Survey on Attendance at Conferences/Conventions, Oct 2001, AAUWNC

Branches responding: Alamance, Asheville, Bryson City, Chapel Hill (2), Greensboro,

Hendersonville, High Point, Jacksonville Regional (2), Raleigh/Wake County (3), Statesville, Twin Rivers/New Bern. [15 responses from 11 branches.]

Branches not responding: Brevard, Charlotte, Cherokee County, Eden, Franklin County, Gaston Regional, Kinston, Mooresville, Rocky Mount, Salisbury, Sandhills/Southern Pines, Tarboro, Tryon Area, UNC Pembroke, Wilmington, Wilson, Winston-Salem. [17 branches]

1. Which of these have you attended?	Number of Responses	Response Ratio
AAUW-NC Summer Conference, Hendersonville, July, 2001	— 11	73%
AAUW Convention, Austin, June, 2001	6	40%
AAUW-NC Convention, Wrightsville Beach, Mar-Apr, 2001	12	80%
AAUW-NC Summer Conference, Gastonia, August, 2000	9	60%
AAUW SAR Regional Conference, Atlanta, June, 2000	5	33%
AAUW-NC Convention, Black Mountain, April, 2000	13	87%
Didn't attend any of the above.	0	0%

2. No one answered yes to the question about not being able to attend conventions for health reasons.

Percentage indicates total respondent ratio and parenthesis indicate actual number.	1 Not important	2	3	4	5 Most important
1. The expense	0%	0%	33%	0%	33%
	(0)	(0)	(1)	(0)	(1)
2. The program was not interesting	33%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	(1)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)
3. Other commitments	0%	0%	0%	33%	67%
	(0)	(0)	(0)	(1)	(2)

Percentage indicates total respondent ratio and parenthesis indicate actual number.	1 Not important	2	3	4	5 Most important
1. The expense	29%	0%	14%	14%	29%
	(2)	(0)	(1)	(1)	(2)
2. The program was not interesting	14%	0%	14%	0%	0%
	(1)	(0)	(1)	(0)	(0)
3. Other commitments	0%	0%	0%	29%	43%
	(0)	(0)	(0)	(2)	(3)

5. Other reasons for not attending:

1 Sickness in home and out-of-town visitors

2 The expense and time are factors, because our small branch does not see the value to us. We can read the info.

3 I am beginning to feel "burn out" with organizations-I am in several. I do not want to pass this feeling to younger members, because I still believe in the causes of the organizations of which I am a member.

4 The convention in Atlanta conflicted with another convention that I needed to attend in July of 2000.

6.	If a person from your cluster was sent to one of these meetings, would you feel like your branch was being represented.		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
	Yes		4	31%
	No		9	69%
		Total	13	100%

7.	How many state, regional and national AAUW meetings have you EVER attended?		Number of Responses	Response Ratio
	None		0	0%
	1-5		3	20%
	6-10		4	27%
	More than 10		8	53%
		Total	15	100%