

Consent Form for Survey Questions

The following paragraph will be included on the first page of the esurvey for purposes of informed consent and voluntary participation.

Participant Consent: Examining Student Perception, Participation and Predictors of Service Learning & Civic Engagement at Illinois State University.

Compensation: We will be holding a random drawing for a tablet PC valued at \$400.00 among students who complete the esurvey.

You are being asked to participate in a confidential research study of your participation and perception of civic engagement while a student at ISU. We are seeking a better understanding of possible short and long-term benefits associated with service learning and civic engagement. You **must be at least 18 years old to participate**. Your **participation is voluntary**; there are **no consequences if you refuse to participate**. You may refuse to answer any question and cease participation at any time. Your participation will not likely benefit you directly but may benefit other students in the future through a better understanding of the relationship between civic engagement and academic life. There is no tangible risk to you as a result of your participation in this research and all of your responses will be kept confidential, however if for any reason you become uncomfortable with the questioning please contact **Student Counseling Services at (309) 438-3655** or the **PATH hotline at (309) 827-4005**. Data collection will take approximately 20 minutes to complete via the following multiple choice esurvey. Your identity will be known only to the two researchers conducting this study and will not be shared with anyone else. Further questions and comments regarding this research should be directed to the **Research Ethics and Compliance at ISU at (309) 438-8451, or Drs. Smith 438-1111 or Jones 438-1112**
