

Vytautas Magnus University Alumni Survey Results: Studies from the Alumni Perspective

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Survey Purpose and Respondents

The survey of alumni was conducted in June and July 2023.

The goal was to determine the opinion of Vytautas Magnus University (further – University, VMU) alumni in 2022 about studies and their preparation for professional activities.

Respondents: VMU students who had studied in bachelor, master, integrated and professional study programmes and were surveyed one year after graduation.

The respondents' answers about their studies are presented below.

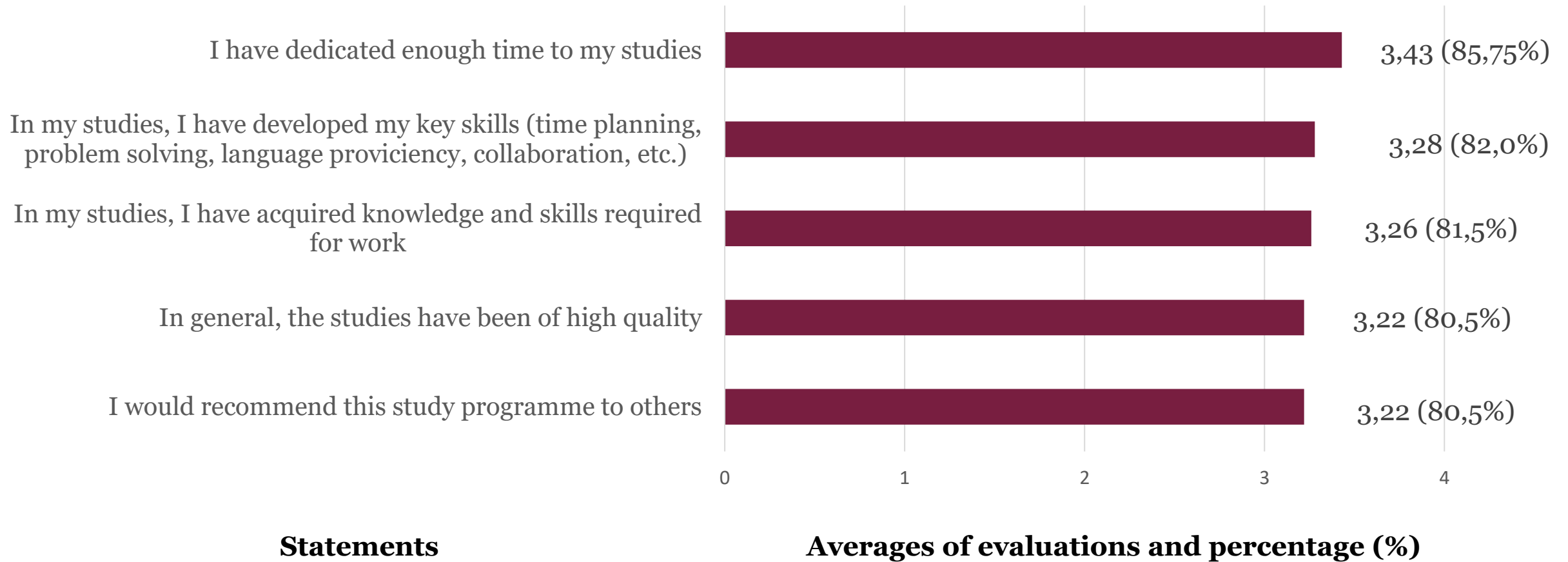
151 alumni (8,19% of VMU alumni) completed the survey – 70 of bachelor, 60 master, 11 integrated and 10 professional studies alumni.

Respondents in Faculties, Academies

Faculty, Academy	Number of respondents	Number of alumni	Percentage of surveyed alumni
1. Faculty of Economics and Management (FEM)	7	181	3,72%
2. Faculty of Natural Sciences (FNS)	0	131	0%
3. Faculty of Humanities (FH)	17	218	7,79%
4. Faculty of Informatics (FI)	8	52	15,38%
5. Faculty of Catholic Theology (FCT)	0	35	0%
6. Faculty of Arts (FA)	13	49	26,53%
7. Music Academy (MA)	10	87	11,49%
8. Faculty of Political Science and Diplomacy (FPSD)	13	149	8,72%
9. Faculty of Social Sciences (FSS)	23	178	12,92%
10. Education Academy (EA)	15	311	4,82%
11. Faculty of Law (FL)	22	69	31,88%
12. Agriculture Academy (AA)	23	375	6,13%
In total:	151	1842	8,19%

Summarised Evaluation of Studies

5 statements, answers from "agree" – 4 to "disagree" – 1; "I do not know, hard to say" (0) – eliminated.



Summary of Alumni Comments (1):

What did you like most about studying at VMU?

Wide choice of foreign languages and encouragement to learn them, possibility to study minor studies or exchange programmes at universities abroad.

Involving lectures, variety of practical activities, wide range of library resources.

Flexible study timetable allows to plan and combine studies and work, internships as well as other university activities.

Competent, professional teachers, international lecturers and invited guest experts.

Modern, welcoming, creativity-enhancing and social University environment, new acquaintances and friendly relations with course colleagues.

Summary of Alumni Comments (2):

What did you missed most about studying at VMU?

Teachers' greater empathy, emotional support during courses, smoother communication between students and faculty, academy staff.

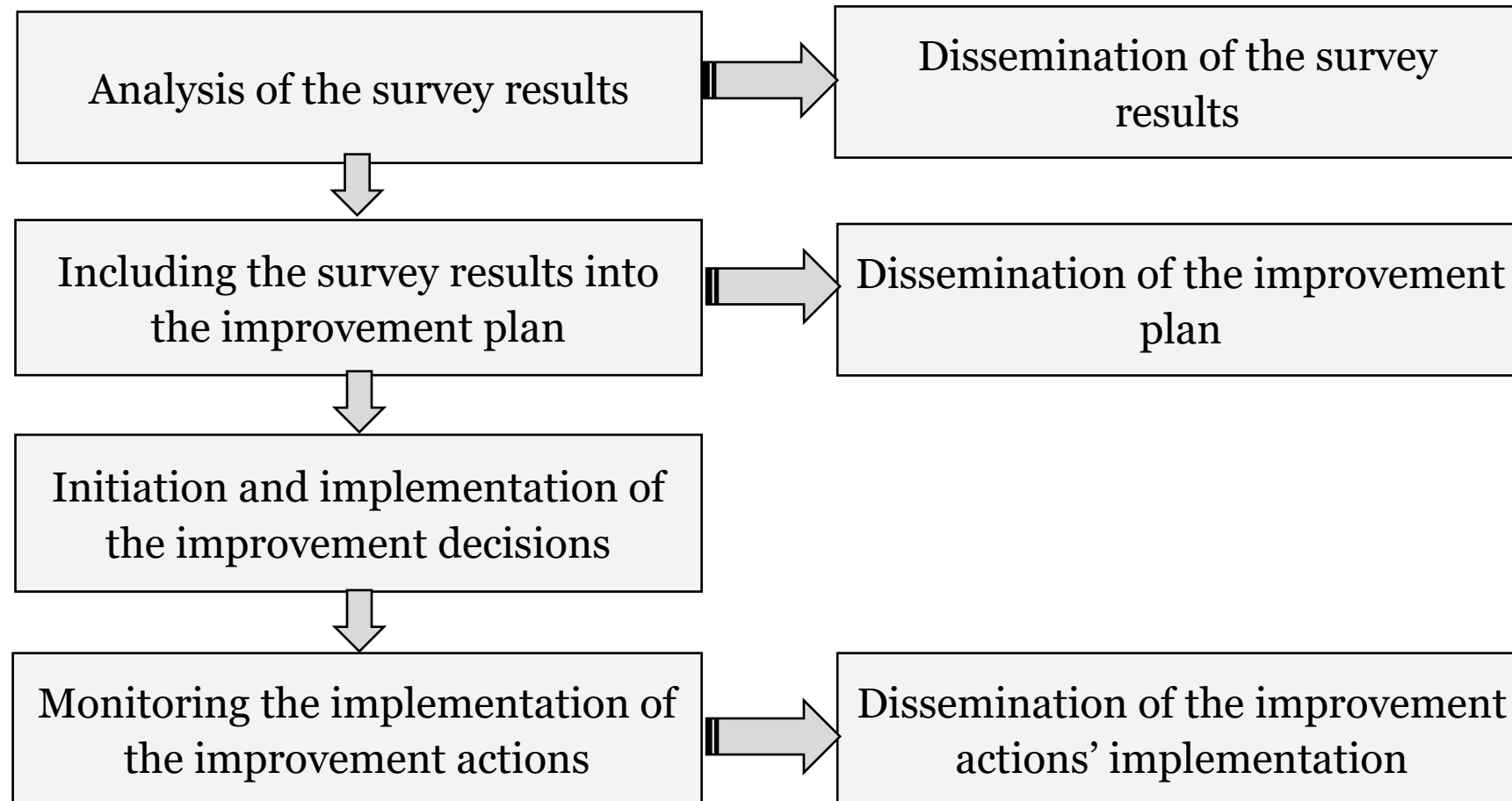
More extensive internship opportunities to strengthen the knowledge acquired in the study programme.

Better sequence of specialised study courses, updated study equipment that better meets the needs of the modern professional world.

Involvement in activities to unite the student community, greater variety of events, introduction to the activities of other faculties.

Clearer information and more practical advice for Lithuanian and international students looking to join the country's labor market.

Using the Survey Results: The Role of the Study Programme Committee (Field Committee)



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