

UNIVERSITY OF ONTARIO INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

2018 Follow-up Commuting Survey



UOIT Survey Results

Survey Launched: January 15th, 2018

> Survey Closed: January 26th, 2018

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UOIT Response Rate

➤ Overall, UOIT achieved their target response rate of at least 371 respondents, given a population size of 10,500 combined students, staff and faculty with a 5% margin of error at a 95% confidence interval.

Location	Population	Respondents	Minimum Response Rate	Response Rate
Staff	1,500	179	20.4% (306)	15.6%
Faculty		55		
Undergraduate Students	9,000	434	4.1% (369)	6.6%
Post-graduate Students		31		
Total	10,500	699	3.5% (371)	6.6%











Staff & Faculty Commute Time

- ➤ The 2018 UOIT Survey shows that the majority of UOIT staff and faculty report a short to moderate commute to campus:
 - > 81% of UOIT staff and faculty travel 45 minutes or less to campus
 - > 67% of UOIT staff and faculty travel 30 minutes or less to campus
 - > 34% of UOIT staff and faculty travel 15 minutes or less to campus
- > The commute time to campus for the average UOIT staff or faculty is 28.2 minutes.
- > The commute time from campus for the average UOIT staff or faculty is 28.7 minutes.
- > The average commute time for a UOIT staff or faculty is **28.5 minutes.**











Student Commute Time

- ➤ The 2018 UOIT Survey shows that the majority of UOIT students report a short to moderate commute to campus:
 - ➤ 60% of UOIT students travel 45 minutes or less to campus
 - > 43% of UOIT students travel 30 minutes or less to campus
 - > 23% of UOIT students travel 15 minutes or less to campus
- > The commute time to campus for the average UOIT student is 42.2 minutes.
- > The commute time from campus for the average UOIT student is 43.9 minutes.
- > The average commute time for a UOIT student is **43.1 minutes.**





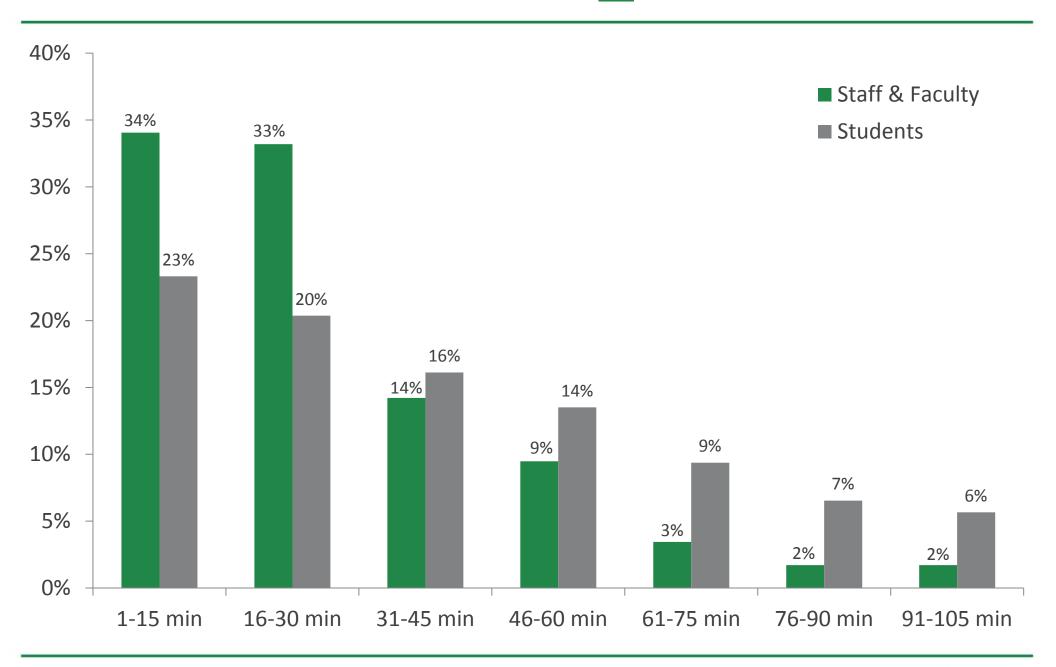








Commute Time to Work





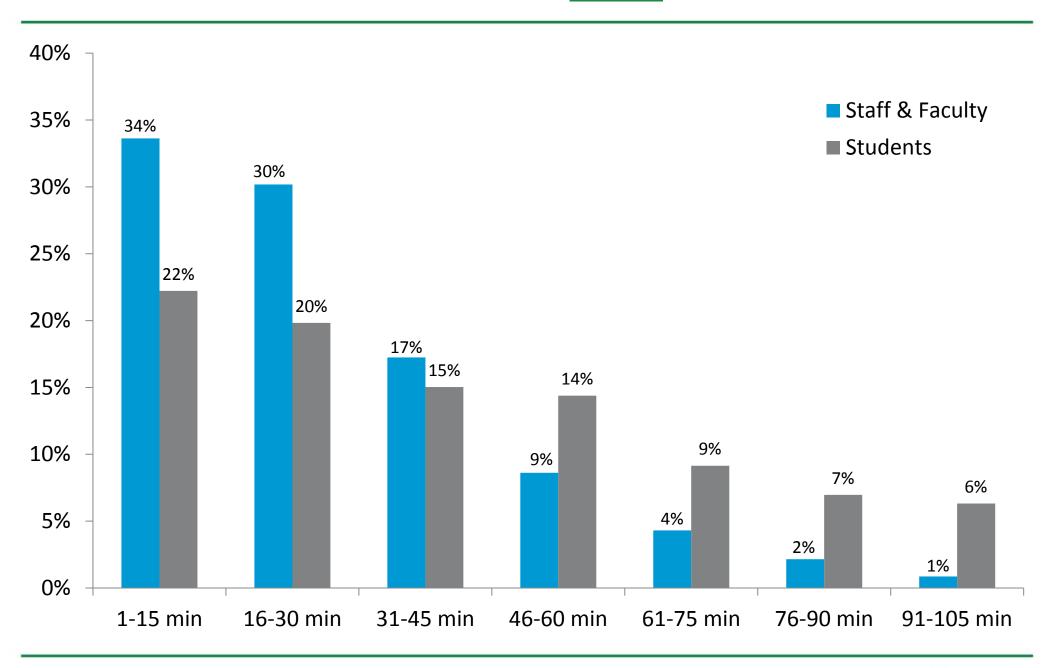








Commute Time From Work













Distance Travelled (One-Way)

Staff & Faculty

- > 58% of staff and faculty experience a short commute of 20 km or less each way
- > 30% of staff and faculty commute between 21 km and 60 km each way
- > 10% of staff and faculty commute more than 60 km each way
- The one-way commute distance for the average UOIT staff or faculty is 23.5 km

Students

- ➤ 48% of students experience a short commute of 20 km or less each way
- > 31% of students commute between 21 km and 60 km each way
- > 12% of students commute more than 60 km each way
- The one-way commute distance for the average UOIT student is 27.5 km



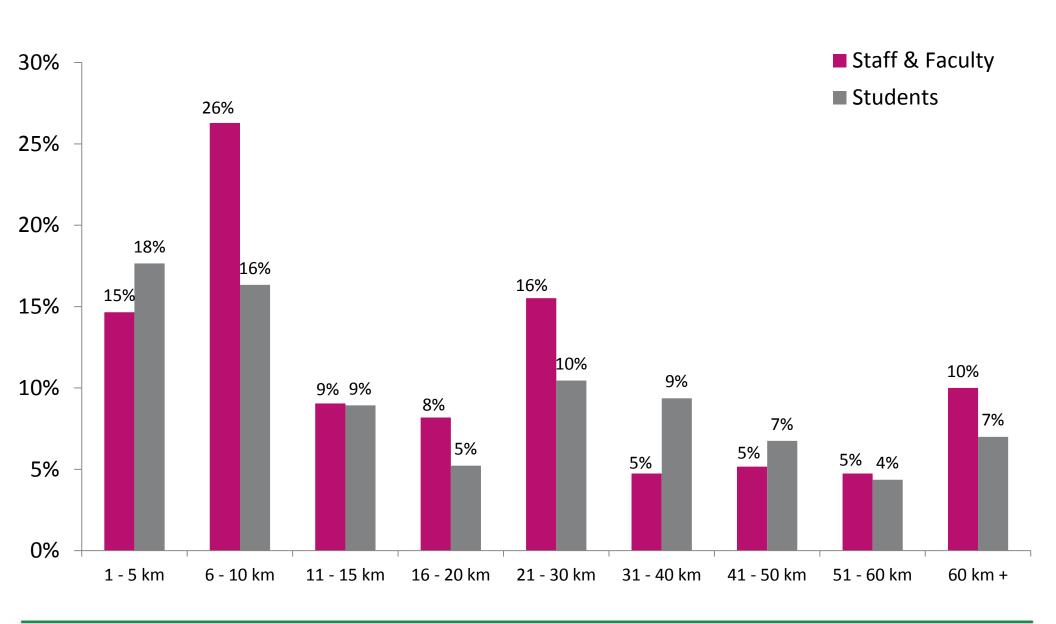








Distance Travelled (One-Way)













Satisfaction with Daily Commute

- > The majority of UOIT students, staff and faculty report higher levels of satisfaction with their commutes:
 - > 54% of students, staff and faculty at **UOIT** report satisfaction with their commute
 - > 24% of students, staff and faculty at UOIT reported that they were dissatisfied
- ➤ The majority of students, staff and faculty agree that their **commute satisfaction directly affects their overall job satisfaction**:
 - > 77% of students, staff and faculty at **UOIT** agree that their commute satisfaction affects their job satisfaction



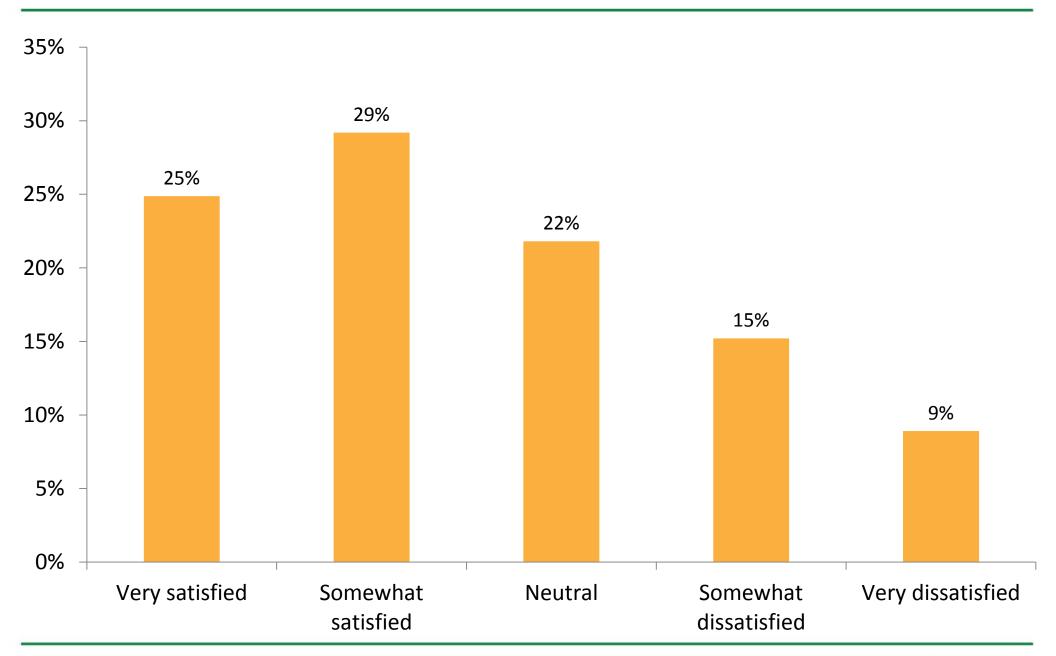








Satisfaction with Daily Commute







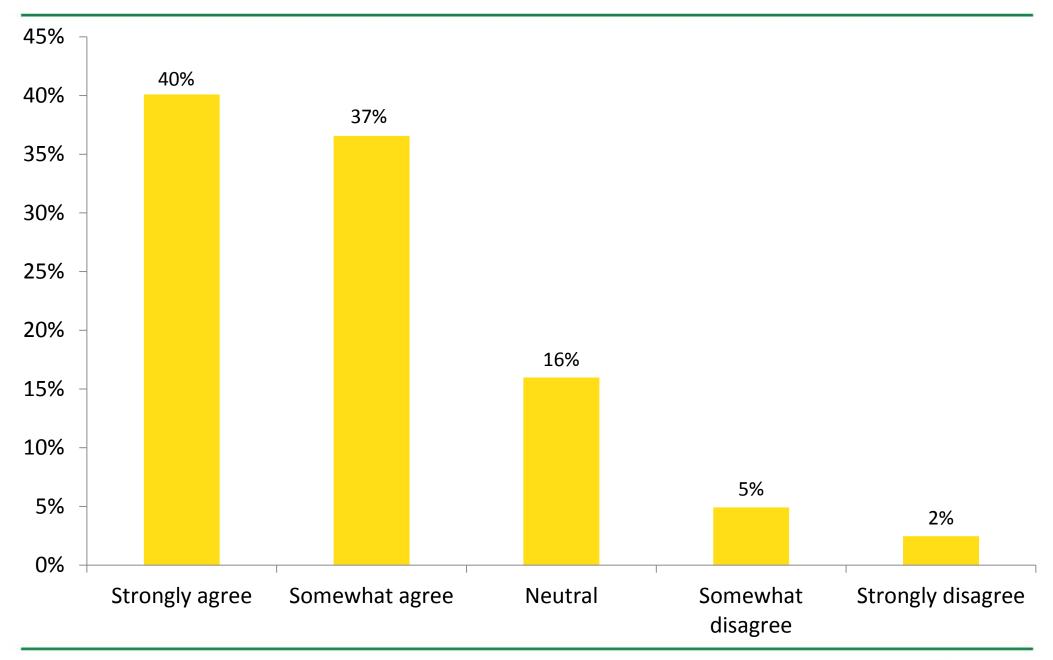








Relationship to Overall Job Satisfaction















Staff & Faculty Primary Commute Mode

- ➤ Most UOIT staff and faculty primarily drive alone to work:
 - > 77% of staff and faculty at UOIT primarily drive alone
 - > 69% of employee household has 2 or more cars
- > The main reasons UOIT staff and faculty drive to work include:
 - > 25% Need flexibility for commitments
 - > 20% Car is faster than alternatives
 - > 18% Car is more convenient, comfortable or private than alternatives
- > UOIT staff and faculty spending on parking:
 - > 12% spend less than \$50 per month
 - > 69% spend between \$50 and \$100 per month
 - > 4% spend between \$100 and \$200 per month
 - > 14% spend over \$200 per month
- > Public transit is the second most used mode among UOIT staff and faculty
 - > 8.73% of staff and faculty primarily take public transit
- > Carpooling is the third most used mode:
 - > 7.4% of staff and faculty primarily carpool to work
- > Active Transportation use is low among UOIT staff and faculty:
 - > 4.8% of staff and faculty primarily walk to work
 - > 1% of staff and faculty primarily cycle to work













Student Primary Commute Mode

- Public transit is the most used mode among UOIT students
 - > 48.2% of students primarily take public transit
- > Driving Alone is the second most used mode:
 - > 31% of students at UOIT drive alone to campus
- The main reasons UOIT students drive to work include:
 - > 25% Need flexibility for commitments
 - > 20% Car is faster than alternatives
 - > 18% Car is more convenient, comfortable or private than alternatives
- > UOIT students spending on parking:
 - > 10% spend less than \$50 per month
 - > 53% spend between \$50 and \$100 per month
 - > 14% spend between \$100 and \$200 per month
 - > 17% spend over \$200 per month
- > Carpooling is the fourth most used mode:
 - > 8% of students primarily carpool to work
- > Active Transportation (Walking) use is high among UOIT students:
 - > 10.7% of students primarily walk to work
 - > .45% of students primarily cycle to work





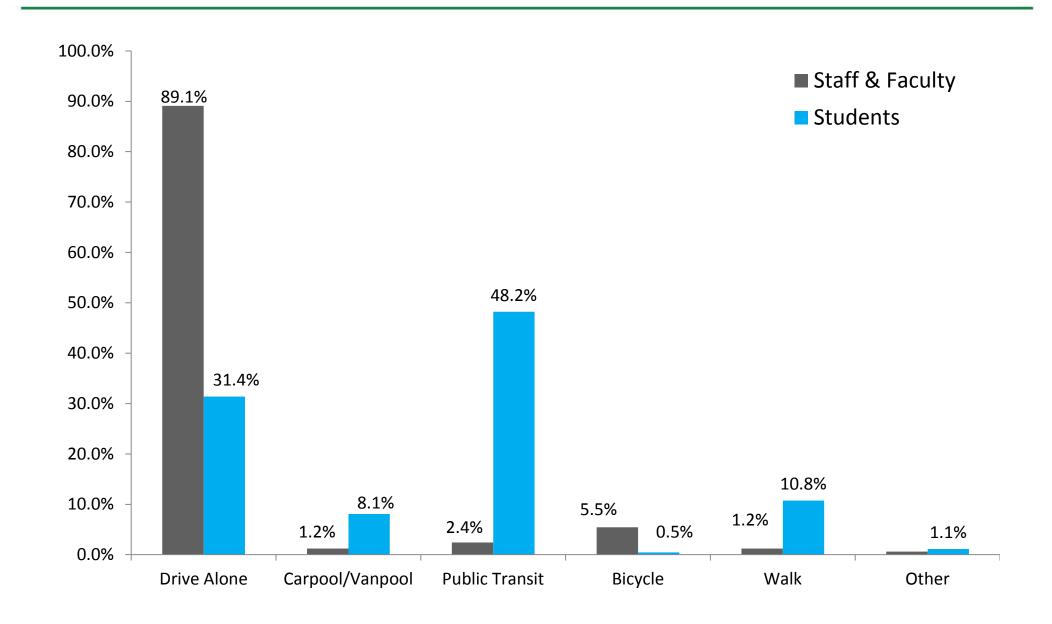








Primary Commute Mode







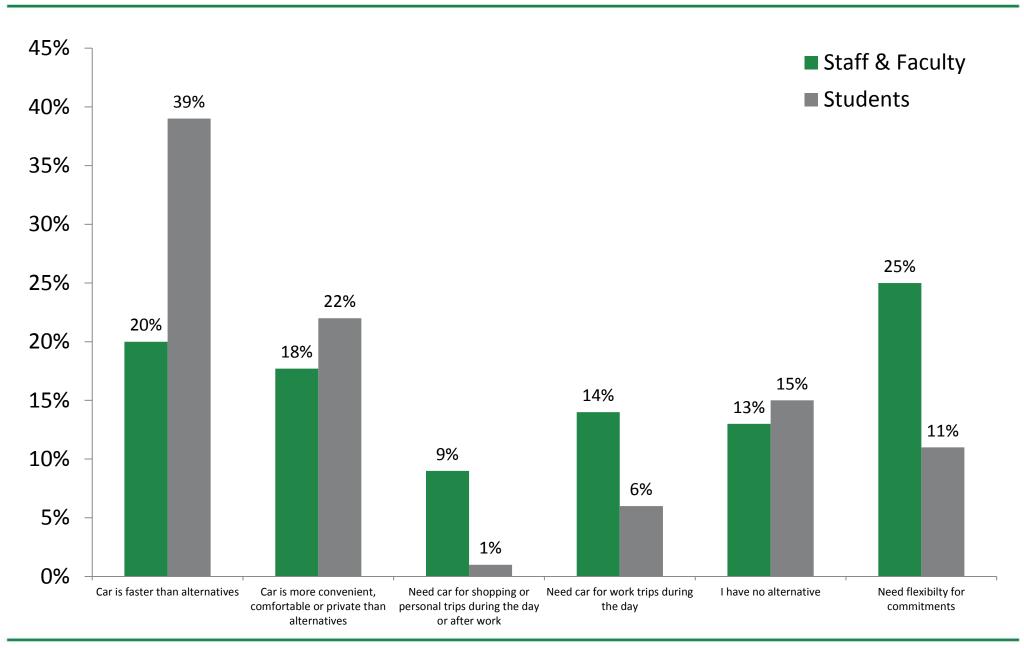








Major Reason for Driving to Work















Public Transit – Staff & Faculty

Staff & faculty

- > 8.73% of staff and faculty at UOIT take transit primarily to work
 - >25.6% of staff and faculty at UOIT expressed a willingness to try transit
 - > Staff and faculty would be encouraged to try transit with the following:
 - > 33% Discounted transit passes
 - ➤ 22% More flexible working arrangements
 - > 17% A free ride in case of emergency
 - ▶14.8% of staff and faculty at UOIT have taken transit within the last 12 months













Public Transit – Students

Staff & faculty

48.2% of students at UOIT take transit primarily to work

First and Last Mile Results:

> **Drive Alone**: 6%

> Carpool/Vanpool/Dropped Off: 11%

Cycle: 0%Walk: 76%

>24% of students at UOIT expressed a willingness to try transit

> Students would be encouraged to try transit with the following:

➤ **38%** Discounted transit passes

> 27% Trip planning app or website

> 15% A free ride in case of emergency

>65% of students at UOIT have taken transit within the last 12 months

Public Transit Service Feedback:

Transit Service	Satisfied	Dissatisfied
Availability	41%	39%
Schedule	35%	47%
Routes	57%	24%
Stops	57%	24%
Stop Amenities	34%	37%





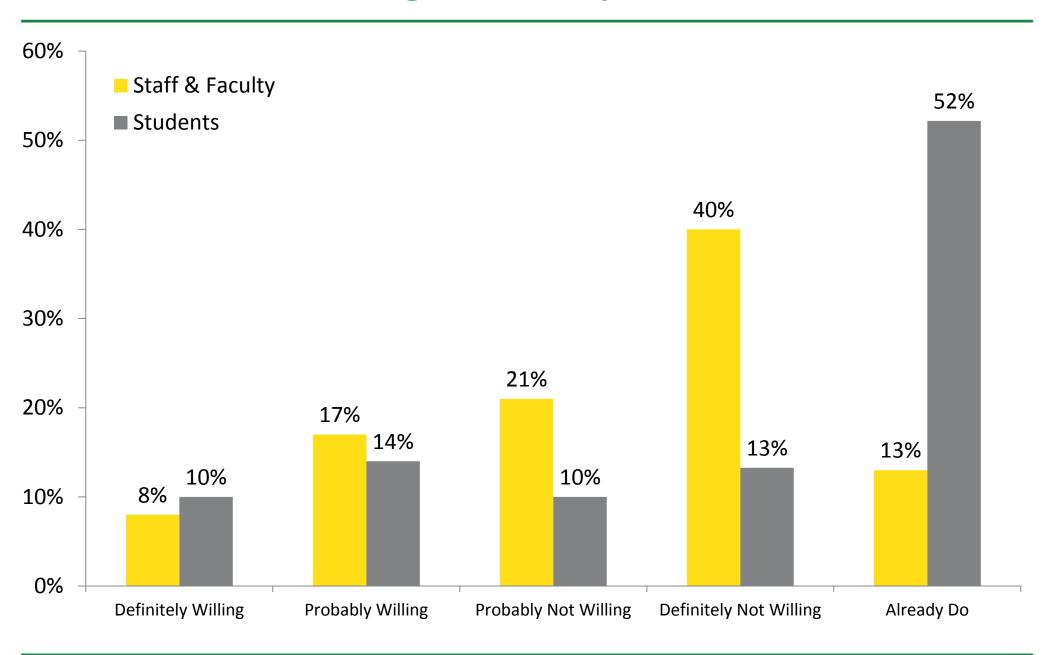








Willingness to Try Transit





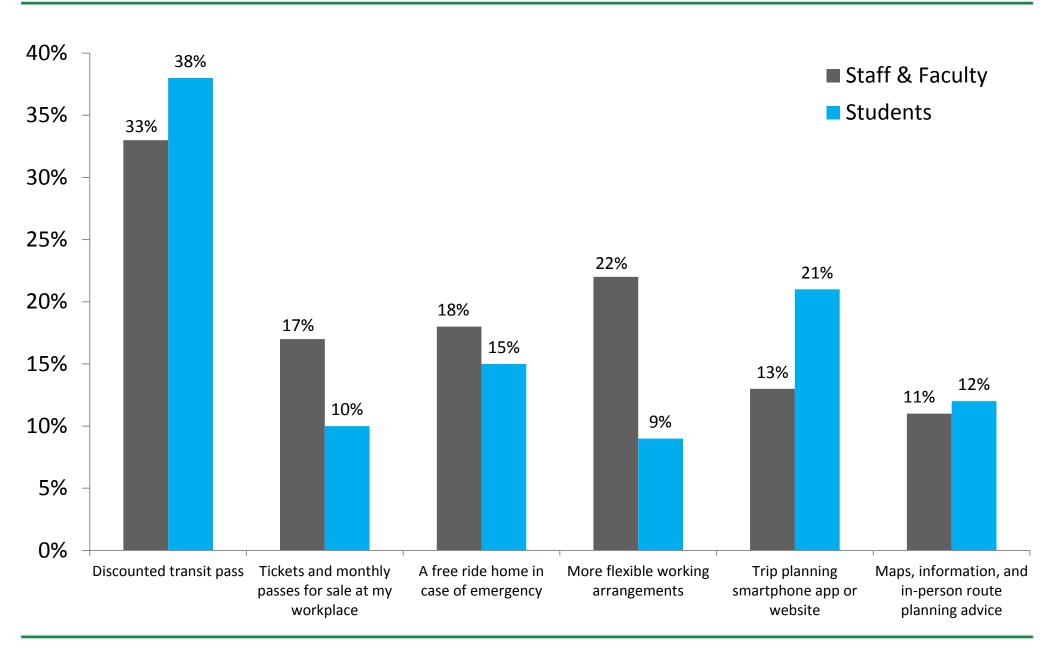








What would encourage you to try transit?















Carpooling

Staff & faculty

- >7.4% of staff and faculty at UOIT primarily carpool
- >50% of staff and faculty at UOIT expressed a willingness to try carpooling
 - > Staff and faculty would be encouraged to try carpooling with the following:
 - > 51% Help in finding suitable people to share the ride
 - > 20% Reserved parking for carpoolers close to the entrance
 - > 18% A free ride in case of emergency
- ▶19% of staff and faculty at UOIT have carpooled within the last 12 months

Students

- ▶8% of students at UOIT primarily carpool
- **▶61%** of students at UOIT expressed a willingness to try carpooling
 - > Students would be encouraged to try carpooling with the following:
 - ➤ 69% Help in finding suitable people to share the ride
 - > 32% Reserved parking for carpoolers close to the entrance
 - > 18% A free ride in case of emergency
- ▶12% of students at UOIT have carpooled within the last 12 months





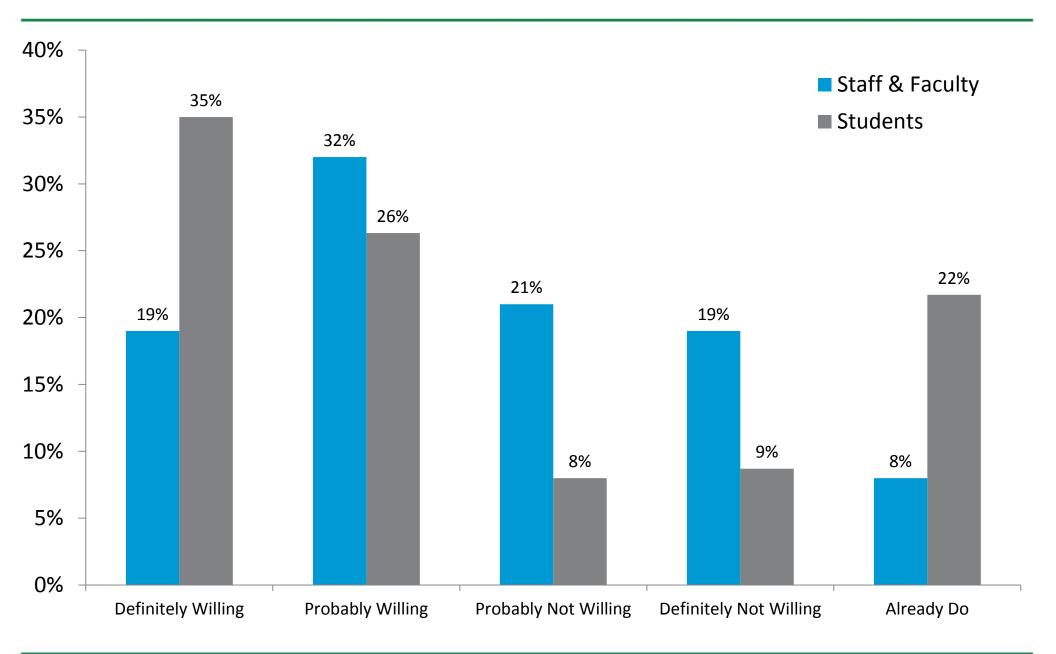








Willingness to Try Carpooling







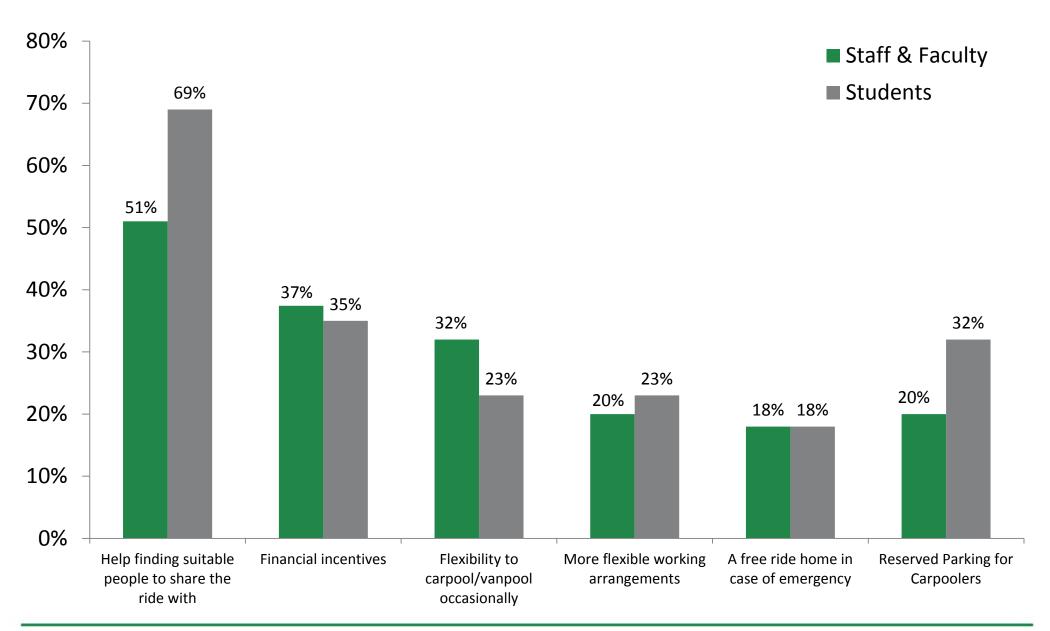








What would encourage you to try carpooling?















Active Modes

Staff & Faculty

4.8% and 1% of UOIT staff and faculty currently walk and cycle.

UOIT staff and faculty expressed an interest in cycling and walking to work.

- > 17% of staff and faculty at UOIT expressed an interest in cycling
- > 7% of staff and faculty at **UOIT** expressed an interest in walking
- > **UOIT** staff and faculty indicated they would be encouraged to use active modes of transportation with the following:
 - > 21% Shower and locker facilities at work
 - > 32% Cycling lanes and pedestrian paths
 - ➤ 21% Secure or sheltered bike parking at work
 - > 17% Financial Incentives
 - > 15% A free ride in case of emergency

Students

> 10.7% and .45% of UOIT staff and faculty currently walk and cycle.

UOIT staff and faculty expressed an interest in cycling and walking to work.

- 22% of students at UOIT expressed an interest in cycling
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- > **UOIT** students indicated they would be encouraged to use active modes of transportation with the following:
 - > 12% Shower and locker facilities at work
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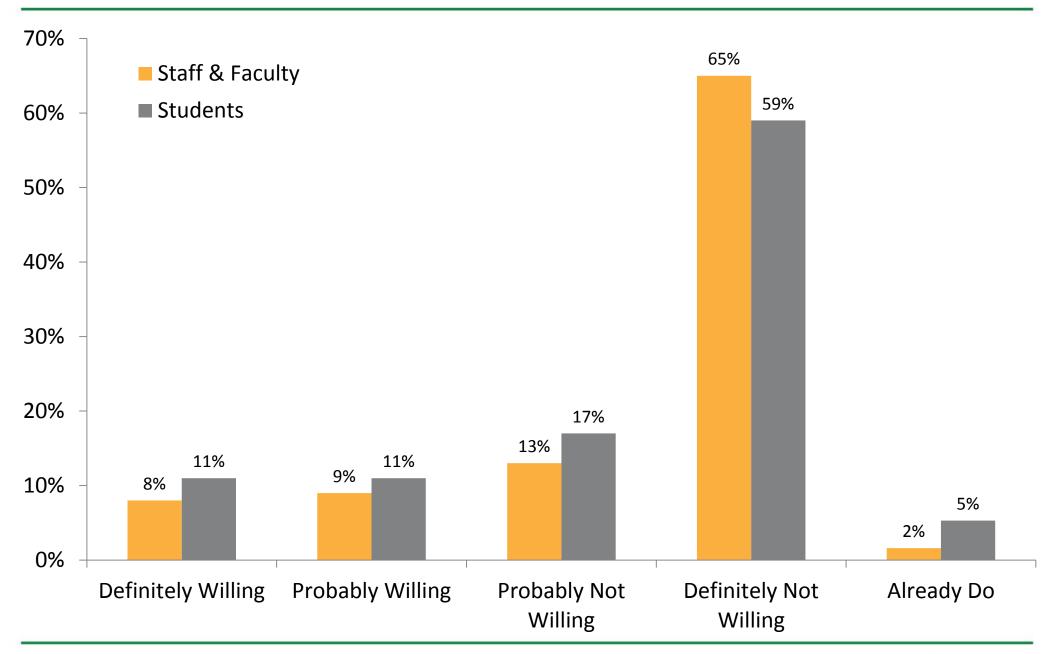








Willingness to Cycle to Work







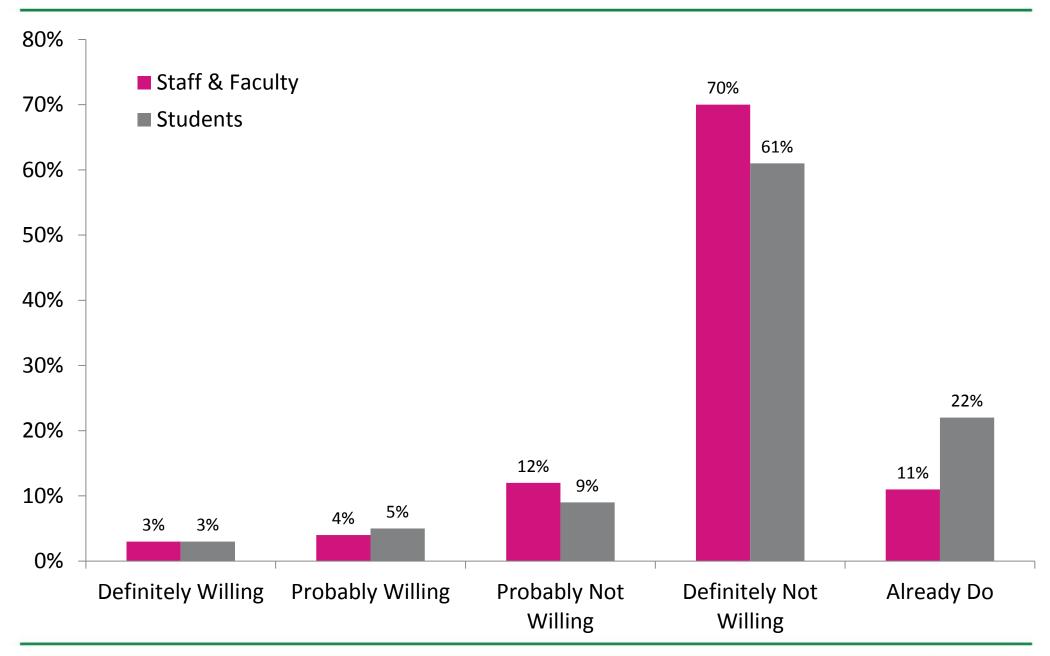








Willingness to Walk to Work







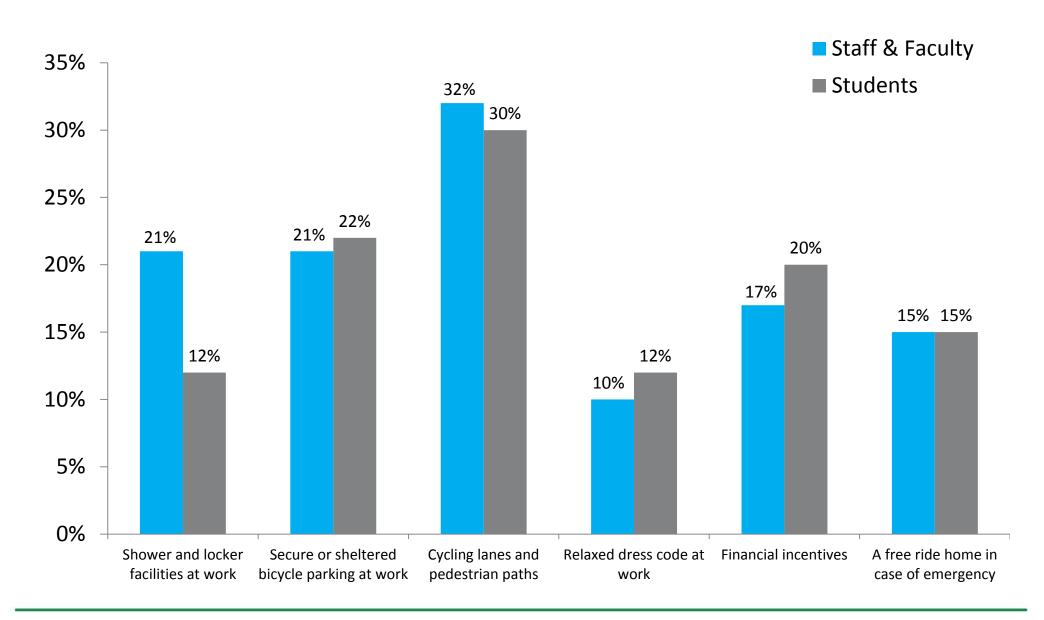








What would encourage you to walk or cycle to work?













Telework

Staff & Faculty

- ➤ 6.5% of UOIT staff and faculty reported that they have teleworked within the last year.
 - ➤ 66% of UOIT staff and faculty expressed an interest in teleworking.
 - > **UOIT** staff and faculty indicated they would be encouraged to use active modes of transportation with the following:
 - ➤ 69% Flexibility to work from home occasionally
 - > 57% A corporate policy supporting telework
 - > 26% Connection to the office network from home
 - > 17% Office space or equipment at home





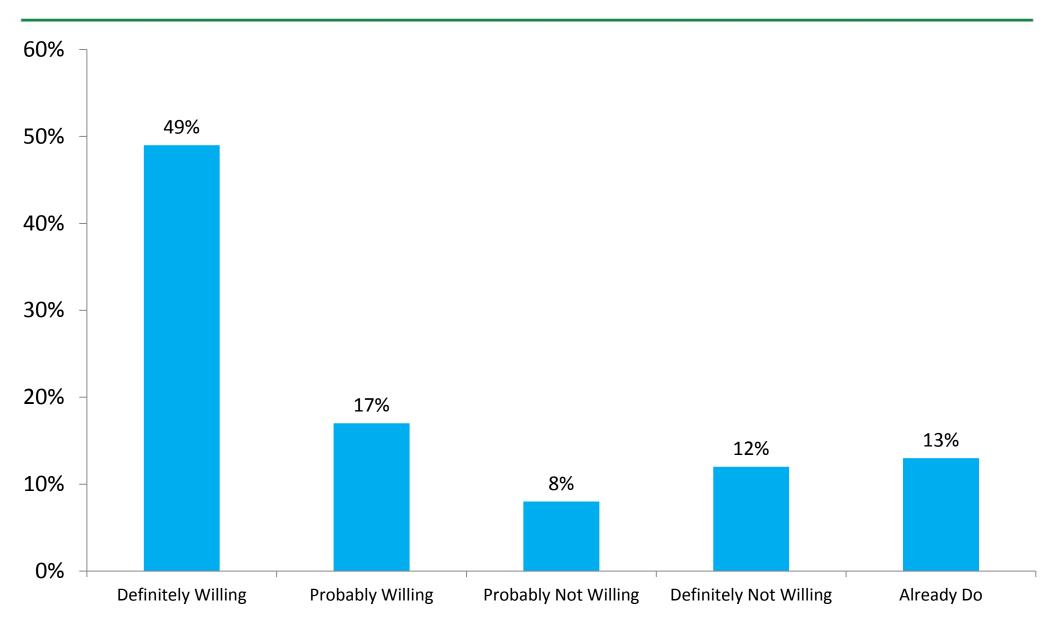








Staff & Faculty Willingness to Telework







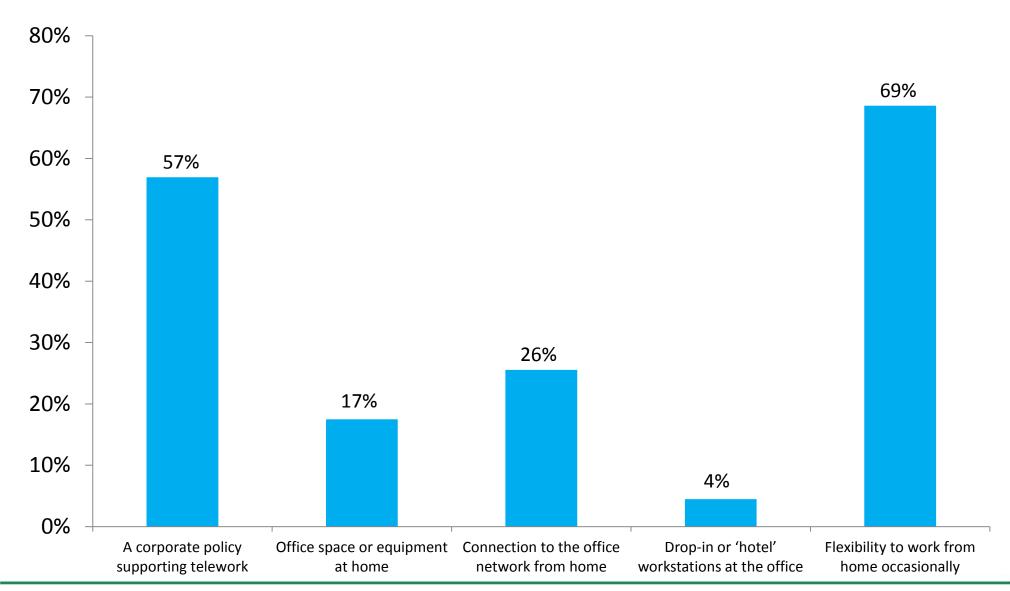








What would encourage you to telework?















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