

Instructor Tools

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Clemson University Student Evaluation of Teaching

Evaluation Report for Dev Kumar Bose teaching ENGL 314 018 during Spring Semester 2008

Respondents = 10 Enrolled = 18 Response rate = 56%

Global Questions

G1. The instructor clearly communicated what I was expected to learn.

Type: Agreement

	1		2		3		4		5		NR
0	0.00%	2	20.00%	3	30.00%	3	30.00%	1	10.00%	1	10.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.333	1.000	3	9
Same Level	4.323	0.906	5	1188
Same Discipline	4.347	0.855	5	3416

G2. The instructor made the relevance of the course material clear.

Type: Agreement

	1		2		3		4		5		NR
1	10.00%	2	20.00%	2	20.00%	2	20.00%	3	30.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.400	1.430	3.5	10
Same Level	4.345	0.911	5	1187
Same Discipline	4.340	0.884	5	3409

G3. The course was well organized.

Type: Agreement

	1		2		3		4		5		NR
1	10.00%	4	40.00%	4	40.00%	0	0.00%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	2.600	1.075	2.5	10
Same Level	4.269	0.975	5	1184
Same Discipline	4.297	0.940	5	3405

G4. There was a positive interaction between the class and the instructor.

Type: Agreement

	1		2		3		4		5		NR
0	0.00%	3	30.00%	2	20.00%	3	30.00%	1	10.00%	1	10.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.222	1.093	3	9
Same Level	4.450	0.884	5	1177
Same Discipline	4.486	0.832	5	3391

G5. The instructor's teaching methods helped me understand the course material.

Type: Agreement

	1		2		3		4		5		NR
1	10.00%	2	20.00%	3	30.00%	3	30.00%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.100	1.197	3	10
Same Level	4.149	1.053	4	1177

Same Discipline	4.224	0.978	5	3400
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G6. The instructor's verbal communication skills helped me understand the course material.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
1	10.00%	20.00%	30.00%	30.00%	10.00%	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.100	1.197	3	10
Same Level	4.250	1.007	5	1184
Same Discipline	4.319	0.932	5	3404

G7. The instructor clearly explained what was expected on assignments and tests

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
1	10.00%	30.00%	40.00%	0.00%	10.00%	10.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	2.667	1.118	3	9
Same Level	4.212	1.028	5	1184
Same Discipline	4.262	0.968	5	3407

G8. The instructor kept me informed about my progress in the course.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
2	20.00%	40.00%	30.00%	0.00%	10.00%	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	2.400	1.174	2	10
Same Level	4.138	1.051	4	1185
Same Discipline	4.014	1.093	4	3401

G9. The feedback I received on assignments and tests gave me the opportunity to improve my performance.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
1	10.00%	30.00%	30.00%	10.00%	20.00%	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.000	1.333	3	10
Same Level	4.250	0.994	5	1185
Same Discipline	4.198	1.005	5	3401

G10. Overall, the instructor is an effective teacher.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
1	10.00%	20.00%	40.00%	20.00%	10.00%	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.000	1.155	3	10
Same Level	4.323	0.968	5	1185
Same Discipline	4.384	0.894	5	3397

G11. The instructor's grading procedures gave a fair evaluation of my understanding of the material.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
0	0.00%	20.00%	10.00%	50.00%	20.00%	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
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Class	3.700	1.059	4	10
Same Level	4.119	1.077	4	1181
Same Discipline	4.176	1.014	4	3392

G12. How much work did you put into this course relative to your other courses?

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
0	0.00%	2 20.00%	4 40.00%	3 30.00%	1 10.00%	0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.300	0.949	3	10
Same Level	3.802	0.956	4	1182
Same Discipline	3.872	0.904	4	3394

G13. How difficult was this course for you relative to your other courses?

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
1	10.00%	3 30.00%	3 30.00%	3 30.00%	0 0.00%	0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	2.800	1.033	3	10
Same Level	3.249	1.072	3	1183
Same Discipline	3.373	1.039	3	3402

G14. To what extent was this course a requirement for you?

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
0	0.00%	0 0.00%	1 10.00%	2 20.00%	7 70.00%	0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	4.600	0.699	5	10
Same Level	4.347	1.024	5	1185
Same Discipline	4.273	1.069	5	3405

G15. Was this course in your major?

Type: Yes - No

	Yes	No	NR
3	30.00%	7 70.00%	0 0.00%

G16. Was this course team-taught?

Type: Yes - No

	Yes	No	NR
0	0.00%	10 100.00%	0 0.00%

G17. Please indicate your satisfaction with the availability of the instructor outside the classroom by choosing one response from the scale. In selecting your rating, consider the instructor's availability via established office hours, appointments, and other opportunities for face-to-face interaction as well as via telephone, email, fax and other means.

Type: Satisfaction

	1	2	3	4	NR
0	0.00%	2 20.00%	6 60.00%	2 20.00%	0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
This Class	3.000	0.667	3	10
Same Level	3.559	0.643	4	1177
Same Discipline	3.590	0.629	4	3380

G18. Please comment on the strengths of the instructor and the course.

Type: Essay

Student**Comments**

- #4** - He was always helpful when asking questions as to what was expected of your work. The course helped me understand the business aspects of what my career may hold.
- #5** - Responded to emails in a timely manner. Use of powerpoints and examples in class.
- #6** - He is very enthusiastic and cares whether you succeed.
- #9** - very few
- #10** - A funny teacher. Always light up the class.

G19. Please comment on the weaknesses of the instructor and the course.

Type: Essay

Student**Comments**

- #4** - I wish we could have gotten grades back faster so I could have known how I was doing in the class. He sometimes was not totally clear on what we were actually supposed to do on the assignment.
- #5** - Sometimes assignments and due dates may have been a little confusing.
- #6** - Sometimes seemed a bit disorganized.
- #9** - communication and confidence in front of his class, canceling class if we need to have it
- #10** - not organized well enough.

G20. Please comment on any teaching methods you found particularly helpful, and suggest alternative methods that you feel would improve the course.

Type: Essay

Student**Comments**

- #4** - The powerpoints along with his lecture were very helpful when relating them to what was due for our various projects
- #5** - Powerpoints continued, perhaps more Q&A. Maybe less in-class writing if possible.
- #10** - N/A

G21. I would recommend this instructor to a friend. Yes or no? Why?

Type: Essay

Student**Comments**

- #4** - Yes, I would recommend this instructor because I feel he understood the students and related to them well.
- #5** - Perhaps....class not difficult but sometimes a little confusing.
- #6** - Yes.
- #9** - no
- #10** - half and half. would recommend to friend because he is a nice and easy teacher; would not recommend to friend because his class is kinda confusing...

Departmental Questions

D1. I learned to apply principles from this course to other contexts.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR
0	0.00%	1 10.00%	4 40.00%	3 30.00%	2 20.00%	0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.600	0.966	3.5	10
Same Level	4.113	0.980	4	1178
Same Discipline	4.000	1.012	4	3366

D2. I developed more confidence in my ability to communicate effectively through writing.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR					
1	10.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	8	80.00%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.800	1.033	4	10
Same Level	4.061	1.012	4	1173
Same Discipline	3.999	1.023	4	3365

D3. As a part of my overall course load, this course was a priority to me.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR					
1	10.00%	1	10.00%	3	30.00%	4	40.00%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.300	1.160	3.5	10
Same Level	3.556	1.128	4	1180
Same Discipline	3.643	1.103	4	3376

D4. This course challenged me intellectually.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR					
0	0.00%	2	20.00%	4	40.00%	3	30.00%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.300	0.949	3	10
Same Level	3.541	1.136	4	1177
Same Discipline	3.788	1.073	4	3370

D5. The instructor is enthusiastic about the course material.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR					
1	10.00%	0	0.00%	3	30.00%	3	30.00%	3	30.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.700	1.252	4	10
Same Level	4.485	0.848	5	1175
Same Discipline	4.522	0.798	5	3361

D6. The instructor treats students with respect.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR					
0	0.00%	0	0.00%	2	20.00%	4	40.00%	4	40.00%	0	0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	4.200	0.789	4	10
Same Level	4.588	0.788	5	1167
Same Discipline	4.603	0.751	5	3348

D7. The instructor makes me feel free to ask questions.

Type: Agreement

	1	2	3	4	5	NR					
1	10.00%	1	10.00%	0	0.00%	4	40.00%	3	30.00%	1	10.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.778	1.394	4	9
Same Level	4.563	0.810	5	1167
Same Discipline	4.568	0.794	5	3342

D8. The instructor sets high standards for students.

Type: Agreement

1 2 3 4 5 NR
0 0.00% 0 0.00% 4 40.00% 5 50.00% 1 10.00% 0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.700	0.675	4	10
Same Level	4.385	0.786	5	1173
Same Discipline	4.383	0.755	5	3350

D9. The assigned reading is well integrated into the course.

Type: Agreement

1 2 3 4 5 NR
1 10.00% 0 0.00% 4 40.00% 4 40.00% 1 10.00% 0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.400	1.075	3.5	10
Same Level	3.898	1.153	4	1161
Same Discipline	4.166	1.027	4	3336

D10. The assigned writing is well integrated into the course.

Type: Agreement

1 2 3 4 5 NR
1 10.00% 0 0.00% 2 20.00% 5 50.00% 2 20.00% 0 0.00%

Focus	Mean	Stdev	Median	Observations
Class	3.700	1.160	4	10
Same Level	4.262	0.974	5	1167
Same Discipline	4.294	0.925	5	3344

D11. What did you find most valuable and helpful about the course?

Type: Essay

Student

Comments

#1 - writing a resume and cover letter

#4 - Planning a commissioned document for an organization was most helpful in the course. It helped me get into a business state of mind, and showed me how to communicate properly to others.

#5 - Job/Grad school application project.

#10 - resume workshop

D12. What would you like to see changed in subsequent offerings of this course?

Type: Essay

Student

Comments

#4 - If it is possible to relate the other 314 classes to the one I had, it would be helpful. I heard from others about their classes and they had different tasks that I thought were not necessary, such as lots of grammatical stuff. The projects I had, I thought were very relevant to a 314 technical writing class.

#10 - N/A

Ok