The George Washington University

Spring 2024, ECON 1012 Discussion Section 45

Instructor: Lavanya, Ammu (Primary)

There were: 22 possible respondents.



Question Text	N	Avg	ECON Avg		GenEd	Req	Interest	Teacher	Sched	Adviso r	Friend	Other					
Primary reasons to take course	8				100% (8)	100% (8)	38% (3)	0% (0)	13% (1)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)					
					Not at All	2	3	4	Completely	N/A							
Course covered stated objectives	8	4.5	4.5	4.6	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	50% (4)	50% (4)	0% (0)							
					Lect	Discuss	Clicker s	Activity	Home Work	Labs	Project	Team work	Present	Guest Lect	Fieldwor k	Writin g	Other
Teaching methods that enhanced learning	8				63% (5)	63% (5)	13% (1)	38% (3)	38% (3)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)
					Yes	No											
Academically prepared to take class	8	1	0.9	0.9	100% (8)	0% (0)											
					1 hr or Less	1-2 Hrs	3-4 Hrs	5-6 Hrs	7-8 Hrs	9-10 Hrs	11-13 Hrs	13-15 Hrs	15+ Hrs				
Hours per week spent outside class	8				0% (0)	75% (6)	25% (2)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)				
					Memor- izing	Explainin g	Synthes - izing	Judgment s	Apply Theorie	Solve Probs	Thinkin g	Team work		Presen - ting	Lab Work	Writin g	Other
Major aspects of efforts in course	8				63% (5)	100% (8)	50% (4)	13% (1)	75% (6)	50% (4)	25% (2)	0% (0)	13% (1)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)
					Not at All	2	3	4	Very	N/A							
Level of intellectual challenge	8	3.9	4.0	3.8	0% (0)	0% (0)	25% (2)	63% (5)	13% (1)	0% (0)							
					Almost Nothing	2	3	4	Great Deal	N/A							
How much learned in course	8	4	4.0	4.2	0% (0)	0% (0)	25% (2)	50% (4)	25% (2)	0% (0)							
					Str Disagree	2	3	4	Str Agree								

Student put forth best effort	8	3.6	4.1	4.2	0% (0)	0% (0)	38% (3)	63% (5)	0% (0)					
					Not at All	2	3	4	Very	N/A				
Instructor knowledgeable about subject	7	5	4.7	4.8	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	100% (7)	0% (0)				
					Low	2	3	4	High	N/A				
Instructor enthusiastic about subject	7	4.3	4.4	4.6	0% (0)	14% (1)	0% (0)	29% (2)	57% (4)	0% (0)				
					Str Disagree	2	3	4	Str Agree	N/A				
Instructor treats students with respect	8	4.8	4.6	4.7	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	25% (2)	75% (6)	0% (0)				
					Not Fair	2	3	4	V Fair	N/A				
Instructor used fair grading procedures	7	4.7	4.4	4.5	0% (0)	0% (0)	0% (0)	29% (2)	71% (5)	0% (0)				
					Not at All	2	3	4	Excel	N/A				
Instructor provided adequate/ timely feedback	7	4.6	4.3	4.3	0% (0)	14% (1)	0% (0)	0% (0)	86% (6)	0% (0)				
					Poor	2	3	4	Excel					
Overall instructor rating	7	4.6	4.1	4.4	0% (0)	0% (0)	14% (1)	14% (1)	71% (5)					

Text Responses

Use this space for comments on strengths of the course.

TA Lavanya knows her stuff, can explain the complexities of Macro very well, and above all is very approachable as far as TA's go. Also she has a stupid fast turn around on midterm grading which is very nice especially given that the second midterm happens with two weeks before the final. Also the notes and practice problems from discussion are very useful for checking your understanding of the class material

no comments

Use this space to provide suggestions on how to improve this course.

N/A

More grading oppurtunities besides just tests

no comments

You indicated that you were academically prepared to take this course, what prepared you for this class (which prior courses, which topics)?

Previous high school experience

AP classes

Micro economics

The discussion section covered the material that was taught in our lectures, so I was already familiar with the content before our discussion section.