



STUDENT SATISFACTION WITH DOCTORATE STUDIES (first year of supervision)

In order to find out your opinion about your doctoral studies, below are a series of questions for you to express your level of satisfaction on a scale from 1 (very dissatisfied) to 5 (very satisfied).

1. PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS.

- 1. Previous studies.
 - a. Degree from the University of Zaragoza.
 - b. Degree from another Spanish university.
 - c. Degree from a foreign university.
- 2. Mode of study.
 - a. Full time.
 - b. Part-time.
- 3. Type of Thesis.
 - a. One-way thesis.
 - b. Co-directed thesis.
 - c. Co-authored thesis.
 - d. Thesis with international mention.
- 4. Source of funding (if applicable).
 - a. Pre-doctoral contract from a public administration (FPI, FPU, Government of Aragon, etc.).
 - b. Scholarship from an institution.
 - c. Contract in charge of a research group/project.
 - d. Employed by a company.
 - e. Another source of funding.
 - f. None.
- 5. If you ticked option (b) or (e) in the previous question, please indicate.

2. MAIN MOTIVATION FOR PURSUING DOCTORATE STUDIES (tick up to two options).

- 6. Possibility of pursuing an academic career at university level.
- 7. Possibility of pursuing a research career.
- 8. Increasing employability.
- 9. Deepening knowledge.
- 10. Eventual unemployment.
- 11. Other.

MOTIVATION FOR CHOOSING THE CURRENT DOCTORATE PROGRAMME AT UZ (<u>tick up to two options</u>).

- 12. The interest of the subject matter.
- 13. The prestige of research groups.
- 14. It is the only academic offer on the subject.
- 15. Proximity to my place of residence.
- 16. Other.

4. DEVELOPMENT OF THE THESIS. RESEARCH PLAN AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES (rate from 1 to 5).

- 17. Training complements assigned, if applicable, by the Academic Committee on admission (Answer only if they have been carried out).
- 18. Usefulness of the research plan and the annual evaluation for the planning and development of the thesis.
- 19. Offer of the transversal activities of the Doctoral School (Answer only if you have taken them)
- 20. Offer of the specific activities of the programme.
- 21. Usefulness of the activities carried out for your training as a researcher.
- 22. Activities that would be considered interesting to pursue.

5. DEVELOPMENT OF THE THESIS. RESEARCH INTERNSHIPS (value from 1 to 5).

- 23. Accessibility / choice of different research stay(s) options.
- 24. Utility of the research stay(s) undertaken.
- 25. Funding for the stay(s), if received.

6. OVERALL SATISFACTION (rate from 1 to 5).

- 26. Satisfaction with the scientific results obtained (publications, contributions to conferences, etc.).
- 27. Satisfaction with the funding received for the PhD, if any.
- 28. Satisfaction with how your thesis has been conducted.
- 29. Satisfaction with the doctoral programme (organisation, information, etc.).
- 30. Satisfaction with the work of the Doctoral School.
- 31. Satisfaction with the accessibility of information and its dissemination and communication (school and programme websites, communication channels, social networks, etc.).
- 32. Satisfaction with the admission process to the doctoral programme.
- 33. Positive highlights.
- 34. Aspects that could be improved.

7. SATISFACTION/PERSONAL VALUATION (<u>rate from 1 to 5</u>).

- 35. Satisfaction with the working environment.
- 36. Integration in the research group.
- 37. Satisfaction with the established network of professional contacts.
- 38. Satisfaction with the relationship established with the thesis supervisor.
- 39. Satisfaction with the relationship established with the thesis tutor (if different from the supervisor).
- 40. Dedication required to complete the thesis.
- 41. Personal assessment of the experience.
- 42. Other comments you may wish to make.



STUDENT SATISFACTION WITH DOCTORATE STUDIES (third year and fifth year of part-time supervision)

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- 1. Previous studies.
 - a. Degree from the University of Zaragoza.
 - b. Degree from another Spanish university.
 - c. Degree from a foreign university.
- 2. Mode of study.
 - a. Full time.
 - b. Part-time.
- 3. Type of Thesis.
 - a. One-way thesis.
 - b. Co-directed thesis.
 - c. Co-authored thesis.
 - d. Thesis with international mention.
- 4. Source of funding (if applicable).
 - a. Pre-doctoral contract from a public administration (FPI, FPU, Government of Aragon, etc.).
 - b. Scholarship from an institution.
 - c. Contract in charge of a research group/project.
 - d. Employed by a company.
 - e. Another source of funding.
 - f. None.
- 5. If you ticked option (b) or (e) in the previous question, please indicate.

2. DEVELOPMENT OF THE THESIS. RESEARCH PLAN AND TRAINING ACTIVITIES (rate from 1 to 5).

- 6. Training complements assigned, if applicable, by the Academic Committee on admission (Answer only if they have been carried out).
- 7. Usefulness of the research plan and the annual evaluation for the planning and development of the thesis.
- 8. Offering of the transversal activities of the Doctoral School (answer only if you have taken them)
- 9. Offer of the specific activities of the programme.
- 10. Usefulness of the activities carried out for your training as a researcher.
- 11. Activities that would be considered interesting to pursue.

3. DEVELOPMENT OF THE THESIS. RESEARCH INTERNSHIPS (rate from 1 to 5).

- 12. Accessibility / choice of different research stay(s) options.
- 13. Utility of the research stay(s) undertaken.
- 14. Funding for the stay(s), if received.

4. OVERALL SATISFACTION (rate from 1 to 5).

- 15. Satisfaction with the scientific results obtained (publications, contributions to conferences, etc.).
- 16. Satisfaction with the funding received for the PhD, if any.
- 17. Satisfaction with how your thesis has been conducted.
- 18. Satisfaction with the doctoral programme (organisation, information, etc.).
- 19. Satisfaction with the work of the Doctoral School.
- 20. Satisfaction with the accessibility of information and its dissemination and communication (school and programme websites, communication channels, social networks, etc.).
- 21. Satisfaction with the process of admission of the thesis, deposit and defence of the doctoral thesis (answer only if it has been carried out).
- 22. Positive highlights.
- 23. Aspects that could be improved.

5. SATISFACTION/PERSONAL VALUATION (rate from 1 to 5).

- 24. Satisfaction with the working environment.
- 25. Integration in the research group.
- 26. Satisfaction with the established network of professional contacts.
- 27. Satisfaction with the relationship established with the thesis supervisor.
- 28. Satisfaction with the relationship established with the thesis supervisor (if different from the supervisor).
- 29. Dedication required to complete the thesis.
- 30. Personal assessment of the experience.
- 31. Other comments you may wish to make.