

Teaching Evaluations

Ismael Villegas Molina

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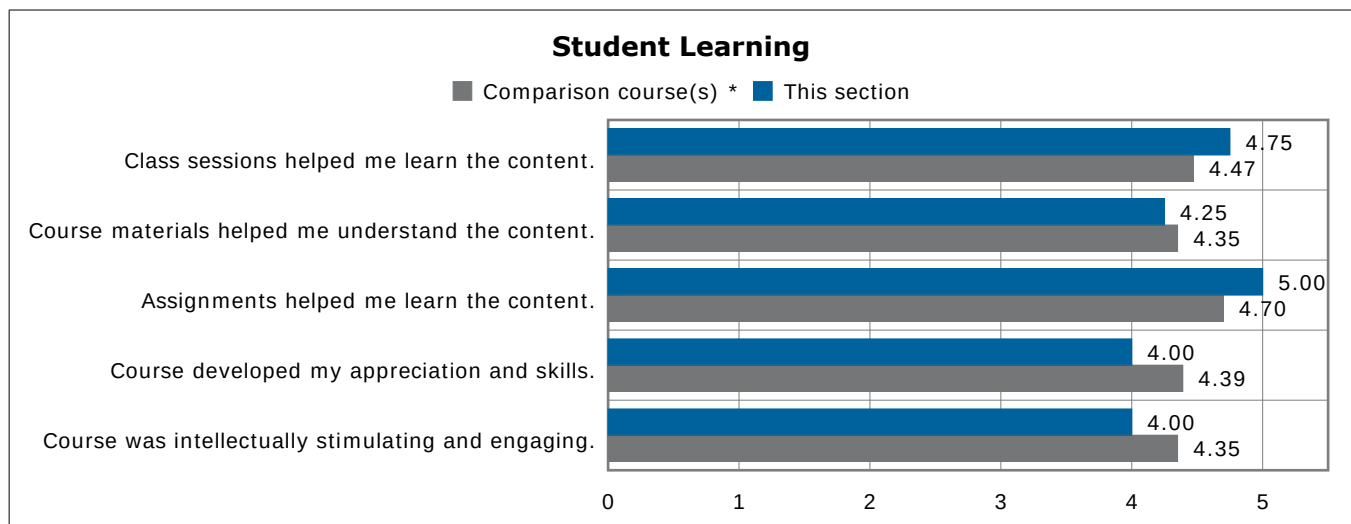
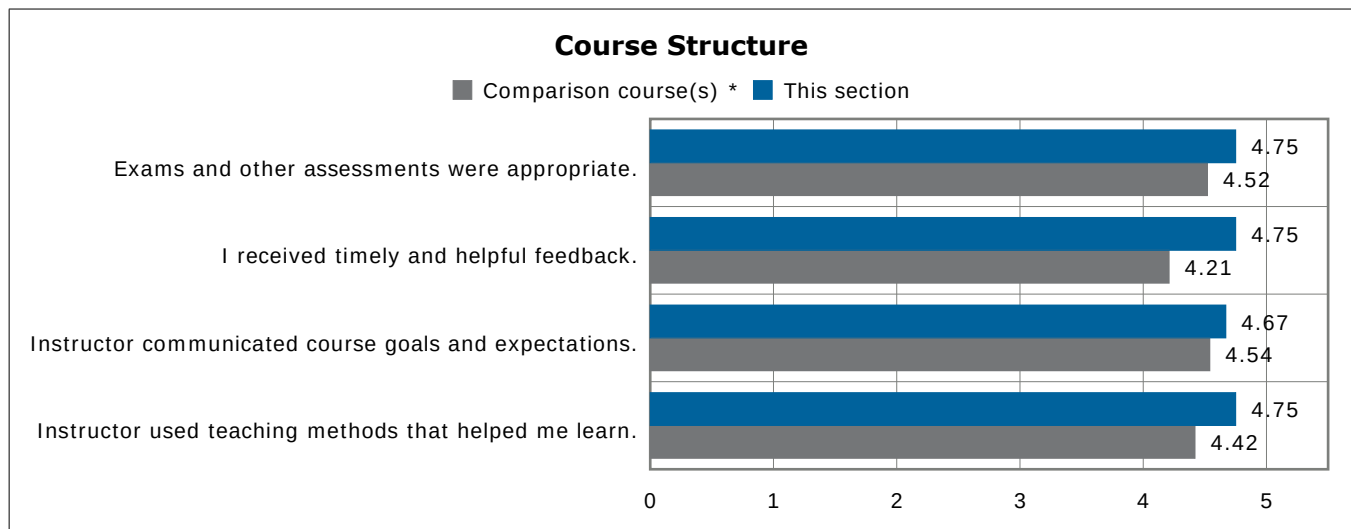
Student Evaluation of Teaching (SET) for Ismael Villegas Molina

CSE 8A - Intro to Programming 1 (Villegas Molina, Ismael)
Summer Session I 2025

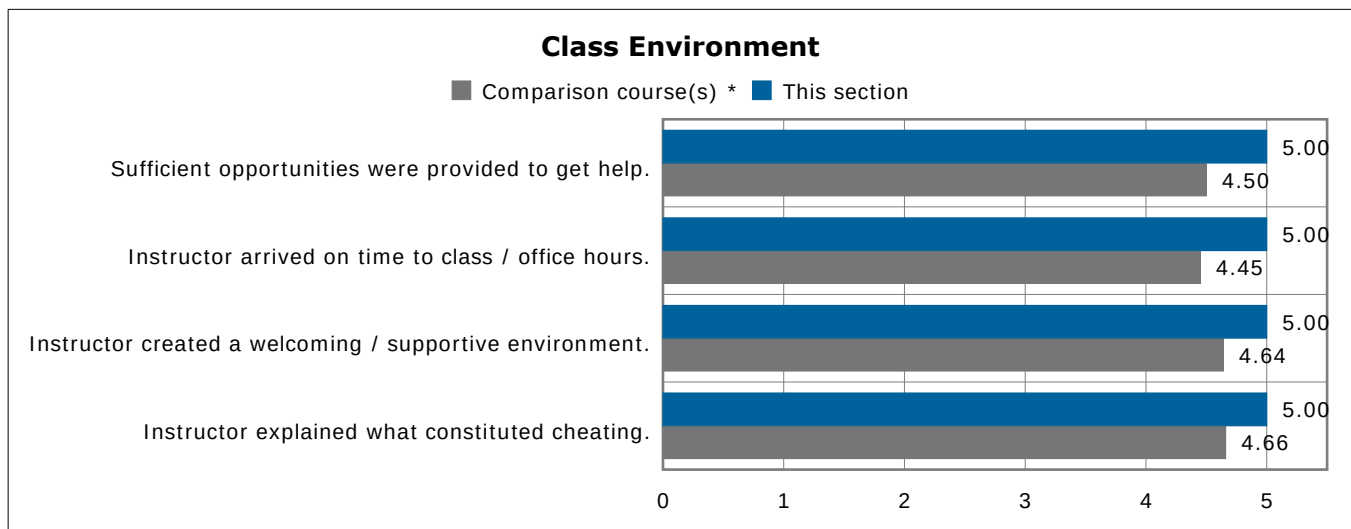
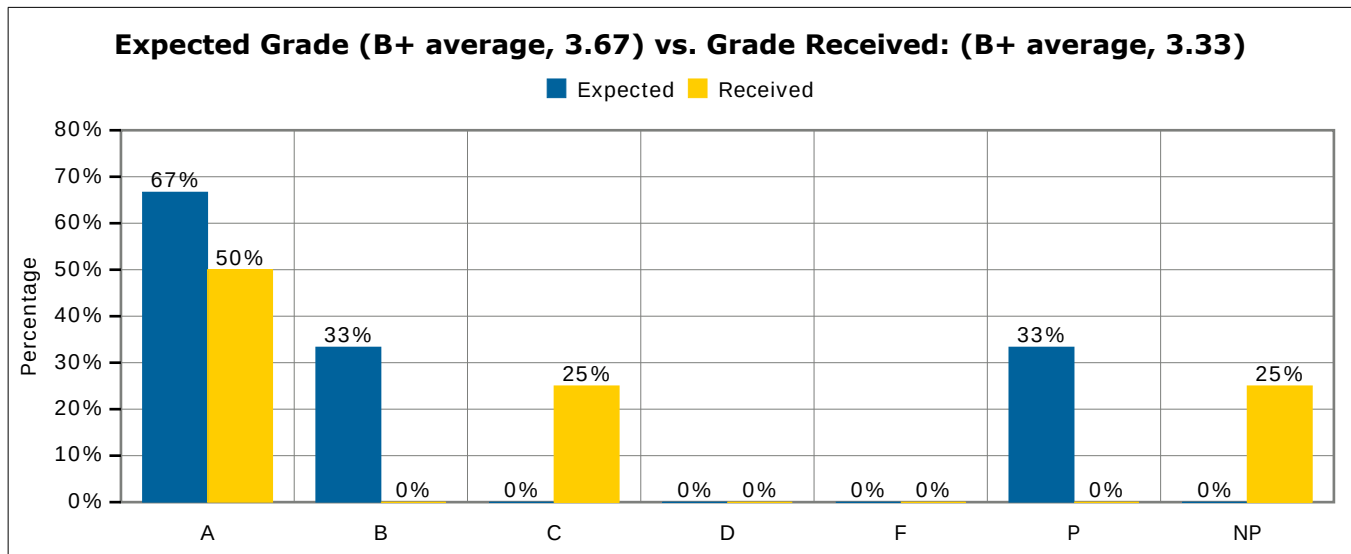
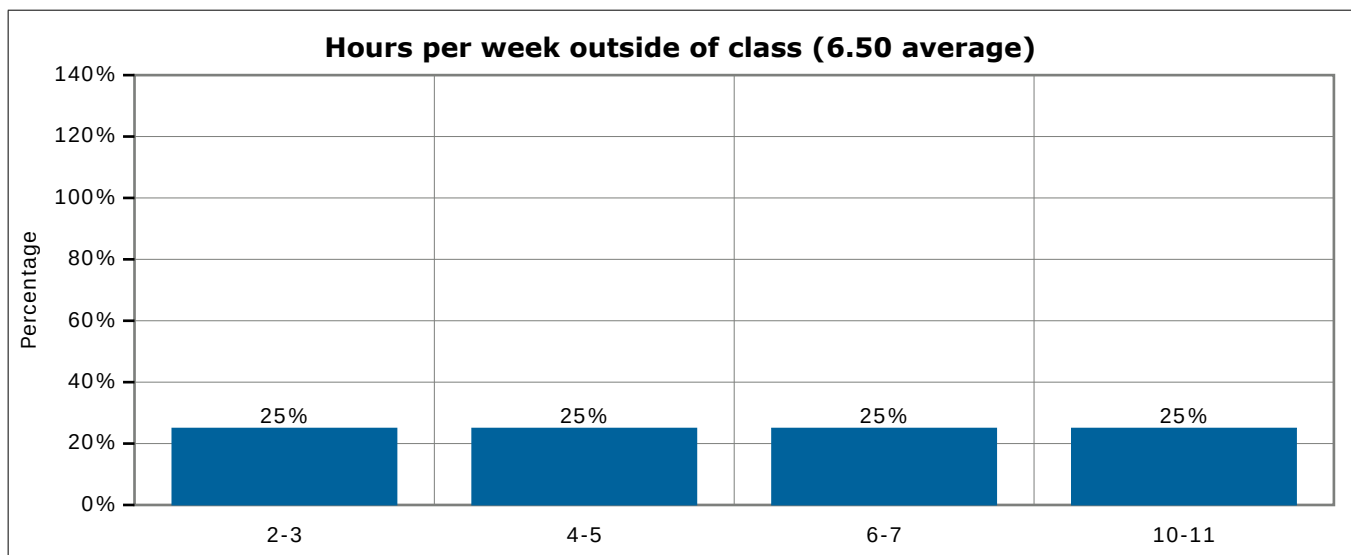
Number of Evaluations Submitted: 4

Number of Students Enrolled: 4

Summary Results



* Comparison courses used: All Computer Science and Engineering Summer Session I 2025 LD courses



Full Results

Student Learning

1. **Class sessions** helped me learn the course content.

3 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
1 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

2. **Course readings and other course materials** helped me learn course content.

1 (25.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (75.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

3. **Assignments** (homework, projects, etc) helped me learn the course content.

4 (100.0%):	Strongly Agree
0 (0.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

4. The course **developed** my **appreciation** of and **skills** for the subject.

2 (50.0%):	Strongly Agree
1 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (25.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

5. The course was **intellectually stimulating and engaging**.

2 (50.0%):	Strongly Agree
1 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (25.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

Course Structure

6. The instructor effectively communicated **course goals** , learning **outcomes** , and **expectations**.

2 (66.7%):	Strongly Agree
1 (33.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion
1:	[No Response]

7. **Exams and other assessments** (essays, projects, etc) were an appropriate measure of course learning outcomes.

3 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
1 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

8. I received **timely and helpful feedback** in this course.

3 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
1 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

9. The instructor incorporated **teaching methods** that helped me learn.

3 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
1 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	No Opinion

Class Environment

10. There were sufficient **opportunities offered for me to get help** when needed (e.g. established office hours, discussion section, discussion board, etc).

4 (100.0%): Strongly Agree
0 (0.0%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): No Opinion

11. The instructor **arrived on time** to class sessions and office hours.

4 (100.0%): Strongly Agree
0 (0.0%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): No Opinion

12. The instructor created a **welcoming and supportive learning environment** that valued and supported students from all backgrounds and identities.

4 (100.0%): Strongly Agree
0 (0.0%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): No Opinion

13. The instructor explained what constituted cheating in this course and emphasized the importance of **academic integrity**.

4 (100.0%): Strongly Agree
0 (0.0%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): No Opinion

Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that...

14. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that particularly helped you to engage with the material, learn the material, and/or develop your own critical perspectives on the material.

- Encouraging in class participation was key to my success. This tested my knowledge of the course material and allowed me to address misconceptions of the course material.
- PA assignments and lecture helped me to learn the course material.
- Professor Molina was engaging with his lectures. He also knew how to advance the lectures without overwhelming the students. I would say that he is one of the best professors at UCSD based on the classes I've enrolled in.
- Professor Villegas Molina explained programming problems thoroughly which helped me understand them.

15. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that were less helpful for your learning. Optionally you may offer constructive suggestions that might improve their effectiveness.

- The codehelp thing wasn't very useful. I preferred to go to an instructor or TA for help or guidance with whatever problem I had.
- The way he explained and taught the course material during the lecture was very helpful, however, it would be better if the slides were more informative (ex. specific explanations of what is happening in the code).
- There isn't any! I thought Professor Molina was great!

16. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that created or interfered with a welcoming learning environment that valued and supported students from all backgrounds and identities.

- Many of the problems in lecture and homework assignments incorporated information from different cultural backgrounds.
- Yes, the class environment was always welcoming and supported students who needed any help with the course material.

Student Participation

17. What was/were your reason(s) for taking this course?

2 (33.3%):	Major/Program Requirement
0 (0.0%):	Minor
2 (33.3%):	College General Education
0 (0.0%):	Elective
2 (33.3%):	Interest
0 (0.0%):	American History and Institutions (AHI) Requirement
0 (0.0%):	Undergraduate Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Requirement (DEI) Requirement
0 (0.0%):	Jane Teranes Climate Change Education Requirement (JTCCER)
0 (0.0%):	Graduate Program Requirement
0 (0.0%):	Other

18. How often did you attend class and/or engage with course materials?

1 (25.0%):	Always
3 (75.0%):	Usually
0 (0.0%):	Sometimes
0 (0.0%):	Seldom
0 (0.0%):	Never

19. Hours per week of work outside of class

0 (0.0%):	0-1
1 (25.0%):	2-3
1 (25.0%):	4-5
1 (25.0%):	6-7
0 (0.0%):	8-9
1 (25.0%):	10-11
0 (0.0%):	12-13
0 (0.0%):	14-15
0 (0.0%):	16-17
0 (0.0%):	18-19
0 (0.0%):	20 or more

20. Expected grade in the course

2 (50.0%):	A
1 (25.0%):	B
0 (0.0%):	C
0 (0.0%):	D
0 (0.0%):	F
1 (25.0%):	P
0 (0.0%):	NP

Additional Feedback

21. Is there anything else you would like to share about your experience in the course?

- Professor Molina is great! I hope Professor Molina is given the opportunity to advanced in his career at UCSD!

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**Instructional Assistant Student Evaluation of Teaching for Ismael Villegas
Molina****Department of Computer Science and Engineering**

Winter 2026 CSE 291I - Topics in Human-comp Interact (Porter, Leonard Emerson)

Enrollment: 31

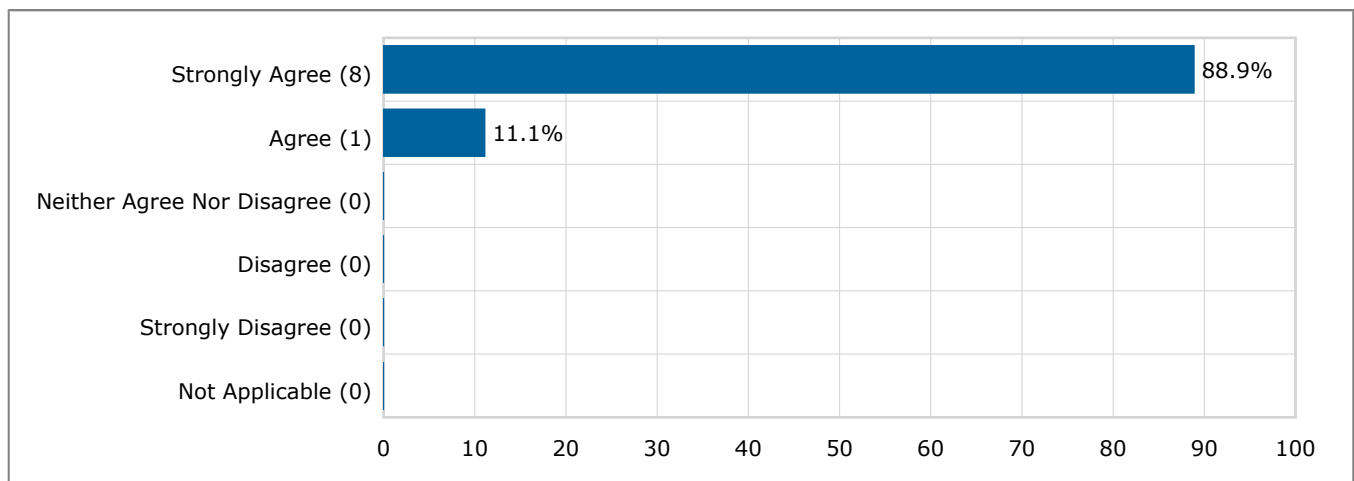
Responses: 10 (32.26% response rate)

Scoring Methodology

A numerical value is assigned to each response in the standard Likert Scale used for evaluations: Strongly Agree (5), Agree (4), Neither Agree Nor Disagree (3), Disagree (2), Strongly Disagree (1). Responses marked "No Opinion/Not Applicable" are excluded from mean calculations.

1. The Instructional Assistant used instructional methods in section and/or office hours that helped me learn and engage with the course material.

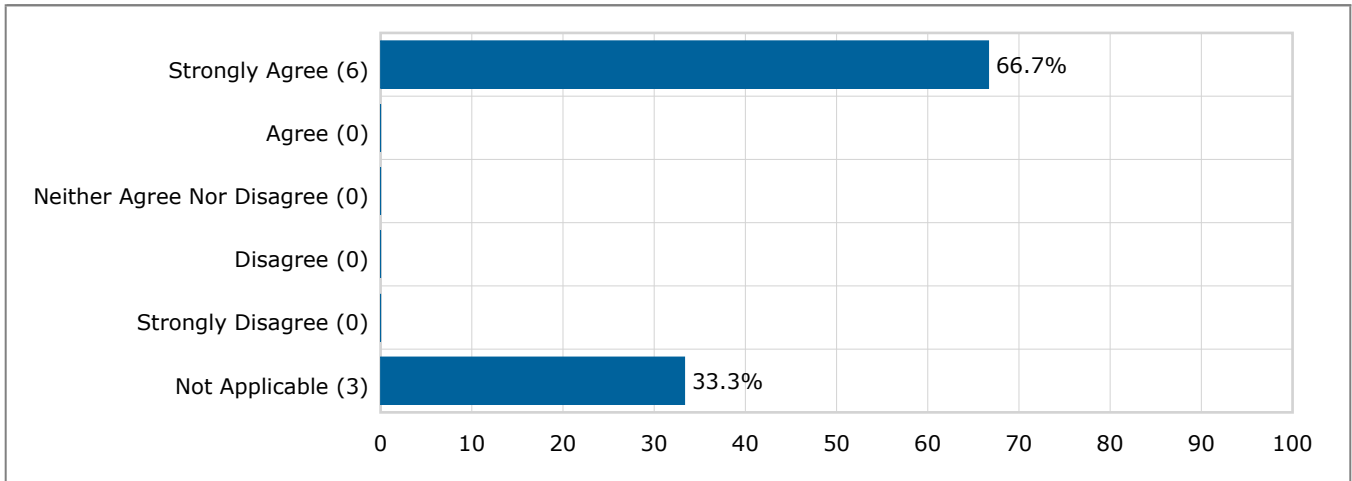
% Positive/Negative	Mean (SD)	Median	Response Count
100% Positive	4.89 ± 0.31 (Strongly Agree)	5 (Strongly Agree)	9 (90.00%)



No Response: 1

2. The sections led by this Instructional Assistant were well-coordinated with other components of this class (e.g., lecture, lab, assignments, etc.).

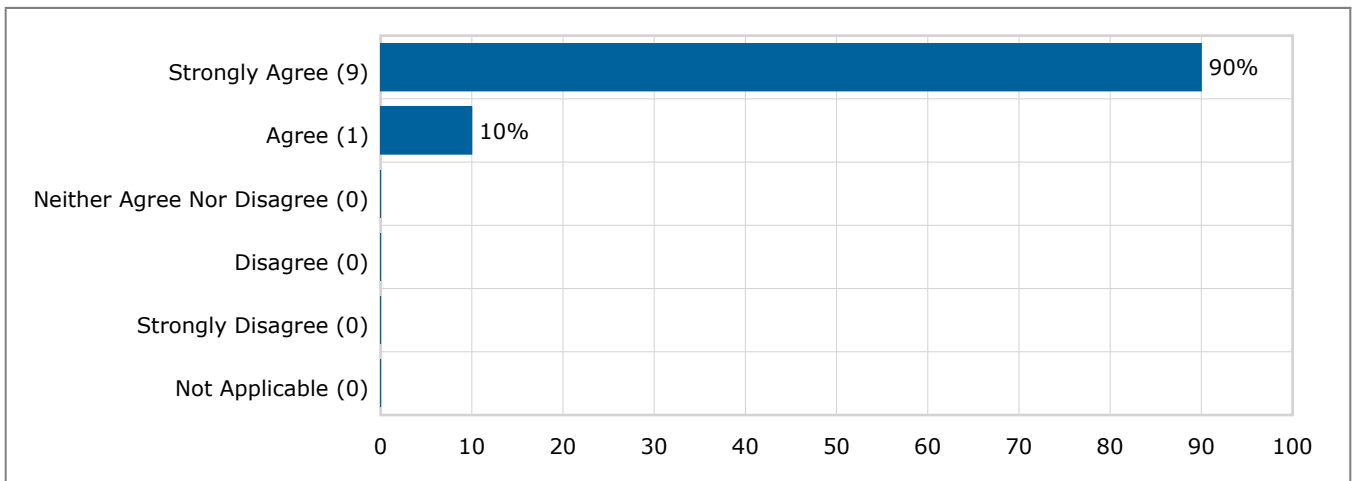
% Positive/Negative	Mean (SD)	Median	Response Count
66.7% Positive	5 ± 0.00 (Strongly Agree)	5 (Strongly Agree)	9 (90.00%)



No Response: 1

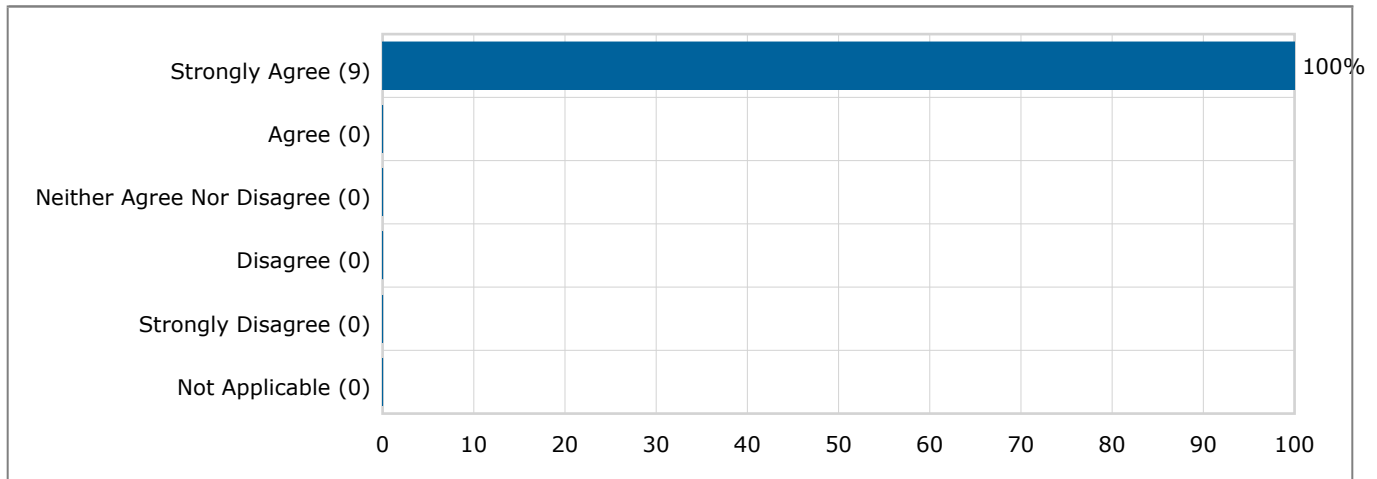
3. The Instructional Assistant communicated effectively.

% Positive/Negative	Mean (SD)	Median	Response Count
100% Positive	4.9 ± 0.30 (Strongly Agree)	5 (Strongly Agree)	10 (100.00%)



4. The Instructional Assistant provided constructive feedback on my work.

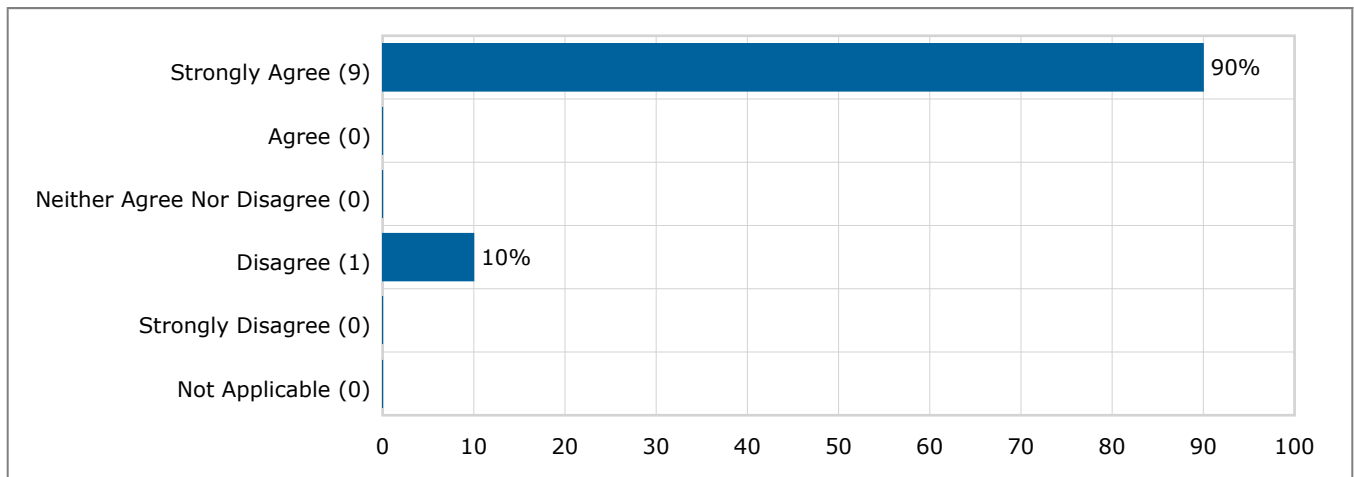
% Positive/Negative	Mean (SD)	Median	Response Count
100% Positive	5 ± 0.00 (Strongly Agree)	5 (Strongly Agree)	9 (90.00%)



No Response: 1

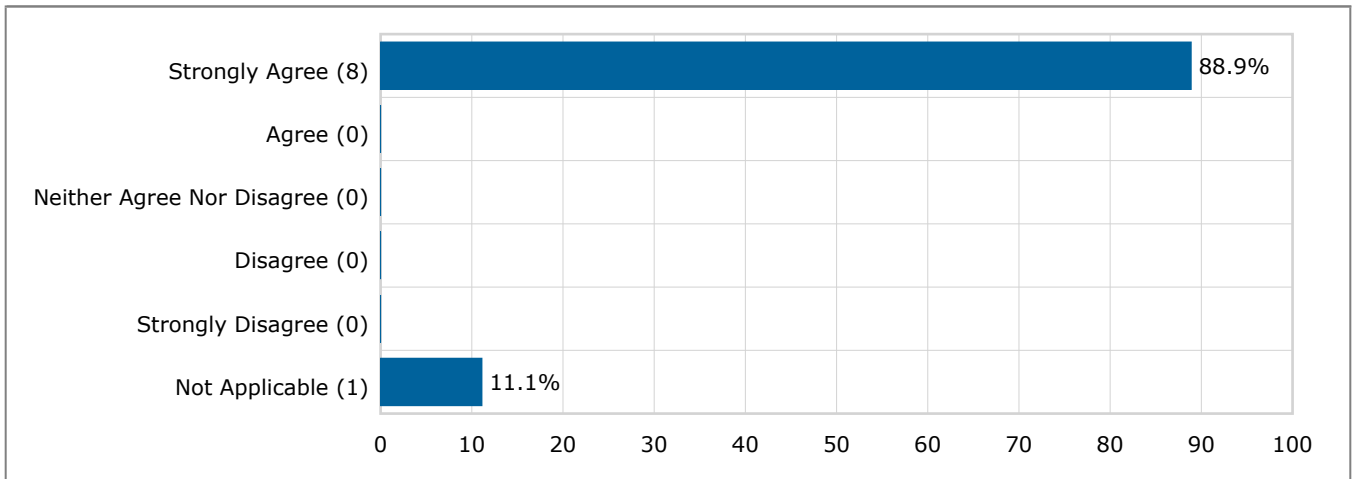
5. The Instructional Assistant created a welcoming and supportive learning environment.

% Positive/Negative	Mean (SD)	Median	Response Count
90% Positive 10% Negative	4.7 ± 0.90 (Strongly Agree)	5 (Strongly Agree)	10 (100.00%)



6. The Instructional Assistant generally began and ended section/lab/office hours on time.

% Positive/Negative	Mean (SD)	Median	Response Count
88.9% Positive	5 ± 0.00 (Strongly Agree)	5 (Strongly Agree)	9 (90.00%)



No Response: 1

7. Please describe any practices that the Instructional Assistant specifically used that created or interfered with a welcoming and supportive learning environment.

Friendly and conversational!

Held office hours and answered any doubts we had. Was active on piazza as well

I don't think it was out of malice so much as unfortunate scheduling, but I really didn't feel very supported on my presentation early in the quarter. I was put on a stressful time crunch and wasn't able to get really any support.

Ismael created a welcoming/supportive environment by making it clear that he really cares about his students and their success. He spends a lot of time helping each student during office hours. He is supportive and encouraging and creates an environment in his office hours where it is easy to ask questions.

Ismael fostered such a welcoming environment in the classroom, in office hours, and in the online forum. He actively checked in on me when I was falling behind in the course, and he helped me develop a plan to catch back up. Without Ismael, I would not have enjoyed this course as much as I did.

8. Please describe any practices that the Instructional Assistant specifically used that particularly helped you to learn the material and/or encouraged you to feel that you could succeed in the course.

Ismael provided extremely helpful feedback on our project and assignments. He was able to understand what our problem was and give us feedback that was formative but did not feel judgmental. As a TA myself, I had a lot to learn from how Ismael structured his pedagogical thinking.

Ismael was incredibly helpful for understanding the course readings, the context for the readings, and providing feedback on our project. During office hours, he presented papers in a way that was easy to understand. He gave a lot of additional information and helpful directions when giving us feedback on our projects and presentations. His responses on piazza are also very helpful.

Was very helpful and gave lots of feedback on the project and the presentation

9. Please offer constructive suggestions that might help the Instructional Assistant improve their contribution to your learning of the course material.

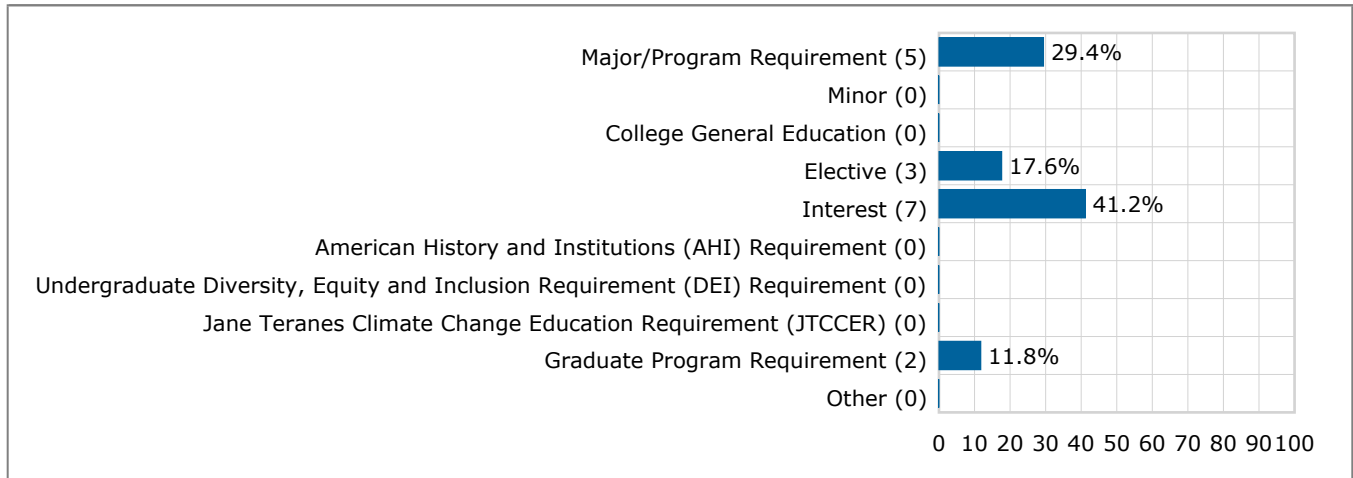
Genuinely one of the best TAs I've ever had

10. Is there anything else you would like to share about your experience with this Instructional Assistant?

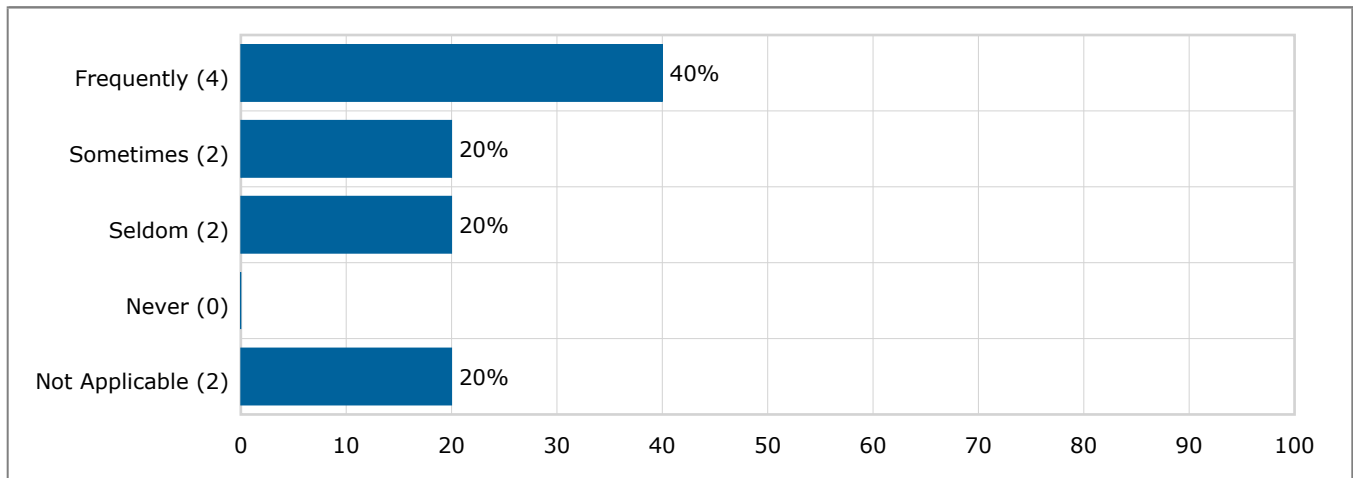
I wish more TAs were like you

Ismael you are an inspiration to me and I think a shining beacon of what it means to be a good TA. I hope I can be as knowledgeable and helpful and insightful as you one day.

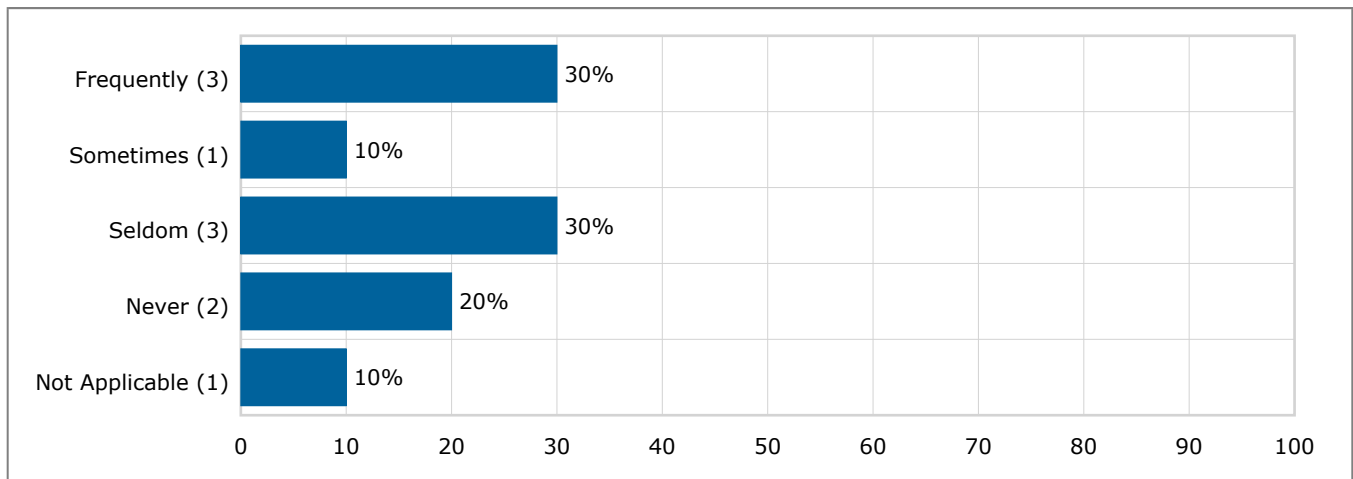
11. What was/were your reason(s) for taking this course?



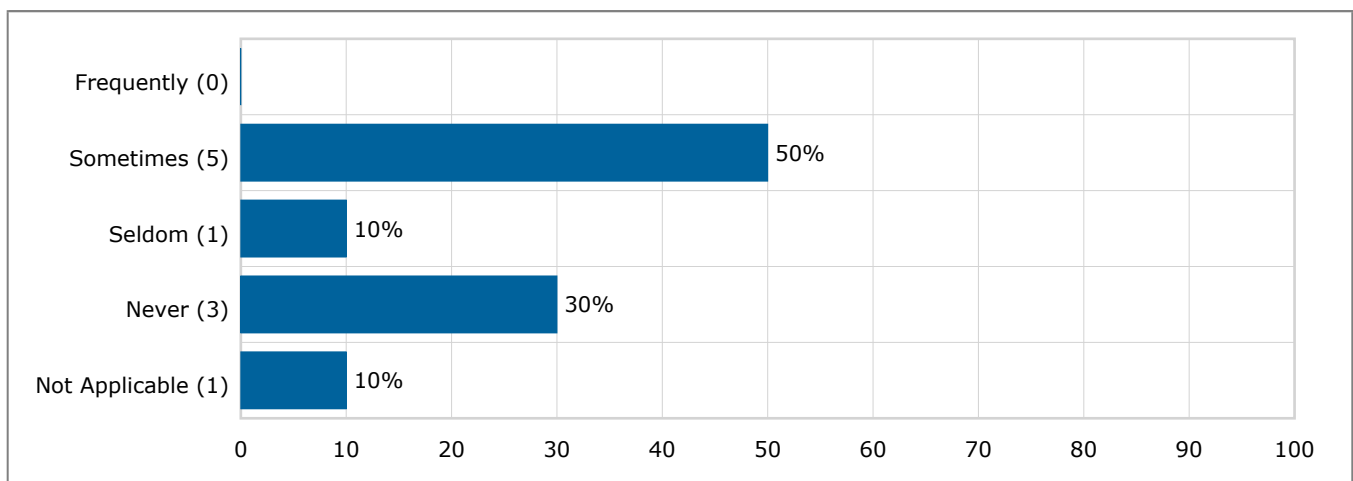
12. How frequently did you interact with the Instructional Assistant **IN THE SECTION**?



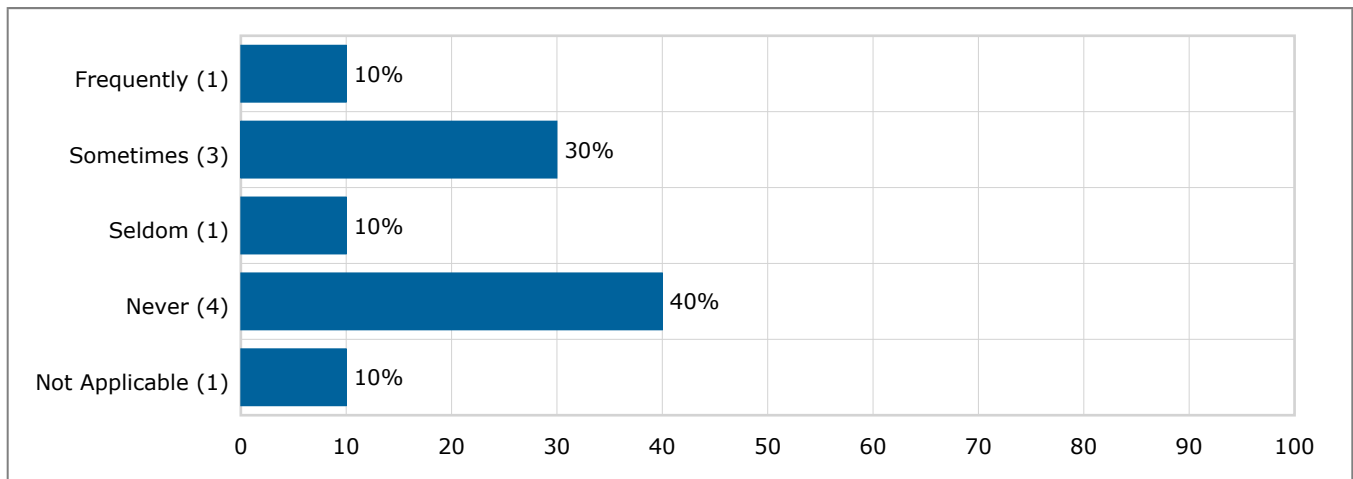
13. How frequently did you interact with the Instructional Assistant **DURING OFFICE HOURS** ?



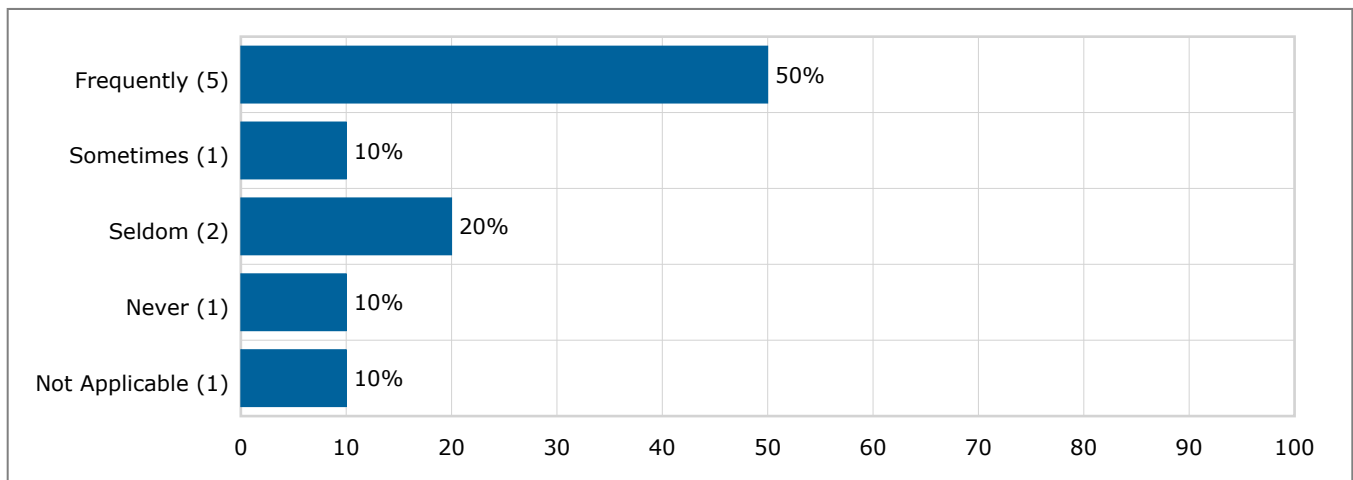
14. How frequently did you interact with the Instructional Assistant **VIA EMAIL**?



15. How frequently did you interact with the Instructional Assistant **VIA THE COURSE DISCUSSION BOARD?**



16. How often did you receive feedback from this instructional assistant on assignments/exams/papers?



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**Student IA Evaluation for Ismael Villegas Molina
Department of Computer Science and Engineering**

CSE 8A - Intro to Programming 1 (Salguero, Adrian)
Summer Session 1 2023

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 21
Number of Students Enrolled: 37

1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.

17 (81.0%): Strongly Agree
3 (14.3%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

2. The Instructional Assistant consistently arrived at lecture, section/lab, office hours and exams on time.

16 (76.2%): Strongly Agree
2 (9.5%): Agree
2 (9.5%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

3. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

17 (81.0%): Strongly Agree
2 (9.5%): Agree
1 (4.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

4. The Instructional Assistant helped develop my thinking skills on the subject.

17 (81.0%): Strongly Agree
1 (4.8%): Agree
1 (4.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
2 (9.5%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

5. Feedback from the Instructional Assistant on assignments, exams and/or papers was helpful and constructive.

17 (81.0%): Strongly Agree
2 (9.5%): Agree
1 (4.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

6. The Instructional Assistant's explanations were appropriate, being neither too complicated nor too simple.

17 (81.0%): Strongly Agree
1 (4.8%): Agree
1 (4.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
2 (9.5%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

7. The Instructional Assistant answered questions clearly and effectively, helping students to make connections among the course readings, assignments, and lectures.

17 (81.0%): Strongly Agree
1 (4.8%): Agree
1 (4.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
2 (9.5%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

8. The Instructional Assistant was genuinely interested in and enthusiastic about teaching.

18 (85.7%): Strongly Agree
2 (9.5%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

9. The Instructional Assistant was accessible to students outside of class (office hours, e-mail, etc.).

17 (81.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (14.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

10. The Instructional Assistant effectively connected the section/lab exercises with the material covered in lecture.

15 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (15.0%):	Agree
1 (5.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (5.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

11. In terms of communication skills, did the Instructional Assistant demonstrate any of the following? (check all that apply)

19 (95.0%):	No issues
0 (0.0%):	Too quiet
0 (0.0%):	Too loud
1 (5.0%):	Too fast
0 (0.0%):	Too slow
0 (0.0%):	Poor grammar and/or English language skills
0 (0.0%):	Used filler words such as "um"
0 (0.0%):	Other (please describe)

12. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

18 (85.7%):	Strongly Agree
1 (4.8%):	Agree
1 (4.8%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.8%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree

13. Please describe this person's greatest strengths as a Instructional Assistant.
Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community

- Explaining the topics so easily that you feel less daunting trying to do the tasks
- explains things well and is patient
- He is very personable and does a great job at keeping students not only entertained but engaged in the material.
- He really interacted with the students and was there to help us out whenever. Made us feel that we belong in that class and that we could succeed, good at presenting material, good at everything honestly.
- Knows how to break down a topic and teach it to people who could have no clue while at the same time not boring students who already know about it. Always has something new to help everyone with
- They are incredibly engaged with students , they do truly care about the student learning the concepts and are able to tailor their method of explaining to the student to make sure they truly understand. They will not give up on students understanding the concept, even if it means staying to help the student beyond the allocated time for office hours.
- Very good communication
- Very good explanations
Excellent attitude
Always willing to help and cares about student learning
- You can tell that he cares about the subject and wants to see students do well

14. Please describe this person's greatest weaknesses as a Instructional Assistant.
Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community

- -
- He works too hard
- yes

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?
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- -
- hint he gave quite complicated
- No Ismael was a wonderful TA and deserves the best in life.

- This teaching staff member would shine being a principal instructor on CSE8A or other introductory computer science class. Additionally, he would be a phenomenal university representative to reach out to LatinX communities in San Diego and other parts of southern california to encourage them to engage with computer science at UC San Diego.
- yes

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**Student IA Evaluation for Ismael Villegas Molina**
Department of Computer Science and EngineeringCSE 8A - Intro to Programming 1 (Elsherif, May Elhussein)
Spring 2023Number of Evaluations Submitted: 24
Number of Students Enrolled: 191

1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.

20 (87.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (13.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

2. The Instructional Assistant consistently arrived at lecture, section/lab, office hours and exams on time.

17 (73.9%):	Strongly Agree
5 (21.7%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.3%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

3. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

17 (73.9%): Strongly Agree
6 (26.1%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

4. The Instructional Assistant helped develop my thinking skills on the subject.

17 (73.9%): Strongly Agree
5 (21.7%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.3%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

5. Feedback from the Instructional Assistant on assignments, exams and/or papers was helpful and constructive.

18 (78.3%): Strongly Agree
3 (13.0%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
2 (8.7%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

6. The Instructional Assistant's explanations were appropriate, being neither too complicated nor too simple.

19 (82.6%): Strongly Agree
3 (13.0%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
1 (4.3%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

7. The Instructional Assistant answered questions clearly and effectively, helping students to make connections among the course readings, assignments, and lectures.

19 (82.6%):	Strongly Agree
3 (13.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.3%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

8. The Instructional Assistant was genuinely interested in and enthusiastic about teaching.

19 (82.6%):	Strongly Agree
3 (13.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.3%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

9. The Instructional Assistant was accessible to students outside of class (office hours, e-mail, etc.).

16 (69.6%):	Strongly Agree
3 (13.0%):	Agree
1 (4.3%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.3%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
2 (8.7%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

10. The Instructional Assistant effectively connected the section/lab exercises with the material covered in lecture.

18 (78.3%):	Strongly Agree
5 (21.7%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

11. In terms of communication skills, did the Instructional Assistant demonstrate any of the following? (check all that apply)

17 (94.4%): No issues
0 (0.0%): Too quiet
0 (0.0%): Too loud
1 (5.6%): Too fast
0 (0.0%): Too slow
0 (0.0%): Poor grammar and/or English language skills
0 (0.0%): Used filler words such as "um"
0 (0.0%): Other (please describe)

12. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

21 (87.5%): Strongly Agree
2 (8.3%): Agree
1 (4.2%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

13. Please describe this person's greatest strengths as a Instructional Assistant.
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- All i can say is thank you to Ismael for his hard work truly trying to help us students in lab and on edstem when we ask quesitons. Presenting the ideas vital to the lab helped so much and always approaching in a friendly manner, asking if we need help really helped me out in the course of this class. His energy and enthusiasm about coding is very inspirational and is part of the reason I wanted to keep doing better. The trait of believing in students and making them believe in themselves is truly key in what makes a good instructor.
- Amazing IA that was easily able to simplify complex ideas that were taught in the class. There were some times when I thought that this IA would explain concepts better than the professor. Great sense of humor, able to quickly come up with solid answers based on the coursework, and seemed to really want to engage with the people he was tutoring. Amazing work!
- good lecturer
- Great presentation skills and speaking and communication. Made material simple to understand.
- he forced us to communicate while doing works, in which we were. But he still insist that we are doing individual work.
- I just absolutely love how Ismael incorporates different teaching styles and introduces content that diversifies how we learn and makes the space more inclusive. I also really appreciate how clear his explanations are; they make absorbing the content so much easier!
- I think their greatest strength was probably being able to explain my mistakes and why something was working and helped me correct it.
- Ismael breaks complicated concepts down in understandable chunks, making sure that everyone understands.

- Ismael is super enthusiastic when he teaches labs and very helpful in breaking down complex lines of code. He tries to get students to participate in class and overall did a great job in helping me understand the material. He was patient and understanding as well and I liked that he wrote out the lines of code for each lab. It's helpful when he writes out the code before the lab so I know the concept/idea before I start. He is an amazing TA :)
- might as well make him a professor, explained more clearly than the professor at times and had a great understanding of the content being taught.
- Such a kind human being and an amazing communicator and teacher! Explains concepts so clearly and has infinite patience.
- Very fun and enthusiastic sounding TA especially when he was tasked with teaching our class for the day.

14. Please describe this person's greatest weaknesses as a Instructional Assistant.

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- I think simply because the content of the class was going so fast, all the labs and lessons in the labs would also go a little too fast paced for my learning style, but again I do believe it was because the class went by so fast as well.

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?

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- His lecture when Professor Elsherif was gone was great!

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**Student IA Evaluation for Ismael Villegas Molina**
Department of Computer Science and Engineering

CSE 8A - Intro to Programming 1 (Elsherif, May Elhussein)
Winter 2023

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 22
Number of Students Enrolled: 195

1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.

18 (81.8%): Strongly Agree
4 (18.2%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

2. The Instructional Assistant consistently arrived at lecture, section/lab, office hours and exams on time.

13 (61.9%): Strongly Agree
4 (19.0%): Agree
2 (9.5%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
2 (9.5%): Not Applicable
1: [No Response]

3. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

18 (81.8%): Strongly Agree
3 (13.6%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.5%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

4. The Instructional Assistant helped develop my thinking skills on the subject.

16 (72.7%):	Strongly Agree
5 (22.7%):	Agree
1 (4.5%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

5. Feedback from the Instructional Assistant on assignments, exams and/or papers was helpful and constructive.

11 (50.0%):	Strongly Agree
6 (27.3%):	Agree
1 (4.5%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.5%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
3 (13.6%):	Not Applicable

6. The Instructional Assistant's explanations were appropriate, being neither too complicated nor too simple.

16 (72.7%):	Strongly Agree
6 (27.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

7. The Instructional Assistant answered questions clearly and effectively, helping students to make connections among the course readings, assignments, and lectures.

18 (81.8%):	Strongly Agree
4 (18.2%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

8. The Instructional Assistant was genuinely interested in and enthusiastic about teaching.

18 (81.8%):	Strongly Agree
3 (13.6%):	Agree
1 (4.5%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

9. The Instructional Assistant was accessible to students outside of class (office hours, e-mail, etc.).

10 (45.5%):	Strongly Agree
10 (45.5%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
2 (9.1%):	Not Applicable

10. The Instructional Assistant effectively connected the section/lab exercises with the material covered in lecture.

17 (77.3%):	Strongly Agree
4 (18.2%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
1 (4.5%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

11. In terms of communication skills, did the Instructional Assistant demonstrate any of the following? (check all that apply)

17 (100.0%):	No issues
0 (0.0%):	Too quiet
0 (0.0%):	Too loud
0 (0.0%):	Too fast
0 (0.0%):	Too slow
0 (0.0%):	Poor grammar and/or English language skills
0 (0.0%):	Used filler words such as "um"
0 (0.0%):	Other (please describe)

12. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

18 (81.8%):	Strongly Agree
3 (13.6%):	Agree
1 (4.5%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree

13. Please describe this person's greatest strengths as a Instructional Assistant.
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- Awesome when he filled in for professor elsherief. Has a great sense of humor

- First time presenting, not too bad. Overall I think voice control is wonderful, teaching the concepts are good.
- He presents himself to be friendly and enthusiastic about teaching CSE 8A.
- He was very good at engaging with our class for the lecture he took over. Good speaker
- Ismael explained lecture concepts in a very easy-to-understand way, made sure we understood his explanations, and would try to explain concepts in a different way if students were still struggling with them.
- Ismael has great charisma that makes it enjoyable to learn from him and he also knows his content very well which allows him to explain clearly.
- Really clear explanations of topics, enthusiastic, funny, engaging

14. Please describe this person's greatest weaknesses as a Instructional Assistant.
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[No Responses]

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?
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- Cool dude, explained material better than the professor imo.
- his guest lecture was excellent
- I really enjoyed Ismael's teaching style (especially for lectures)!

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