Instructor: **Bagley, Keith**

Subject: **CS**

Catalog & Section: **5003 05**

Course ID: **16875**

Objectives:

Enrollment: **29**

Responses Incl Declines: **6**

Declines: **0**

Instructor Related Questions: Keith Bagley (11 comments)

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

1   TAs are always helpful and available during the learning period, I really appreciate them.

2   It was very helpful to have sample solutions posted.

3   Recitation was not helpful

4   Keith was simply amazing. Despite my frustrations with this class, he was a truly incredible professor. By far the most understanding and grounded professor I've experienced in my graduate and undergraduate careers.

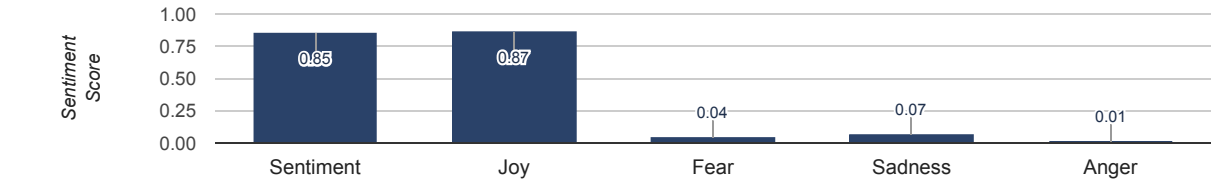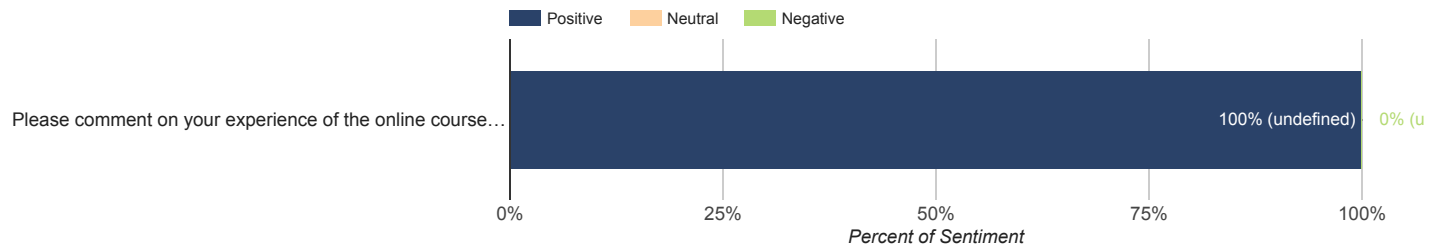### Q: What could the instructor do to make this course better?

1   N/A

2   Choose the TAs wisely and monitor their performance throughout the course

3   More small coding assignments. The homework is incredibly involved and challenging, and I would have benefited from less involved coding assignments that came in greater quantity, especially at the beginning. Drilling a concept a few times before moving to the next is a much more effective learning strategy for me than one large problem.

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

1   N/A

2   Please keep in mind that I'm rating the TAs responsible of the recitation and not the professor

3   Planning Recitation practices so that students have sufficient time to do them is what I recommend.

4   No areas for improvement. Keith is amazing. Fantastic. Stellar. I cannot say enough good things about him.

Questions to Assess Students' Online Experience (2 comments)

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

1   Great overall. ★★★★★

2   Align is advertised as accessible to students with no CS foundation. While I felt the program made strides towards starting at the ground level, I strongly feel that some CS or coding experience was required in order to start the course on the right foot. The TA's and professors were incredible in helping bridge gaps, but the nature of the material was incredibly advanced for a course advertised as starting at thr ground level. ★★★★★

Student Self-Assessment of their Effort to Achieve Course Outcomes (2 comments)

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

1   ask more questions, ask for help from my TAs

2   If I had taken just a few intro to python courses on Khan academy over the summer I think I would have greatly benefited. I started doing them outside of class and assigned work and it helped to get me up to speed with the rest of my classmates, but I really could have benefited from having prior experience, as I felt the majority of my peers had.