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University of Iowa Endowment – Asset Allocation

*Source: 2018 NACUBO-Commonfund Study of Endowments (All NACUBO Participants: Dollar Weighted (802 Respondents); NACUBO Peers: $251-500 million Peers (88 Respondents)); InvMetrics Education E&F (238 Portfolios); InvMetrics All E&F (1,219 Portfolios). SUI and Investment Metrics data as of June 30, 2019.
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Peer comparison as of June 30, 2019

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