

VCU Workshop on Sustainable Food Access through Sensing, Data Analytics, and Community Engagement

“Pre-Workshop Questionnaire Summary”

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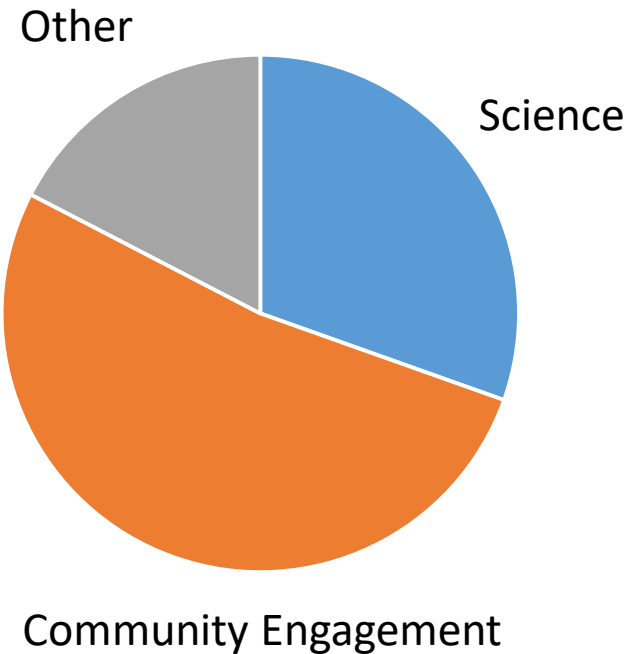
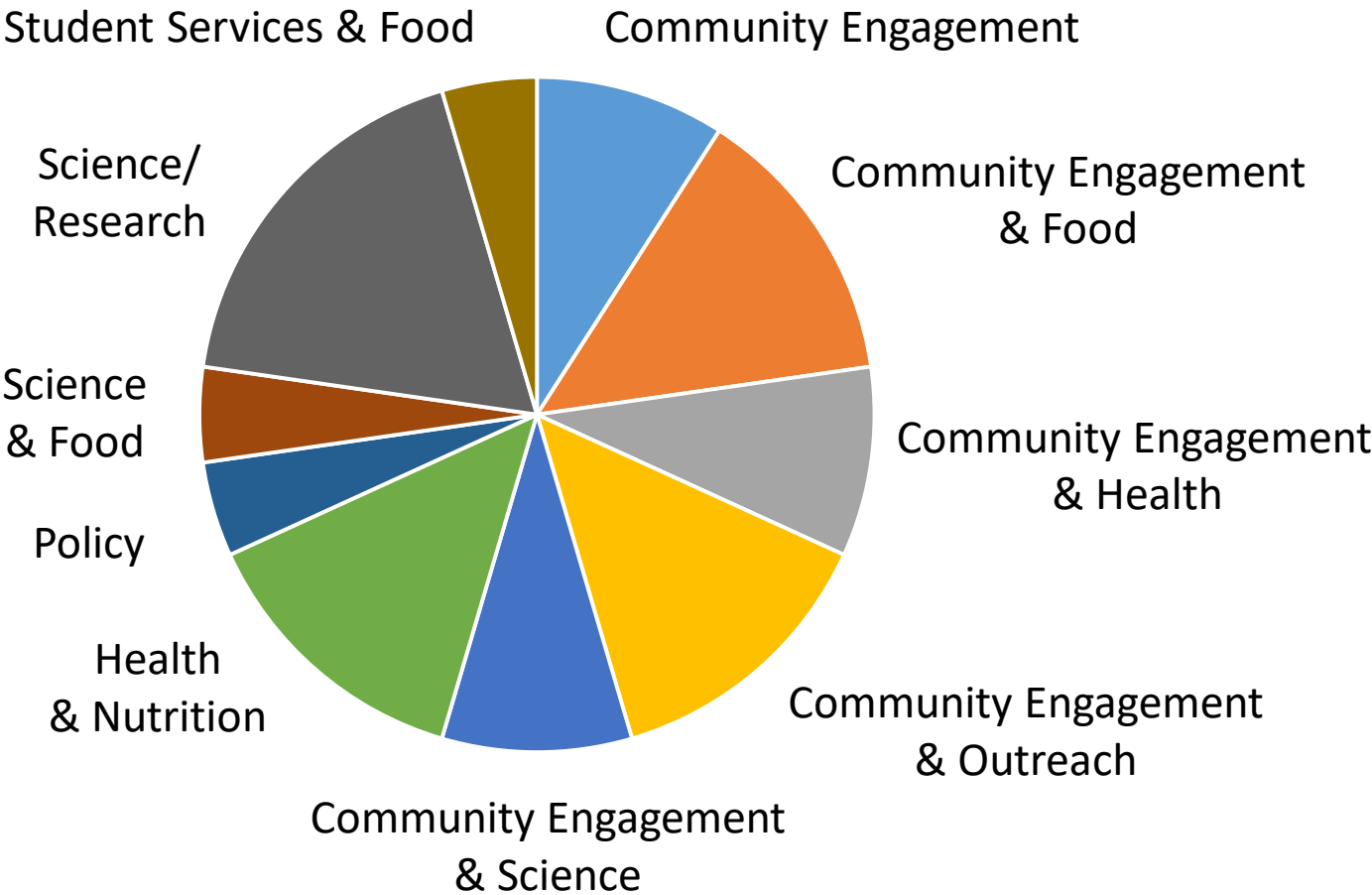
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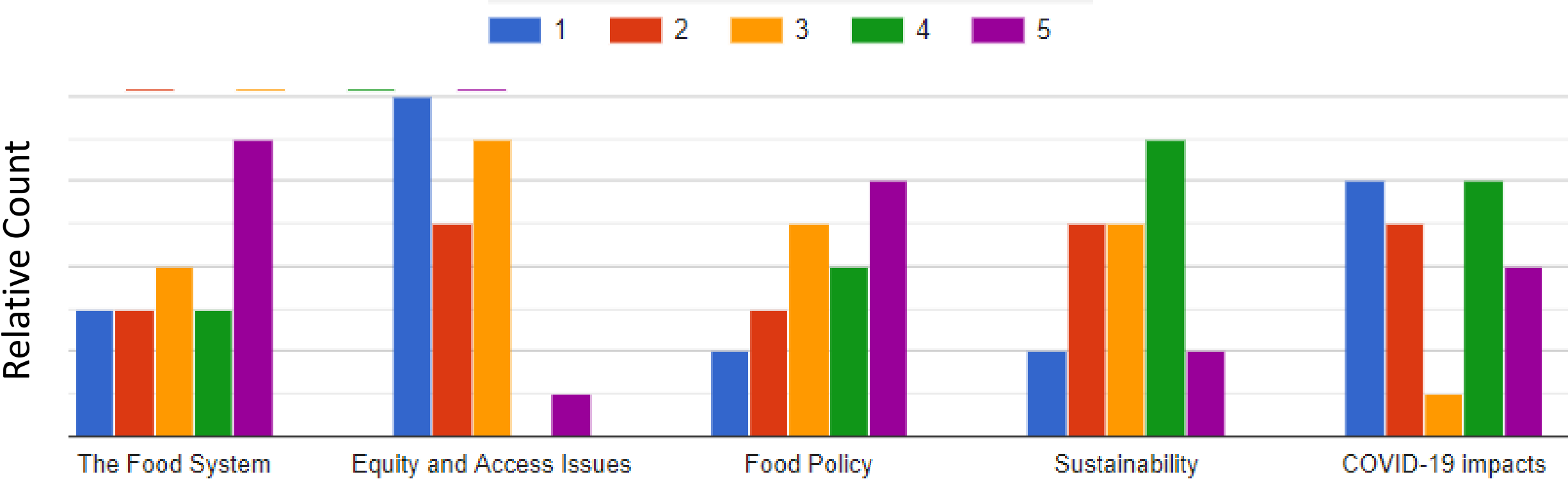
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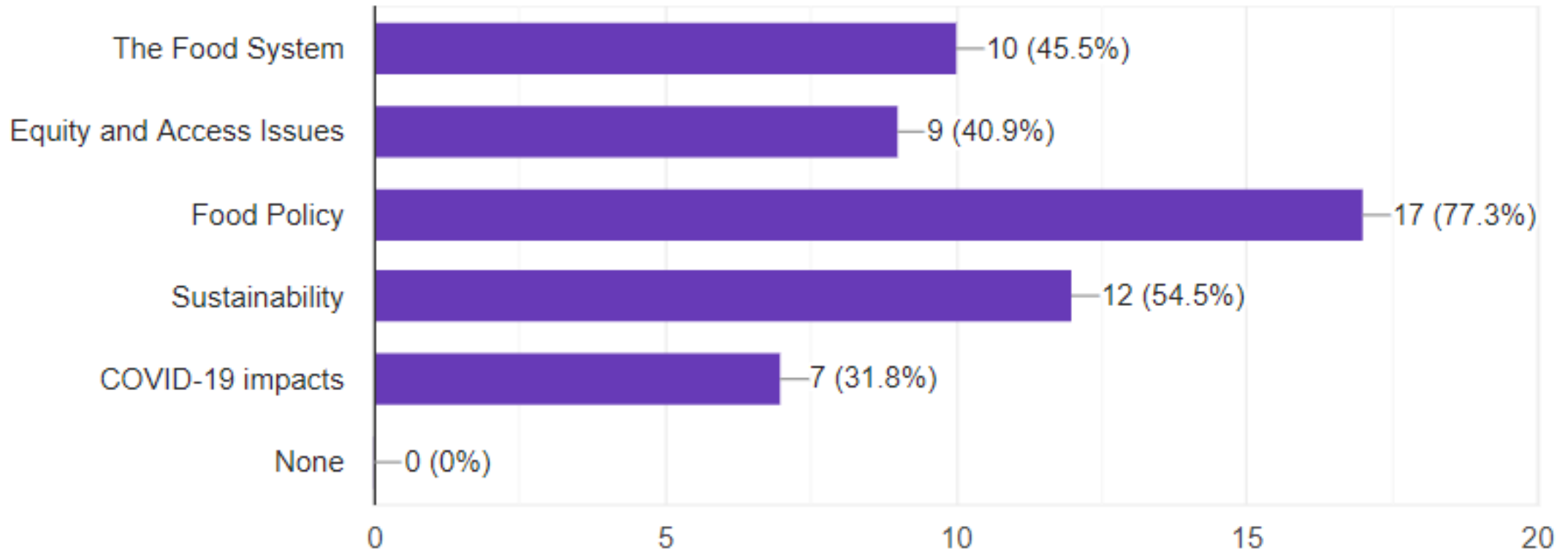
Briefly tell us what YOU consider your professional background to be



Rank the items based on your level of interest and ability to contribute...
with `1` being highest to `5` being lowest



Are there areas with respect to your current or future interests within which you feel you need more conceptual/practical knowledge to be more successful?



What do you feel may be a unique characteristic and/or issue about the city of Richmond when it comes to food accessibility?

Food Access (9 similar comments)

Socio-economic: “...pronounced in the day-to-day lives of low-income versus moderate/high-income families”

Geographic: “...highly segregated areas of opportunity”

Racial/Ethnic: “...not a bilingual and bicultural staff/volunteers to assist and understand differences”

Same old, same old

“Richmond as a city tends to resist change from outside forces...relies on it's comfort zone and the past way more than a city with it's potential should.”

Some optimism?

“We are starting to develop a systematic model to address social determinants of health”

Proximity to State and Local Gov't

“Richmond is the state capital...should be on the forefront positive policies” &

“Proximity to university and state government”

From this workshop participants desire to get knowledge on...?

