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Student IA Evaluation for Kengchi Chang Data Science Program

DSC 180B - Data Science Project II (Fraenkel, Aaron Mcmillan) Winter 2021

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 10 Number of Students Enrolled: 120

- 1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.
- 8 (88.9%): Strongly Agree
- 1 (11.1%): 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]

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

- 8 (80.0%): Strongly Agree
- 1 (10.0%): Agree
- 0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
- 1 (10.0%): Not Applicable

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

- 6 (60.0%): Strongly Agree
- 1 (10.0%): Agree
- 1 (10.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
- 2 (20.0%): Not Applicable

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

- 7 (70.0%): Strongly Agree 3 (30.0%): Aaree Neither Agree Nor Disagree 0 (0.0%):
- 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.

- Strongly Agree 8 (80.0%):
- 2 (20.0%): Agree
- 0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): 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.

Strongly Agree 7 (70.0%): 2 (20.0%): Agree Neither Agree Nor Disagree 0 (0.0%): 0 (0.0%): Disagree 0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 1 (10.0%): Not Applicable

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

- 7 (70.0%): Strongly Agree
- 2 (20.0%): Agree
- 0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- Disagree 0 (0.0%):
- 0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
- 1 (10.0%): Not Applicable

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

- 7 (70.0%): Strongly Agree
- Agree 3 (30.0%):
- 0 (0.0%): 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.).

 7 (70.0%):
 Strongly Agree

 2 (20.0%):
 Agree

 1 (10.0%):
 Neither Agree Nor Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 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.

- 7 (70.0%):
 Strongly Agree

 1 (10.0%):
 Agree

 1 (10.0%):
 Neither Agree Nor Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 Strongly Disagree
- 1 (10.0%): Not Applicable

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

- 7 (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.
- 6 (66.7%): Strongly Agree
- 3 (33.3%): Agree
- 0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
- 1: [No Response]

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*

- He did a tremendous amount of work for just being the TA, was very helpful with feedback on our project.
- He is extremely helpful, going out of his way to provide resources to help us meet our goals
- In giving us feedback for our project, Kengchi was thorough and constructive, indicating that he was invested in helping us making our project better and strength our analyses, and that he was engaged with our project.
- Keng-chi is the best TA. He always made himself available to us and never failed to give us constructive feedback. He's super smart and I wish he could've been a TA for all my classes.
- Kengchi was extremely helpful as a TA because he was very attentive and always happy to help. His genuine interest made it easier to approach him.
- Very accessible outside of class and offered a lot of great help at all stages during the project.

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*

- Didn't TA for all my classes
- I didn't see any problems.

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation? *Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community*

[No Responses]

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