SAMPLE QUESTION FORMATS FOR HISPANIC ORIGIN, RACE, CLASS AND GENDER. SEXUAL ORIENTATION, DISABILITY, VETERAN STATUS

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1. Hispanic Origin: Are you of Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin? (check all that apply)
   No, not of Hispanic or Latino origin
   Yes, Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano
   Yes, Puerto Rican
   Yes, Cuban
   Yes, another Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Group (e.g. Argentinean, Colombian, Dominican, Nicaraguan, Salvadoran, Spaniard, etc.) SPECIFY GROUP (S):

2. Race: What is your race? (check all that apply)
   ____ White (Non Hispanic/Latina/o/x)
   ____ Black, African American, or Negro (Non Hispanic/Latino)
   ____ American Indian or Alaska Native, NAME OF ENROLLED TRIBE:
   ______________________
   ____ Asian or Asian American, NAME OF NATIONAL ORIGIN:
Hispanic/Latina(o) White
Hispanic/Latina(o) Afro-Latina(o)/Black
Hispanic/Latina(o) Mestiza(o)/Brown
Hispanic/Latina(o) Indígena / Indigenous Pueblo of Latin America/Brown
Middle Eastern / Arab/Brown
Some other Race: (Please write in: ________________)

3. What is your ethnicity, national origin (s) or distant ancestry? (Write in:___________ For example: German, Haitian, Italian, Arab, Chinese, Somali, Italian, etc.)

4. What is the highest degree or level of school that you completed? (Mark one box).

___ Less than high school
___ High School Graduate; high school DIPLOMA or the equivalent (for example: GED)
___ Some college credit one or more year of college, no degree
___ Associates degree (for example: AA, AS)
___ Bachelor’s degree (for example: BA, AB, BS)
___ Master’s degree (for example: MA, MS, MEng, EEd, MSW, MBA)
___ Professional Degree (for example: MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)
___ Doctorate Degree (for example: PhD, EdD)
___ Unknown/Don’t Know

5. Was this in the U.S. or somewhere else? If somewhere else write in: __________

6. Think back to the last three jobs you had. Starting from your current occupation and working backwards, Please list occupations and job titles.

a.) Current Occupation ___________________ Job Title:___________________
b.) Previous Occupation _________________ Job Title:___________________
c.) Previous Occupation _________________ Job Title:___________________

CLASS ORIGINS: PARENTAL EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AND OCCUPATIONAL STATUS
7. The next questions are about your childhood. Think back to when you were 16 years old. What is the highest degree or level of school that parent or legal guardian #1 completed? (Mark one box).

___ Less than high school
___ High School Graduate; high school DIPLOMA or the equivalent (for example: GED)
___ Some college credit one or more year of college, no degree
___ Associates degree (for example: AA, AS)
___ Bachelor’s degree (for example: BA, AB, BS)
___ Master’s degree (for example: MA, MS, MEng, EEd, MSW, MBA)
___ Professional Degree (for example: MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)
___ Doctorate Degree (for example: PhD, EdD)
___ Unknown/Don’t Know

8. Was this in the U.S. or somewhere else? If somewhere else write in: __________

9. Think back to when you were 16 years old. What is the highest degree or level of school that parent or legal guardian #2 completed? (Mark one box).

___ Less than high school
___ High School Graduate; high school DIPLOMA or the equivalent (for example: GED)
___ Some college credit one or more year of college, no degree
___ Associates degree (for example: AA, AS)
___ Bachelor’s degree (for example: BA, AB, BS)
___ Master’s degree (for example: MA, MS, MEng, EEd, MSW, MBA)
___ Professional Degree (for example: MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)
___ Doctorate Degree (for example: PhD, EdD)
___ Unknown/Don’t Know

10. Was this in the U.S. or somewhere else? If somewhere else write in: __________
GENERATIONAL STATUS

11. What is your place of birth? __________________________(City, State, Country)

   a.) If born abroad, at what age did you come to the U.S.?

12. What is the place of birth of parent 1/legal guardian 1? _____________(City, State, Country)

13. What is the place of birth of parent 2/legal guardian 2? _____________(City, State, Country)

PARENTAL STATUS

14. Are you a parent? _____

15. How many children do you have? _____

   a.) Of these, how many are under age 18? _____

   b.) Of these, how many are 18 or older? _____

PARTNER STATUS

16. Are you married, partnered, divorced, widowed? ______

IF PARTNERED/MARRIED/DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP PLEASE PROVIDE
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT AND OCCUPATION OF PARTNER

17. What is the highest degree or level of school that partner/spouse completed? (Mark one box).

   ____ Less than high school

   ____ High School Graduate; high school DIPLOMA or the equivalent (for example: GED)

   ____ Some college credit one or more year of college, no degree

   ____ Associates degree (for example: AA, AS)

   ____ Bachelor’s degree (for example: BA, AB, BS)

   ____ Master’s degree (for example: MA, MS, MEng, EEd, MSW, MBA)
___ Professional Degree (for example: MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)
___ Doctorate Degree (for example: PhD, EdD)
___ Unknown/Don’t Know

18. TOTAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME

What was your total combined household income in 2016 before taxes. This question is completely confidential and just used to help classify the responses, but it is very important for our research. Please circle the appropriate response.

........................................................................................................... Less than $20,000  1
........................................................................................................... $20,000 to $39,999 2
........................................................................................................... $40,000 to $59,999 3
........................................................................................................... $60,000 to $79,999 4
........................................................................................................... $80,000 to $99,999 5
........................................................................................................... $100,000 to $149,999 6
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........................................................................................................... Over $250,000 9
........................................................................................................... Don’t Know 10
........................................................................................................... Refused 11
19. HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION

How many people live in your household? Total: ________

Of these please breakdown the numbers by age category

Write in #: _____ Adults Ages 18-64
Write in #: _____ Children 0-17
Write in #: _____ Elderly over the age of 65

20. What is your current age: ____

I am required to ask this next question. Again all of these responses are voluntary. You may skip over any question.

GENDER

21. Are you a man or woman?

Woman ......................................................................................... 1
Man ............................................................................................ 2
Transgender…………………………………………….…3
Refused …………………………………………………….99

SEXUAL IDENTITY Source: National Health Interview Survey (NHIS, 2014)
Which of the following best describes how you think of yourself? (for adults18+)

1. Lesbian or gay
2. Straight, that is not lesbian or gay
3. Bisexual
4. Something else, Write in: __________
5. Don’t Know
6. Refused

Preferred Identity (in addition to or not listed above) Write in: __________
SEX ASSIGNED AT BIRTH

What sex were you assigned at birth, on your original birth certificate?
   1. Female
   2. Male

Just to confirm, you mentioned that on your original birth certificate your sex was assigned as ________, but know you identify as (man, woman, transgendered)?

DISABILITY

Do you have a disability? _____ Yes  _____ No  _____ Refused

VETERAN STATUS

1. Have you served in the military?
   Yes  No  Refused

2. How long?____

3. Have you experienced an injury, which has resulted in a disability?

4. Are you using your GI or Veterans benefits to finance your education?
QUESTIONS DISTRIBUTED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE INSTITUTE PLEASE DO
SO BEFORE COMPLETING THIS DEMOGRAPHIC QUESTIONNAIRE.

PARTICIPANT NUMBER: ____________

(This should be the same number you used on the original demographic form and survey.)

PLEASE DO NOT PUT YOUR NAME ON THIS FORM
ONCE COMPLETED PLEASE ENCLOSE IN ENVELOPE PROVIDED AND SEAL.

1. If you were walking down the street, what race do you think others who do not know you
personally would automatically assume you were, based on what you look like? (choose one)
   ____ White (Non-Hispanic)
   ____ Black (Non-Hispanic)
   ____ Native American
   ____ Asian
   ____ Arab/Middle Eastern
   ____ Hispanic/Latino(a)
   ____ Some other Race: (Please write in: ________)

2. We are interested in how you would describe your appearance. How would you describe
your skin color with 1 being very light and 5 being very dark or some number in
between? How would you describe your skin color?
   Very light .........................................................1
   Light ..............................................................2
   Medium ..........................................................3
   Dark ...............................................................4
   Very dark .........................................................5
   Don’t know ......................................................88
   Refused ..........................................................99
3. Have you ever been mistaken as being another race? If so, list the top three in order of frequency, starting with the race that you are most often assumed to be.
   a.
   b.
   c.

4. If you were walking down the street, how would other Americans who do not know you personally identify your gender based on what you look like? Would you say: ___ Man ___ Woman ___ Transgender ___ Other? Write in: __________________

5. If you were walking down the street, how would other Americans who do not know you personally identify your sexual orientation? Would you say: ___ Straight/Heterosexual ___ Gay/Queer ___ Transgender ___ Other? Write in: ___________