## Museum Survey 2014

## Survey Summary

The Utah Division of Arts \& Museums seeks to advance the value of museums within Utah and to enable the broadest physical, intellectual, and emotional access to collections and programs.

The purpose of this survey is to gain information on museums' growth, development and value in the state of Utah.

- Survey dates: January 23, 2015 - February 2I, 2015
- Collection: online, invited by email and US mail
- Response rate: 29\% (85 out of 285)
- Improved rate of response 100\% since 2013


## Types of Museums



## Staff

- 558 Paid full-time employees (avg. 9)
- 898 Paid part-time employees (avg. I5)
-470 Paid staff new this year (avg. 9)
- 3837 Unpaid staff/volunteers (avg. 53)
, 7I7 Unpaid staff/volunteers new this year (avg. I4)


## Visitors

- 8,5I8,82I visitors
- 119,983 average
- 9.480 median
- Frequency of visitor type (I=most frequent)

1. Local non-school (1.78)
2. School groups (2.34)
3. Non-local, in-state (2.55)
4. Out of state (3.08)

## How Museums Measure Attendance



## Regular Admission

> \$ II and up, 5\%


## Services and Activities



## Annual Operating Budget



## Sources of Museum Income*

Average percentage reported - total is more than $100 \%$


## Who pays staff salaries?*

Average percentage reported - total is more than $100 \%$


## Who governs the museum?* <br> *Average percentage reported - total is more than $100 \%$



## Who owns the building?*

*Average percentage reported - total is more than $100 \%$


## Who maintains the building?*

*Average percentage reported - total is more than 100\%


## Professional development utilized



## Training Needs



## Training Needs (cont.)



## Institutional Needs



## In 2014

$\times 55 \%$ received the UA\&M museum newsletter
$\times 60 \%$ used the UA\&M website

* $56 \%$ applied for a UA\&M museum grant
* 35\% attended Museum Day at the Legislature
$\times 23 \%$ discovered resources through UA\&M
* $20 \%$ participated in Smithsonian Museum Day
$\times 21 \%$ received technical assistance


## Accreditations / Certifications



## Percentage of collection:



## Percentage of museums with:

Suitable exhibit cases/materials


## Percentage of museums with:



## Percentage of museums with:



## Percentage of museums with:



## Collections Management Software



