

STUDENT INFORMATION PROJECT

Graduating Student Questionnaire 1998-1999 Profile of Participants

Total Number of Schools : 90
Total Number of Students : 3,009

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TABLE 1
Percent of Enrollment by Degree Program, Marital Status, and Gender

| Degree Program | Single | | | | Married | | | | Total # |
|---------------------------------|--------|-------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|------------|
| | Male | | Female | | Male | | Female | | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | |
| Pre-theology | 14 | 42.4 | 9 | 27.3 | 8 | 24.2 | 2 | 6.1 | 33 |
| M.Div. | 345 | 19.5 | 344 | 19.5 | 795 | 45.0 | 284 | 16.1 | 1768 |
| M.A. Professional/M.R.E./M.C.M. | 63 | 18.1 | 100 | 28.7 | 105 | 30.2 | 80 | 23.0 | 348 |
| M.A.R./M.T.S./M.A. (academic) | 69 | 19.6 | 90 | 25.6 | 127 | 36.1 | 66 | 18.8 | 352 |
| D.Min. | 11 | 11.0 | 11 | 11.0 | 74 | 74.0 | 4 | 4.0 | 100 |
| Ed.D./D.Miss./D.M.A. | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 33.3 | 3 |
| Th.M./S.T.M. | 21 | 20.6 | 18 | 17.6 | 51 | 50.0 | 12 | 11.8 | 102 |
| Ph.D./Th.D./S.T.D. | 8 | 10.8 | 10 | 13.5 | 44 | 59.5 | 12 | 16.2 | 74 |
| Non-degree special | 7 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 7 |
| Diploma/certificate | 7 | 7.2 | 21 | 21.6 | 37 | 38.1 | 32 | 33.0 | 97 |
| Other | 9 | 16.7 | 17 | 31.5 | 10 | 18.5 | 18 | 33.3 | 54 |
| - | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 554 | 18.9 | 621 | 21.1 | 1252 | 42.6 | 511 | 17.4 | 2938 |

| | Total | |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | # | % |
| Pre-theology | 33 | 1.1 |
| M.Div. | 1768 | 60.2 |
| M.A. Professional/M.R.E./M.C.M. | 348 | 11.8 |
| M.A.R./M.T.S./M.A. (academic) | 352 | 12.0 |
| D.Min. | 100 | 3.4 |
| Ed.D./D.Miss./D.M.A. | 3 | 0.1 |
| Th.M./S.T.M. | 102 | 3.5 |
| Ph.D./Th.D./S.T.D. | 74 | 2.5 |
| Non-degree special | 7 | 0.2 |
| Diploma/certificate | 97 | 3.3 |
| Other | 54 | 1.8 |
| - | | |
| Total | 2938 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 2
Year Begun Program and Academic Leave

| Year | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | | Total | |
|-------------|------|------|---------|------|------------|------|-------|------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Before 1993 | 96 | 41.6 | 28 | 12.1 | 107 | 46.3 | 231 | 10.1 |
| 1993 | 78 | 60.9 | 17 | 13.3 | 33 | 25.8 | 128 | 5.6 |
| 1994 | 157 | 69.8 | 16 | 7.1 | 52 | 23.1 | 225 | 9.8 |
| 1995 | 511 | 76.5 | 50 | 7.5 | 107 | 16.0 | 668 | 29.1 |
| 1996 | 773 | 74.2 | 97 | 9.3 | 172 | 16.5 | 1042 | 45.4 |

| | Total | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|------|
| | # | % |
| Academic Leave for a Term or More | 422 | 14.2 |

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TABLE 3
Enrollment by Racial/Ethnic Identity and Citizenship

| Degree Program | Asian | | Black | | Hispn | | NatAm | | NRes | | White | | Total |
|---------------------------------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|-----|------|------|-------|------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # |
| Pre-theology | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 3.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 3.1 | 30 | 93.8 | 32 |
| M.Div. | 137 | 7.8 | 151 | 8.6 | 43 | 2.5 | 9 | 0.5 | 17 | 1.0 | 1389 | 79.6 | 1746 |
| M.A. Professional/M.R.E./M.C.M. | 30 | 8.7 | 22 | 6.4 | 12 | 3.5 | 9 | 2.6 | 5 | 1.4 | 267 | 77.4 | 345 |
| M.A.R./M.T.S./M.A. (academic) | 37 | 10.7 | 35 | 10.1 | 7 | 2.0 | 1 | 0.3 | 6 | 1.7 | 261 | 75.2 | 347 |
| D.Min. | 7 | 6.9 | 6 | 5.9 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 87 | 86.1 | 101 |
| Ed.D./D.Miss./D.M.A. | 1 | 33.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 66.7 | 3 |
| Th.M./S.T.M. | 27 | 28.1 | 13 | 13.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 6 | 6.3 | 50 | 52.1 | 96 |
| Ph.D./Th.D./S.T.D. | 13 | 18.1 | 7 | 9.7 | 1 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 51 | 70.8 | 72 |
| Non-degree special | 1 | 14.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 14.3 | 5 | 71.4 | 7 |
| Diploma/certificate | 3 | 3.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 15 | 15.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1.0 | 78 | 80.4 | 97 |
| Other | 5 | 9.4 | 7 | 13.2 | 4 | 7.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 7.5 | 33 | 62.3 | 53 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 261 | 9.0 | 242 | 8.3 | 83 | 2.9 | 19 | 0.7 | 41 | 1.4 | 2253 | 77.7 | 2899 |

| Degree Program | Total | | Citizenship | |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------------|------------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Pre-theology | 32 | 1.1 | U.S. | 2530 85.3 |
| M.Div. | 1746 | 60.2 | Canadian | 143 4.8 |
| M.A. Professional/M.R.E./M.C.M. | 345 | 11.9 | Other | 293 9.9 |
| M.A.R./M.T.S./M.A. (academic) | 347 | 12.0 | - | |
| D.Min. | 101 | 3.5 | Total | 2966 100.0 |
| Ed.D./D.Miss./D.M.A. | 3 | 0.1 | | |
| Th.M./S.T.M. | 96 | 3.3 | | |
| Ph.D./Th.D./S.T.D. | 72 | 2.5 | | |
| Non-degree special | 7 | 0.2 | | |
| Diploma/certificate | 97 | 3.3 | | |
| Other | 53 | 1.8 | | |
| - | | | | |
| Total | 2899 | 100.0 | | |

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TABLE 4
Year of Birth, Marital Status, and Gender

M.Div.

| Year of Birth | Single | | | | Married | | | | Total | |
|---------------|--------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-------|-------|
| | Male | | Female | | Male | | Female | | # | % |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | | |
| Before 1941 | 0 | 0.0 | 9 | 23.7 | 15 | 39.5 | 14 | 36.8 | 38 | 2.2 |
| 1941-1950 | 20 | 8.2 | 69 | 28.4 | 90 | 37.0 | 64 | 26.3 | 243 | 13.9 |
| 1951-1960 | 41 | 9.6 | 85 | 20.0 | 205 | 48.2 | 94 | 22.1 | 425 | 24.3 |
| 1961-1970 | 151 | 25.2 | 96 | 16.0 | 295 | 49.2 | 58 | 9.7 | 600 | 34.4 |
| 1971-1980 | 126 | 28.6 | 79 | 18.0 | 183 | 41.6 | 52 | 11.8 | 440 | 25.2 |
| After 1980 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 338 | 19.4 | 338 | 19.4 | 788 | 45.1 | 282 | 16.2 | 1746 | 100.0 |

Professional M.A.

| Year of Birth | Single | | | | Married | | | | Total | |
|---------------|--------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-------|-------|
| | Male | | Female | | Male | | Female | | # | % |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | | |
| Before 1941 | 1 | 5.3 | 4 | 21.1 | 5 | 26.3 | 9 | 47.4 | 19 | 5.6 |
| 1941-1950 | 6 | 12.8 | 12 | 25.5 | 12 | 25.5 | 17 | 36.2 | 47 | 13.8 |
| 1951-1960 | 8 | 11.8 | 21 | 30.9 | 21 | 30.9 | 18 | 26.5 | 68 | 19.9 |
| 1961-1970 | 29 | 25.9 | 21 | 18.8 | 47 | 42.0 | 15 | 13.4 | 112 | 32.8 |
| 1971-1980 | 19 | 20.0 | 40 | 42.1 | 18 | 18.9 | 18 | 18.9 | 95 | 27.9 |
| After 1980 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 63 | 18.5 | 98 | 28.7 | 103 | 30.2 | 77 | 22.6 | 341 | 100.0 |

All Others

| Year of Birth | Single | | | | Married | | | | Total | |
|---------------|--------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-------|-------|
| | Male | | Female | | Male | | Female | | # | % |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | | |
| Before 1941 | 11 | 25.0 | 12 | 27.3 | 13 | 29.5 | 8 | 18.2 | 44 | 5.5 |
| 1941-1950 | 16 | 10.6 | 37 | 24.5 | 63 | 41.7 | 35 | 23.2 | 151 | 18.9 |
| 1951-1960 | 21 | 9.7 | 25 | 11.5 | 123 | 56.7 | 48 | 22.1 | 217 | 27.1 |
| 1961-1970 | 43 | 17.9 | 47 | 19.6 | 122 | 50.8 | 28 | 11.7 | 240 | 30.0 |
| 1971-1980 | 47 | 32.2 | 53 | 36.3 | 25 | 17.1 | 21 | 14.4 | 146 | 18.3 |
| After 1980 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 50.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 50.0 | 2 | 0.3 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 138 | 17.3 | 175 | 21.9 | 346 | 43.3 | 141 | 17.6 | 800 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 5
Year of Birth and Racial Identity

| Year of Birth | Asian | | Black | | Hispan | | NatAm | | NRes | | White | | Total # |
|---------------|-------|------|-------|------|--------|-----|-------|-----|------|-----|-------|-------|------------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | |
| Before 1941 | 7 | 6.8 | 14 | 13.6 | 3 | 2.9 | 2 | 1.9 | 2 | 1.9 | 75 | 72.8 | 103 |
| 1941-1950 | 19 | 4.4 | 45 | 10.3 | 8 | 1.8 | 1 | 0.2 | 3 | 0.7 | 359 | 82.5 | 435 |
| 1951-1960 | 63 | 9.0 | 88 | 12.5 | 21 | 3.0 | 5 | 0.7 | 14 | 2.0 | 511 | 72.8 | 702 |
| 1961-1970 | 114 | 11.9 | 70 | 7.3 | 37 | 3.9 | 3 | 0.3 | 15 | 1.6 | 719 | 75.1 | 958 |
| 1971-1980 | 51 | 7.6 | 25 | 3.7 | 11 | 1.6 | 8 | 1.2 | 5 | 0.7 | 574 | 85.2 | 674 |
| After 1980 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 100.0 | 2 |
| Total | 254 | 8.8 | 242 | 8.4 | 80 | 2.8 | 19 | 0.7 | 39 | 1.4 | 2240 | 77.9 | 2874 |

| | Total | |
|-------------|-------|-------|
| | # | % |
| Before 1941 | 103 | 3.6 |
| 1941-1950 | 435 | 15.1 |
| 1951-1960 | 702 | 24.4 |
| 1961-1970 | 958 | 33.3 |
| 1971-1980 | 674 | 23.5 |
| After 1980 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Total | 2874 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 6
Three Most Important Sources of Income

| Source of Income | M.Div. | | Prof. M.A. | | All Others | | * Total | |
|-------------------|--------|-------|------------|-------|------------|-------|---------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| On campus work | 320 | 7.0 | 45 | 5.4 | 149 | 7.9 | 514 | 7.1 |
| Off campus work | 1021 | 22.3 | 193 | 23.3 | 452 | 24.0 | 1666 | 22.9 |
| Spouse's Work | 729 | 15.9 | 120 | 14.5 | 301 | 16.0 | 1150 | 15.8 |
| Savings | 379 | 8.3 | 79 | 9.5 | 182 | 9.7 | 640 | 8.8 |
| Parents/family | 287 | 6.3 | 69 | 8.3 | 137 | 7.3 | 493 | 6.8 |
| Scholarship/grant | 872 | 19.1 | 103 | 12.4 | 253 | 13.4 | 1228 | 16.8 |
| Government loan | 498 | 10.9 | 108 | 13.0 | 178 | 9.5 | 784 | 10.8 |
| Other loan | 96 | 2.1 | 22 | 2.7 | 33 | 1.8 | 151 | 2.1 |
| Credit card | 98 | 2.1 | 22 | 2.7 | 40 | 2.1 | 160 | 2.2 |
| Other | 277 | 6.1 | 69 | 8.3 | 158 | 8.4 | 504 | 6.9 |
| - | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 4577 | 100.0 | 830 | 100.0 | 1883 | 100.0 | 7290 | 100.0 |

* Total number of responses

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TABLE 7
Hours of Work per Week at Paying Job

| Description | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | | Total | |
|----------------------------|------|------|---------|------|------------|------|-------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| No paying job | 333 | 18.8 | 82 | 23.6 | 165 | 20.0 | 580 | 19.7 |
| Fewer than 10 hours a week | 235 | 13.3 | 36 | 10.3 | 77 | 9.3 | 348 | 11.8 |
| 10 to 15 hours | 285 | 16.1 | 36 | 10.3 | 94 | 11.4 | 415 | 14.1 |
| 15 to 20 hours | 279 | 15.7 | 45 | 12.9 | 107 | 12.9 | 431 | 14.6 |
| More than 20 hours | 640 | 36.1 | 149 | 42.8 | 384 | 46.4 | 1173 | 39.8 |
| - | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 1772 | 60.1 | 348 | 11.8 | 827 | 28.1 | 2947 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 8
Number of Dependents by Gender and Marital Status

| No. of Dependents | Single | | | | Married | | | | Total | |
|-------------------|--------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-------|-------|
| | Male | | Female | | Male | | Female | | # | % |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | | |
| None | 524 | 32.8 | 542 | 33.9 | 295 | 18.4 | 239 | 14.9 | 1600 | 54.2 |
| One | 16 | 4.2 | 41 | 10.9 | 238 | 63.1 | 82 | 21.8 | 377 | 12.8 |
| Two | 8 | 1.9 | 33 | 7.8 | 271 | 63.8 | 113 | 26.6 | 425 | 14.4 |
| Three | 4 | 1.4 | 4 | 1.4 | 238 | 81.2 | 47 | 16.0 | 293 | 9.9 |
| Four or more | 4 | 1.6 | 6 | 2.3 | 215 | 83.3 | 33 | 12.8 | 258 | 8.7 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 556 | 18.8 | 626 | 21.2 | 1257 | 42.6 | 514 | 17.4 | 2953 | 100.0 |

TABLE 9
Hours of Work by Number of Dependents for M.Div. Students

| Hours of Work | Number of Dependents | | | | | | | | | | Total # |
|----------------------------|----------------------|-------|-----|-------|-----|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|------------|
| | None | | One | | Two | | Three | | Four or More | | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | |
| No paying job | 199 | 20.4 | 40 | 16.7 | 49 | 18.2 | 26 | 17.0 | 19 | 15.2 | 333 |
| Fewer than 10 hours a week | 156 | 16.0 | 24 | 10.0 | 31 | 11.5 | 12 | 7.8 | 11 | 8.8 | 234 |
| 10 to 15 hours | 192 | 19.7 | 37 | 15.5 | 28 | 10.4 | 13 | 8.5 | 13 | 10.4 | 283 |
| 15 to 20 hours | 162 | 16.6 | 42 | 17.6 | 38 | 14.1 | 17 | 11.1 | 18 | 14.4 | 277 |
| More than 20 hours | 268 | 27.4 | 96 | 40.2 | 123 | 45.7 | 85 | 55.6 | 64 | 51.2 | 636 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 977 | 100.0 | 239 | 100.0 | 269 | 100.0 | 153 | 100.0 | 125 | 100.0 | 1763 |

Hours of Work by Year Begun Program for M.Div. Students

| Hours of Work | Year Begun Program | | | | | | | | | | Total # | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------|-------|------------|-------|------|
| | Before 1993 | | 1993 | | 1994 | | 1995 | | 1996 | | | 1997 | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | | # | % |
| No paying job | 20 | 14.1 | 19 | 24.4 | 20 | 12.7 | 88 | 17.3 | 148 | 19.2 | 31 | 32.6 | 326 |
| Fewer than 10 hours a week | 18 | 12.7 | 5 | 6.4 | 17 | 10.8 | 58 | 11.4 | 123 | 16.0 | 14 | 14.7 | 235 |
| 10 to 15 hours | 17 | 12.0 | 2 | 2.6 | 15 | 9.6 | 88 | 17.3 | 145 | 18.8 | 14 | 14.7 | 281 |
| 15 to 20 hours | 14 | 9.9 | 8 | 10.3 | 16 | 10.2 | 81 | 15.9 | 142 | 18.4 | 14 | 14.7 | 275 |
| More than 20 hours | 73 | 51.4 | 44 | 56.4 | 89 | 56.7 | 195 | 38.2 | 212 | 27.5 | 22 | 23.2 | 635 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 142 | 100.0 | 78 | 100.0 | 157 | 100.0 | 510 | 100.0 | 770 | 100.0 | 95 | 100.0 | 1752 |

TABLE 10
Religious Tradition of Upbringing and Current Denomination

| Religious Traditions | Denomination of Upbringing | | Current Denomination | |
|---|----------------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Adventist, Seventh-day | 4 | 0.1 | 4 | 0.1 |
| Anglican Church of Canada | 12 | 0.4 | 7 | 0.2 |
| American Baptist Churches | 42 | 1.5 | 51 | 1.7 |
| Baptist General Conference | 19 | 0.7 | 23 | 0.8 |
| Conservative Baptist Assoc. | 19 | 0.7 | 21 | 0.7 |
| Independent Baptist | 25 | 0.9 | 20 | 0.7 |
| National Baptist Convention | 42 | 1.5 | 15 | 0.5 |
| North American Baptist Conference | 5 | 0.2 | 5 | 0.2 |
| Southern Baptist Convention | 302 | 10.8 | 258 | 8.7 |
| Baptist Other | 92 | 3.3 | 130 | 4.4 |
| Church of the Brethren | 17 | 0.6 | 18 | 0.6 |
| Christian Churches and Churches of Christ | 61 | 2.2 | 65 | 2.2 |
| Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) | 48 | 1.7 | 69 | 2.3 |
| Christian and Missionary Alliance | 22 | 0.8 | 43 | 1.5 |
| Churches of Christ | 48 | 1.7 | 58 | 2.0 |
| Church of God (Anderson, Indiana) | 15 | 0.5 | 17 | 0.6 |
| Church of the Nazarene | 49 | 1.7 | 56 | 1.9 |
| Episcopal | 95 | 3.4 | 168 | 5.7 |
| Evangelical Free Church of America | 23 | 0.8 | 46 | 1.6 |
| Friends, Religious Society of | 5 | 0.2 | 12 | 0.4 |
| Interdenominational/Multidenominational | 9 | 0.3 | 15 | 0.5 |
| Jewish | 8 | 0.3 | 6 | 0.2 |
| Evangelical Lutheran Church in America | 99 | 3.5 | 110 | 3.7 |
| Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod | 40 | 1.4 | 5 | 0.2 |
| Lutheran Church-Canada | 5 | 0.2 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Lutheran - Other | 16 | 0.6 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Mennonite | 35 | 1.2 | 37 | 1.3 |
| African Methodist Episcopal | 27 | 1.0 | 28 | 0.9 |
| United Methodist Church | 353 | 12.6 | 400 | 13.6 |
| Methodist, Other | 43 | 1.5 | 28 | 0.9 |
| Nondenominational | 42 | 1.5 | 73 | 2.5 |
| Orthodox Churches | 9 | 0.3 | 5 | 0.2 |
| Assemblies of God | 55 | 2.0 | 73 | 2.5 |
| Church of God (Cleveland, Tennessee) | 8 | 0.3 | 6 | 0.2 |
| Presbyterian Church in America | 26 | 0.9 | 55 | 1.9 |
| Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) | 218 | 7.8 | 284 | 9.6 |
| Presbyterian, Other | 96 | 3.4 | 78 | 2.6 |
| Christian Reformed Church | 9 | 0.3 | 10 | 0.3 |
| Reformed Church in America | 11 | 0.4 | 4 | 0.1 |
| Roman Catholic Church | 425 | 15.2 | 300 | 10.2 |
| Unitarian Universalist | 13 | 0.5 | 22 | 0.7 |
| United Church of Canada | 9 | 0.3 | 1 | 0.0 |
| United Church of Christ | 50 | 1.8 | 78 | 2.6 |
| Other denomination | 113 | 4.0 | 131 | 4.4 |
| Unaffiliated/No denomination | 139 | 5.0 | 112 | 3.8 |
| - | | | | |
| Total | 2803 | 100.0 | 2952 | 100.0 |

TABLE 11
Current Denomination and Plans for Ordination for M.Div. Students

| Religious Traditions | Current Denomination | | Plans for Ordination | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|-----|-------|-------|-------|----------|-------|
| | | | Yes | | No | | Undec | | Ordained | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Adventist, Seventh-day | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Anglican Church of Canada | 3 | 0.2 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| American Baptist Churches | 38 | 2.2 | 29 | 76.3 | 3 | 7.9 | 1 | 1.0 | 5 | 13.2 |
| Baptist General Conference | 11 | 0.6 | 8 | 72.7 | 1 | 9.1 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 9.1 |
| Conservative Baptist Assoc. | 7 | 0.4 | 4 | 57.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 2.0 | 1 | 14.3 |
| Independent Baptist | 6 | 0.3 | 4 | 66.7 | 1 | 16.7 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| National Baptist Convention | 4 | 0.2 | 2 | 50.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 50.0 |
| North American Baptist Conference | 3 | 0.2 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Southern Baptist Convention | 143 | 8.1 | 46 | 32.2 | 13 | 9.1 | 11 | 11.0 | 73 | 51.0 |
| Baptist Other | 73 | 4.2 | 41 | 56.2 | 10 | 13.7 | 6 | 6.0 | 16 | 21.9 |
| Church of the Brethren | 14 | 0.8 | 9 | 64.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 4.0 | 1 | 7.1 |
| Christian Churches and Churches of Christ | 26 | 1.5 | 5 | 19.2 | 1 | 3.8 | 3 | 3.0 | 17 | 65.4 |
| Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) | 51 | 2.9 | 39 | 76.5 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1.0 | 11 | 21.6 |
| Christian and Missionary Alliance | 25 | 1.4 | 14 | 56.0 | 4 | 16.0 | 4 | 4.0 | 3 | 12.0 |
| Churches of Christ | 24 | 1.4 | 16 | 66.7 | 5 | 20.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 3 | 12.5 |
| Church of God (Anderson, Indiana) | 7 | 0.4 | 5 | 71.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 2 | 28.6 |
| Church of the Nazarene | 37 | 2.1 | 27 | 73.0 | 1 | 2.7 | 3 | 3.0 | 6 | 16.2 |
| Episcopal | 112 | 6.4 | 78 | 70.3 | 8 | 7.2 | 10 | 10.0 | 15 | 13.5 |
| Evangelical Free Church of America | 23 | 1.3 | 17 | 73.9 | 1 | 4.3 | 5 | 5.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Friends, Religious Society of | 6 | 0.3 | 2 | 33.3 | 4 | 66.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Interdenominational/Multidenominational | 3 | 0.2 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 33.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 33.3 |
| Jewish | 3 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 3 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Evangelical Lutheran Church in America | 69 | 3.9 | 62 | 89.9 | 2 | 2.9 | 4 | 4.0 | 1 | 1.4 |
| Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lutheran Church-Canada | 1 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lutheran - Other | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Mennonite | 18 | 1.0 | 10 | 58.8 | 3 | 17.6 | 3 | 3.0 | 1 | 5.9 |
| African Methodist Episcopal | 19 | 1.1 | 6 | 31.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 13 | 68.4 |
| United Methodist Church | 337 | 19.2 | 257 | 76.5 | 6 | 1.8 | 8 | 8.0 | 65 | 19.3 |
| Methodist, Other | 12 | 0.7 | 4 | 33.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 1.0 | 7 | 58.3 |
| Nondenominational | 23 | 1.3 | 18 | 78.3 | 3 | 13.0 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 4.3 |
| Orthodox Churches | 3 | 0.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 33.3 |
| Assemblies of God | 30 | 1.7 | 15 | 50.0 | 2 | 6.7 | 4 | 4.0 | 9 | 30.0 |
| Church of God (Cleveland, Tennessee) | 1 | 0.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 1 | 100.0 |
| Presbyterian Church in America | 32 | 1.8 | 24 | 75.0 | 3 | 9.4 | 4 | 4.0 | 1 | 3.1 |
| Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) | 223 | 12.7 | 200 | 89.7 | 9 | 4.0 | 11 | 11.0 | 3 | 1.3 |
| Presbyterian, Other | 33 | 1.9 | 19 | 57.6 | 4 | 12.1 | 8 | 8.0 | 2 | 6.1 |
| Christian Reformed Church | 6 | 0.3 | 2 | 33.3 | 2 | 33.3 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 16.7 |
| Reformed Church in America | 3 | 0.2 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 33.3 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Roman Catholic Church | 123 | 7.0 | 86 | 72.9 | 20 | 16.9 | 3 | 3.0 | 9 | 7.6 |
| Unitarian Universalist | 22 | 1.3 | 20 | 90.9 | 1 | 4.5 | 1 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| United Church of Canada | 1 | 0.1 | 1 | 100.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| United Church of Christ | 65 | 3.7 | 62 | 95.4 | 1 | 1.5 | 1 | 1.0 | 1 | 1.5 |
| Other denomination | 68 | 3.9 | 41 | 61.2 | 8 | 11.9 | 4 | 4.0 | 14 | 20.9 |
| Unaffiliated/No denomination | 49 | 2.8 | 21 | 42.9 | 7 | 14.3 | 14 | 14.0 | 7 | 14.3 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 1757 | 100.0 | 1198 | 68.5 | 132 | 7.6 | 124 | 124.0 | 294 | 16.8 |

TABLE 12
Measure of Personal Growth After Theological Program

| | Male | | Female | | TOTAL | |
|---|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|
| | N = 1819 | | N = 1141 | | N = 2960 | |
| | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. |
| Empathy for the poor and oppressed | 3.8 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Ability to pray | 3.7 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 0.9 | 3.7 | 0.9 |
| Concern about social justice | 3.7 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 0.8 |
| Enthusiam for learning | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 |
| Insight into trouble of others | 4.0 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 0.7 | 4.0 | 0.7 |
| Desire to become an authority in my field | 3.8 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 0.9 |
| Trust in God | 4.1 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.8 |
| Self-discipline and focus | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Respect for other religious traditions | 3.9 | 0.8 | 4.0 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Respect for my own religious tradition | 3.9 | 0.9 | 3.9 | 1.0 | 3.9 | 0.9 |
| Ability to live one's faith in daily life | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Clarity of vocational goals | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 |
| Self-knowledge / self-confidence | 4.1 | 0.8 | 4.2 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.8 |
| Strength of spiritual life | 3.8 | 0.8 | 4.0 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.8 |

| | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|
| 1 - Much weaker | 2 - Weaker | 3 - About the same | 4 - Stronger | 5 - Much stronger |
|-----------------|------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|

TABLE 13
Level of Satisfaction with Progress in Skills Related to Future Work

| | MDiv N = 1765 | | Prof MA N = 326 | | All Others N = 763 | |
|--|------------------|------|--------------------|------|-----------------------|------|
| | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. |
| Ability to preach well | 4.1 | 0.8 | 3.6 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 0.8 |
| Ability to use and interpret Scripture | 4.3 | 0.7 | 4.0 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 0.7 |
| Knowledge of church policy/canon law | 3.8 | 0.8 | 3.6 | 0.8 | 3.6 | 0.8 |
| Ability to give spiritual direction | 3.9 | 0.8 | 4.0 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Ability to teach well | 4.0 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 0.8 |
| Knowledge of church doctrine and history | 4.0 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Ability to lead others | 4.1 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 0.7 | 4.0 | 0.7 |
| Ability to conduct worship/liturgy | 4.1 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 0.8 |
| Knowledge of other religious traditions | 3.7 | 0.9 | 3.6 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 0.8 |
| Knowledge of my own religious tradition | 4.1 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 0.8 | 4.0 | 0.8 |
| Ability to relate social issues to faith | 4.1 | 0.8 | 4.0 | 0.7 | 4.1 | 0.7 |
| Ability in pastoral counseling | 3.8 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 0.8 |
| Ability to administer a parish | 3.6 | 0.9 | 3.4 | 0.9 | 3.5 | 0.9 |
| Knowledge of Christian philosophy and ethics | 3.8 | 0.8 | 3.9 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 0.8 |
| Ability to think theologically | 4.3 | 0.7 | 4.2 | 0.6 | 4.2 | 0.7 |

| | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|
| 1 - Very dissatisfied | 2 - Somewhat dissatisfied | 3 - Neutral | 4 - Satisfied | 5 - Very Satisfied |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|

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TABLE 14
Change in Theological Position Since Beginning Program

| | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | | Total | |
|-------------------|------|-------|---------|-------|------------|-------|-------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| More conservative | 295 | 16.8 | 60 | 17.4 | 129 | 15.9 | 484 | 16.6 |
| Less conservative | 196 | 11.2 | 38 | 11.0 | 80 | 9.9 | 314 | 10.8 |
| More liberal | 532 | 30.3 | 76 | 22.1 | 207 | 25.5 | 815 | 28.0 |
| Less liberal | 37 | 2.1 | 4 | 1.2 | 9 | 1.1 | 50 | 1.7 |
| About the Same | 695 | 39.6 | 166 | 48.3 | 387 | 47.7 | 1248 | 42.9 |
| - | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 1755 | 100.0 | 344 | 100.0 | 812 | 100.0 | 2911 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 15
Importance of Field Education / Internship if Required

| | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | | Total | |
|----------------------|------|-------|---------|-------|------------|-------|-------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Not at all important | 31 | 1.9 | 6 | 2.4 | 7 | 2.5 | 44 | 2.0 |
| Of little importance | 83 | 5.0 | 15 | 6.0 | 11 | 4.0 | 109 | 5.0 |
| Somewhat important | 216 | 13.0 | 35 | 13.9 | 30 | 10.8 | 281 | 12.8 |
| Important | 469 | 28.2 | 61 | 24.3 | 82 | 29.5 | 612 | 27.9 |
| Very Important | 863 | 51.9 | 134 | 53.4 | 148 | 53.2 | 1145 | 52.3 |
| - | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 1662 | 100.0 | 251 | 100.0 | 278 | 100.0 | 2191 | 100.0 |

TABLE 16
Top Two Effects of Field Education / Internship if Required

| | M.Div. | | Prof. M.A. | | All Others | | * Total | |
|---|--------|-------|------------|-------|------------|-------|---------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Greater vocational clarity | 487 | 15.2 | 65 | 13.5 | 68 | 12.8 | 620 | 14.7 |
| Improved pastoral skills | 736 | 23.0 | 49 | 10.2 | 85 | 15.9 | 870 | 20.6 |
| Greater interest in future ministry | 225 | 7.0 | 34 | 7.1 | 45 | 8.4 | 304 | 7.2 |
| More self confidence | 463 | 14.5 | 89 | 18.5 | 72 | 13.5 | 624 | 14.8 |
| Greater sense of people's needs | 312 | 9.8 | 82 | 17.0 | 89 | 16.7 | 483 | 11.5 |
| Better idea of strengths and weaknesses | 632 | 19.8 | 104 | 21.6 | 101 | 18.9 | 837 | 19.9 |
| Greater self-understanding | 344 | 10.8 | 59 | 12.2 | 73 | 13.7 | 476 | 11.3 |
| - | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 3199 | 100.0 | 482 | 100.0 | 533 | 100.0 | 4214 | 100.0 |

* Total number of responses

TABLE 17
Overall Experience During Theological Program

| | MDiv N = 1756 | | Prof MA N = 344 | | All Others N = 808 | |
|---|------------------|------|--------------------|------|-----------------------|------|
| | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. |
| My gifts have been recognized in the school community | 3.6 | 1.0 | 3.6 | 0.9 | 3.6 | 0.9 |
| I have been able to get along financially | 3.8 | 0.9 | 3.7 | 0.9 | 3.7 | 0.9 |
| I have been satisfied with my academic experience here | 4.2 | 0.9 | 4.2 | 0.8 | 4.2 | 0.8 |
| The school has tried to be an inclusive community | 4.0 | 1.0 | 3.8 | 1.0 | 3.9 | 0.9 |
| My beliefs are respected | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.1 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.8 |
| I have grown spiritually | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.2 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.8 |
| I have gotten to know at least one faculty member well | 4.2 | 1.0 | 4.1 | 1.0 | 4.2 | 0.9 |
| My field education was a great experience | 4.0 | 1.1 | 3.9 | 1.0 | 3.7 | 1.0 |
| I have made good friends here | 4.3 | 0.8 | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.2 | 0.8 |
| Enough cultural and social events were available | 3.6 | 0.9 | 3.5 | 0.9 | 3.6 | 0.9 |
| Faculty were supportive and understanding | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.2 | 0.8 | 4.2 | 0.8 |
| I have gotten to know students from other ethnic groups | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.8 |
| My faith is stronger than when I came | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 |
| If I had it to do over again, I would still come here | 4.3 | 1.0 | 4.3 | 0.9 | 4.3 | 0.9 |

1 - Strongly disagree

2 - Disagree

3 - Neutral

4 - Agree

5 - Strongly Agree

TABLE 18
Level of Satisfaction with School's Services and Academic Resources

| | Male | | Female | | Total | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|------|----------|------|----------|------|
| | N = 1689 | | N = 1079 | | N = 2768 | |
| | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. | Mean | S.D. |
| Opportunities for cross-registration | 3.5 | 1.0 | 3.7 | 0.9 | 3.6 | 1.0 |
| Adequacy of library collection | 3.9 | 1.0 | 3.9 | 1.1 | 3.9 | 1.1 |
| Ease in scheduling required courses | 3.8 | 1.0 | 3.8 | 1.0 | 3.8 | 1.0 |
| Accessibility of faculty | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.1 | 0.9 |
| Quality of teaching | 4.2 | 0.9 | 4.3 | 0.8 | 4.2 | 0.8 |
| Class size | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.1 | 0.9 |
| Campus security | 3.8 | 1.0 | 3.8 | 0.9 | 3.8 | 0.9 |
| Financial aid | 3.7 | 1.1 | 3.7 | 1.1 | 3.7 | 1.1 |
| Housing | 3.5 | 1.0 | 3.5 | 1.1 | 3.5 | 1.1 |
| Child care | 3.0 | 0.8 | 2.9 | 0.8 | 3.0 | 0.8 |
| Extracurricular/cultural activities | 3.3 | 0.9 | 3.5 | 0.9 | 3.4 | 0.9 |
| Sports/exercise facilities | 3.2 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 1.1 |
| Food service | 3.3 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 1.1 | 3.3 | 1.1 |
| Upkeep of campus | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 4.0 | 0.9 |
| Helpfulness of administrative staff | 4.1 | 0.9 | 4.2 | 0.9 | 4.2 | 0.9 |
| Pastoral counseling | 3.6 | 1.0 | 3.5 | 1.1 | 3.6 | 1.0 |
| Psychological counseling | 3.4 | 0.9 | 3.4 | 1.1 | 3.4 | 1.0 |
| Academic advising | 3.6 | 1.0 | 3.7 | 1.1 | 3.7 | 1.0 |
| Placement services | 3.3 | 1.0 | 3.2 | 1.0 | 3.3 | 1.0 |
| Health services | 3.2 | 1.0 | 3.2 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 1.0 |
| Spiritual formation | 3.6 | 1.1 | 3.6 | 1.1 | 3.6 | 1.1 |

| | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|
| 1 - Very dissatisfied | 2 - Somewhat dissatisfied | 3 - Neutral | 4 - Satisfied | 5 - Very Satisfied |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------|---------------|--------------------|

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TABLE 19
Three Most Important Influences on Educational Experience

| | Male | | Female | | * Total | |
|----------------------------------|------|-------|--------|-------|---------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Relations with faculty | 746 | 14.1 | 409 | 12.4 | 1155 | 13.5 |
| Ecumenical interaction | 118 | 2.2 | 95 | 2.9 | 213 | 2.5 |
| Community life of school | 165 | 3.1 | 142 | 4.3 | 307 | 3.6 |
| Academic advising | 86 | 1.6 | 53 | 1.6 | 139 | 1.6 |
| Campus worship/liturgy | 150 | 2.8 | 163 | 5.0 | 313 | 3.6 |
| Field education/internship | 426 | 8.1 | 341 | 10.4 | 767 | 8.9 |
| Multi-ethnic/cultural contacts | 137 | 2.6 | 112 | 3.4 | 249 | 2.9 |
| Spiritual formation | 266 | 5.0 | 139 | 4.2 | 405 | 4.7 |
| Classroom discussion | 517 | 9.8 | 246 | 7.5 | 763 | 8.9 |
| Interaction with fellow students | 587 | 11.1 | 434 | 13.2 | 1021 | 11.9 |
| Required reading | 394 | 7.5 | 230 | 7.0 | 624 | 7.3 |
| Classroom teaching | 795 | 15.0 | 466 | 14.2 | 1261 | 14.7 |
| Library collection | 141 | 2.7 | 61 | 1.9 | 202 | 2.4 |
| Informal discussions | 179 | 3.4 | 89 | 2.7 | 268 | 3.1 |
| Required courses | 285 | 5.4 | 130 | 3.9 | 415 | 4.8 |
| Independent study project | 141 | 2.7 | 91 | 2.8 | 232 | 2.7 |
| Outside speakers | 74 | 1.4 | 31 | 0.9 | 105 | 1.2 |
| Other | 77 | 1.5 | 60 | 1.8 | 137 | 1.6 |
| - | | | | | | |
| Total | 5284 | 100.0 | 3292 | 100.0 | 8576 | 100.0 |

* Total number of responses

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TABLE 20
Prior Educational Debt & New Debt Incurred at Present Institution

| | Prior Debt | | | | | | New Debt | | | | | |
|----------------------|------------|-------|---------|-------|------------|-------|----------|-------|---------|-------|------------|-------|
| | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| None/Nothing | 690 | 39.6 | 135 | 39.6 | 430 | 53.4 | 1144 | 65.4 | 225 | 65.2 | 606 | 75.1 |
| Less than \$5,000 | 135 | 7.7 | 23 | 6.7 | 61 | 7.6 | 184 | 10.5 | 36 | 10.4 | 55 | 6.8 |
| \$5,000 to \$10,000 | 177 | 10.1 | 46 | 13.5 | 73 | 9.1 | 164 | 9.4 | 29 | 8.4 | 56 | 6.9 |
| \$10,000 to \$15,000 | 145 | 8.3 | 33 | 9.7 | 58 | 7.2 | 120 | 6.9 | 25 | 7.2 | 43 | 5.3 |
| \$15,000 to \$25,000 | 260 | 14.9 | 53 | 15.5 | 98 | 12.2 | 94 | 5.4 | 19 | 5.5 | 27 | 3.3 |
| More than \$25,000 | 337 | 19.3 | 51 | 15.0 | 85 | 10.6 | 44 | 2.5 | 11 | 3.2 | 20 | 2.5 |
| - | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 1744 | 100.0 | 341 | 100.0 | 805 | 100.0 | 1750 | 100.0 | 345 | 100.0 | 807 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 21
Estimate of Monthly Payments for Educational Debt

| | MDiv | | Prof MA | | All Others | |
|-------------------|------|-------|---------|-------|------------|-------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| None/Nothing | 609 | 35.4 | 130 | 38.2 | 405 | 52.5 |
| Less than \$100 | 113 | 6.6 | 28 | 8.2 | 42 | 5.4 |
| \$100 to \$250 | 419 | 24.4 | 88 | 25.9 | 145 | 18.8 |
| \$250 to \$500 | 431 | 25.1 | 67 | 19.7 | 131 | 17.0 |
| \$500 to \$1,000 | 136 | 7.9 | 25 | 7.4 | 41 | 5.3 |
| More than \$1,000 | 11 | 0.6 | 2 | 0.6 | 8 | 1.0 |
| - | | | | | | |
| Total | 1719 | 100.0 | 340 | 100.0 | 772 | 100.0 |

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TABLE 22
Full-time Position Expected After Graduation and Five Years Later for M.Div. Students

| | After Graduation | | | | In Five Years | | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|-------|--------|-------|---------------|-------|--------|-------|
| | Male | | Female | | Male | | Female | |
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % |
| Parish ministry | 689 | 61.4 | 329 | 53.8 | 584 | 52.9 | 289 | 48.2 |
| Campus ministry | 30 | 2.7 | 10 | 1.6 | 28 | 2.5 | 7 | 1.2 |
| Inner-city ministry | 18 | 1.6 | 11 | 1.8 | 22 | 2.0 | 13 | 2.2 |
| Pastoral counseling | 5 | 0.4 | 18 | 2.9 | 8 | 0.7 | 30 | 5.0 |
| Hospital or other chaplaincy | 24 | 2.1 | 56 | 9.2 | 30 | 2.7 | 41 | 6.8 |
| Secondary/prep school teaching | 8 | 0.7 | 2 | 0.3 | 4 | 0.4 | 3 | 0.5 |
| College/university teaching | 15 | 1.3 | 6 | 1.0 | 55 | 5.0 | 23 | 3.8 |
| Seminary teaching | 11 | 1.0 | 1 | 0.2 | 48 | 4.4 | 23 | 3.8 |
| Social work/services | 9 | 0.8 | 12 | 2.0 | 3 | 0.3 | 4 | 0.7 |
| Foreign missions | 38 | 3.4 | 14 | 2.3 | 79 | 7.2 | 17 | 2.8 |
| Home missions | 11 | 1.0 | 1 | 0.2 | 17 | 1.5 | 3 | 0.5 |
| Church planting/evangelism | 28 | 2.5 | 6 | 1.0 | 42 | 3.8 | 10 | 1.7 |
| Youth ministry | 67 | 6.0 | 15 | 2.5 | 35 | 3.2 | 8 | 1.3 |
| Church musician | 3 | 0.3 | 0 | 0.0 | 4 | 0.4 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Christian education | 17 | 1.5 | 14 | 2.3 | 8 | 0.7 | 9 | 1.5 |
| Spiritual direction | 4 | 0.4 | 2 | 0.3 | 9 | 0.8 | 12 | 2.0 |
| Social justice ministry | 7 | 0.6 | 20 | 3.3 | 19 | 1.7 | 36 | 6.0 |
| Further graduate study | 47 | 4.2 | 33 | 5.4 | 46 | 4.2 | 26 | 4.3 |
| Professional lay ministry | 9 | 0.8 | 7 | 1.1 | 2 | 0.2 | 4 | 0.7 |
| Undecided | 48 | 4.3 | 27 | 4.4 | 34 | 3.1 | 19 | 3.2 |
| Other | 34 | 3.0 | 27 | 4.4 | 26 | 2.4 | 23 | 3.8 |
| Total | 1122 | 100.0 | 611 | 100.0 | 1103 | 100.0 | 600 | 100.0 |

| | Yes | | No | |
|--------------------|-----|------|-----|------|
| | # | % | # | % |
| Offered a Position | 969 | 55.9 | 766 | 44.1 |