

Student Evaluation Form

University of Texas Libraries/School of Information Mentor Program (Fall 2006)

Please complete the following questionnaire so we may improve the UT Libraries/School of Information Mentor Program. Where numbered responses are indicated, please use pen or pencil to fill in the circle of the appropriate number. Additional comments may be reported in Item 14.

1. Approximately how many hours did you spend with your mentor?

- ① 1 - 2
- ② 3 - 4
- ③ 5 - 6
- ④ 7 - 8
- ⑤ More than 8

2. The librarian who served as my mentor was an appropriate match.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree
- ③ Somewhat agree
- ④ Agree
- ⑤ Strongly agree

3. I was matched with a librarian who provided information I can use in my career development.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree
- ③ Somewhat agree
- ④ Agree
- ⑤ Strongly agree

4. It is a good idea for students to have at least one semester of GSLIS work prior to entering the mentor program.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree
- ③ Somewhat agree
- ④ Agree
- ⑤ Strongly agree

5. The orientation/lunch is a good way to start the mentor/student relationship.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree
- ③ Somewhat agree
- ④ Agree
- ⑤ Strongly agree

6. I will recommend the mentor program to other students as a beneficial experience.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree

③ Somewhat agree

④ Agree

⑤ Strongly agree

7. My overall experience with the mentor program was a rewarding and positive experience.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree
- ③ Somewhat agree
- ④ Agree
- ⑤ Strongly agree

8. The mentor program should be continued.

- ① Strongly disagree
- ② Disagree
- ③ Somewhat agree
- ④ Agree
- ⑤ Strongly agree

9. Based upon my experience, I believe the optimum number of hours a mentor and student should spend together is about:

- ① 1 - 2
- ② 3 - 4
- ③ 5 - 6
- ④ 7 - 8
- ⑤ More than 8

10. In what type of activities did you participate? (Mark all that apply.)

- ① Orientation
- ② Group tours or individual tours of facilities
- ③ Discussions about career requirements
- ④ Discussions about hiring practices
- ⑤ Attendance at committee/team meetings
- ⑥ Demonstrations of library procedures
- ⑦ Lunches/coffees with library employees
- ⑧ Reviews of day-to-day operations
- ⑨ Discussions about appropriate coursework
- ⑩ Other: _____

(Please continue on the reverse side.)

11. What about the mentor program did you feel was the most benefit to you personally?

12. What about the mentor program was the least beneficial?

13. What do you wish you had been able to do during your time in the mentor program?

14. Additional comments:

***Return the completed questionnaire to:
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place it in the Career Services mailbox in SZB 564.***