Postdoc Academy Post-Course Survey

Start of Block: Course Participation

Q50 Please enter the email address used for the edX course, "Succeeding as a Postdoc":

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Q1 How would you rate your overall satisfaction with this course?

- Extremely satisfied (20)
- Somewhat satisfied (21)
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied (22)
- Somewhat dissatisfied (23)
- Extremely dissatisfied (24)

Display This Question:

If How would you rate your overall satisfaction with this course? = Somewhat dissatisfied

And How would you rate your overall satisfaction with this course? = Extremely dissatisfied

Q49 Please share the reason(s) why you were dissatisfied with the course.

Q2 Did this course meet your accessibility needs?

- Yes (1)
- No (2)

Display This Question:

If Did this course meet your accessibility needs? = No

Q3 In what way(s) could this course be improved to meet your accessibility needs?

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Q4 Would you recommend this course to others?

- Yes (1)
- No (2)

Q5 On average, approximately how many **hours** did you spend each week on **all** activities associated with this course? Activities may include watching videos, completing activities, reading and/or contributing to the discussion forums, or participating in a Postdoc Academy Local Session (PALS).

- 0 - 2 (1)
- 3 - 6 (2)
- 7 - 10 (3)
- 11 or more (4)

Q6 Please comment on how often you posted to the discussion forums and how the atmosphere in the discussion forums encouraged or discouraged your participation.

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Q7 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements regarding how the peer assessments enhanced your learning.

	Strongly agree (6)	Somewhat agree (7)	Neither agree nor disagree (8)	Somewhat disagree (9)	Strongly disagree (10)	Not Applicable (13)
The peer assessments made me feel more engaged in the course (1)	○	○	○	○	○	○
The peer assessments were fairly graded (2)	○	○	○	○	○	○
The peer assessments helped me reflect on my professional development activities (3)	○	○	○	○	○	○
The peer evaluation of my assignments helped me improve my professional development practices (4)	○	○	○	○	○	○
The peer assessments should remain part of the course (6)	○	○	○	○	○	○

End of Block: Course Participation

Start of Block: PD Experience/Agency

Q8 As a result of participating in the Postdoc Academy, have you discussed with your current advisor (check all that apply):

- [ ] Expectations for your position? (1)
- [ ] Your professional goals? (2)
- [ ] Your career plans? (3)

Q9 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements as a result of participating in the Postdoc Academy:

	Strongly agree (1)	Somewhat agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Somewhat disagree (4)	Strongly disagree (5)
I am more confident in talking to my advisor about my expectations for my position (1)	○	○	○	○	○
I am more confident in talking to my advisor about my professional goals (2)	○	○	○	○	○
I am in control of my career path (4)	○	○	○	○	○

Q10 How likely are you to participate in future professional development opportunities **associated** with the Postdoc Academy?

- ○ Extremely likely (1)
- ○ Somewhat likely (2)
- ○ Neither likely nor unlikely (3)
- ○ Somewhat unlikely (4)
- ○ Extremely unlikely (5)

Q11 How likely are you to participate in future professional development opportunities **not associated** with the Postdoc Academy?

- ○ Extremely likely (1)
- ○ Somewhat likely (2)
- ○ Neither likely nor unlikely (3)
- ○ Somewhat unlikely (4)
- ○ Extremely unlikely (5)

Q12 Please rate your proficiency with the following skills:

	Extremely proficient (13)	Very proficient (14)	Moderately proficient (15)	Slightly proficient (16)	Not proficient at all (17)
Making career transitions skillfully (2)	○	○	○	○	○
Planning my career (4)	○	○	○	○	○
Developing collaborative research relationships (8)	○	○	○	○	○
Rebounding from setbacks or challenges (9)	○	○	○	○	○
Engaging in self-reflection (10)	○	○	○	○	○

End of Block: PD Experience/Agency

Start of Block: Community/PALS

Q13 Are you involved in a local postdoc community?

- ○ Yes (1)
- ○ Yes, in a leadership capacity (2)
- ○ No (3)
- ○ I am not aware of a local postdoc community. (5)

Q14 Did you participate in Postdoc Academy Learning Sessions (PALS)?

- ○ Yes, in person. (1)
- ○ Yes, virtually. (4)
- ○ Occasionally (2)
- ○ No (3)

Q15 What contributed to your level of participation or lack of participation in PALS? Check all that apply.

- ☐ Personal Interest (2)
- ☐ Availability of PALS in my area (1)
- ☐ Timing of PALS (3)
- ☐ Other (4) _____

End of Block: Community/PALS

Start of Block: Module 1

Q16 Please answer the following questions as they pertain to the "Finding Success as a Postdoc" module.

Q17 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly agree (1)	Somewhat agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Somewhat disagree (4)	Strongly disagree (5)
I am more aware of how my identity and those of others' influences workspaces (1)	○	○	○	○	○
I have talked to peers and/or mentors about how identity influences workspaces (2)	○	○	○	○	○
I have changed how I think about my role as a postdoc (3)	○	○	○	○	○
I have some strategies to help me transition to my next workplace/the professional community (4)	○	○	○	○	○
I plan to seek help entering my current community of practice (5)	○	○	○	○	○
I plan to initiate a conversation to align my expectations with those of	○	○	○	○	○

my current supervisor (7)

End of Block: Module 1

Start of Block: Module 2

Q18 Please answer the following questions as they pertain to the "Building an Actionable Career Plan" module.

Q19 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly agree (1)	Somewhat agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Somewhat disagree (4)	Strongly disagree (5)
This module helped me clarify my career goals (1)	○	○	○	○	○
This module helped me identify skills important to my career goals (2)	○	○	○	○	○
I intend to develop the skills I have identified in order to reach my career goals (3)	○	○	○	○	○
I have identified obstacles I am facing in my career path (4)	○	○	○	○	○
I intend to employ the strategies shared in the “Overcoming Obstacles on Your Pathway to Success” activity to overcome the career obstacles I am facing (5)	○	○	○	○	○

End of Block: Module 2

Start of Block: Module 4

Q20 Please answer the following questions as they pertain to the "Building Resilience" module.

Q21 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly agree (1)	Somewhat agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Somewhat disagree (4)	Strongly disagree (5)
I have applied the concept of resilience to my own personal and professional experiences (1)	○	○	○	○	○
I recognize the effective and ineffective resilience strategies I have used in the past (2)	○	○	○	○	○
I have practiced recovering from stressors that are internal and external to the workplace (3)	○	○	○	○	○
I feel less stressed about current challenges I am facing (4)	○	○	○	○	○

End of Block: Module 4

Start of Block: Module 3

Q22 Please answer the following questions about the"Working Effectively in an Intercultural Environment" module.

Q23 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements .

	Strongly agree (1)	Somewhat agree (2)	Neither agree nor disagree (3)	Somewhat disagree (4)	Strongly disagree (5)
Awareness of my own social/cultural/professional identities has changed my understanding the experience of others (1)	○	○	○	○	○
I am more aware of how I navigate intercultural environments and interactions (2)	○	○	○	○	○
I am more aware of bias and microaggressions than I was at the beginning of the course (9)	○	○	○	○	○
I intend to continue to engage in learning around issues of inclusion (4)	○	○	○	○	○
I could give an example of how my culture and identities interact in intercultural environments (5)	○	○	○	○	○

End of Block: Module 3

Start of Block: Cognitive/Social Presence

Q24 Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly agree (6)	Somewhat agree (7)	Neither agree nor disagree (8)	Somewhat disagree (9)	Strongly disagree (10)
I felt comfortable conversing through the online medium (6)	○	○	○	○	○
I felt comfortable participating in the course discussions (7)	○	○	○	○	○
I felt that my point of view was acknowledged by other course participants (8)	○	○	○	○	○
The format of the course allowed me to get to know other participants (10)	○	○	○	○	○

End of Block: Cognitive/Social Presence

Start of Block: Interest in Focus Group or Interview

Q25 Would you like to be contacted to participate in a virtual interview and/or focus group about your experience taking this course?

- ○ Yes (1)
- ○ No (3)

End of Block: Interest in Focus Group or Interview