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| $\begin{gathered} 1-4 \\ 5-10 \\ 11-12 \\ 13-14 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { ACE } \\ \text { GRPA } \\ \text { GRPB } \\ \text { SUBJID } \end{gathered}$ | College I.D. Group Code A Group Code B Subject I.D. |
| $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 16 \end{aligned}$ | ENTER1ST ENTERCUR | What year did you first enter your first college? What year did you first enter this college? $\begin{aligned} & 1=1993 \text { or } 1994 \\ & 2=1992 \\ & 3=1991 \\ & 4=1990 \\ & 5=1989 \text { or earlier } \end{aligned}$ |
| 17 | SEX | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Your sex: } \\ \text { 1=Male } \\ \text { 2=Female } \end{gathered}$ |
| $\begin{aligned} & 18-19 \\ & 20-21 \end{aligned}$ | DEGEARN DEGASP | Please indicate the highest degree you will have earned as of June 1994 <br> Please indicate the highest degree you plan to complete <br> 1 = None <br> 2 = Vocational certificate <br> 3 = Associate (A.A. or equivalent) <br> 4 = Bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.) <br> $5=$ Master's degree (M.A., M.S., etc.) <br> 6 = Ph.D. or Ed.D. <br> 7 = M.D., D.O., D.D.S., D.V.M. <br> 8 = J.D. (Law) <br> 9 = B.D. or M.DIV. (Divinity) <br> $10=$ Other |
| 22-26 | LOANAMT | Loan amount |
| $\begin{aligned} & 27-29 \\ & 30-32 \\ & 33-35 \\ & 36-38 \\ & 39-40 \end{aligned}$ | GREV GREQ LSAT GMAT MCAT | GRE Verbal GRE Quantitative LSAT <br> MCAT <br> GMAT |
|  |  | Since entering college have you: <br> 1=Not marked <br> 2=Marked |
| 41 | COLACT01 | Act in College: Joined a fraternity or sorority |
| 42 | COLACT02 | Act in College: Gotten married |
| 43 | COLACT03 | Act in College: Had a part-time job on campus |
| 44 | COLACT04 | Act in College: Had a part-time job off-campus |
| 45 | COLACT05 | Act in College: Worked full-time while attending school |
| 46 | COLACT06 | Act in College: Participated in study abroad program |
| 47 | COLACT07 | Act in College: Participated in college internship program |
| 48 | COLACT08 | Act in College: Participated in campus protests |
| 49 | COLACT09 | Act in College: Been elected to student office |
| 50 | COLACT10 | Act in College: Taken remedial or developmental classes |
| 51 | COLACT11 | Act in College: Enrolled in an ethnic studies course |
| 52 | COLACT12 | Act in College: Enrolled in a women's studies course |
| 53 | COLACT13 | Act in College: Attended racial/cultural awareness workshop |
| 54 | COLACT14 | Act in College: Participated in an ethnic/racial student organization |
| 55 | COLACT15 | Act in College: Worked on prof's research project |
| 56 | COLACT16 | Act in College: Participated in intercollegiate football or basketball |
| 57 | COLACT17 | Act in College: Participated in other intercollegiate sport |
| 58 | COLACT18 | Act in College: Served as a resident advisor |
| 59 | TIMEOFF | Since entering college as a freshman, have you taken a leave of absence, withdrawn from school, or transferred? <br> 1=Took a leave of absence <br> 2=Withdrew from school <br> 3=Transferred <br> 4=No |









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|  |  | 64 = Geography <br> $65=$ Political Science (gov't., international relations) <br> 66 = Psychology <br> 67 = Social Work <br> $68=$ Sociology <br> 69 = Women's Studies <br> 70 = Other Social Science <br> 71 = Building Trades <br> 72 = Data Processing or Computer Programming <br> 73 = Drafting or Design <br> 74 = Electronics <br> $75=$ Mechanics <br> $76=$ Other Technical <br> 77 = Agriculture <br> 78 = Communications (radio, TV, etc.) <br> 79 = Computer Science <br> $80=$ Forestry <br> 81 = Law Enforcement <br> 82 = Military Science <br> $83=$ Other Field <br> 84 = Undecided |
|  |  | ```Please indicate your agreement with each of the following statements 1 = Disagree strongly 2 = Disagree somewhat 3=Agree somewhat 4 = Agree strongly``` |
| 244 | VIEW01 | View: The Federal government is not doing enough to protect the consumer from faulty goods and services |
| 245 | VIEW02 | View: The Federal government is not doing enough to control environment pollution |
| 246 | VIEW03 | View: The Federal government should raise taxes to help reduce the deficit |
| 247 | VIEW04 | View: The death penalty should be abolished |
| 248 | VIEW05 | View: Abortion should be legal |
| 249 | VIEW06 | View: The activities of married women are best confined to the home and family |
| 250 | VIEW07 | View: Marijuana should be legalized |
| 251 | VIEW08 | View: It is important to have laws prohibiting homosexual relationships |
| 252 | VIEW09 | View: The chief benefit of college education is that it increase one's earning power |
| 253 | VIEW10 | View: There is too much concern in the courts for the right of criminals |
| 254 | VIEW11 | View: Just because a man feels a woman has 'led him on' does not entitle him to have sex with her |
| 255 | VIEW12 | View: Colleges should prohibit racist/sexist speech on campus |
| 256 | VIEW13 | View: Racial discrimination is no longer a problem in America |
| 257 | VIEW14 | View: A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs |
| 258 | VIEW15 | View: The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns |
| 259 | VIEW16 | View: The best way to control AIDS is through widespread, mandatory testing |
| 260-261 | SRELIGION | Your current religious preference $1=$ Baptist $2=$ Buddhist $3=$ Eastern Orthodox $4=$ Episcopal $5=$ Islamic $6=$ Jewish $7=$ LDS (Mormon) $8=$ Lutheran $9=$ Methodist $10=$ Presbyterian $11=$ Quaker $12=$ Roman Catholic $13=$ Seventh Day Adventist $14=$ UCC $15=$ Unitarian/Universalist $16=$ Other Christian $17=$ Other Religion $18=$ None |
| 262 | PERMIT | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Do you give the higher education research institute (HERI) permission to include your id number should your college } \\ & \text { request the data for additional research analyses? } \\ & \begin{array}{l} 1=\text { No } \\ 2=\text { Yes } \end{array} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |








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|  |  | Rate yourself on each of the following traits as compared with the average person your age <br> 1 = Lowest 10\% <br> 2 = Below average <br> 3 = Average <br> 4 = Above Average <br> 5 = Highest 10\% |
| 407 | RATE01_TFS | Self Rating: Academic ability |
| 408 | RATE02_TFS | Self Rating: Artistic ability |
| 409 | RATE03_TFS | Self Rating: Competitiveness |
| 410 | RATE04_TFS | Self Rating: Cooperativeness |
| 411 | RATE05_TFS | Self Rating: Drive to achieve |
| 412 | RATE06_TFS | Self Rating: Emotional health |
| 413 | RATE07_TFS | Self Rating: Leadership ability |
| 414 | RATE08_TFS | Self Rating: Mathematical ability |
| 415 | RATE09_TFS | Self Rating: Physical health |
| 416 | RATE10_TFS | Self Rating: Popularity |
| 417 | RATE11_TFS | Self Rating: Popularity with the opposite sex |
| 418 | RATE12_TFS | Self Rating: Public speaking ability |
| 419 | RATE13_TFS | Self Rating: Self-confidence (intellectual) |
| 420 | RATE14_TFS | Self Rating: Self-confidence (social) |
| 421 | RATE15_TFS | Self Rating: Understanding of others |
| 422 | RATE16_TFS | Self Rating: Writing ability |
| 423-424 | INCOME_TFS | What is your best estimate of your parents' total income last year? $\begin{aligned} & 1=\text { Less than } \$ 6,000 \\ & 2=\$ 6,000-\$ 9,999 \\ & 3=\$ 10,000-\$ 14,000 \\ & 4=\$ 15,000-\$ 19,999 \\ & 5=\$ 20,000-\$ 24,999 \\ & 6=\$ 25,000-\$ 29,000 \\ & 8=\$ 30,000-\$ 39,999 \\ & 9=\$ 30,000-\$ 34,999 \\ & 10=\$ 35,000-\$ 39,000 \\ & 12=\$ 40,000-\$ 49,000 \\ & 14=\$ 50,000-\$ 59,999 \\ & 16=\$ 60,000-\$ 74,000 \\ & 17=\$ 75,000-\$ 99,999 \\ & 19=\$ 100,000-\$ 149,999 \\ & 20=\$ 150,000 \text { or more } \\ & 21=\$ 150,000-\$ 199,999 \\ & 22=\$ 200,000 \text { or more } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| 425 | FATHEDUC_TFS | Father's education |
| 426 | MOTHEDUC_TFS | Mother's education <br> 1 = Grammar school or less <br> 2 = Some high school <br> 3 = High school graduate <br> 4 = Postsecondary school other than college <br> 5 = Some college <br> 6 = College degree <br> 7 = Some graduate school <br> 8 = Graduate degree |
|  |  | In deciding to go to college, how important you was each of the following reasons? <br> 1 = Not important <br> 2 = Somewhat important <br> 3 = Very important |
| 427 | REASON01_TFS | Reason Attend: My parents wanted me to go |
| 428 | REASON02_TFS | Reason Attend: I could not find a job |
| 429 | REASON03_TFS | Reason Attend: Wanted to get away from home |
| 430 | REASON04_TFS | Reason Attend: To be able to get a better job |
| 431 | REASON05_TFS | Reason Attend: To gain a general education and appreciation of ideas |
| 432 | REASON06_TFS | Reason Attend: To improve my reading and study skills |
| 433 | REASON07_TFS | Reason Attend: There was nothing better to do |
| 434 | REASON08_TFS | Reason Attend: To make me a more cultured person |
| 435 | REASON09_TFS | Reason Attend: To be able to make more money |
| 436 | REASON10_TFS | Reason Attend: To learn more about things that interest me |
| 437 | REASON11_TFS | Reason Attend: To prepare myself for graduate or professional school |



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|  |  | Mark one in each row: <br> 1 = Disagree strongly <br> 2 = Disagree somewhat <br> 3 = Agree somewhat <br> 4 = Agree strongly |
| 444 | VIEW01_TFS | View: The Federal government is not doing enough to protect the consumer from faulty goods and services |
| 445 | VIEW02_TFS | View: The Federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution |
| 446 | VIEW03_TFS | View: The Federal government should raise taxes to reduce the deficit |
| 447 | VIEW04_TFS | View: There is too much concern in the courts for the rights of criminals |
| 448 | VIEW05_TFS | View: Federal military spending should be increased |
| 449 | VIEW06_TFS | View: Abortion should be legal |
| 450 | VIEW07_TFS | View: The death penalty should be abolished |
| 451 | VIEW08_TFS | View: If two people really like each other, it's all right for them to have sex even if they've known each other for only a very |
| 452 | VIEW09_TFS | View: The activities of married women are best confined to the home and family |
| 453 | VIEW10_TFS | View: Marijuana should be legalized |
| 454 | VIEW11_TFS | View: Busing is O.K. if it helps to achieve racial balance in the schools |
| 455 | VIEW12_TFS | View: It is important to have laws prohibiting homosexual relationships |
| 456 | VIEW13_TFS | View: The chief benefit of a college is that it increases one's earning power |
| 457 | VIEW14_TFS | View: Employers should be allowed to require drug testing of employees or job applicants |
| 458 | VIEW15_TFS | View: The best way to control AIDS is through widespread, mandatory testing |
| 459 | VIEW16_TFS | View: Just because a man thinks that a woman has 'led him on' does not entitle him to have sex with her |
| 460 | VIEW17_TFS | View: The federal government should do more to control the sale of handguns |
| 461 | VIEW18_TFS | View: A national health care plan is needed to cover everybody's medical costs |
| 462 | VIEW20_TFS | View: Nuclear disarmament is attainable |
| 463 | VIEW21_TFS | View: Scientists should publish their findings regardless of the possible consequences |
| 464 | VIEW22_TFS | View: Faculty promotions should be based in part on student evaluations |
| 465 | VIEW23_TFS | View: Racial discrimination is no longer a major problem in America |
|  |  | During the last year in high school, how much time did you spend during a typical week doing the following activities? $\begin{aligned} & 1=\text { None } \\ & 2=\text { less than } 1 \text { hour } \\ & 3=1-2 \\ & 4=3-5 \\ & 5=6-10 \\ & 6=11-15 \\ & 7=16-20 \\ & 8=\text { Over } 20 \end{aligned}$ |
| 466 | HPW01_TFS | Hours per Week: Studying/homework |
| 467 | HPW02_TFS | Hours per Week: Socializing with friends |
| 468 | HPW03_TFS | Hours per Week: Talking with teachers outside class |
| 469 | HPW04_TFS | Hours per Week: Exercising/sports |
| 470 | HPW05_TFS | Hours per Week: Partying |
| 471 | HPW06_TFS | Hours per Week: Working (for pay) |
| 472 | HPW07_TFS | Hours per Week: Volunteer work |
| 473 | HPW08_TFS | Hours per Week: Student clubs/groups |
|  |  | How important was each reason in your decision to come here? <br> 1 = Not important <br> 2 = Somewhat important <br> 3 = Very important |
| 474 | CHOOSE01_TFS | Choose to Attend: My relatives wanted me to come here |
| 475 | CHOOSE02_TFS | Choose to Attend: My teacher advised me |
| 476 | CHOOSE03_TFS | Choose to Attend: This college has a very good academic reputation |
| 477 | CHOOSE04_TFS | Choose to Attend: This college has a good reputation for its social activities |
| 478 | CHOOSE05_TFS | Choose to Attend: I was offered financial assistance |
| 479 | CHOOSE06_TFS | Choose to Attend: This college offers special educational programs |
| 480 | CHOOSE07_TFS | Choose to Attend: This college has low tuition |
| 481 | CHOOSE08_TFS | Choose to Attend: My guidance counselor advised me |
| 482 | CHOOSE09_TFS | Choose to Attend: I wanted to live near home |
| 483 | CHOOSE10_TFS | Choose to Attend: A friend suggested attending |
| 484 | CHOOSE11_TFS | Choose to Attend: A college rep. recruited me |
| 485 | CHOOSE12_TFS | Choose to Attend: The athletic department recruited me |
| 486 | CHOOSE13_TFS | Choose to Attend: This college's graduates gain admission to top graduate/professional schools |
| 487 | CHOOSE14_TFS | Choose to Attend: This college's graduates get good jobs |
| 488 | CHOOSE15_TFS | Choose to Attend: I was attracted by the religious affiliation/orientation of the college |
| 489 | CHOOSE16_TFS | Choose to Attend: I wanted to go to a school about the size of this college |



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|  |  | Indicate the importance to you personally of: <br> 1 = Not important <br> 2 = Somewhat important <br> 3 = Very important <br> 4 = Essential |
| 493 | GOAL01_TFS | Goal: Becoming accomplished in one of the performing arts (acting, dancing, etc.) |
| 494 | GOAL02_TFS | Goal: Becoming an authority in my field |
| 495 | GOAL03_TFS | Goal: Obtaining recognition from my colleagues for contributions to my special field |
| 496 | GOAL04_TFS | Goal: Influencing the political structure |
| 497 | GOAL05_TFS | Goal: Influencing social values |
| 498 | GOAL06_TFS | Goal: Raising a family |
| 499 | GOAL07_TFS | Goal: Having administrative responsibility for the work of others |
| 500 | GOAL08_TFS | Goal: Being very well off financially |
| 501 | GOAL09_TFS | Goal: Helping others who are in difficulty |
| 502 | GOAL10_TFS | Goal: Making a theoretical contribution to science |
| 503 | GOAL11_TFS | Goal: Writing original works (poems, novels, short stories, etc.) |
| 504 | GOAL12_TFS | Goal: Creating artistic work (painting, sculpture, decorating, etc.) |
| 505 | GOAL13_TFS | Goal: Becoming successful in a business of my own |
| 506 | GOAL14_TFS | Goal: Becoming involved in programs to clean up the environment |
| 507 | GOAL15_TFS | Goal: Developing a meaningful philosophy of life |
| 508 | GOAL16_TFS | Goal: Participating in a community action program |
| 509 | GOAL17_TFS | Goal: Helping to promote racial understanding |
| 510 | GOAL18_TFS | Goal: Keeping up to date with political affairs |


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|  |  | What is your best guess as to the chances that you will <br> 1 = No chance <br> 2 = Very little chance <br> 3 = Some chance <br> 4 = Very good chance |
| 511 | FUTACT01_TFS | Future Act: Change major field |
| 512 | FUTACT02_TFS | Future Act: Change career choice |
| 513 | FUTACT03_TFS | Future Act: Fail one or more courses |
| 514 | FUTACT04_TFS | Future Act: Graduate with honors |
| 515 | FUTACT05_TFS | Future Act: Be elected to student office |
| 516 | FUTACT06_TFS | Future Act: Get a job to help pay for college expenses |
| 517 | FUTACT07_TFS | Future Act: Work full-time while attending college |
| 518 | FUTACT08_TFS | Future Act: Join a social fraternity or sorority |
| 519 | FUTACT09_TFS | Future Act: Play varsity/intercollegiate athletics |
| 520 | FUTACT10_TFS | Future Act: Be elected to an academic honor society |
| 521 | FUTACT11_TFS | Future Act: Make at least a 'B' average |
| 522 | FUTACT12_TFS | Future Act: Need extra time to complete your degree requirements |
| 523 | FUTACT13_TFS | Future Act: Get tutoring help in specific courses |
| 524 | FUTACT14_TFS | Future Act: Have to work at an outside job during college |
| 525 | FUTACT15_TFS | Future Act: Seek vocational counseling |
| 526 | FUTACT16_TFS | Future Act: Seek individual counseling on personal problems |
| 527 | FUTACT17_TFS | Future Act: Get a bachelor's degree (B.A., B.S., etc.) |
| 528 | FUTACT18_TFS | Future Act: Participate in student protests or demonstrations |
| 529 | FUTACT19_TFS | Future Act: Drop out of this college temporarily (exclude transferring) |
| 530 | FUTACT20_TFS | Future Act: Drop Out Permanently (exclude transferring) |
| 531 | FUTACT21_TFS | Future Act: Transfer to another college before graduating |
| 532 | FUTACT22_TFS | Future Act: Be satisfied with your college |
| 533 | FUTACT23_TFS | Future Act: Find a job after college in the field for which you were trained |
| 534 | FUTACT24_TFS | Future Act: Get married while in college |
| 535 | FUTACT25_TFS | Future Act: Participate in volunteer or community service work |
| 536 | PERMIT_TFS | Do you give the Higher Education Research Institute (HERI) permission to include your ID number should your college $\begin{aligned} & 1=\mathrm{No} \\ & 2=\mathrm{Yes} \end{aligned}$ |



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| 549-550 |  | Institutional Characteristics |
|  | STRAT | CIRP Stratification Cell <br> 1 = Public Universities - low <br> 2 = Public Universities - medium <br> 3 = Public Universities - high <br> 4 = Private Universities - medium <br> 5 = Private Universities - high <br> 6 = Private Universities - very high <br> 7 = Public 4yr Colleges - low <br> 8 = Public 4yr Colleges - medium <br> 9 = Public 4yr Colleges - high <br> 10 = Public 4yr Colleges - unknown <br> 11 = Private/Nonsectarian 4yr Colleges - low <br> 12 = Private/Nonsectarian 4yr Colleges - medium <br> 13 = Private/Nonsectarian 4yr Colleges - high <br> 14 = Private/Nonsectarian 4yr Colleges - very high <br> 15 = Private/Nonsectarian 4yr Colleges - unknown <br> 16 = Catholic 4yr Colleges - low <br> 17 = Catholic 4yr Colleges - medium <br> $18=$ Catholic 4yr Colleges - high <br> 19 = Catholic 4yr Colleges - unknown <br> 20 = Other Religious 4yr Colleges - very low <br> 21 = Other Religious 4yr Colleges - low <br> 22 = Other Religious 4yr Colleges - medium <br> 23 = Other Religious 4yr Colleges - high <br> 24 = Other Religious 4yr Colleges - unknown <br> $25=$ Public 2yr Colleges - very low <br> 26 = Public 2yr Colleges - low <br> 27 = Public 2yr Colleges - medium <br> 28 = Public 2yr Colleges - high <br> 29 = Public 2yr Colleges - very high <br> $30=$ Private 2yr Colleges - very low <br> 31 = Private 2yr Colleges - low <br> 32 = Private 2yr Colleges - medium <br> 33 = Private 2yr Colleges - high <br> $34=$ HBCU Public 4yr Colleges <br> $35=$ HBCU Private 4yr Colleges <br> $36=$ HBCU Public 2yr Colleges <br> 37 = HBCU Private 2yr Colleges <br> $38=$ HBCU Other Religious 4yr Colleges <br> 39 = HBCU Catholic 4yr Colleges <br> $40=$ HBCU Public Universities <br> 41 = HBCU Private Universities <br> $99=$ Other |
| 551-552 | STATE | Institution State |
| 553 | HERIREG | HERI Region <br> $1=$ East <br> $2=$ Midwest <br> $3=$ South <br> $4=$ West |
| 554 | OBEREG | ```OBE Region 1 = New England - CT ME MA NH RI VT 2 = Mid East - DE DC MD NJ NY PA 3 = Great Lakes - IL IN MI OH WI 4 = Plains - IA KS MN MO NE ND SD 5 = Southeast - AL AR FL GA KY LA MS NC SC TN VA WV 6 = Southwest - AZ NM OK TX 7 = Rocky Mountains - CO ID MT UT WY 8 = Far West - AK CA HI NV OR WA 9 = Other``` |
| 555 | HBCU | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} \hline \text { HBCU Flag } \\ 1=\text { Not HBCU } \\ 2=\text { Public HBCU } \\ 3=\text { Private HBCU } \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| 556-559 | SELECTIVITY | Institutional Selectivity |



