

End-of-Program Review 2007-08

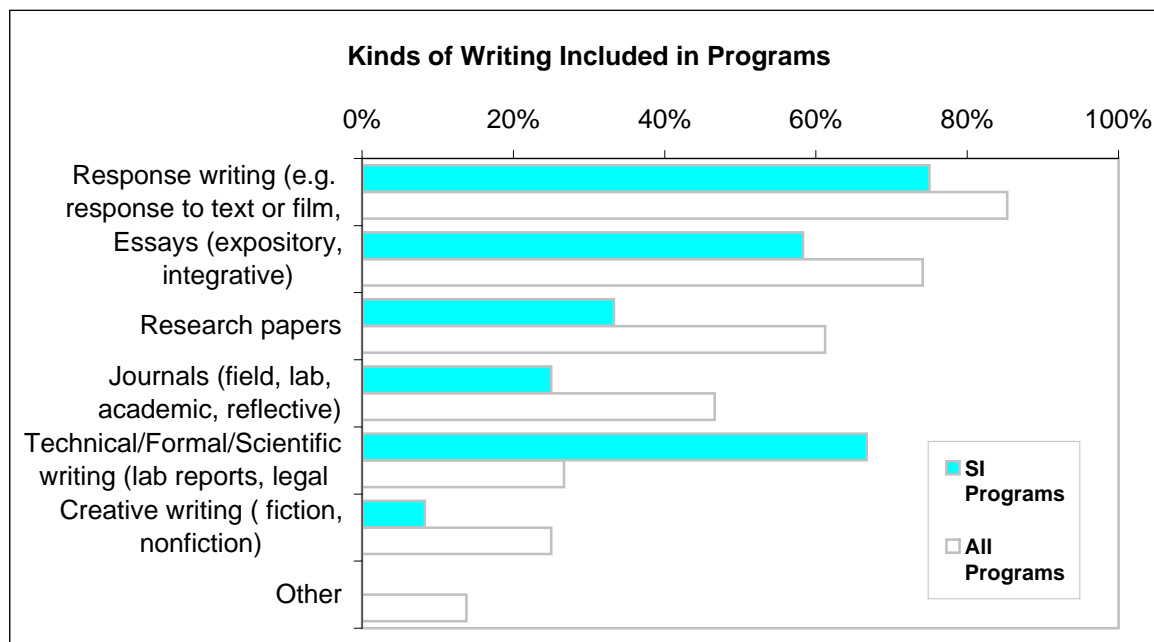
Writing in Scientific Inquiry Programs

How much did students write in your program?

	Extensively	Moderately	A Little	Not at All	Percent of Programs with any writing	Programs with any writing (N)	Programs responded (N)
Scientific Inquiry	33.3%	58.3%	8.4%	0.0%	100.0%	12	12
All programs	55.2%	36.2%	8.6%	0.0%	100.0%	116	116

Kinds of writing included in programs

	SI Programs	All Programs
Response writing (e.g. response to text or film, preparation for seminar)	75.0%	85.3%
Essays (expository, integrative)	58.3%	74.1%
Research papers	33.3%	61.2%
Journals (field, lab, academic, reflective)	25.0%	46.6%
Technical/Formal/Scientific writing (lab reports, legal briefs)	66.7%	26.7%
Creative writing (fiction, nonfiction)	8.3%	25.0%
Other	0.0%	13.8%



Modes of writing instruction in programs with Writing Instruction

Written guidelines	SI Programs	All programs
Details faculty feedback	41.7%	76.7%
Peer Review	83.3%	81.9%
Drafts with Revision(s)	41.7%	56.0%
Workshops	41.7%	55.2%
Tutors	25.0%	37.9%
Others	0.0%	8.6%
	8.3%	9.5%

Explanation of other

Program	Explanation
Energy Systems	Use of writing center

