

Course Evaluations

Session: Summer 1, 2016

Instructor: Lee Tucker

Course: CAS EC325-A1 The Economics of Poverty and Discrimination in the United States

STATISTICS REFLECT FREQUENCY OF RESPONSES

Number of students enrolled: 10
 Number of students responding: 10
 Percent of enrolled students responding: 100

SECTION A: COURSE EVALUATION:	NR	Poor			Superior			Mean	StDev
		1	2	3	4	5			
1 The extent to which you found the class intellectually challenging	0	0	0	1	2	7	4.600	0.699	
2 The extent that assignments furthered your understanding of course content	0	1	0	3	4	2	3.600	1.174	
3 The extent that the class normally met the required number of hours	0	0	0	2	2	6	4.400	0.843	
4 I found the textbook/cases/course materials	0	0	2	2	2	4	3.800	1.229	
5 The extent to which I would recommend this course to others	0	0	1	3	2	4	3.900	1.101	
6 I would rate the course overall as	0	0	1	2	3	4	4.000	1.054	

SECTION B: INSTRUCTOR EVALUATION:	NR	1	2	3	4	5	Mean	StDev
7 The instructor's ability to present material is	0	0	1	1	5	3	4.000	0.943
8 I would rate the instructor's enthusiasm as	0	0	0	0	5	5	4.500	0.527
9 The instructor's ability to encourage questions/discussion is	0	0	1	5	2	2	3.500	0.972
10 The instructor's mastery of the course materials is	0	0	0	1	4	5	4.400	0.699
11 The extent to which the instructor's grading criteria are clear and fair	0	0	1	1	5	3	4.000	0.943
12 The extent to which the instructor returned assignments in a timely manner	1	0	1	2	2	4	4.000	1.118
13 The instructor's overall rating is	0	0	0	2	5	3	4.100	0.738

SECTION C: ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:	NR	1	2	3	4	5	Mean	StDev
14 How would you rate your Boston University Summer Term experience, overall?	0	0	0	3	1	6	4.300	0.949

	NR	Yes	No	Mean	StDev
15 Are you a Boston University student?	0	8	2	1.200	0.422
16 Are you an international student?	0	5	5	1.500	0.527

	NR	C or less	A- or A	Mean	StDev		
17 What grade do you expect to receive in the course?	1	1	0	4	4	3.222	0.972

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3 The extent that the class normally met the required number of hours	0	0	0	20	20	60	4.400	0.843	
4 I found the textbook/cases/course materials	0	0	20	20	20	40	3.800	1.229	
5 The extent to which I would recommend this course to others	0	0	10	30	20	40	3.900	1.101	
6 I would rate the course overall as	0	0	10	20	30	40	4.000	1.054	

SECTION B: INSTRUCTOR EVALUATION:	NR	1	2	3	4	5	Mean	StDev
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Student Comments:

About the Instructor:

Took time to thoroughly explain concepts, stopped and summarized frequently. Improve: Maybe use more real-life examples.

The fact that the material was truly interesting to him was motivating. Also it was clear that he was very intelligent. Improve: I would say do not go so fast, but that is the nature of an accelerated course.

He is helpful, and kind enough for internationals.

Strong: Enthusiasm and passion for the topics.

Very knowledgeable and enthusiastic. Good job. Improve: Perhaps restructure the class so that there is less lecturing and more participation/group work, etc.

Very smart, very enthusiastic.

Enthusiastic about topic of discrimination/poverty. Improve: Less words on slides.

About the Course:

Strong: Understand American system.

Very practical and important information is taught. Knowledge that everyone should have. Imperative to my career choice.

Very relevant material. Improve: Way too long to listen to lecture for 2.5 hours.

Strong: Interesting and challenging.