

Individual Report for Instructor Coster (26058-20243 : ECON-205 Principles of Macroeconomics (26058))

Project Title: USC Learning Experience Evaluations - Fall 2024

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Report Comments

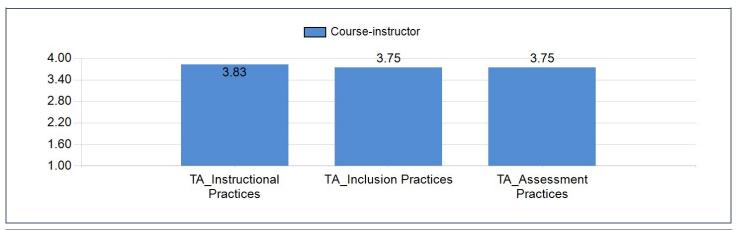
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LEARNING EXPERIENCE SUBSCALE ANALYSIS FOR TEACHING ASSISTANT

Learning Experience Subscale Average Score for Teaching Assistant



Competency	Course- instructor	Standard Deviation
TA_Instructional Practices	3.83	+/-0.39
TA_Inclusion Practices	3.75	+/-0.45
TA_Assessment Practices	3.75	+/-0.45

TA_INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICES

	Ν	Mean	Std. Deviation
The teaching assistant carefully explained difficult concepts, methods, and subject matter	4	3.75	0.50
The teaching assistant encouraged questioning and discussion of course topics from the students	4	4.00	0.00
The teaching assistant encouraged me to do my best work.	4	3.75	0.50

TA_INCLUSION PRACTICES

	Ν	Mean	Std. Deviation
The teaching assistant used a variety of teaching approaches to meet the needs of all students.	4	3.75	0.50
The teaching assistant was receptive to the expression of diverse student viewpoints.	4	3.75	0.50
The teaching assistant demonstrated sensitivity to students' needs and diverse life experiences.	4	3.75	0.50
The course materials included diverse perspectives OR applications to diverse populations.	4	3.75	0.50

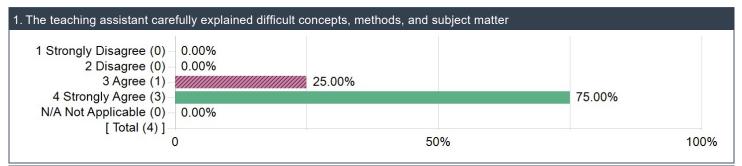
TA_ASSESSMENT PRACTICES

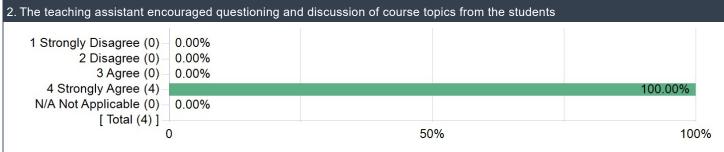
	Ν	Mean	Std. Deviation
The assessments/assignments reflected what was covered in the course	4	3.75	0.50
The grades I have received thus far reflect the QUALITY of my performance in the course.	4	3.75	0.50
The criteria for good performance on the assignments or assessments were clearly communicated.	4	3.75	0.50
The teaching assistant's evaluation of my performances was constructive.	4	3.75	0.50

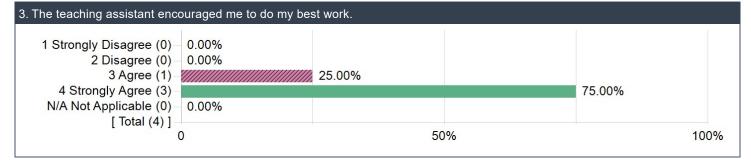
LEARNING EXPERIENCE SUBSCALE ANALYSIS FOR TA: INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICES

TA INSTRUCTIONAL PRACTICES

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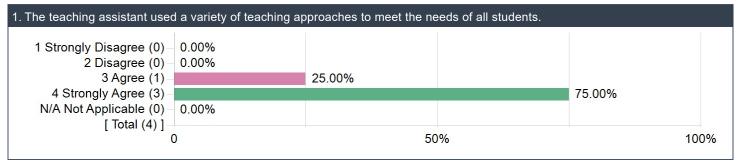


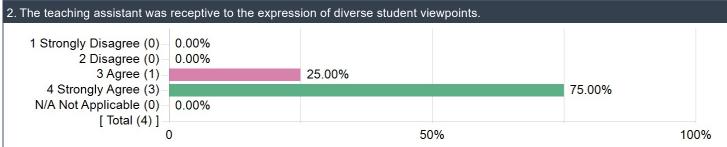


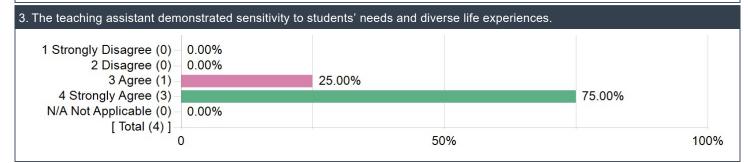
LEARNING EXPERIENCE SUBSCALE ANALYSIS FOR TA: INCLUSION PRACTICES

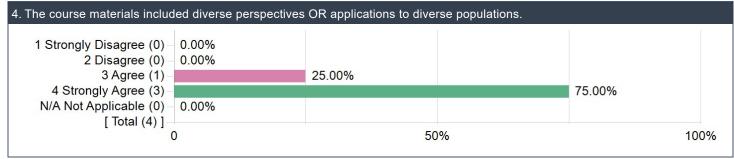
TA INCLUSION PRACTICES

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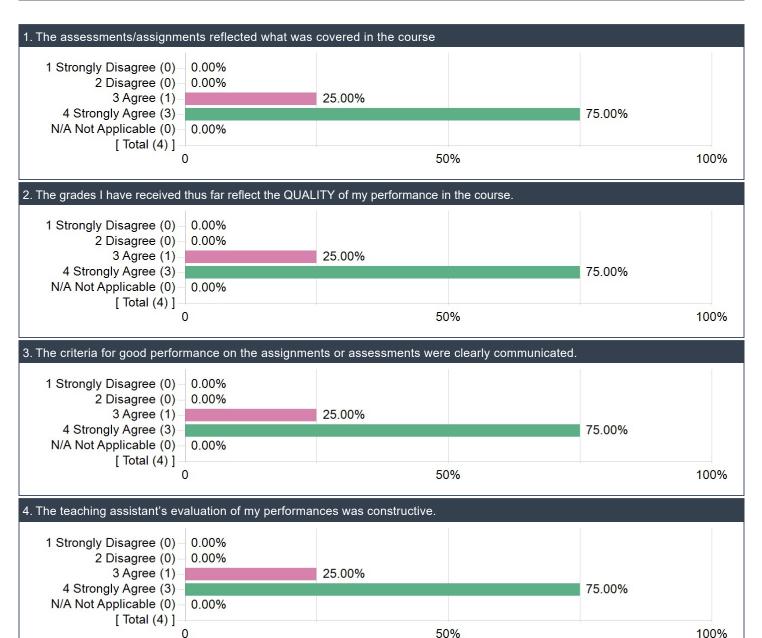




LEARNING EXPERIENCE SUBSCALE ANALYSIS FOR TA: ASSESSMENT PRACTICES

TA ASSESSMENT PRACTICES

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TA: Is there additional information or feedback that you would like to share with teaching assistant Pierre Coster?

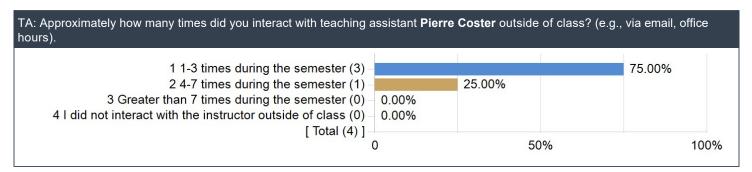
Comments

The best TA of my semester. Expained the concepts well and was always ready to listen and answer students' questions. Was very helpful and did a good job in making the exams and topics clear. Would not have done well in this course without Pierre.

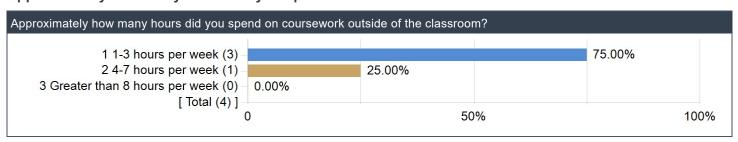
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STUDENT ENGAGEMENT ANALYSIS

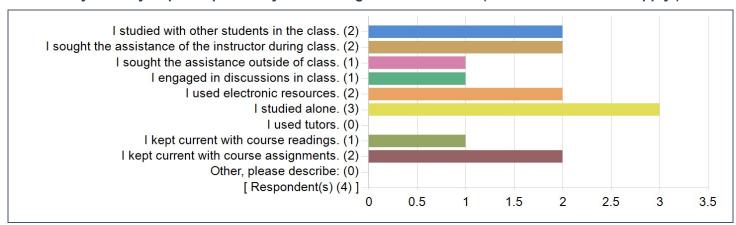
Number of TA Interactions Outside of Class



Approximately how many hours did you spend on coursework outside of the classroom?



In what ways have you participated in your learning for this course? (Please select all that apply.)



Please describe the MOST valuable aspect(s) of this course.

Comments

The TA was very responsive to emails and was willing to answer questions

Short and concise explanations of the homework that really helped solidify my understanding of course concepts.