Instructor: **Amor-Tijani, Ghita**

Subject: **CS**

Catalog & Section: **5002 01**

Course ID: **12396**

Objectives:

Enrollment: **98**

Responses Incl Declines: **28**

Declines: **0**

Instructor Related Questions: Ghita Amor-Tijani (29 comments)

Q: What were the strengths of this course and/or this instructor?

1 This instructor provided many resources online which was really helpful.

2 knowledgeable and approachable

3 The instructor is really good at introducing mathematical concepts or questions to students who are new to this.

4 The professsor can make us insterested in math and instruct clearly

5 detailed explanation about material, and good examples

6 Pr. Ghita is so so great. She delivered the best class ever. Her enthusiasm and willingness to help is so powerful. She responds very quick and helped us a lot. She masters the material and knows how to teach it very very well. I couldn't ask for a better professor. Thank you.

7 TAs are good

8 Dr. Amor did a good job of making sure we covered all the material and also prepared practice questions for us to assess our learning. These were very helpful

9 The professor was able to explain concepts in different ways to help everyone understand. She always made sure to give people an example of a similar question when needed.

10 Encouraged a friendly atmosphere in class
Lots of examples and practice
Usually very clear in explanation
The zybook is extremely good
Group office hours are helpful

11 Her notes pdf are helpful for me to concentrate more on her teaching and spend less time taking notes.

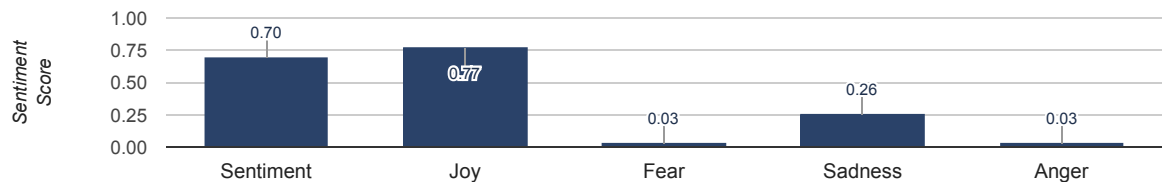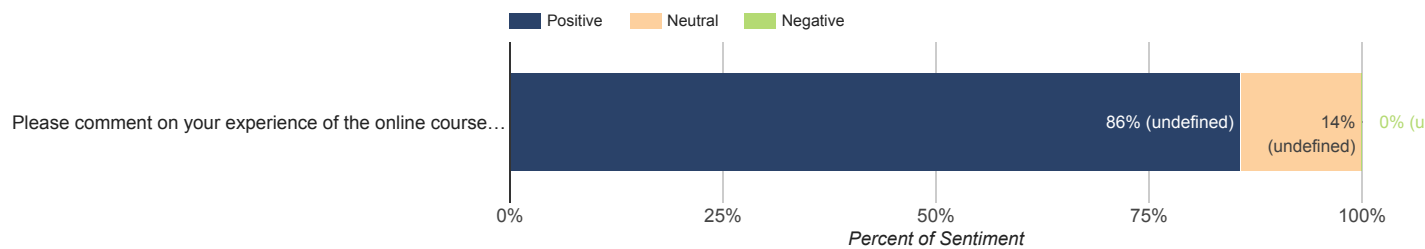### Q: What could the instructor do to make this course better?

1 I know it's probably hard to achieve, but I think prof should spend less time on the basic stuff at the beginning, and leave more time for the harder part at the end.

2 I feel like there were some really important topics in discrete mathematics that were not covered in this course. For example, I was really surprised that it did not cover functions, modular arithmetic, binomial coefficients, and proof techniques other than induction. Also, graphs/trees was only one class period at the end of the semester (I feel like these topics alone were important enough to take more time). Personally, I think the Keneth Rosen textbook should be used for this course or at least going through the ZY books more thoroughly. Anywhere from half a chapter to one chapter of material was covered each week, but I feel like close to 1 chapter of material should have been covered every week.

3 technical stuff - avoid link error, that's it

4 None.

5 I think she is doing really good

6 Probably lower the difficulty of homework.

7 I think Dr. Amor ran this class very well, the only thing that could make it better is managing the in class time a bit better. There were a few times that we could go off in a tangent in class and as a result part of the teaching would have to be done in office hours and as I work part time, I usually had to watch a recording of the lecture which does not really suit my learning style and prefer material to be covered in class. Other than that, though I really enjoyed the class.

8 Nothing.

9 Occasionally would be hard to follow during lecture, but would be cleared up in office hours.

10 Spend less time on trivial issues like the calculation process.

Q: Please expand on the instructor's strengths and/or areas for improvement in facilitating inclusive learning.

1 This instructor created a very inclusive learning environment.

2 Able to explain concepts well

3 The instructor could spend more time on the algorithm part, like the common algorithms in searching.

4 I think she is doing really good

5 Pr. Ghita has the best way to deliver materials to students. I really enjoyed the class.

6 N/A

7 Yes, did a good job

8 Group Office hours are helpful.

Questions to Assess Students' Online Experience (7 comments)

Q: Please comment on your experience of the online course environment in the open-ended text box.

Positive | Neutral | Negative

Please comment on your experience of the online course…

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0%   25%   50%   75%   100%

Percent of Sentiment

Sentiment Score:
- Sentiment: 0.70
- Joy: 0.77
- Fear: 0.03
- Sadness: 0.26
- Anger: 0.03

1. Material was clearly organized although not always uploaded on time. ★★★☆☆

2. This is not an online course. But we do have online OH. I think professor Ghita is great in explaining the solutions to us. ★★★★☆

3. Material is very useful and helpful ★★★★★

4. good OH as additional explanation for class ★★★★★

5. The professor responded to questions quickly and helped us individually when needed. The TAs were super helpful as well and were readily available. ★★★★★

6. Overall very good (sometimes the notes would be posted late, or with solutions)
Piazza was very helpful ★★★★★

7. great ★★★★★

Student Self-Assessment of their Effort to Achieve Course Outcomes (9 comments)

Q: What I could have done to make this course better for myself.

1. Reading all of the chapters ahead of time and before class.

2. Take more time to finish reading material.

3. Try to learn more relative knowledgea when there is no class

4. get more deeper material to read

5. Do more practice problems

6. I could have finished the reading before class, I started off doing this but as things got hectic, I was completing reading the day of class

7. I ended up doing the homework twice. Once in my notebook and once again when typing it up into LaTex. I never found a simple rhythm I was comfortable with, but this has absolutely nothing to do with the professor.

8. Reread zybook sections after lecture

9. Practice