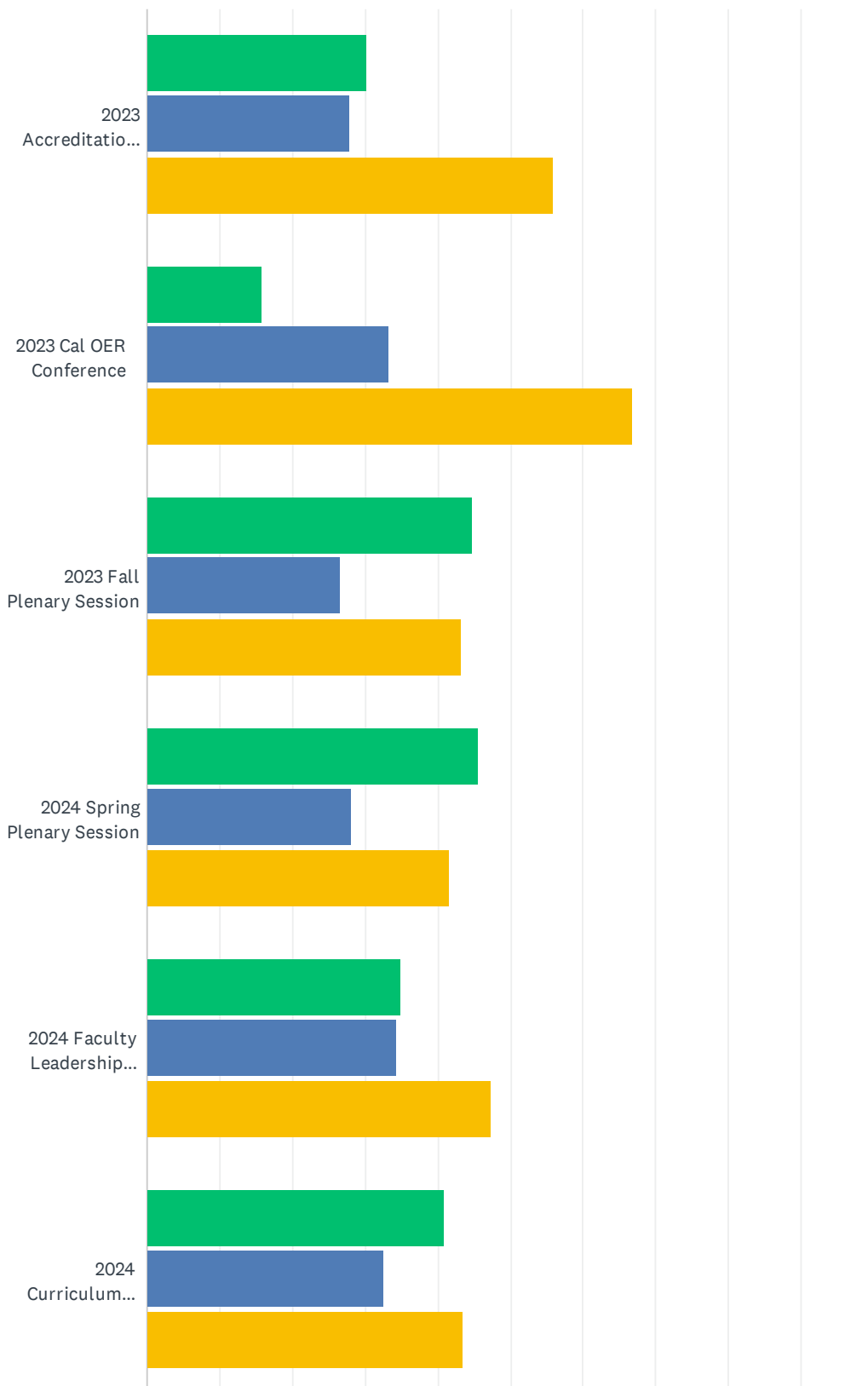
Answered: 257   Skipped: 32

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	80.93%	208
No	19.07%	49
TOTAL		257

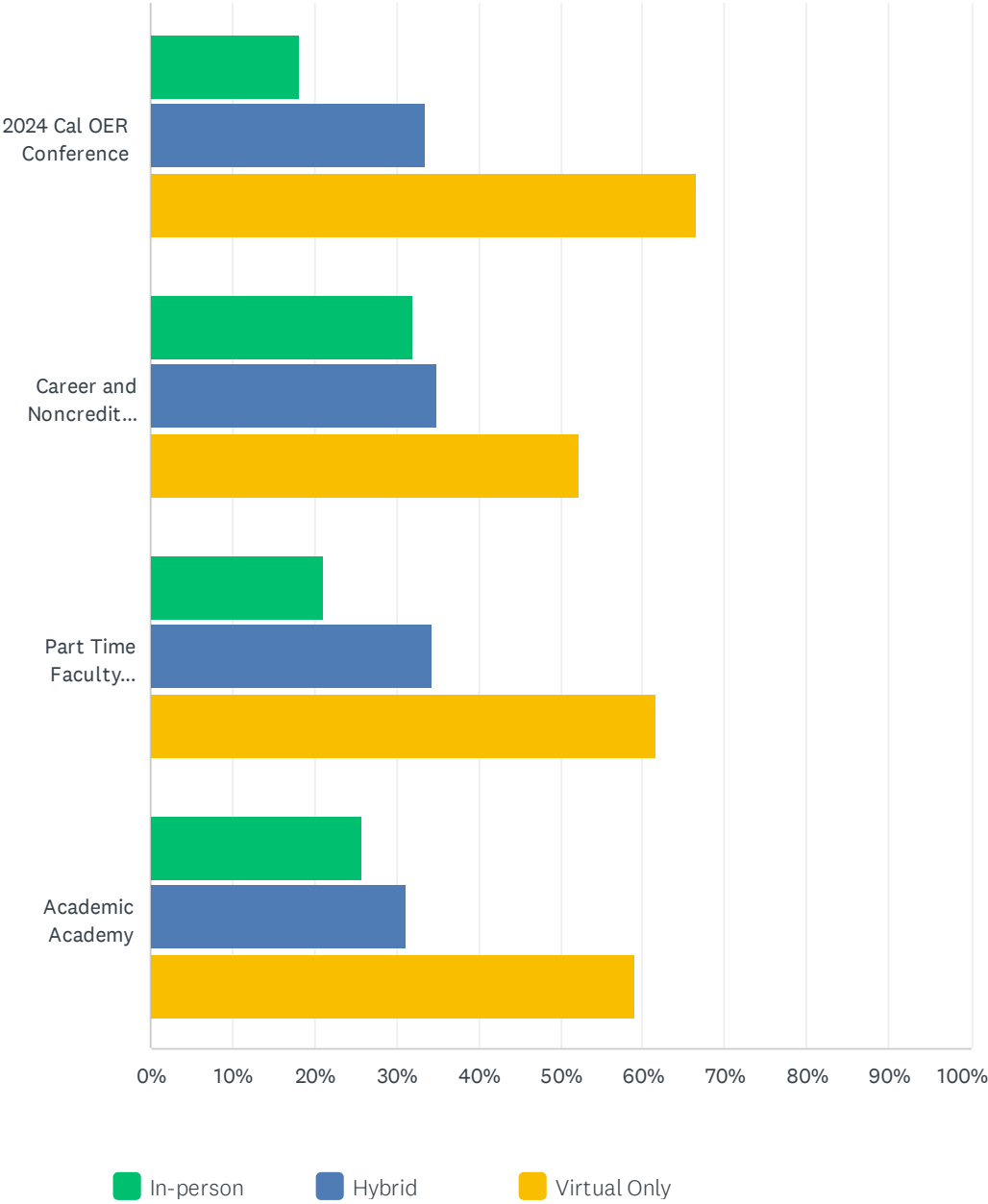## Q25 What kind of support does your college provide for attending events?

Answered: 177   Skipped: 112

Q26 Select the modality that you would most likely utilize to attend future events.

Answered: 251   Skipped: 38

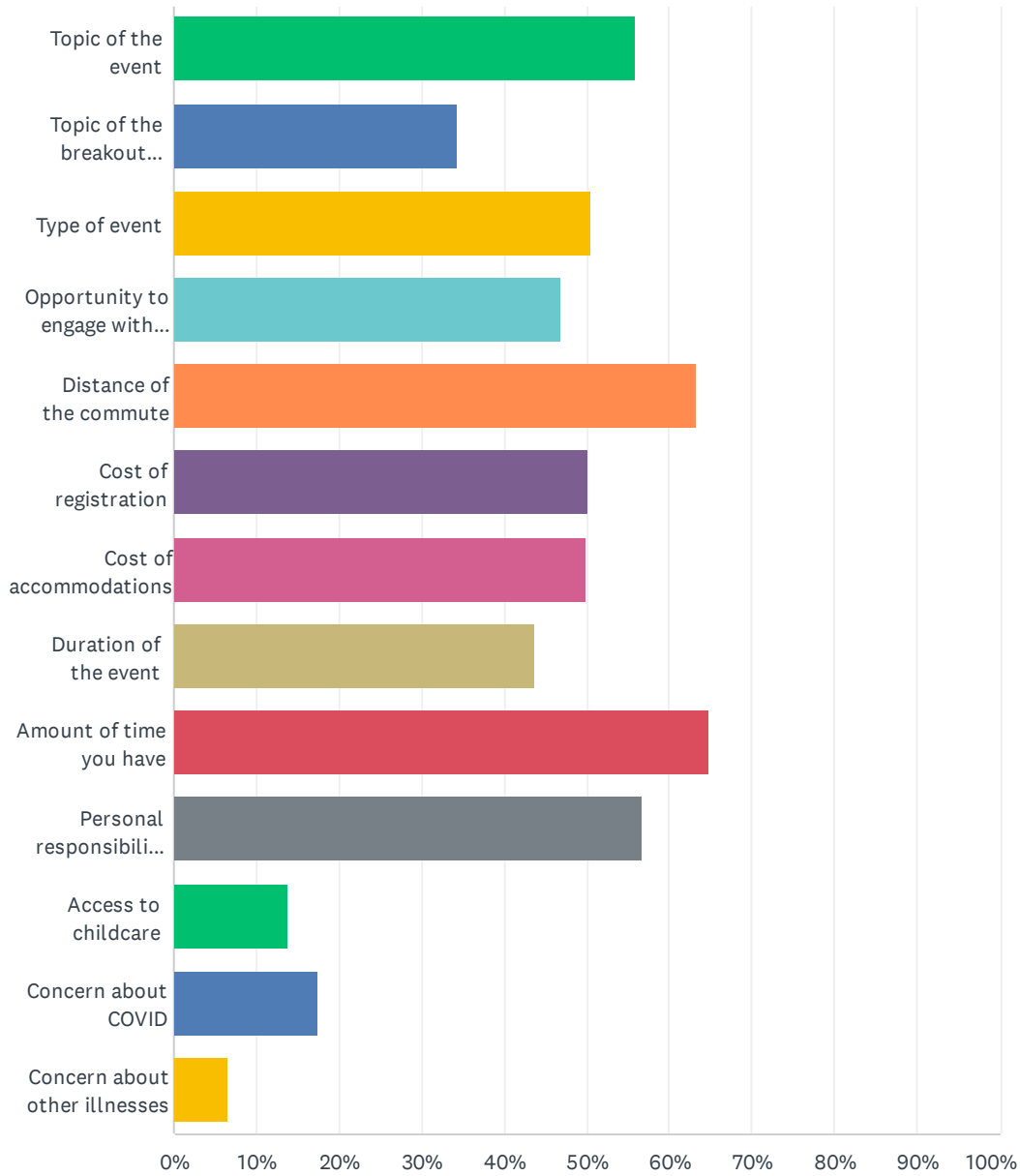# Academic Senate of California Community Colleges Event Modality Survey 2023

Legend: In-person · Hybrid · Virtual Only

Categories (top to bottom): 2024 Cal OER Conference, Career and Noncredit..., Part Time Faculty..., Academic Academy

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	IN-PERSON	HYBRID	VIRTUAL ONLY	TOTAL RESPONDENTS
2023 Accreditation Institute	30.36% 51	27.98% 47	55.95% 94	168
2023 Cal OER Conference	15.72% 25	33.33% 53	66.67% 106	159
2023 Fall Plenary Session	44.72% 89	26.63% 53	43.22% 86	199
2024 Spring Plenary Session	45.64% 89	28.21% 55	41.54% 81	195
2024 Faculty Leadership Institute	35.06% 54	34.42% 53	47.40% 73	154
2024 Curriculum Institute	40.98% 84	32.68% 67	43.41% 89	205
2024 Cal OER Conference	18.12% 27	33.56% 50	66.44% 99	149
Career and Noncredit Institute	32.09% 43	35.07% 47	52.24% 70	134
Part Time Faculty Regional	21.21% 21	34.34% 34	61.62% 61	99
Academic Academy	25.76% 34	31.06% 41	59.09% 78	132

	IN-PERSON	HYBRID	VIRTUAL ONLY	TOTAL RESPONDENTS

Q27 Select all the factors you consider when deciding which modality to use to attend events?

Answered: 245   Skipped: 44

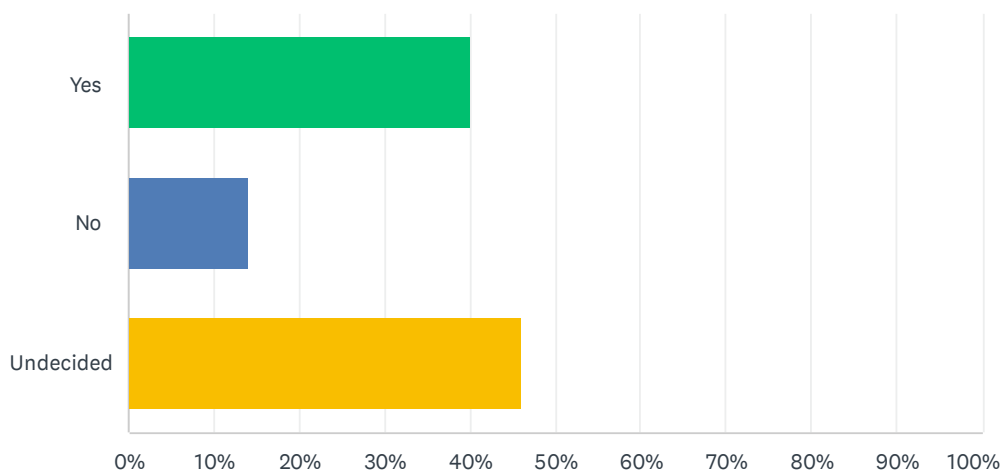# Academic Senate of California Community Colleges Event Modality Survey 2023

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Topic of the event	55.92%	137
Topic of the breakout sessions	34.29%	84
Type of event	50.61%	124
Opportunity to engage with colleagues	46.94%	115
Distance of the commute	63.27%	155
Cost of registration	50.20%	123
Cost of accommodations	49.80%	122
Duration of the event	43.67%	107
Amount of time you have	64.90%	159
Personal responsibilities	56.73%	139
Access to childcare	13.88%	34
Concern about COVID	17.55%	43
Concern about other illnesses	6.53%	16
Total Respondents: 245		

Q28 If Academic Academy became a virtual only event, would you attend?
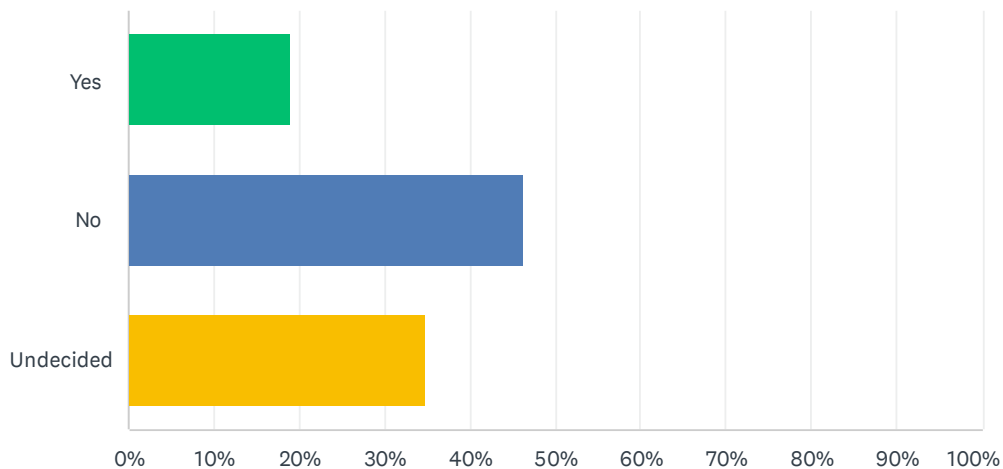
Answered: 250   Skipped: 39

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	40.00%	100
No	14.00%	35
Undecided	46.00%	115
TOTAL		250

Q29 Please describe the reasons for your decision.

Answered: 95   Skipped: 194

Q30 If the Part-Time Faculty Institute became a virtual only event, would you attend?
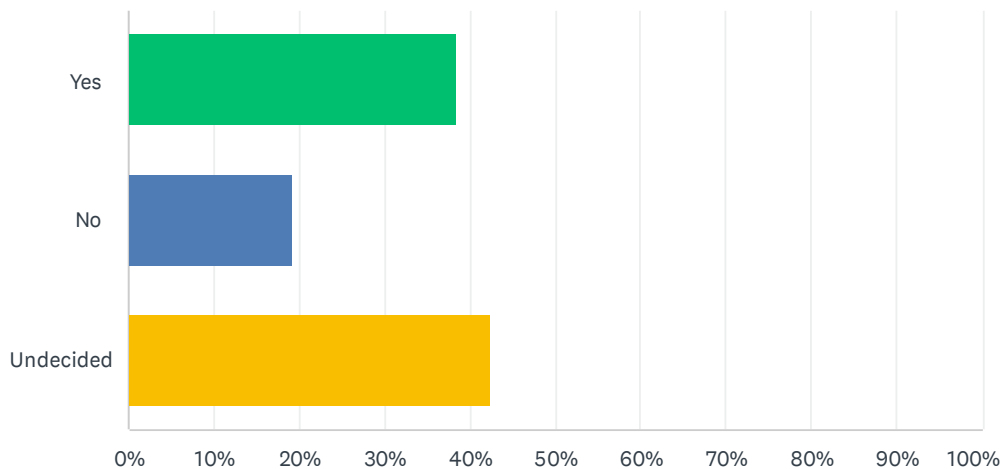
Answered: 227   Skipped: 62

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	18.94%	43
No	46.26%	105
Undecided	34.80%	79
TOTAL		227

Q31 Please describe the reasons for your decision.

Answered: 114   Skipped: 175

Q32 If Accreditation Institute became a virtual only event, would you attend?

Answered: 240   Skipped: 49

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	38.33%	92
No	19.17%	46
Undecided	42.50%	102
TOTAL		240

Q33 Please describe the reasons for your decision.

Answered: 97   Skipped: 192

Q34 Are there additional considerations you would like to share with the ASCCC regarding your preferences for participating in future events?

Answered: 108   Skipped: 181