

Appendix 38. Q19: How much did your education at Troy University add to your knowledge, abilities, and skills in each of the following areas? (Troy)

Comparison: Summer 2006 vs. Summer 2005

| Knowledge, Abilities, and Skills | Very much/Quite a lot | | | Some/Very Little | | |
|---|-----------------------|-------|-------|------------------|-------|--------|
| | SU06 | SU05 | Diff | SU06 | SU05 | Diff |
| Ability to obtain employment in your field | 73.0% | 59.9% | 13.1% | 27.0% | 40.1% | -13.1% |
| Ability to work with others | 81.0% | 77.8% | 3.2% | 19.0% | 22.3% | -3.3% |
| Leadership skills | 79.0% | 77.0% | 2.0% | 21.0% | 23.0% | -2.0% |
| Ability to adjust to new job demands and situations | 79.0% | 78.5% | 0.5% | 21.0% | 21.5% | -0.5% |
| Global cultural differences and diversity | 69.0% | 68.3% | 0.7% | 31.0% | 31.8% | -0.8% |
| Planning and project management | 77.9% | 72.6% | 5.3% | 22.1% | 27.4% | -5.3% |
| Oral communication | 82.4% | 74.4% | 8.0% | 17.6% | 25.6% | -8.0% |
| Reading comprehension | 82.5% | | | 17.5% | | |
| Writing competency | 81.0% | 79.6% | 1.4% | 19.0% | 20.4% | -1.4% |
| Listening skills | 78.0% | 72.7% | 5.3% | 22.0% | 27.3% | -5.3% |
| Multi-media presentation skills | 68.8% | 65.0% | 3.8% | 31.2% | 35.0% | -3.8% |
| Problem solving skills | 79.8% | 76.3% | 3.5% | 20.2% | 23.8% | -3.6% |
| Information technology | 65.7% | 61.3% | 4.4% | 34.3% | 38.7% | -4.4% |
| Mathematical skills and concepts | 62.2% | 50.3% | 11.9% | 37.8% | 49.6% | -11.8% |
| Understanding and appreciating the arts | 54.4% | 54.3% | 0.1% | 45.6% | 45.7% | -0.1% |
| Scientific principles and methods | 56.1% | 58.0% | -1.9% | 43.9% | 42.0% | 1.9% |
| Critical and creative thinking | 80.0% | 78.1% | 1.9% | 20.0% | 21.9% | -1.9% |