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# STUDENT GOVERNMENT DEMOGRAPHIC REPORT

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# Introduction and Purpose

Welcome to the 2016-2017 University of Michigan Student Government Demographic Report of Central Student Government (CSG), Literature, Science, and the Arts Student Government (LSA SG), and Engineering Student Government (ESG). This report was commissioned with the purpose of assessing the current state of student government with an eye toward improving for the future and creating student governments that are more inclusive and representative of, and productive for, the student body at the University of Michigan. Transparency in who we are, the students representing you to the administration and undertaking initiatives to improve your lives on campus, is vital to our success.

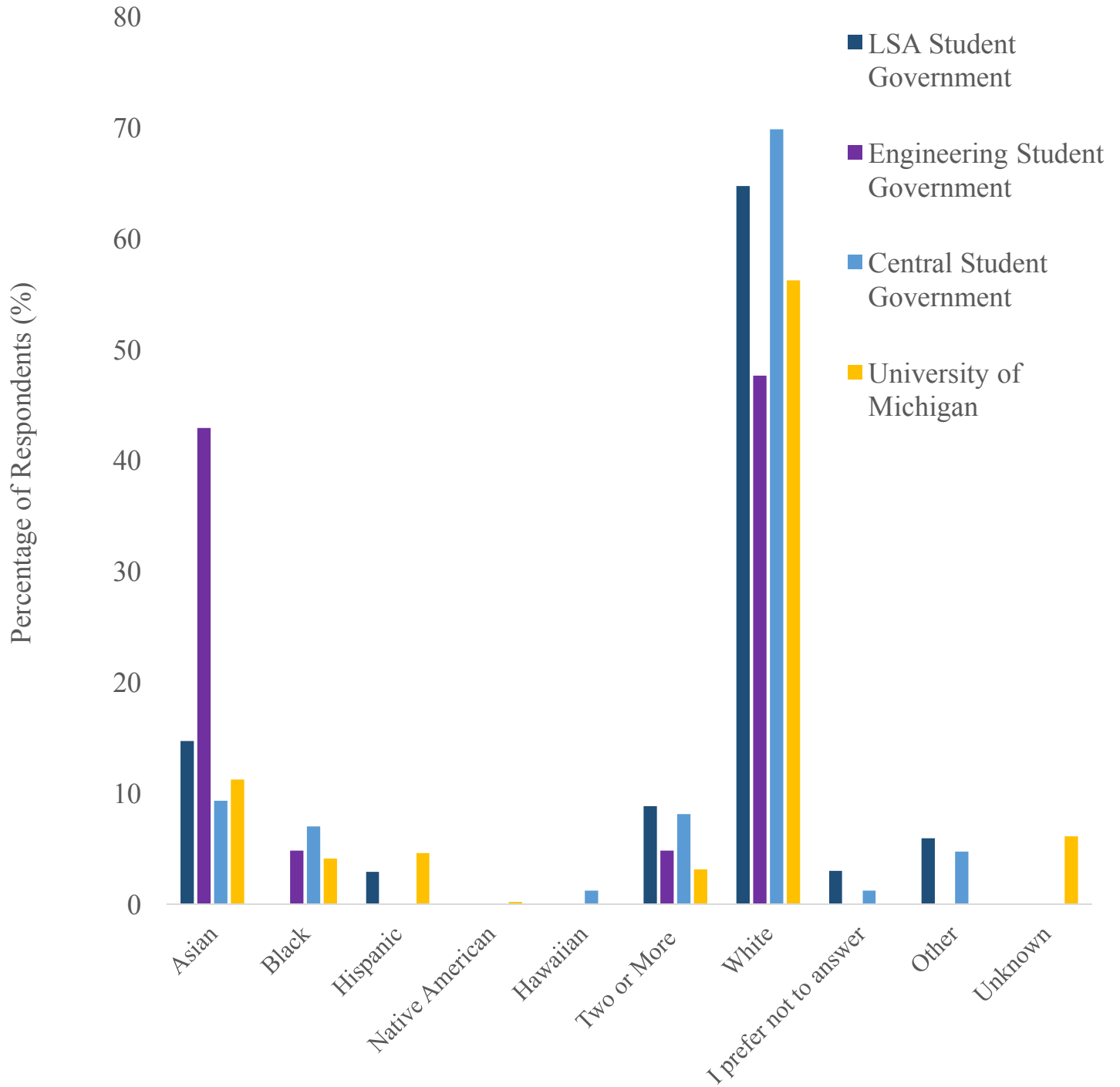
Please contact us at [csg.contact@umich.edu](mailto:csg.contact@umich.edu) if you have any questions or concerns.

# Methodology

The survey for the Student Government Demographic Report was administered through online surveys that ran between September 12th and September 16th.

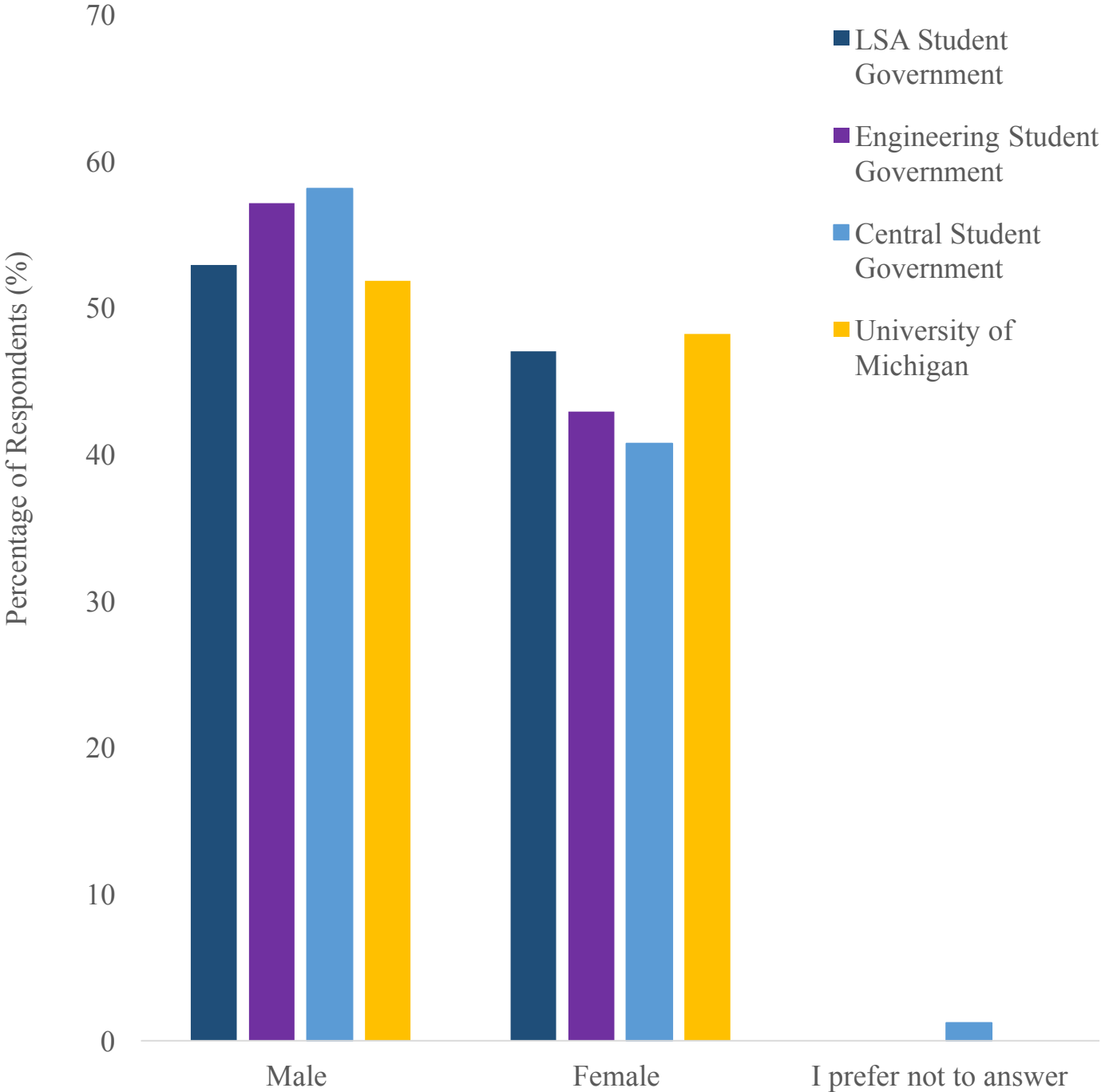
The CSG survey was sent to all elected representatives of the CSG Assembly, all appointed members of the Executive Team and Executive Commission Chairs, and all appointed justices of the Central Student Judiciary (CSJ). The CSG survey was sent to 90 people, and we received 86 survey responses, translating to a response rate of 95.56%. The LSA SG survey was sent to all elected representatives, the Executive Board, and all Committee Chairs and Vice-Chairs. The LSA SG survey was sent to 35 people, and we received 34 responses, translating to a response rate of 97.14%. The ESG survey was sent to all elected representatives and the Executive Board. The ESG survey was sent to 24 people, and we received 21 survey responses, translating to a response rate of 87.5%.

# Race

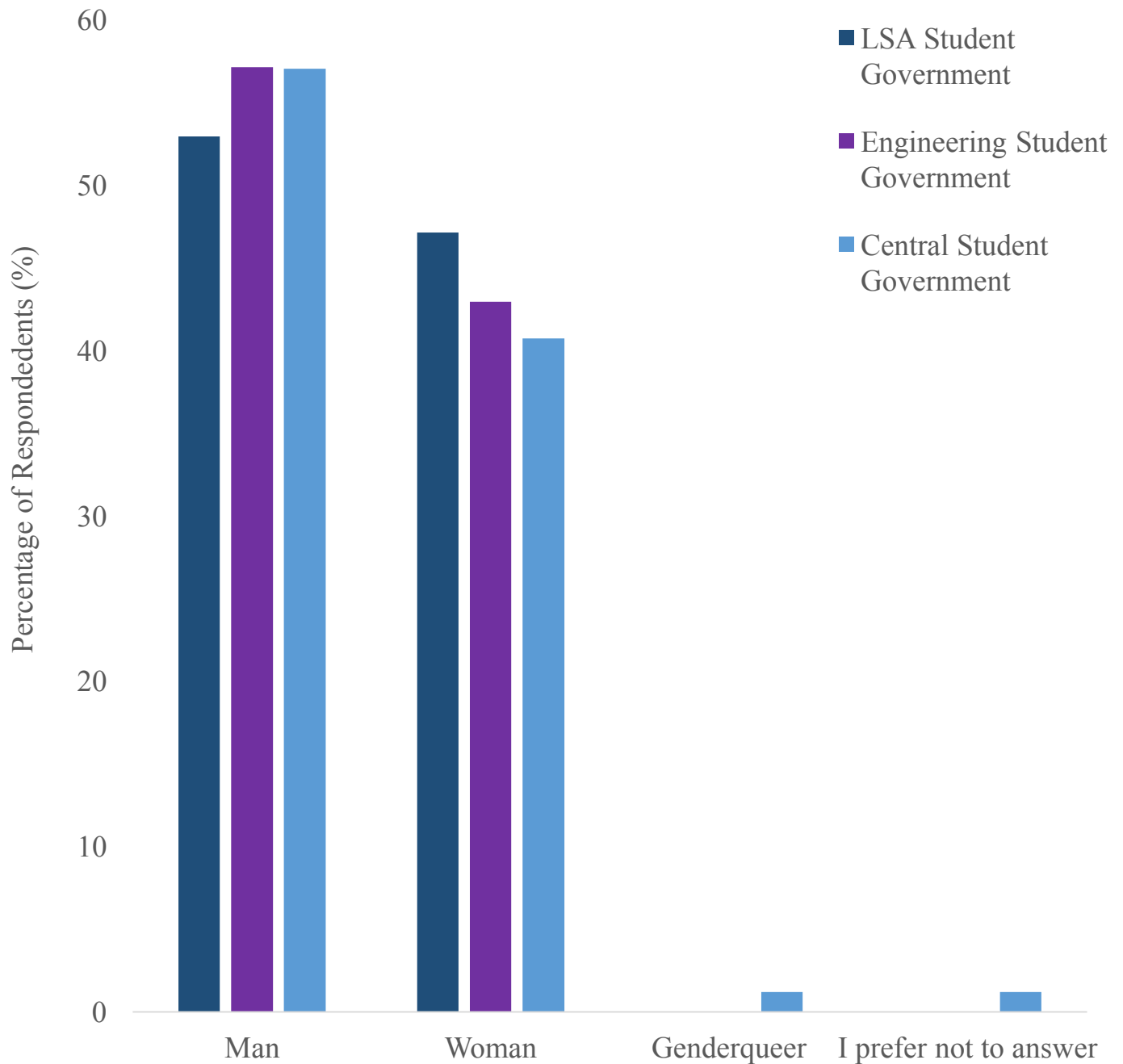


*University of Michigan data does not provide racial breakdown of international students, who constitute 14.4% of enrolled students.*

# Sex

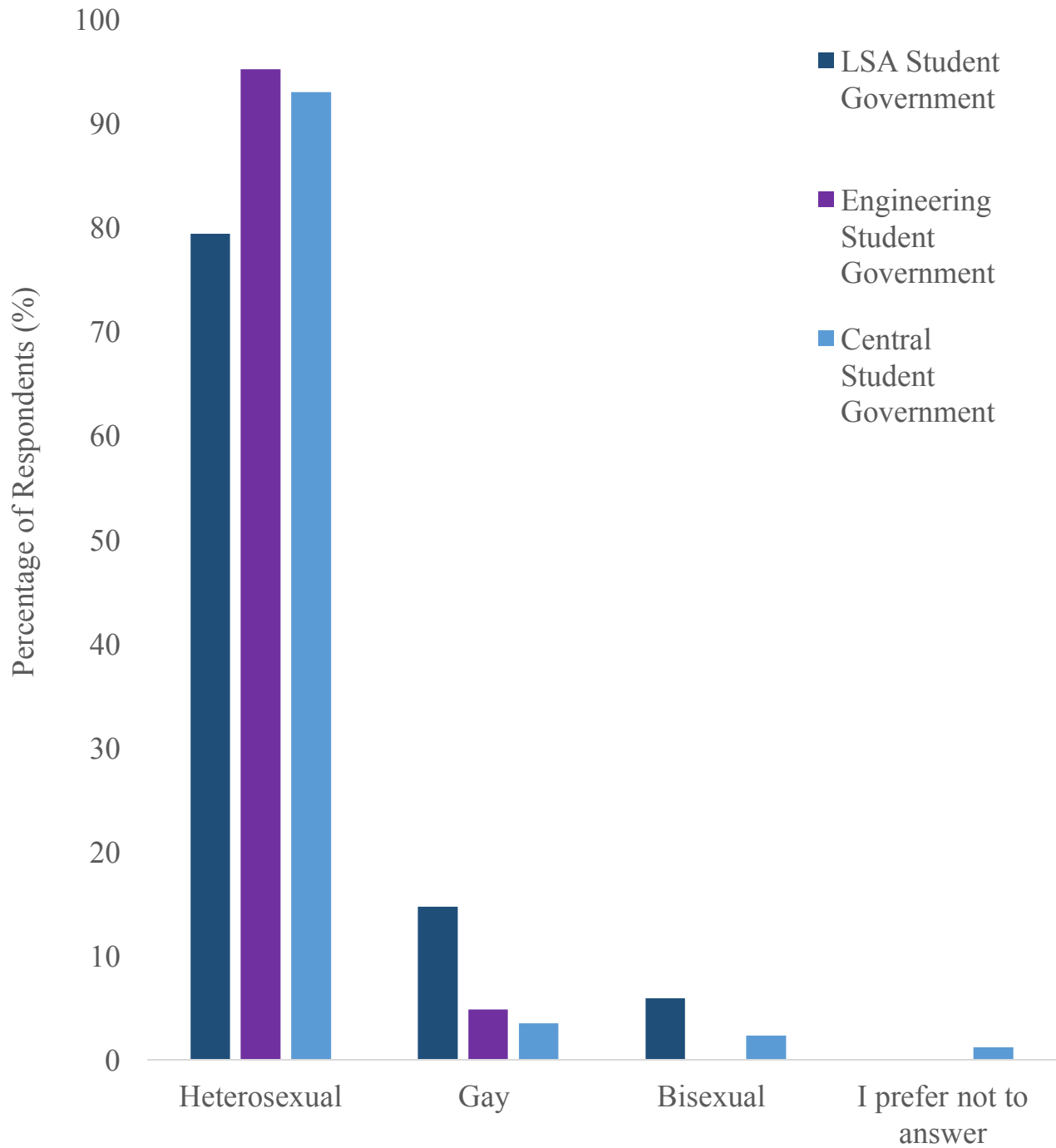


# Gender Identity



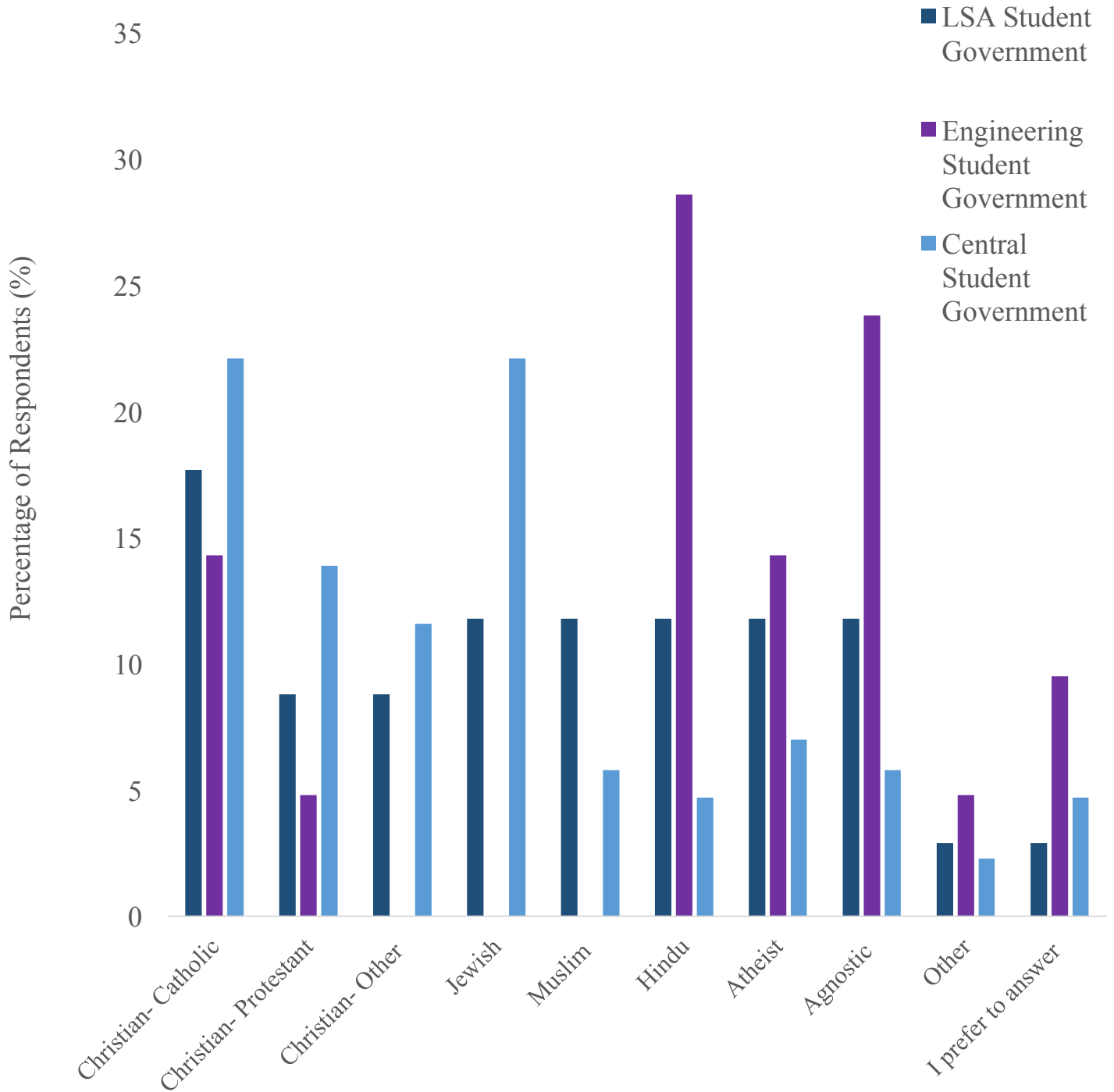
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# Sexual Orientation



*The University of Michigan does not publish data related to sexual orientation.*

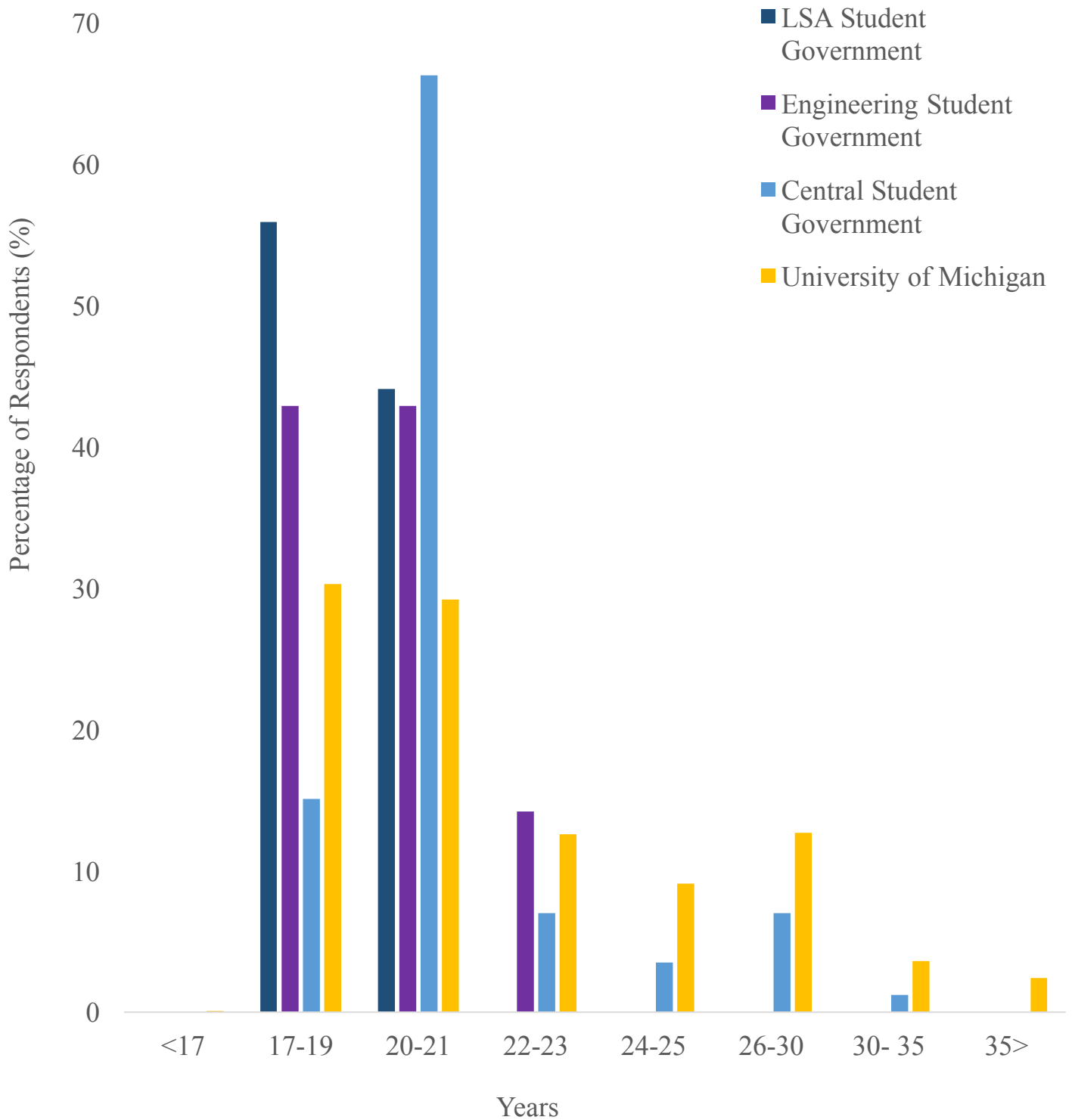
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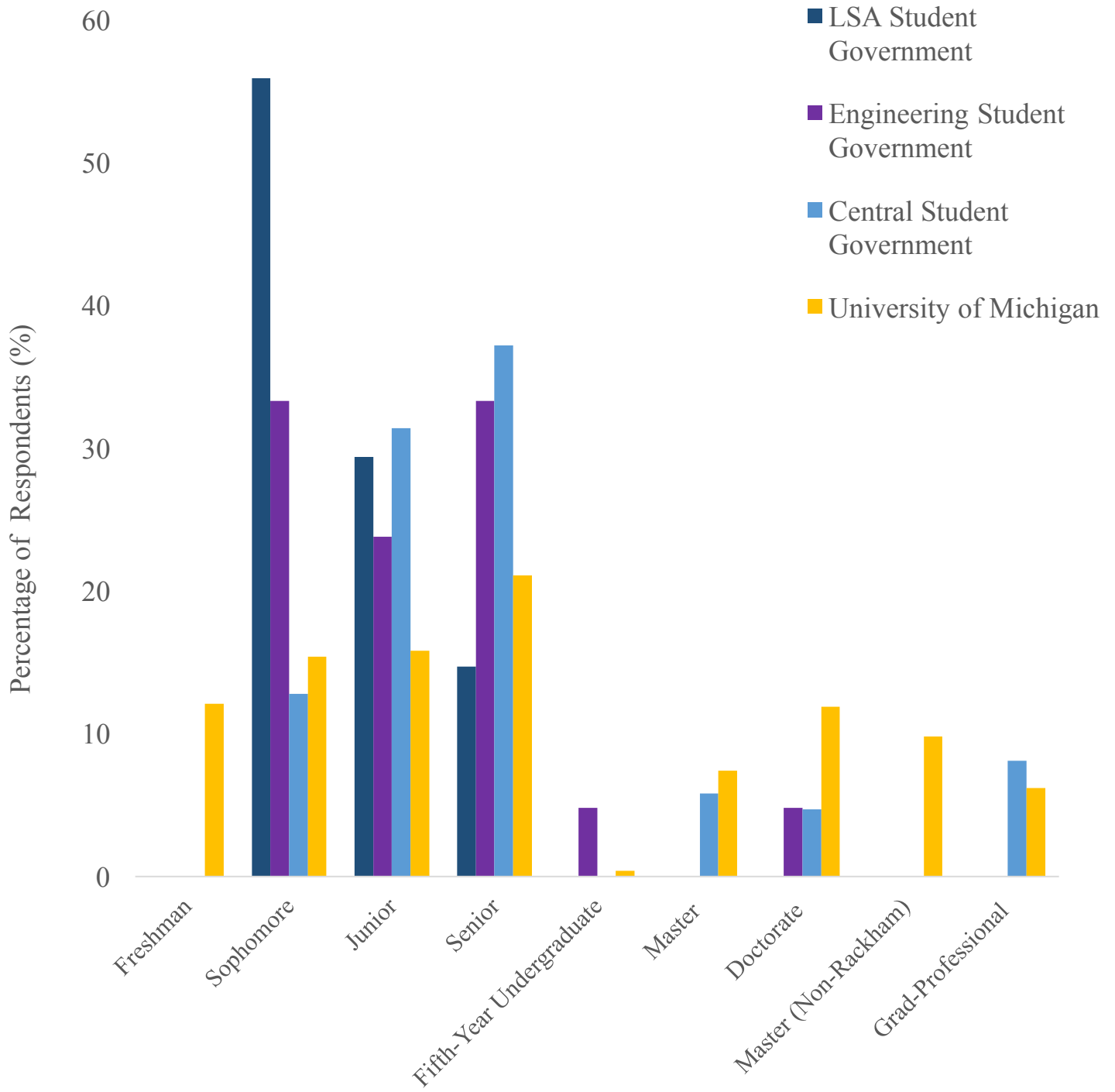
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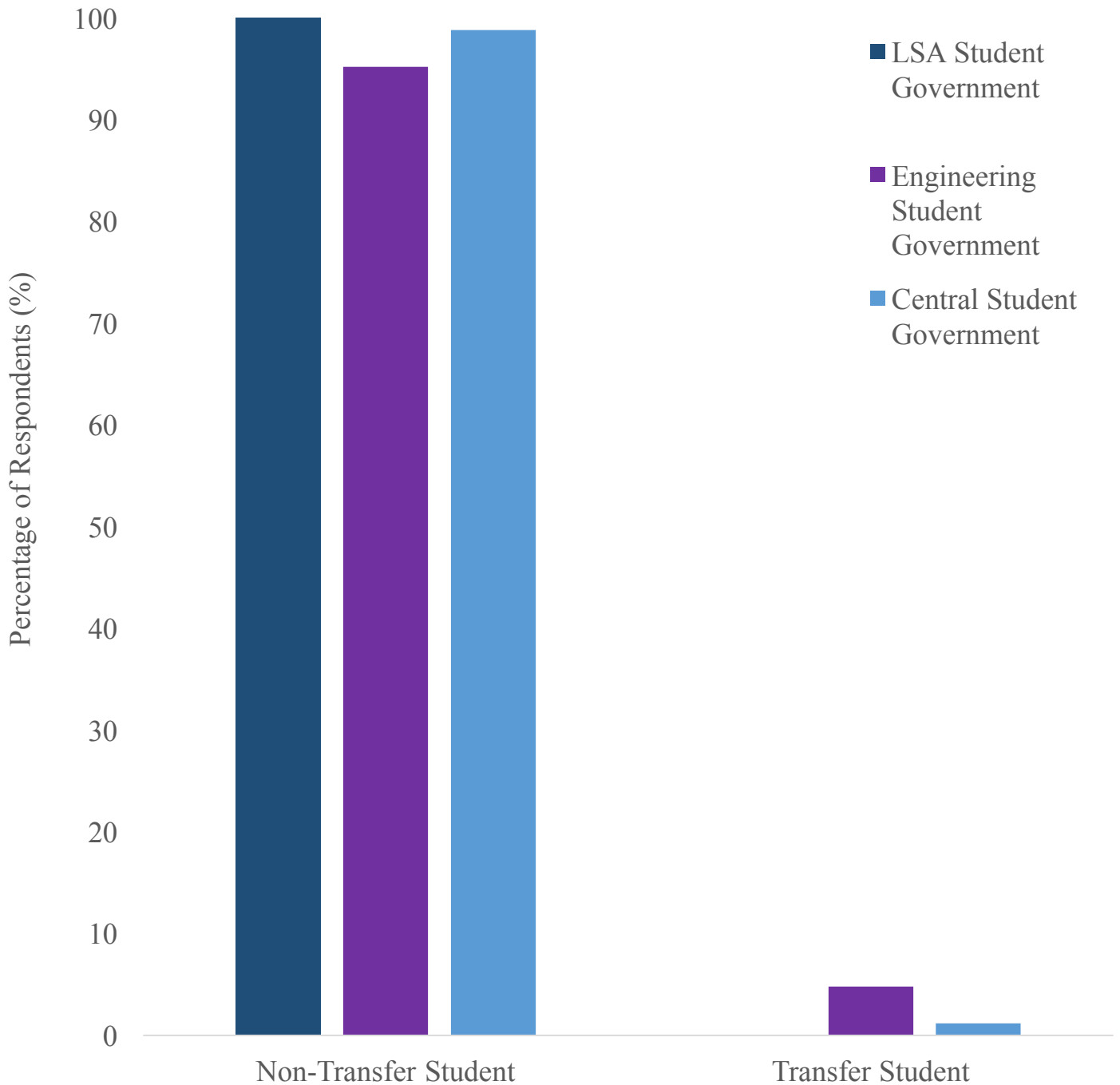
# Age



# Year in School

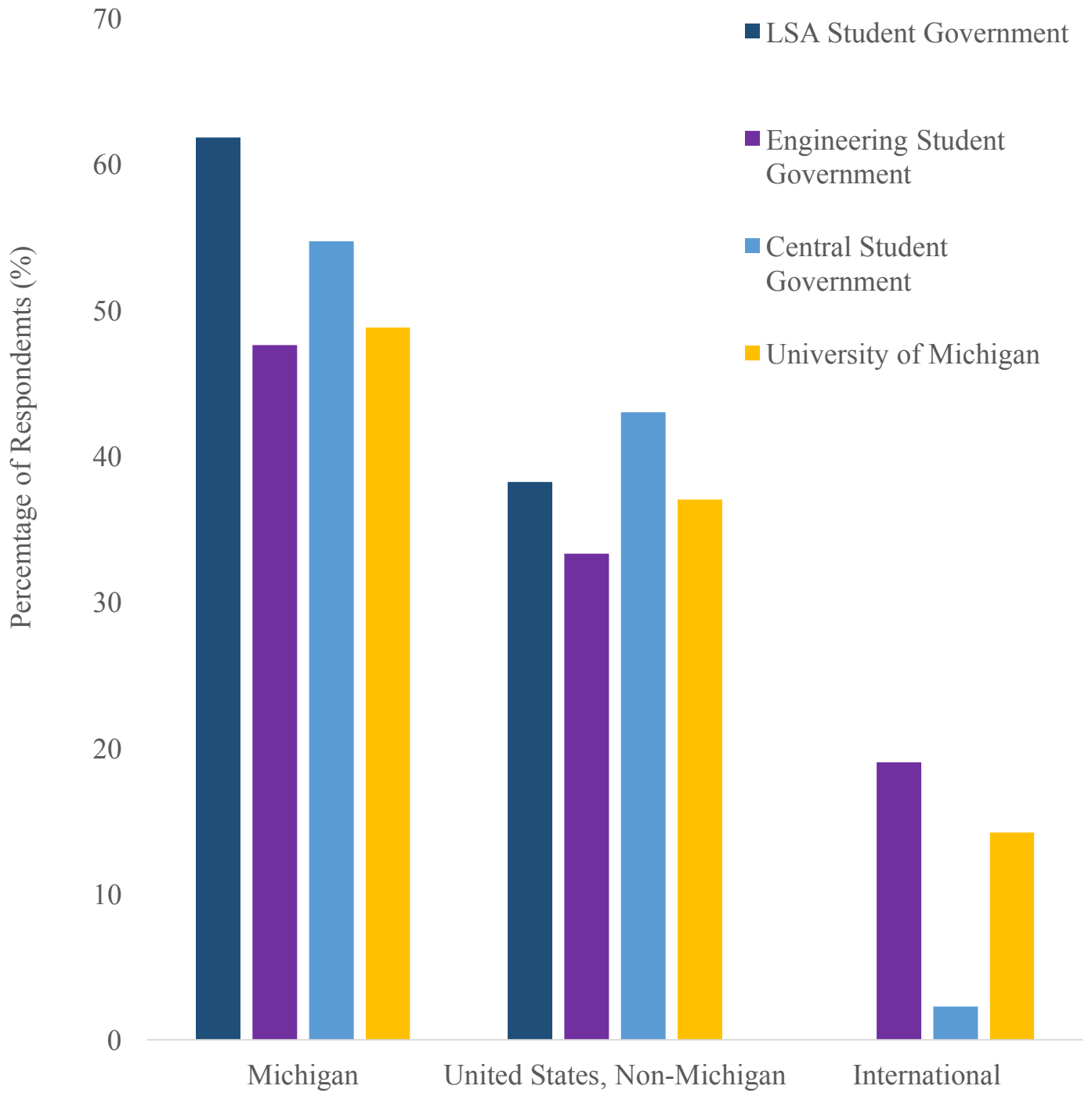


# Transfer Students

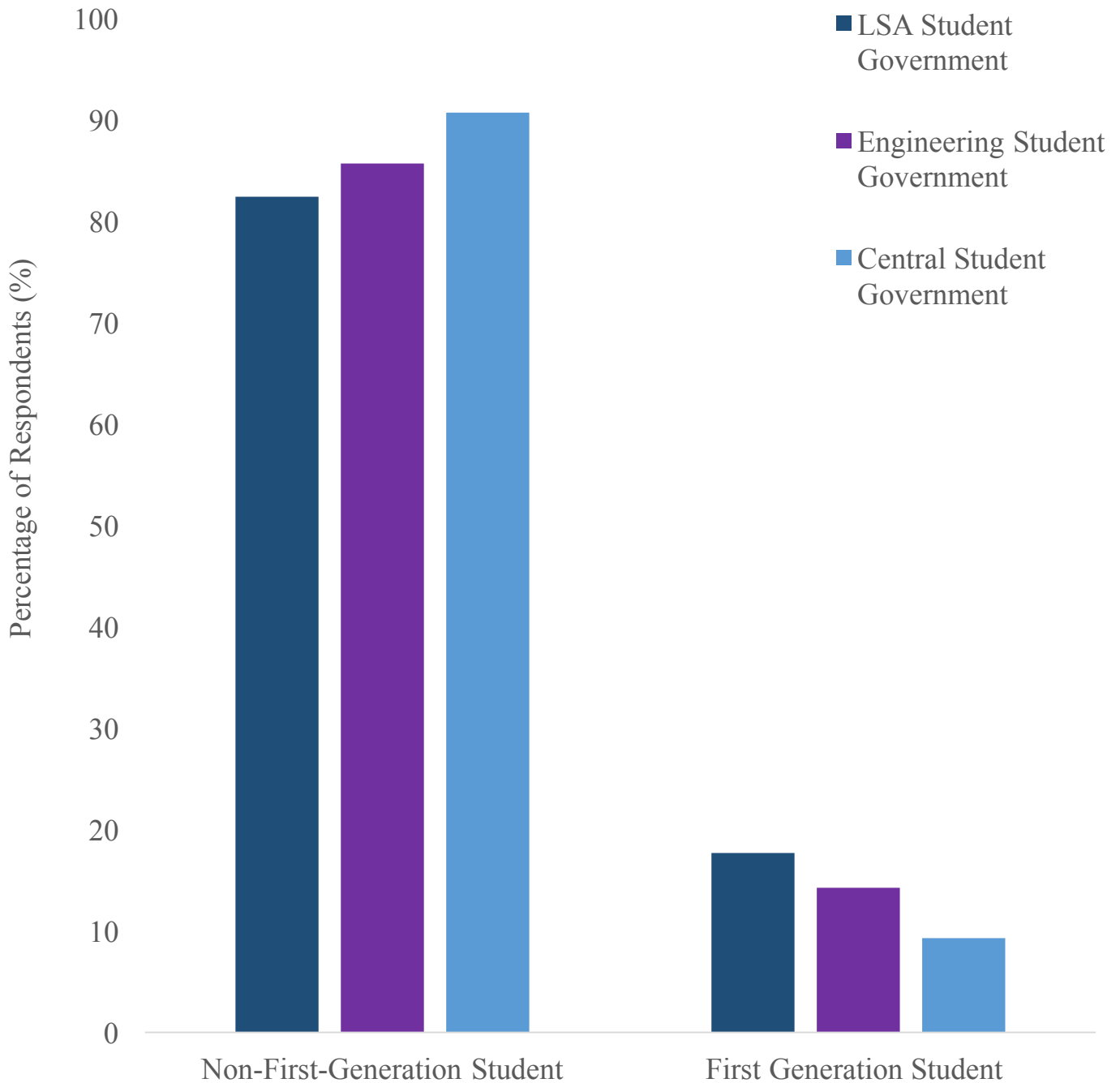


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# Residency

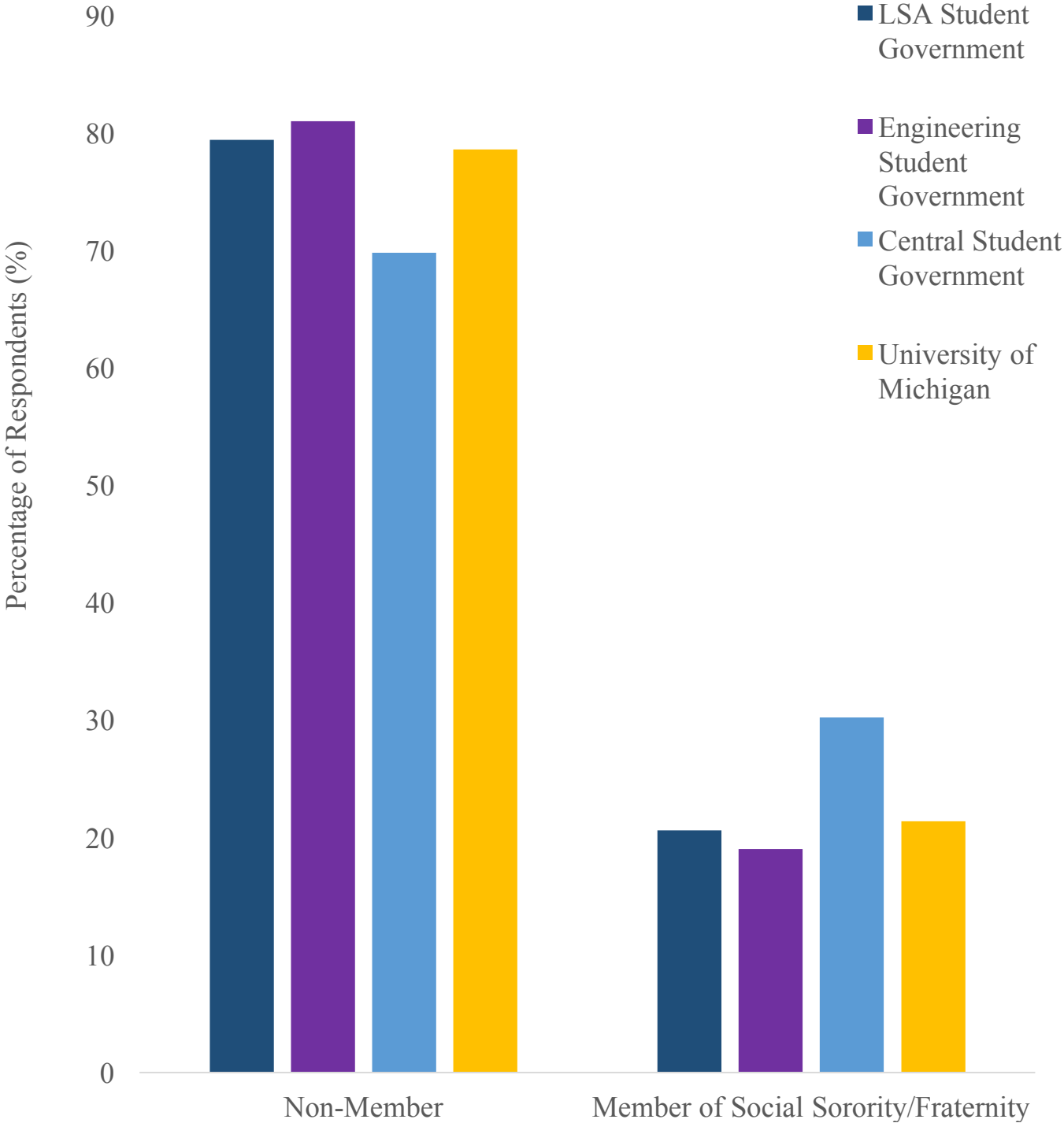


# First-Generation Students

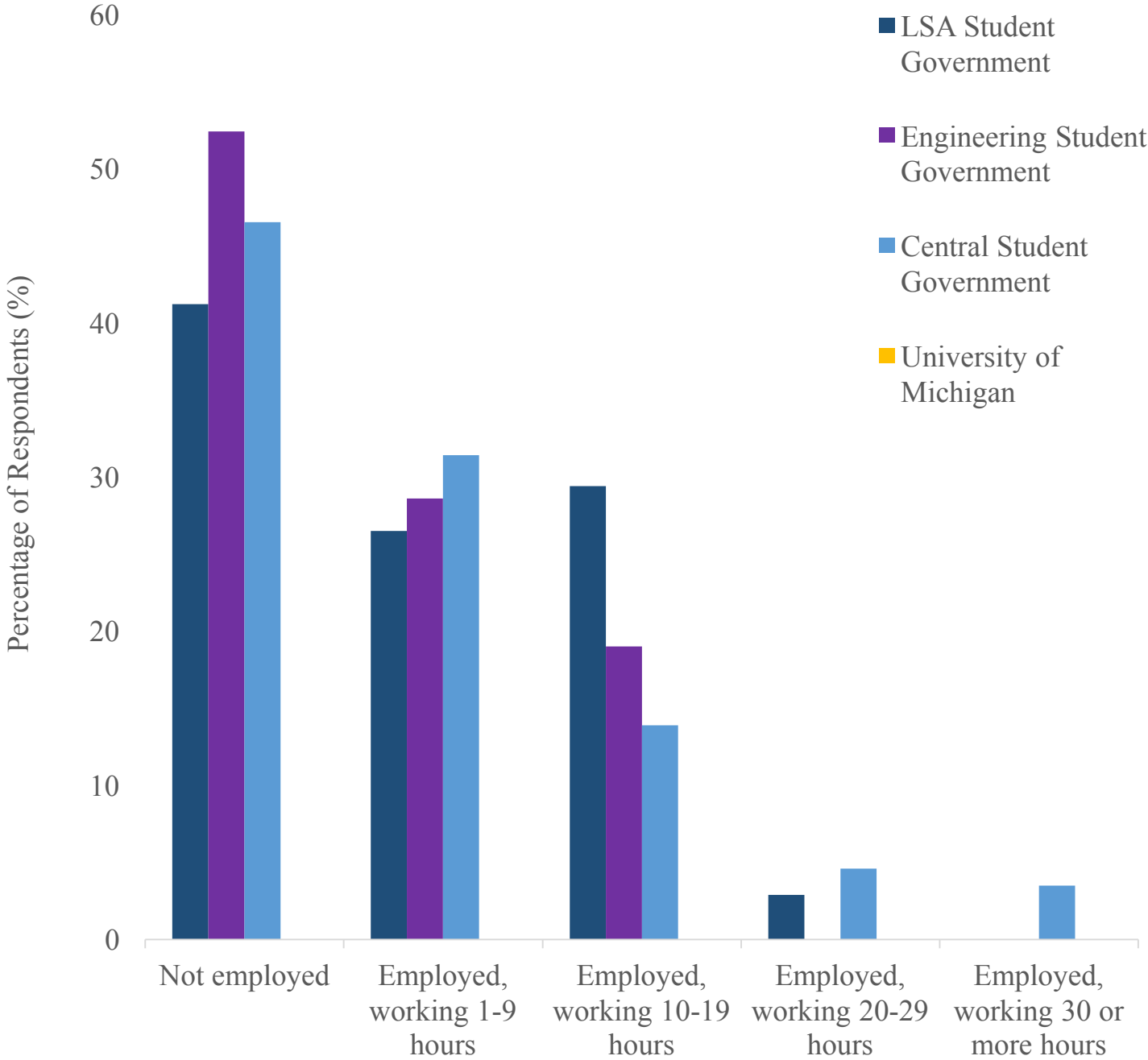


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# Greek Life

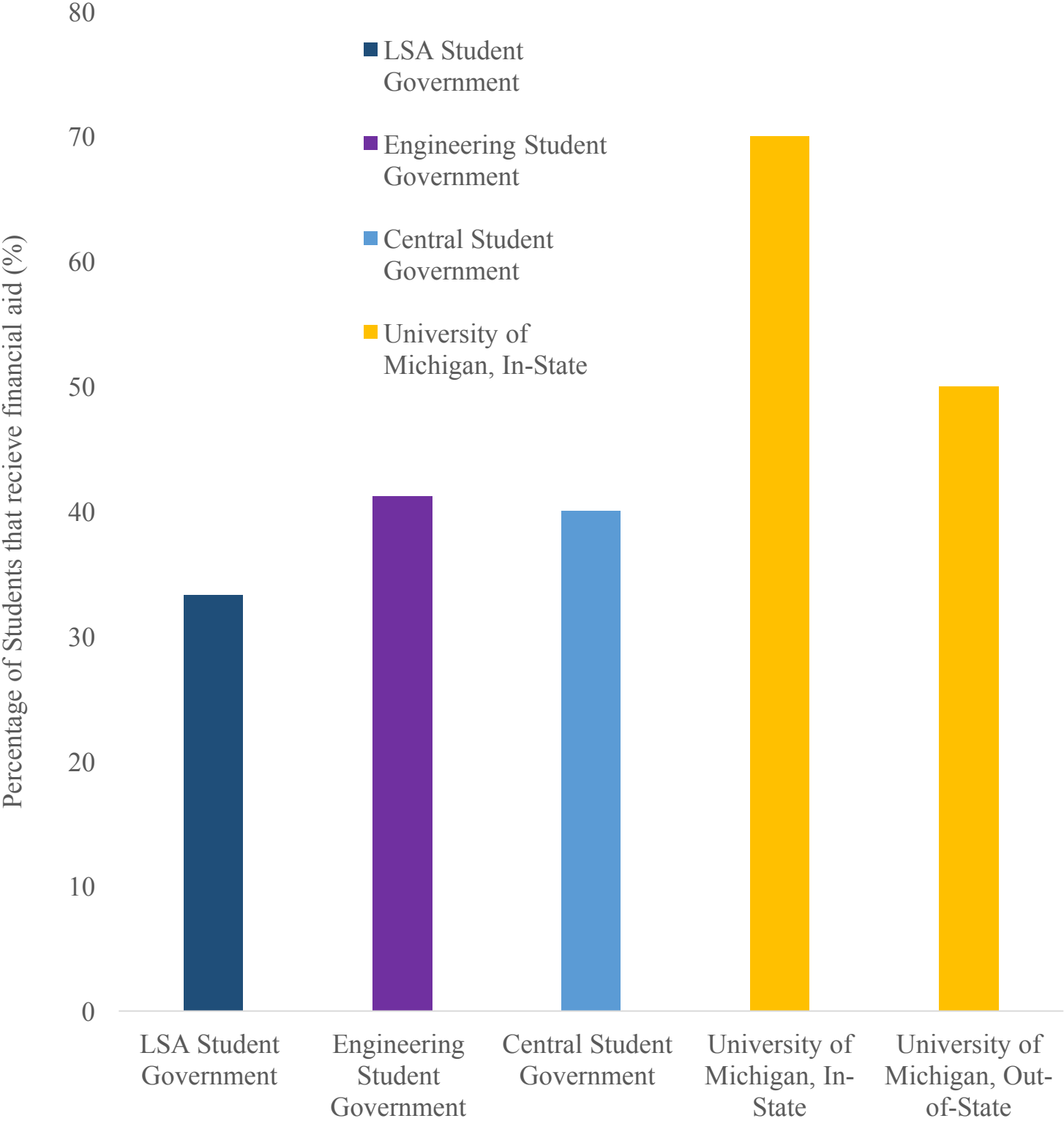


# Employment



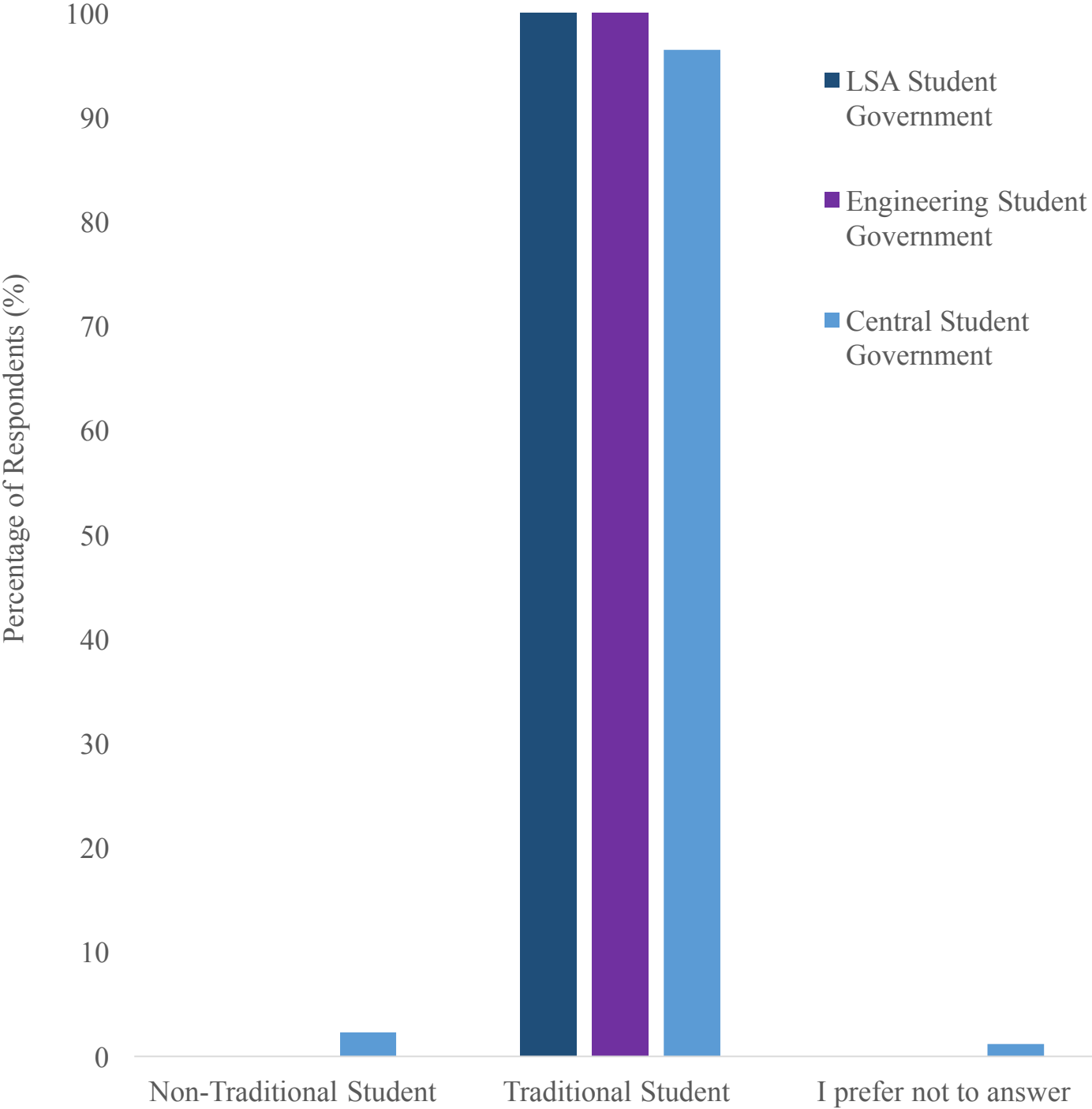
*The University of Michigan does not publish data related to on/off-campus student employment.*

# Financial Aid



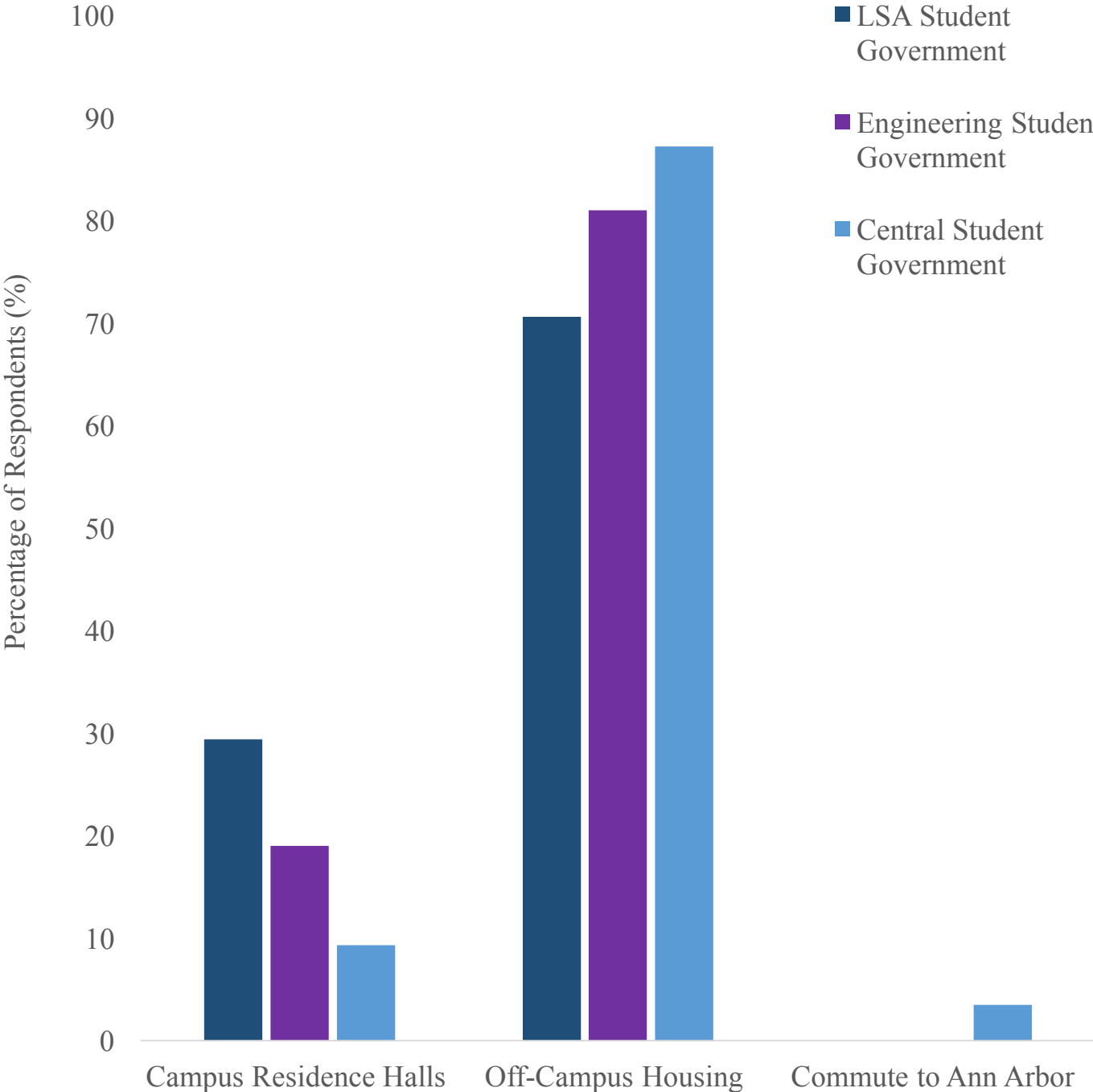


# Non-Traditional Students



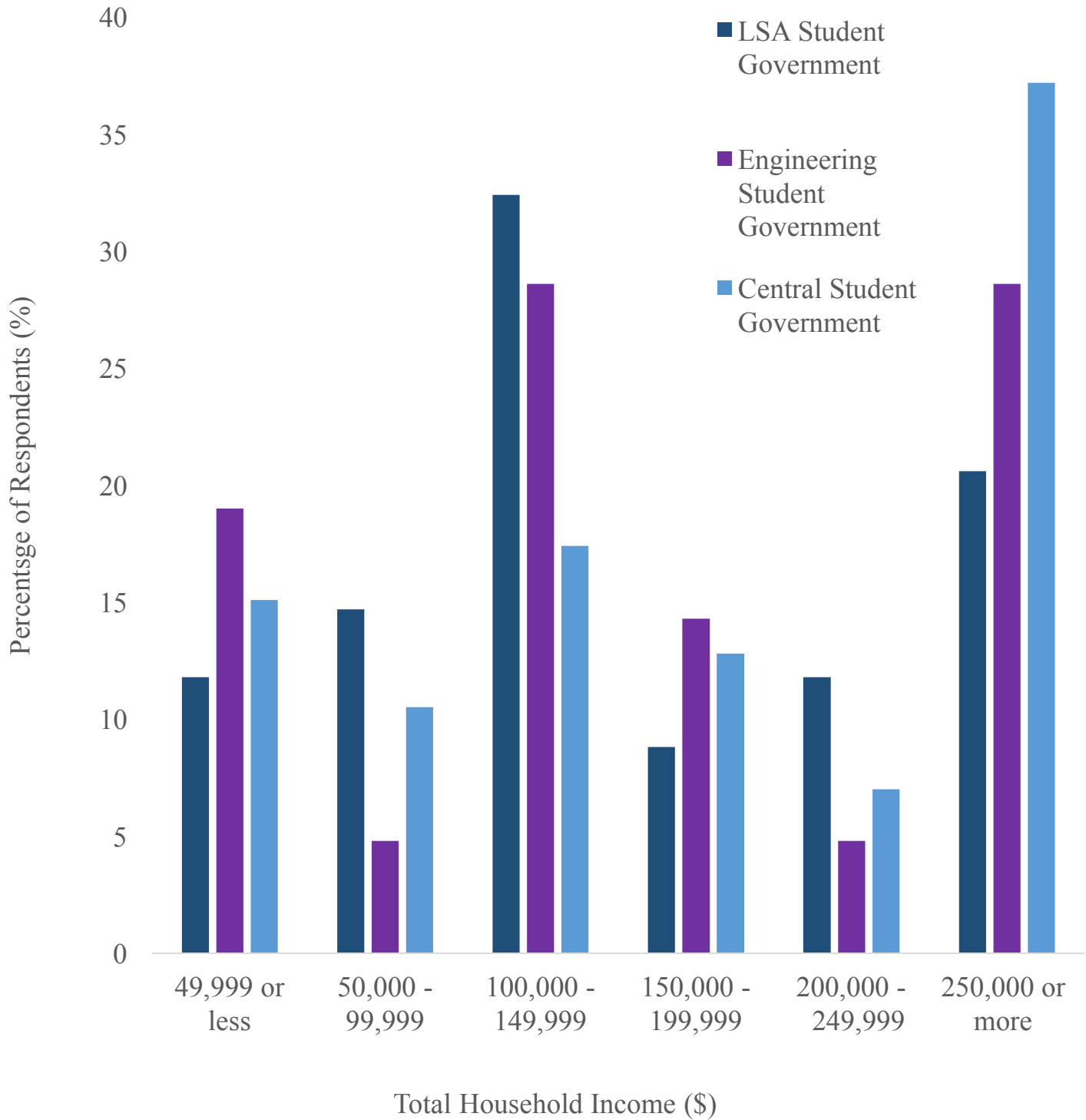
*The University of Michigan does not publish data related to non-traditional students.*

# Housing



*The University of Michigan does not publish data related to student housing or commuting to Ann Arbor.*

# Socio-Economic Status



*The University of Michigan does not publish data related to socio-economic status.*

# Appendix A: Survey Data

Race	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan <sup>1</sup>
Asian	14.7%	42.9%	9.3%	11.2%
Black	3.0%	4.8%	7.0%	4.1%
Hispanic	0%	0%	0%	4.6%
Native American	0%	0%	0%	0.2%
Hawaiian	0%	0%	1.2%	0%
White	64.7%	47.6%	69.8%	56.2%
Two or More	8.8%	4.8%	8.1%	3.1%
I prefer not to answer	3.0%	0%	1.2%	-
Other	5.9% <sup>2</sup>	4.8% <sup>3</sup>	4.7% <sup>4</sup>	-
Unknown	-	-	-	6.1%

<sup>1</sup> <http://ro.umich.edu/report/15fa816.xlsx>

<sup>2</sup> Other (Arab-America=3.0%, Middle Eastern=3.0%)

<sup>3</sup> Other (Mixed=4.8%)

<sup>4</sup> Other (Arab-American=2.3%, Middle-Eastern=2.3%)

Sex	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan <sup>5</sup>
Male	52.9%	57.1	58.1%	51.8
Female	47.1%	42.9	40.7%	48.2%
I prefer not to answer	0%	0%	1.2%	-

Gender Identity	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
Man	52.9%	57.1	57.0%	-
Woman	47.1%	42.9	40.7%	-
Genderqueer	0%	0%	1.2%	-
I prefer not to answer	0%	0%	1.2%	-

Sexual Orientation	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
Heterosexual	79.4%	95.2%	93.0%	-
Gay	14.7%	4.8%	3.5%	-
Bisexual	5.9%	0%	2.3%	-
I prefer not to answer	0%	0%	1.2%	-

<sup>5</sup> <http://www.ro.umich.edu/report/15fa101.xlsx>

Religion	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
Christian-Catholic	17.7%	14.3%	22.1%	-
Christian-Protestant	8.8%	4.8%	13.9%	-
Christian-Other	8.8%	0%	11.6%	-
Jewish	11.8%	0%	22.1%	-
Muslim	11.8%	0%	5.8%	-
Hindu	11.8%	28.6%	4.7%	-
Atheist	11.8%	14.3%	7%	-
Agnostic	11.8%	23.8%	5.8%	-
Other	2.9% <sup>6</sup>	4.8% <sup>7</sup>	2.3% <sup>8</sup>	-
I prefer to answer	2.9%	9.52%	4.7%	-

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<sup>6</sup> Other (Not Sure=2.9%)

<sup>7</sup> Other (Not Sure=4.8%)

<sup>8</sup> Other (Wicca=1.2%, Recovering Catholic=1.2%)

Age <sup>9</sup>	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
<17	0%	0%	0%	0.1%
17-19	55.9%	42.9%	15.1%	30.3%
20-21	44.1%	42.9%	66.3%	29.2%
22-23	0%	14.2%	7%	12.6%
24-25	0%	0%	3.5%	9.1%
26-30	0%	0%	7%	12.7%
30-35	0%	0%	1.2%	3.6%
35>	0%	0%	0%	2.4%

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<sup>9</sup> <http://www.ro.umich.edu/report/15fa130.pdf>

Year in School	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan <sup>10</sup>
<b>Freshman</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>12.1%</b>
<b>Sophomore</b>	<b>55.9%</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>12.8%</b>	<b>15.4%</b>
<b>Junior</b>	<b>29.4%</b>	<b>23.8%</b>	<b>31.4%</b>	<b>15.8%</b>
<b>Senior</b>	<b>14.7%</b>	<b>33.3%</b>	<b>37.2%</b>	<b>21.1%</b>
<b>Fifth-Year Undergraduate</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0.4%</b>
<b>Master</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>5.8%</b>	<b>7.35%</b>
<b>Doctorate</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>11.9%</b>
<b>Master (Non-Rackham)</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>9.8%</b>
<b>Grad-Professional</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>6.2%</b>

Transfer	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
<b>Transfer Student</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Non-Transfer Student</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>95.2%</b>	<b>98.8%</b>	<b>-</b>

<sup>10</sup> <http://www.ro.umich.edu/report/15fa102.xlsx>



Residency	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan <sup>11</sup>
Michigan	61.8%	47.6%	54.7%	48.8%
United States, Non-Michigan	38.2%	33.3%	43.0%	37%
International	0%	19.0%	2.3%	14.2%

First-Generation	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
First Generation Student	17.7%	14.3	9.3%	-
Non-First-Generation Student	82.4%	85.7	90.7%	-

Greek Life	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan <sup>12</sup>
Member of Social Sorority/ Fraternity	20.6%	19%	30.2%	21.4%
Non-Member	79.4%	81%	69.8%	78.6%

<sup>11</sup> <http://www.ro.umich.edu/report/15fa115.xlsx>

<sup>12</sup> <https://greeklife.umich.edu/article/community-statistics>

Employment	Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government	Engineering Student Government	Central Student Government	University of Michigan
Not employed	41.2%	52.4%	46.5%	-
Employed, working 1-9 hours	26.5%	28.6%	31.4%	-
Employed, working 10-19 hours	29.4%	19.0%	13.9%	-
Employed, working 20-29 hours	2.9%	0%	4.6%	-
Employed, working 30 or more hours	0%	0%	3.5%	-

Financial Aid	Financial Aid, In- State	Financial Aid, Out-of-State	Total Financial Aid
Central Student Government <sup>13</sup>	-	-	33.3%
Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government <sup>14</sup>	-	-	41.2%
Engineering Student Government <sup>15</sup>	-	-	40%
University of Michigan <sup>16</sup>	70%	50%	-

<sup>13</sup> Financial Aid data for Central Student Government was recalculated to only include undergraduate students

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<sup>15</sup> Financial Aid data for Central Student Government was recalculated to only include undergraduate students

<sup>16</sup> <https://finaid.umich.edu/about-us/>

<b>Non-traditional Students</b>	<b>Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government</b>	<b>Engineering Student Government</b>	<b>Central Student Government</b>	<b>University of Michigan</b>
<b>Non-Traditional Student</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Traditional Student</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>96.5%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>I prefer not to answer</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>-</b>

<b>Housing</b>	<b>Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government</b>	<b>Engineering Student Government</b>	<b>Central Student Government</b>	<b>University of Michigan</b>
<b>Campus Residence Halls</b>	<b>29.4%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>9.3%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Off-Campus Housing</b>	<b>70.6%</b>	<b>81%</b>	<b>87.2%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Commute to Ann Arbor</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>-</b>

<b>Socio-economic Status</b>	<b>Literature, Sciences, and the Arts Student Government</b>	<b>Engineering Student Government</b>	<b>Central Student Government</b>	<b>University of Michigan</b>
<b>\$49,999 or less</b>	<b>11.8%</b>	<b>19%</b>	<b>15.1%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>\$50,000 - \$99,999</b>	<b>14.7%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>10.5%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>\$100,000 - \$149,999</b>	<b>32.4%</b>	<b>28.6%</b>	<b>17.4%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>\$150,000 - \$199,999</b>	<b>8.8%</b>	<b>14.3%</b>	<b>12.8%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>\$200,000 - \$249,999</b>	<b>11.8%</b>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>7.0%</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>\$250,000 or more</b>	<b>20.6%</b>	<b>28.6%</b>	<b>37.2%</b>	<b>-</b>

# Appendix B: Survey Questions

1. With which race(s) do you identify? Select all that apply.

- Asian
- Black
- Hispanic
- Native American
- Native Hawaiian
- White
- I prefer not to answer
- Other (please specify)

2. What is your sex?

- Male
- Female
- Intersex
- I prefer not to answer
- Other (please specify)

3. With which gender do you identify?

- Man
- Woman
- Genderqueer
- Gender non-binary
- Transgender Man
- Transgender Woman
- I prefer not to answer
- Other (please specify)

4. What is your sexual orientation?

- Heterosexual
- Lesbian
- Gay
- Bisexual

Queer  
Pansexual  
Asexual  
Questioning  
I prefer not to answer  
Other (please specify)

5. With which religion, if any, do you identify?

Christian - Catholic  
Christian - Protestant  
Christian - Other  
Jewish  
Muslim  
Hindu  
Buddhist  
Atheist  
Agnostic  
I prefer not to answer  
Other (please specify)

6. What is your age?

<17  
17-19  
20-21  
22-23  
24-25  
26-30  
31-35  
35<

7. Please indicate your current grade level.

- First-year undergraduate
- Second-year undergraduate
- Third-year undergraduate
- Fourth-year undergraduate
- Fifth-year undergraduate
- Master
- Doctorate
- Grad Professional
- Other (please specify)

8. Are you a transfer student?

- Yes
- No

9. Please indicate your area of permanent residency.

- Michigan
- United States, Non-Michigan
- International

10. Are you a first-generation college student?

- Yes
- No

11. Are you a member of a social sorority/fraternity?

- Yes
- No

12. Are you employed in an on-campus or off-campus job?

- Not employed
- Employed, working 1-9 hours
- Employed, working 10-19 hours
- Employed, working 20-29 hours
- Employed, working 30 or more hours
- I prefer not to answer

13. Do you receive financial aid to support your education?

**Please only answer this question if you are an undergraduate student. University data is only available for undergraduate students.**

Yes

No

I am a grad student

14. Are you a non-traditional student?

i.e. delayed enrollment into postsecondary education, attends college part-time or works full time, financially independent for financial aid purposes, has dependents other than a spouse, is a single parent, does not have a high school diploma.

Yes

No

I prefer not to answer

15. Do you live in a campus residence hall?

Yes

No, I live in off-campus housing

No, I commute to Ann Arbor

16. What is your total household income?

\$49,999 or less

\$50,000 - \$99,999

\$100,000 - \$149,999

\$150,000 - \$199,999

\$200,000 - \$249,999

\$250,000 or more



