Please answer the following questions:

1. Please mark with a √.
I am a graduate of the MS program  ___________
I am a current student in the MS program  ___________

2. For graduates only. What semester and year did you complete your MS degree?
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3. Current students. When do you expect to finish your degree? ________________

4. Please mark with a √.
Which Option did you follow, or are you following?
   General Nutritional Science ____________ Nutrition Education ____________

5. When did you begin the graduate program? Semester _____ Year ________________

6. Why did you choose to attend CSU, Chico for your graduate work? Please check all that apply.
   _____ strength of academic program
   _____ location
   _____ desire to work/study with NFSC faculty
   _____ availability of dietetic internship
   _____ internship (work-related experiences) opportunities
   _____ cost/financial reasons
   _____ other; please specify in the space below

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7. Tell us how well the program prepared you in the areas described below (a-j). Circle a number [1 (low) to 5 (high)] and provide comments in space provided at end.

a. Increased knowledge of nutritional science (NFSC 325B – Macronutrients; NFSC 325C – Micronutrients)

(b) 1  2  3  4  5  (high)

b. What applied nutritional science courses did you take? Please circle. If none taken, skip to c.

NFSC 325A – Clinical nutrition; NFSC 325D – Food science, NFSC 325E - Developmental nutrition;
NFSC 325F – International nutrition; NFSC 325G – Community nutrition.

Increased knowledge in areas of applied nutritional science

1  2  3  4  5

c. Developed ability to design and conduct an independent research project

1  2  3  4  5

d. Increased competency in ability to read scientific literature (research methodology, critical thinking, and data interpretation).

1  2  3  4  5

e. Developed ability to give a seminar (presentation of research and/or specific topic in nutrition using current literature).

1  2  3  4  5

f. Increased competency in use of technology, e.g. PowerPoint, Statistical software, Web, etc.)

1  2  3  4  5

g. Provided opportunities for pre-professional experiences (i.e. 389s – graduate internships)

1  2  3  4  5
h. Increased your potential for employment.

(low) 1  2  3  4  5  (high)

i. Prepared you for further graduate study.

1  2  3  4  5

j. Prepared you for a career in nutritional science or nutrition education

1  2  3  4  5

Comments on items 7a-7j:

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8. What electives did you take outside of the Nutrition Program? (e.g., HCSV 279 Grant writing)

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Increased knowledge in areas outside the Nutrition Program.

(low) 1  2  3  4  5  (high)

Comments: ____________________________________________________________

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9. Did you complete a Dietetic Internship? Yes/No. If yes, circle appropriate response.
   a. at CSU, Chico
   b. at another facility
   c. had RD before entering MS program
   d. other

10. Please rate the overall effectiveness of the following in facilitating your progress in the program.
   a. NFSC Faculty - Instruction
   (low) 1 2 3 4 5 (high)
   b. Faculty support
   1 2 3 4 5
   c. Staff assistance
   1 2 3 4 5
   d. CSUC graduate school
   1 2 3 4 5
   e. Facilities, i.e. classrooms, computer labs, research facilities
   1 2 3 4 5
   f. Library
   1 2 3 4 5
   g. Curriculum
   1 2 3 4 5

Comments: ____________________________________________________________
__________________________________________________________
11. Are you currently employed?  Yes / No

   If yes, what is your current position?

   ________________________________

   Are you full-time or part-time and what is your current salary?

   ________________________________

12. Are you a registered dietitian?  Yes / No

   Additional comments regarding the MS program are encouraged and welcomed. Please add your recommendations for improvement of the program.

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