cpd25 Event Attendance and Evaluation Report

2023-24

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Event Attendance 2023-24

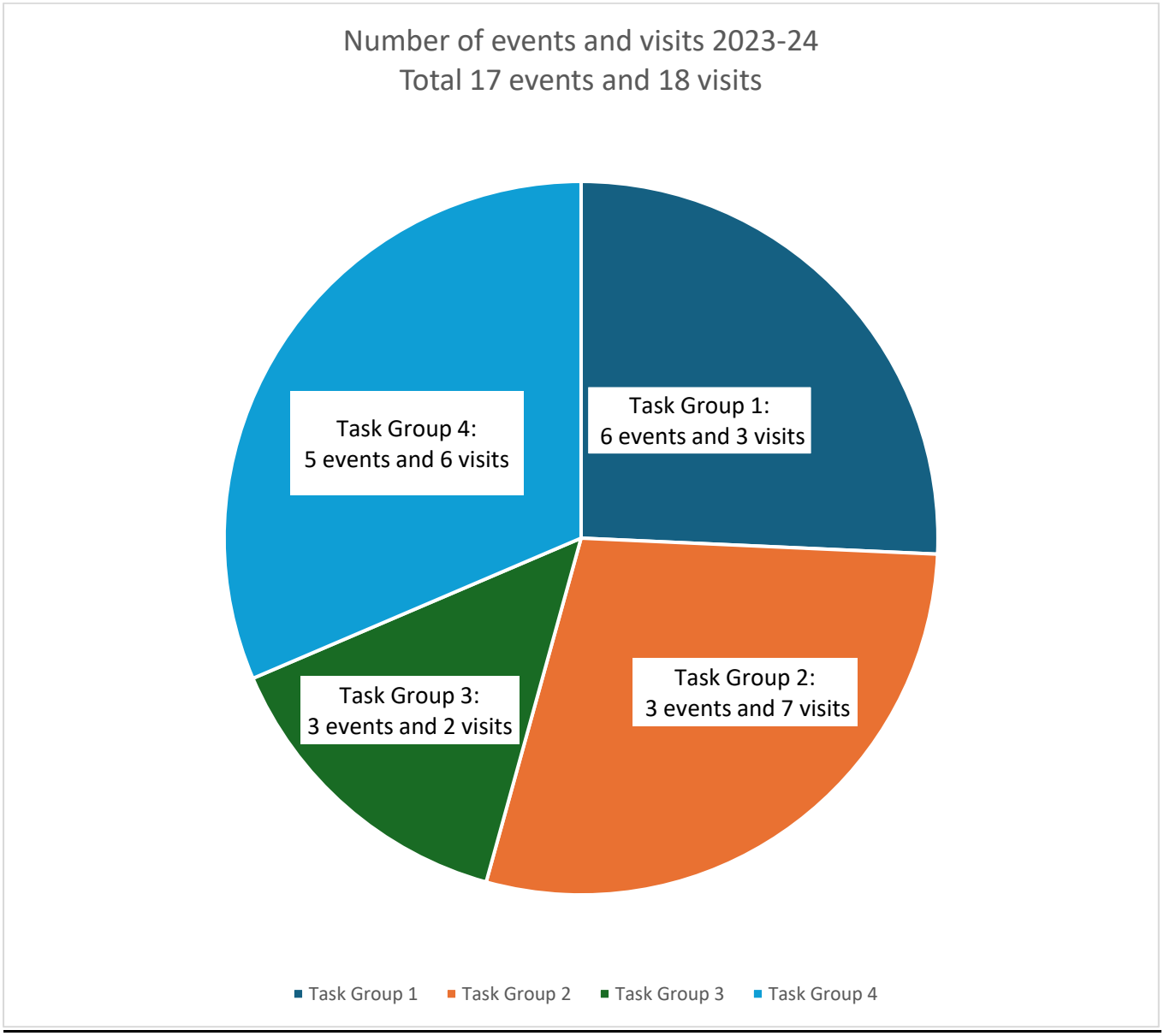
In 2023-24 the Task Groups held 17 events. The majority of events were held online via Zoom, with 4 in-person events held.

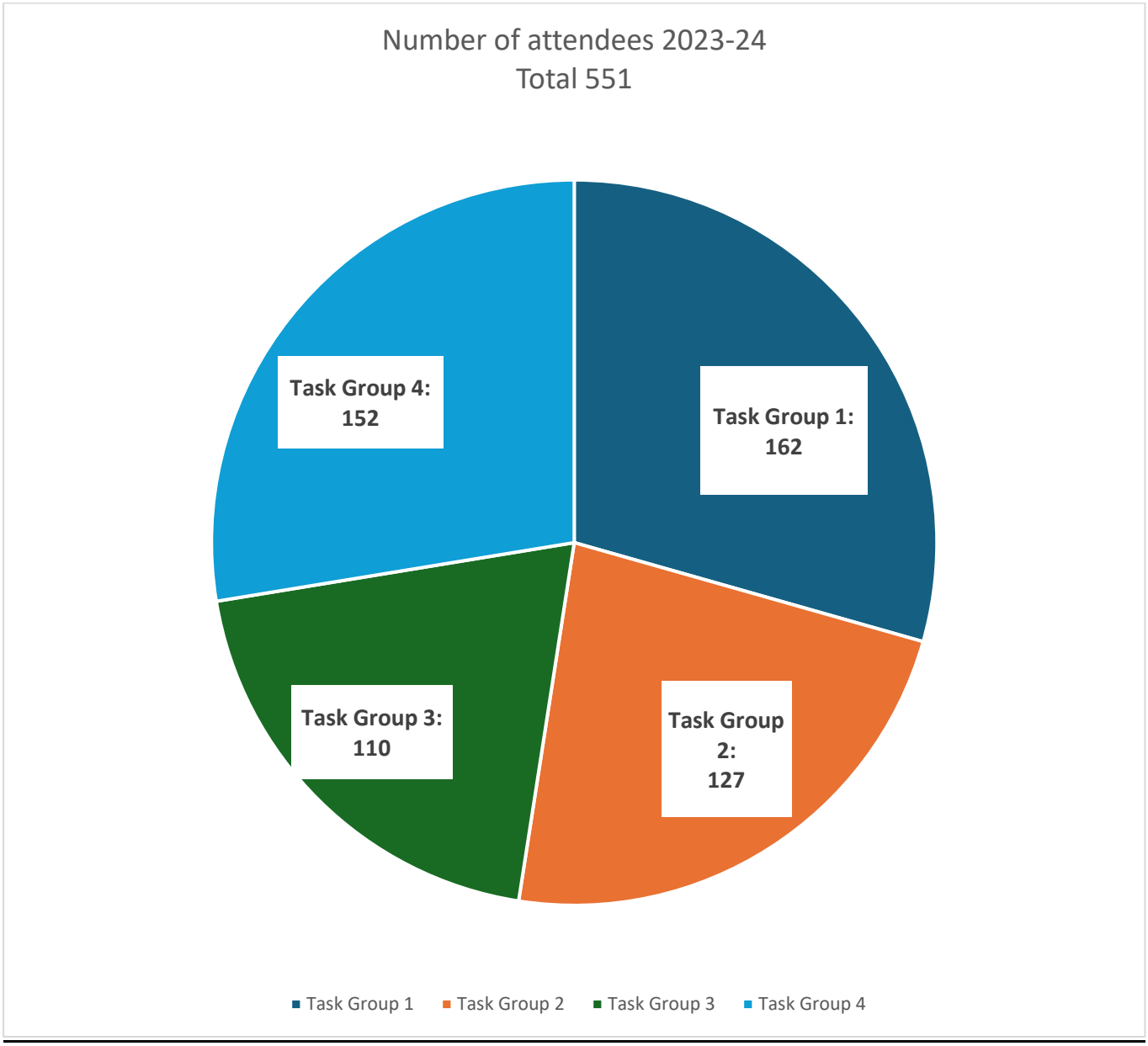
The table below shows a breakdown of all the events that took place, in order of Task Group, including numbers of attendees:

TG	Event	Attendees total
1	Mentoring training	15
1	Studying LIS – So you want to be a Librarian?	20
1	Presentation Skills	29
1	The GLAM Sector	12
1	Demystifying Research Support Roles in Libraries	22
1	So you want to be a Subject Librarian?	8
2	Licensing for overseas students	13
2	Customer Service Excellence	16
2	Deaf Awareness with Dot Sign Language	17
3	Managing physical resources in an HE library	20
3	A Practical look at AI and HE Libraries	34
3	Exploring the utilisation of data in library services	40
4	SLA Conference 2023	24
4	Managing Student Behaviour	11
4	Exchange of experience	9
4	SLA Conference 2024	19
4	Staying Positive (free trial event for members)	17
TOTAL		**326**

In 2023-24 the Task Groups held 18 visits for members:

TG	Visit	Attendees total
1	Visit to BFI Library	32
1	Visit to ZSL Library	12
1	Visit to the House of Commons	12
2	Visit to the Imperial War Museum	10
2	Visit to the Aga Khan Library	18
2	Visit to the Wellcome Collection	10
2	Visit to Marx Memorial Library	10
2	Visit to Francis Crick Institute	6
2	Visit to The London Library	19
2	Visit to Foyle Special Collections Library	8
3	Visit to the Kingston Townhouse	7
3	Visit to Horniman Museum Library	9
4	Visit to Kew Gardens Library	11
4	Visit to Shakespeare's Globe Library & Archive	19
4	Visit to Lambeth Palace	11
4	Visit to the Royal College of Surgeons	13
4	Visit to UCL Student Centre	6
4	Visit to the Inner Temple Library	12
	VISIT SUBTOTAL	**225**
	TOTAL EVENTS AND VISITS ATTENDEES	**551**


Number of events and visits 2023-24
Total 17 events and 18 visits
Task Group 1:
6 events and 3 visits
Task Group 2:
3 events and 7 visits
Task Group 3:
3 events and 2 visits
Task Group 4:
5 events and 6 visits
Task Group 1
Task Group 2
Task Group 3
Task Group 4


Number of attendees 2023-24
Total 551
Task Group 4: 152
Task Group 1: 162
Task Group 3: 110
Task Group 2: 127
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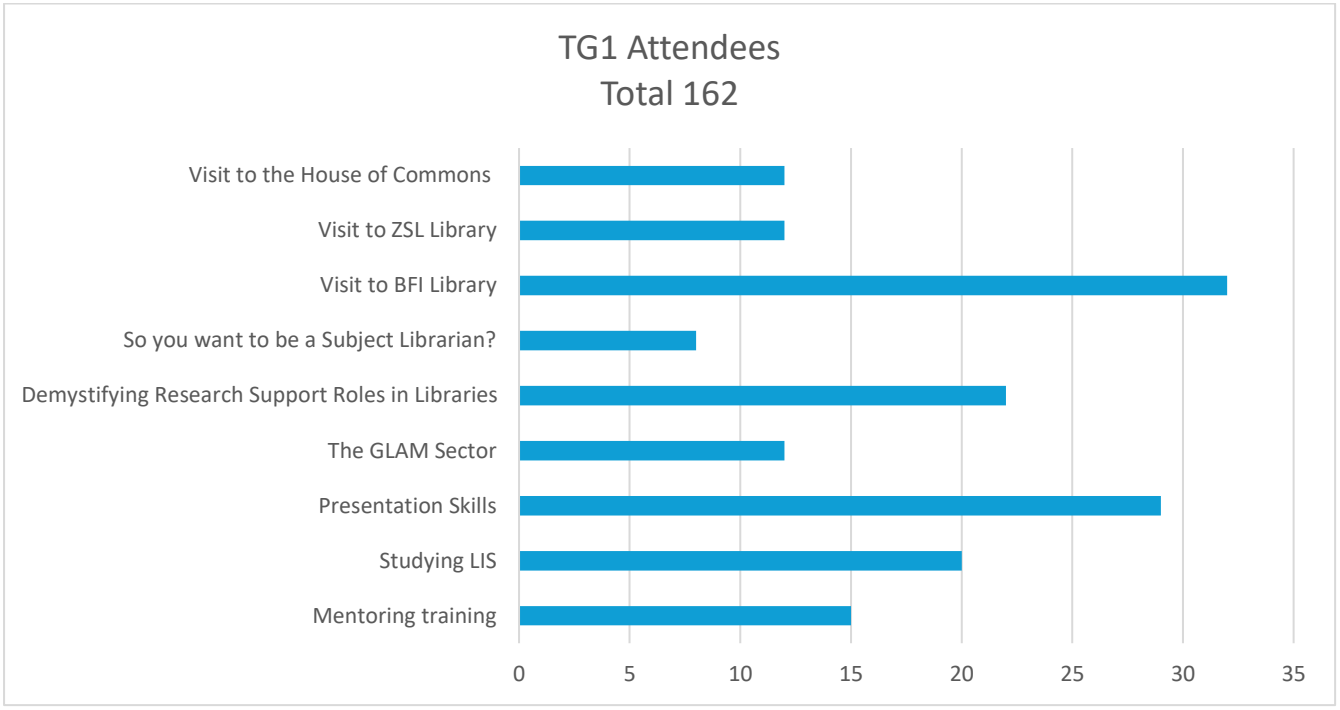
TG1 Attendees
Total 162
Visit to the House of Commons
Visit to ZSL Library
Visit to BFI Library
So you want to be a Subject Librarian?
Demystifying Research Support Roles in Libraries
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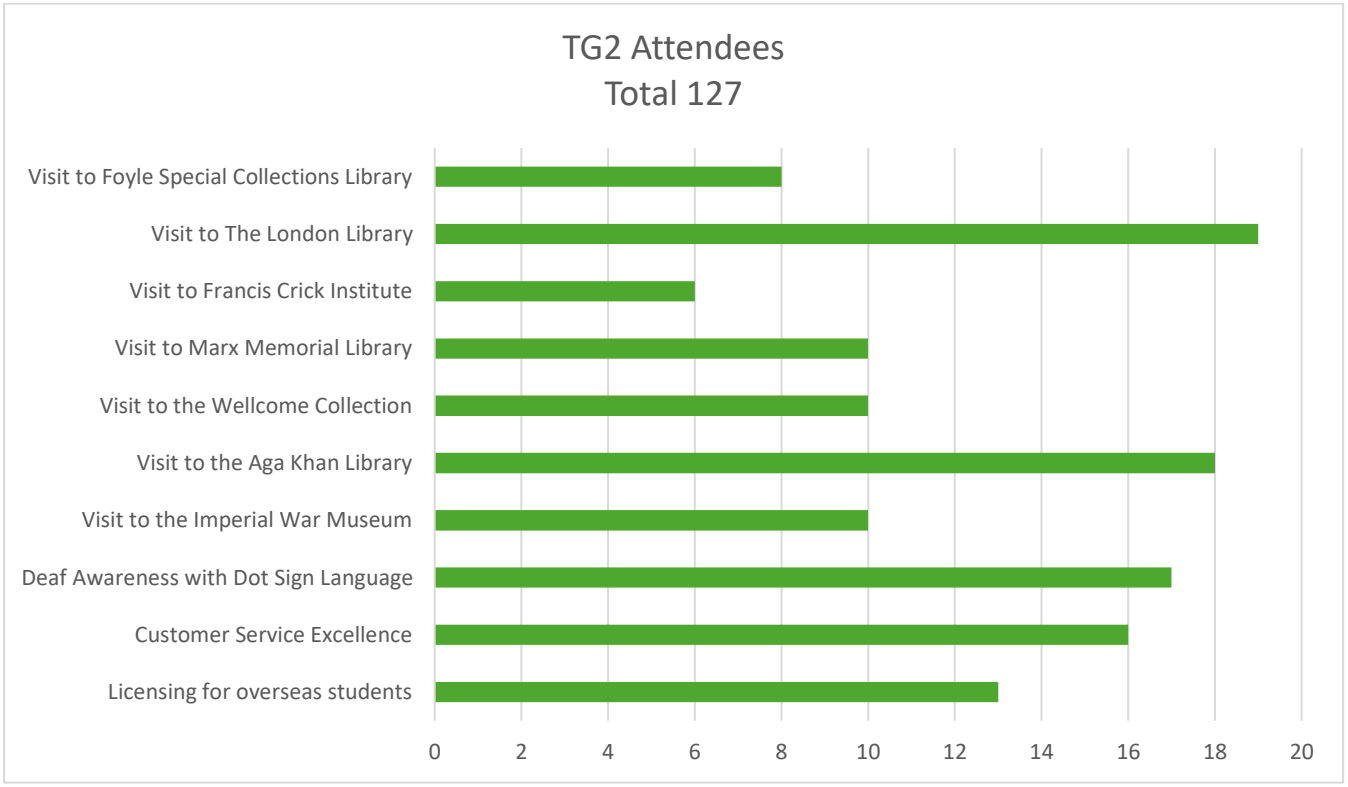
TG2 Attendees
Total 127
Visit to Foyle Special Collections Library
Visit to The London Library
Visit to Francis Crick Institute
Visit to Marx Memorial Library
Visit to the Wellcome Collection
Visit to the Aga Khan Library
Visit to the Imperial War Museum
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Customer Service Excellence
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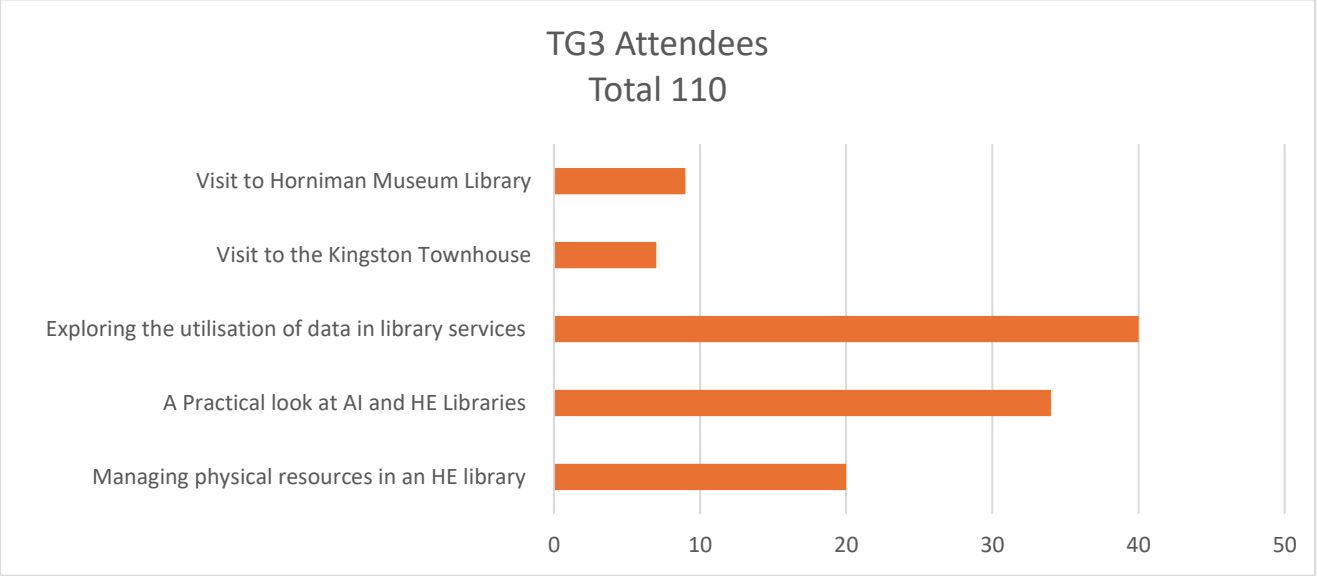
TG3 Attendees
Total 110
Visit to Horniman Museum Library
Visit to the Kingston Townhouse
Exploring the utilisation of data in library services
A Practical look at AI and HE Libraries
Managing physical resources in an HE library
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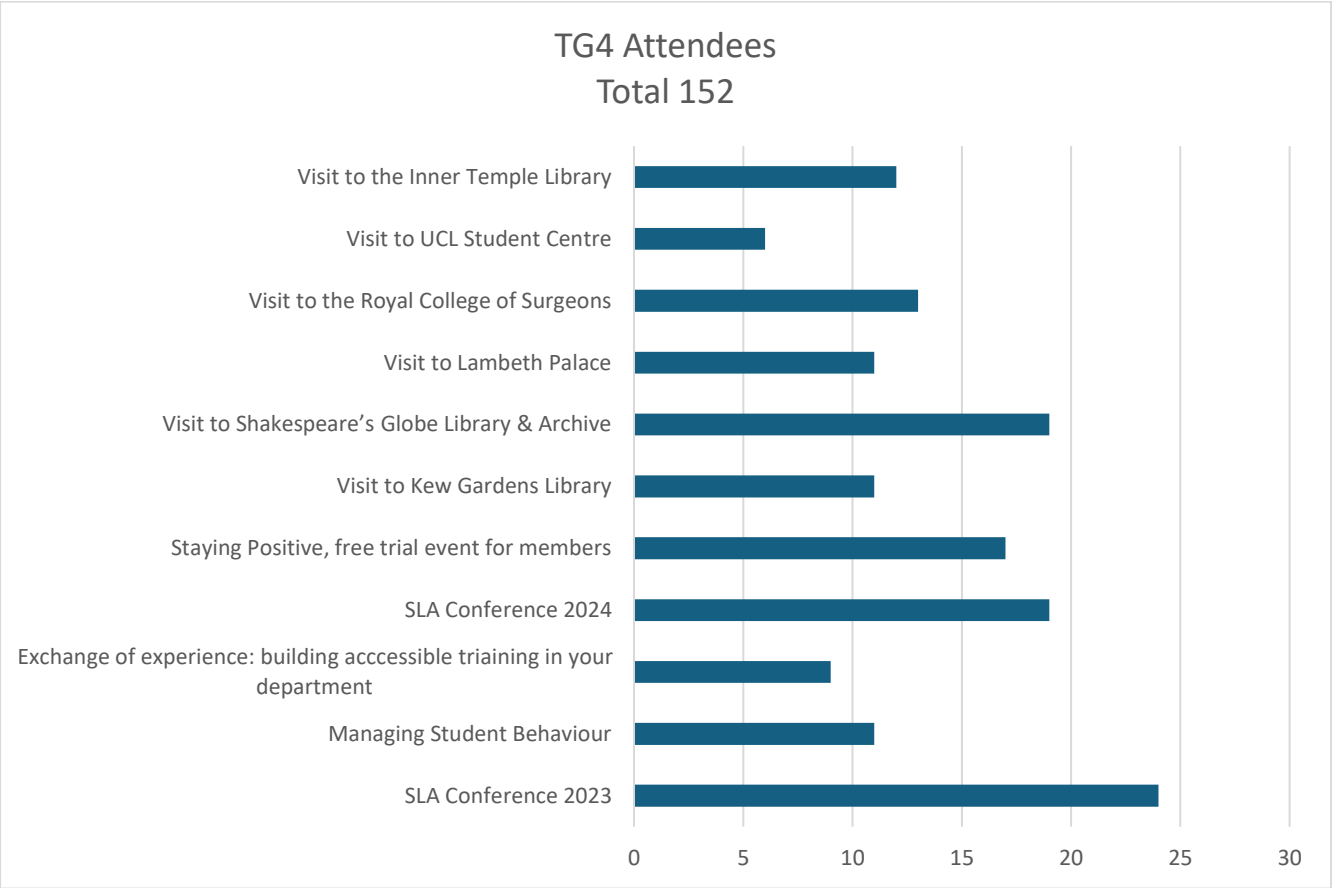
TG4 Attendees
Total 152
Visit to the Inner Temple Library
Visit to UCL Student Centre
Visit to the Royal College of Surgeons
Visit to Lambeth Palace
Visit to Shakespeare's Globe Library & Archive
Visit to Kew Gardens Library
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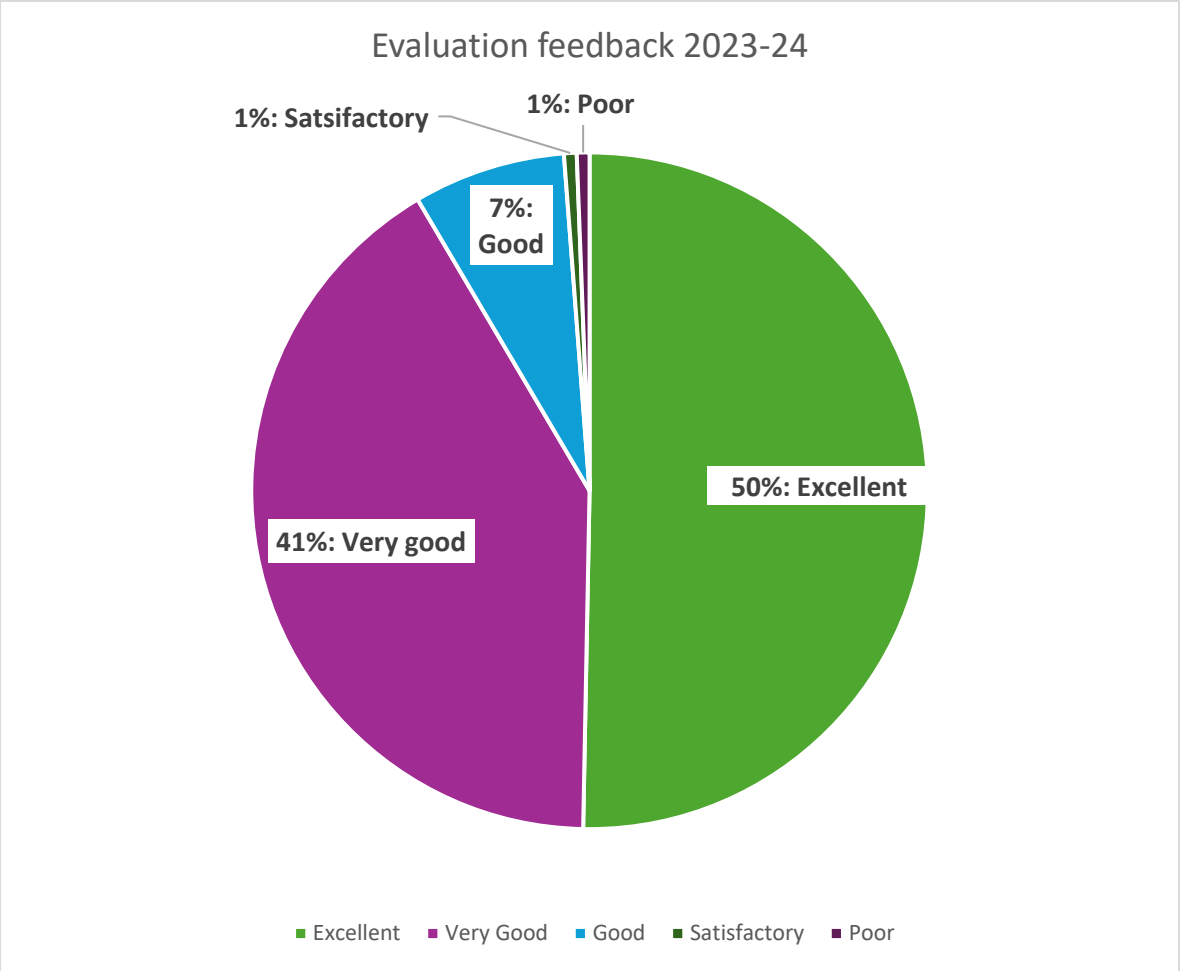
Event Evaluation – Feedback Summary



FROM 51**% (**165**) OF TOTAL ATTENDEES**

Attendee feedback comments:

SLA Conference 2023, 15th August 2023:

"Overall all the sessions were successful and highly informative but the best part, as ever, was the opportunity to meet new and old colleagues and network. "

"Amazing session. Really enjoyed all of the activities and meditation. Thank you!"

Licensing for overseas students, 5th September 2023:

"All good - well structured and all three speakers provided useful insights which will feed into future discussions within the Librarian team"

"I really enjoyed the whole morning, engaging speakers."

Mentoring event, 19th October 2023:

"Really appreciate this opportunity and will recommend widely to colleagues going forward"

"A really useful session"

Managing Student Behaviour, 1st & 2nd November 2023:

"An excellent trainer and course - very engaging and useful. Thank you very much."

"The session was great - very engaging. I think the exercises were useful and timed well. The discussions around cultural behaviours were interesting, too. Lots of material covered."

The Customer Service Excellence Standard, 15th November 2023:

"All really interesting and approach to the group discussion really brilliant – flowed much more naturally than a task and great chance to meet each other."

"Good to hear how to set it up – the work involved and speak to other colleagues."

Studying LIS, 7th December 2023:

"The event ran very smoothly. Well done and thank you once again to you all!"

"Thank you for organising the event. It was very informative and inspiring."

Deaf Awareness, 24th January 2024:

"A well-presented course which I would recommend to colleagues"

"This was a really useful session and I was able to start learning BSL in a very accessible way."

Managing physical resources in an HE library, 29th February 2024:

"Thank you for running the event! really enjoyed it :)"

"It was good to see how other collections librarians/team manage their physical collection."

A Practical look at AI and HE Libraries, 5th March 2024:

"Thanks for making it online - it makes it easier to be allowed to attend events like this."

"Thanks for offering both virtual and in house courses/talks"

Exploring the Utilisation of Data in Library Services, 13th March 2024:

"The event ran on time and had a clear structure. The slides and presentations were clear and easy to follow."

"Thank you to everyone involved - hoping to see the slides soon :)"

Presentation Skills, 24th April 2024:

"Huge thanks to Ned – brilliant training session and I can't wait to try out the ideas shared! "

The GLAM Sector, 4th May 2024:

"Each talk contributed something different on the topic of engaging with their audiences."

"It was really wonderful to be back at the British Library as I just love being there. The room we were in was just right for our needs as a group in terms of size and comfort."

Demystifying Research Support Roles in Libraries, 11th June 2024:

"A really great session. I took away a lot of great information, general advice and next steps for how to upskill whilst I look for the right position. Thank you!"

"Found the presentations very interesting and engaging"

So you want to be a Subject Librarian?, 20th June 2024:

"The speakers brought so much enthusiasm and positivity to their talks, truly inspiring."

"I enjoyed hearing about how to progress into a role, as well as how the role can vary at different institutions."

SLA Conference 2024, 4th July 2024:

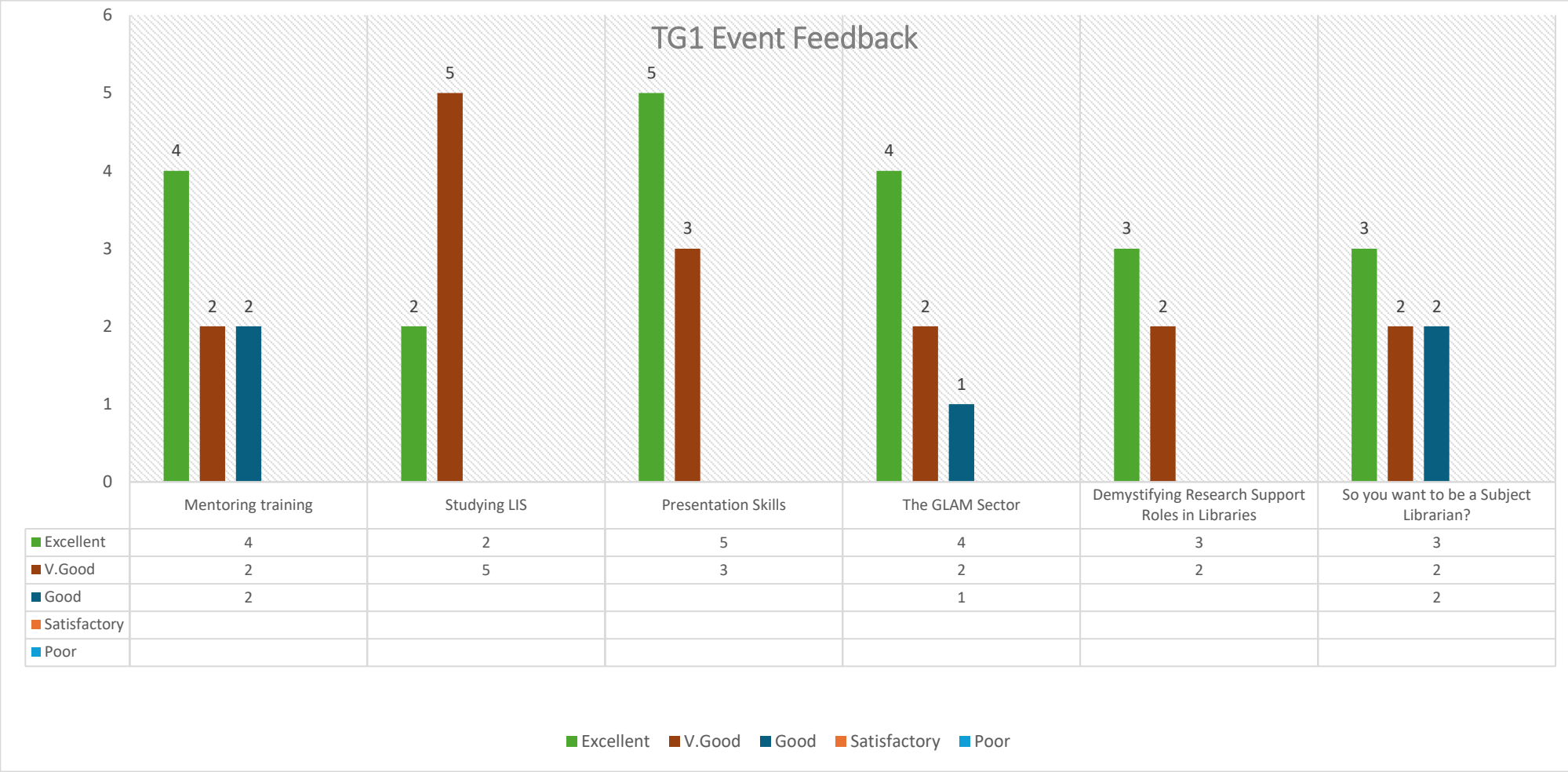
"It was great to meet and share experiences with other delegates. I found this most valuable"

"The convivial atmosphere and splendid surroundings of Toynbee Hall made it very special – the content and catering were excellent too!"

Staying positive and happy, 22nd August 2024:

“Great session by Ash. Particularly good at putting people at ease which helps everyone feel they can safely contribute.”

“All worked well. The breakout rooms took just the right amount of time and everyone felt comfortable in sharing thoughts.”



	Mentoring training	Studying LIS	Presentation Skills	The GLAM Sector	Demystifying Research Support Roles in Libraries	So you want to be a Subject Librarian?
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V.Good	2	5	3	2	2	2
Good	2			1		2
Satisfactory						
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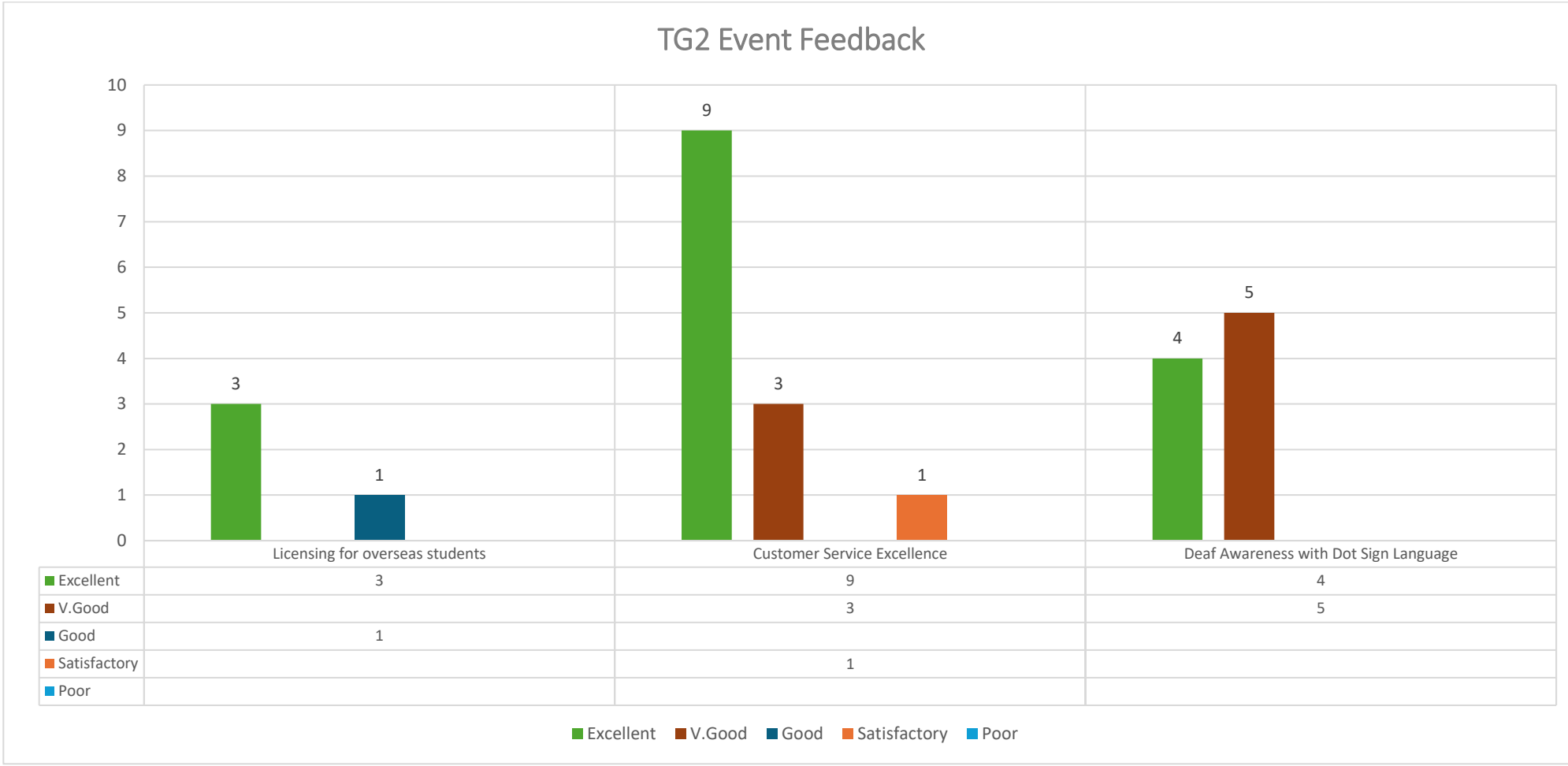
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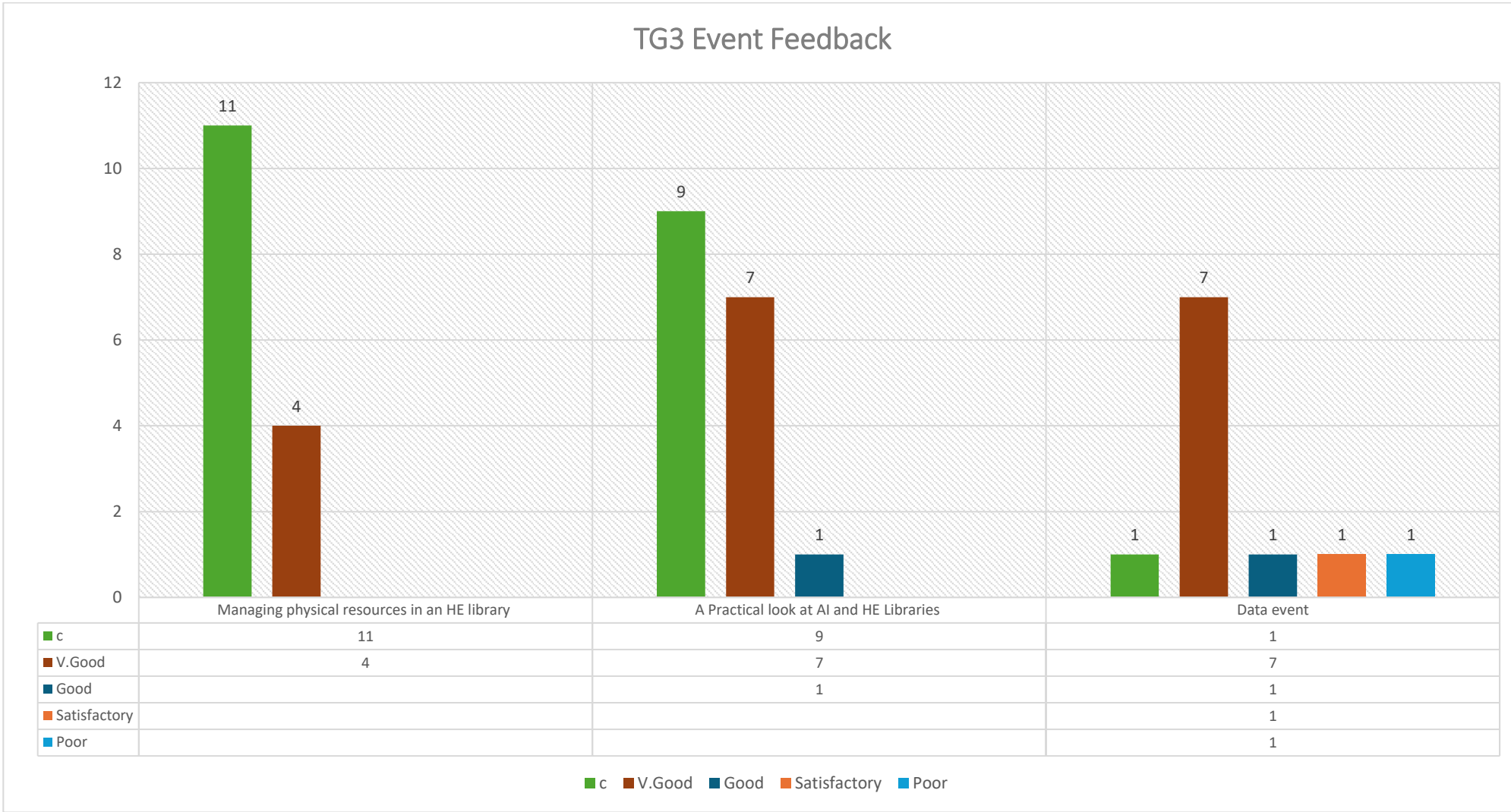
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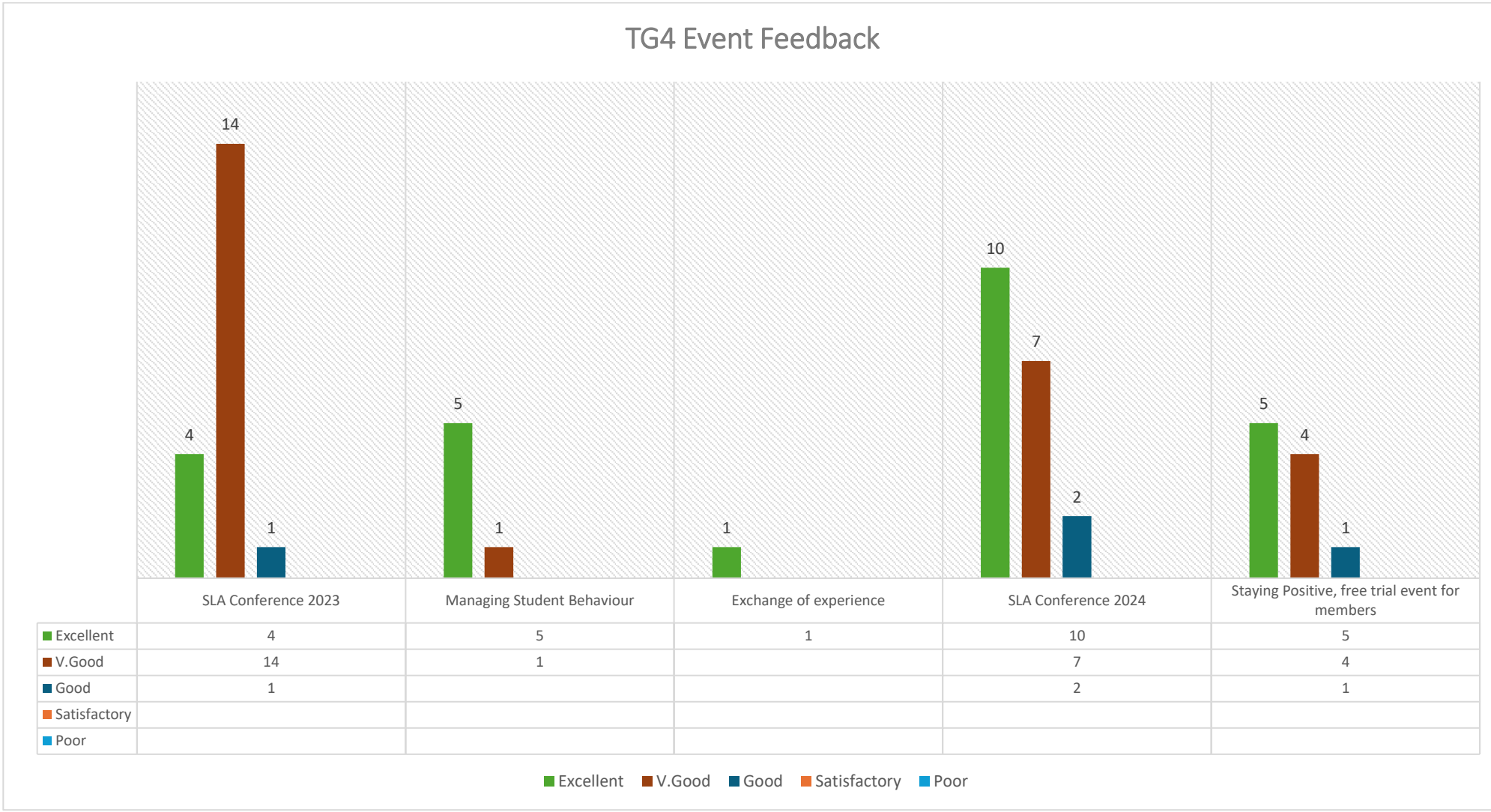

	SLA Conference 2023	Managing Student Behaviour	Exchange of experience	SLA Conference 2024	Staying Positive, free trial event for members
Excellent	4	5	1	10	5
V.Good	14	1		7	4
Good	1			2	1
Satisfactory					
Poor					