

Project Title: **Fall 2020 Evaluations**

Courses Audience: **28**
Responses Received: **9**
Response Ratio: **32.14%**

Subject Details

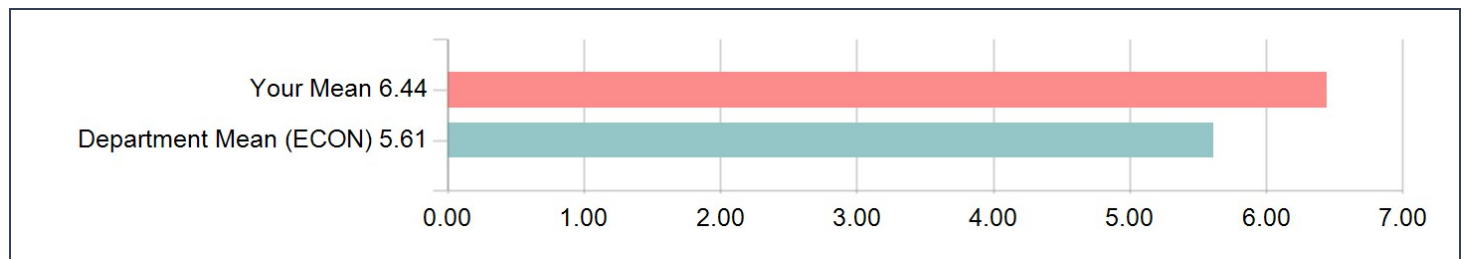
Name	ECON 100A DIS 112 MICRO ANALYSIS
DEPT_NAME	ECON
DEPT_FORM	ECON
EVALUATION_TYPE	G
First Name	Tianyu
Last Name	Han

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: Please note that "Department Mean" for each rating question is calculated using all sections in your department. This may include both Faculty and GSIs depending on whether the department has selected a question item to be used for both.

UNIVERSITY WIDE QUESTIONS (QUANTITATIVE/RATING):

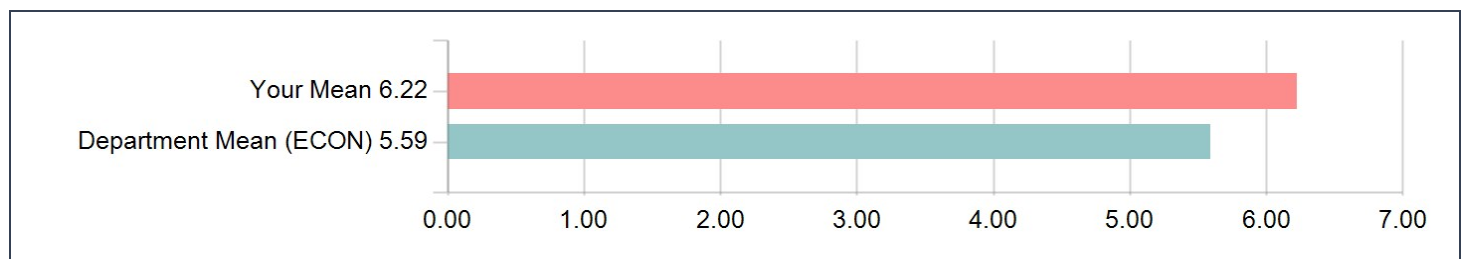
The items in this section are asked across all courses at Berkeley.

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1-Not at all Effective	0	0.00%
2	0	0.00%
3	0	0.00%
4-Moderately Effective	0	0.00%
5	0	0.00%
6	5	55.56%
7-Extremely Effective	4	44.44%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		9
Mean		6.44
Median		6.00
Standard Deviation		0.53

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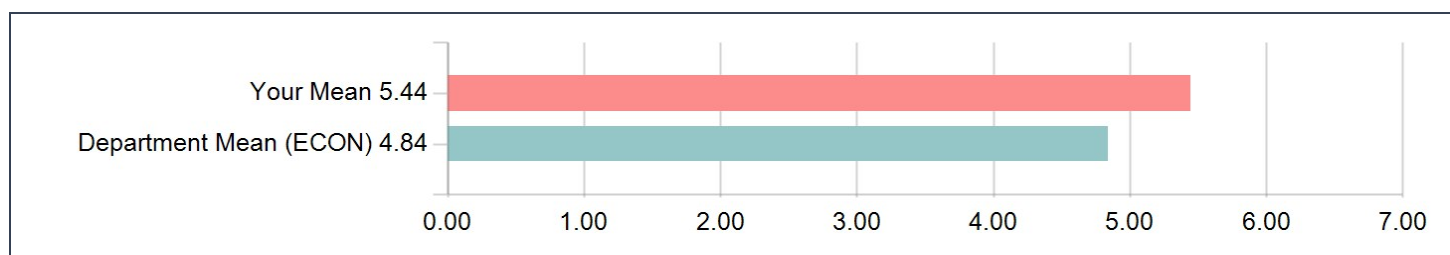
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4-Moderately Effective	0	0.00%
5	2	22.22%
6	3	33.33%
7-Extremely Effective	4	44.44%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		9
Mean		6.22
Median		6.00
Standard Deviation		0.83

DEPARTMENT PROVIDED INSTRUCTOR QUESTIONS:

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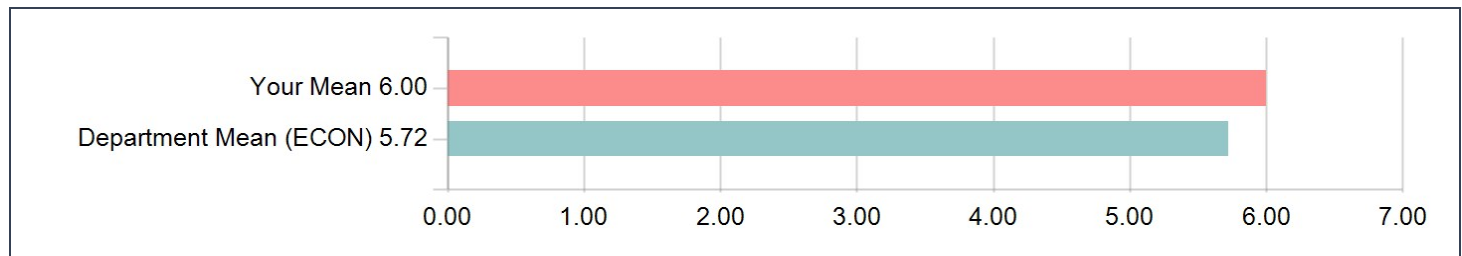


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1	0	0.00%
2	0	0.00%
3	0	0.00%
4	3	33.33%
5	1	11.11%
6	3	33.33%
7	2	22.22%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		9
Mean		5.44
Median		6.00
Standard Deviation		1.24

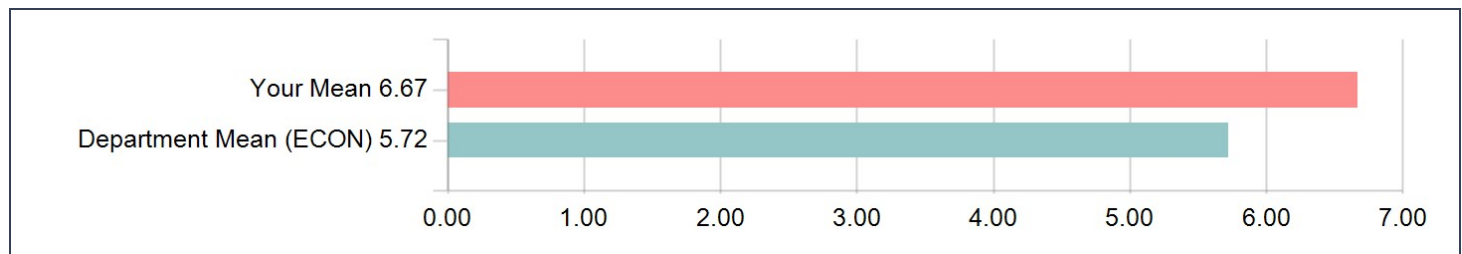
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4	0	0.00%
5	0	0.00%
6	3	33.33%
7	6	66.67%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	9	
Mean	6.67	
Median	7.00	
Standard Deviation	0.50	

DEPARTMENT PROVIDED COURSE QUESTIONS:

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A suggestion I did have was that I think it would be helpful to receive announcements from the GSI directly—maybe at the beginning of each week (it could be on the schedule for discussion sections that week, reminders for assignments, etc.). I noticed Tianyu did this the last week of class and found that very helpful because I knew what would be covered going into section. Especially in these virtual times, small communications like that could help students feel more on track/comfortable reaching out.
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What advice would you give to another student who is considering taking this course?

Comments
I would suggest to attend discussion sections and pay close attention to the course pack problems, as they are important for the quizzes which account for 50% of the grade.
I would definitely recommend they go to discussion and try to actively participate as much as possible. I found the weeks that I was able to do that really aided in my understanding of the course pack and topics covered.
Moreover, do not be afraid to go to OH. Tianyu was incredibly approachable and helpful whenever I went to his OH, and I think doing so helped me understand the material at a higher level.
I would also recommend they do the reading presentation as soon as possible. Getting it out of the way early was incredibly beneficial for me personally.
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DEPARTMENT PROVIDED STUDENT INFORMATION QUESTIONS

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3 or fewer	1	11.11%
4-6	3	33.33%
7-9	0	0.00%
10-12	3	33.33%
13-15	2	22.22%
16-18	0	0.00%
More than 18	0	0.00%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	9	
Mean	1.00	
Median	1.00	
Standard Deviation	0.00	

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Options	Count	Percentage
None	0	0.00%
Fewer than half	4	44.44%
About half	0	0.00%
More than half	3	33.33%
All	2	22.22%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	9	
Mean	1.00	
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Standard Deviation	0.00	

Class?

Class?		
Options	Count	Percentage
Freshman	0	0.00%
Sophomore	7	77.78%
Junior	2	22.22%
Senior	0	0.00%
Graduate - First Year	0	0.00%
Graduate - Second Year	0	0.00%
Graduate - Third Year	0	0.00%
Graduate - Fourth Year and Beyond	0	0.00%
Visiting Student/Concurrent Enrollment	0	0.00%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		9
Mean		1.00
Median		1.00
Standard Deviation		0.00

Major?

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Options	Count	Percentage
Declared	2	25.00%
Undeclared	6	75.00%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		8
Mean		1.00
Median		1.00
Standard Deviation		0.00

Your Major? (List All)

Comments
Economics
economics
Economics and Business
Intended Business Administration/Economics and Data Science
Data Science, Economics
Environmental Economics and Policy

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Options	Count	Percentage
Yes	8	100.00%
No	0	0.00%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		8
Mean		1.00
Median		1.00
Standard Deviation		0.00

Response Sheet Reports

Individual Student Responses

In addition to the aggregated feedback provided in this report, the response rate report displays de-aggregated feedback from each individual, anonymized student in order.

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- ◊ 13-15

How many class (or section) sessions did you attend?

- ◊ More than half

Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

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◊ 7-Extremely Effective

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◊ 3 or fewer

How many class (or section) sessions did you attend?

◊ More than half

Class?

- ◊ Junior

Major?

- ◊ Declared

Is this course required or strongly suggested for your major or intended major?

- ◊ Yes

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What advice would you give to another student who is considering taking this course?

- ◊ go for it!

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- ◊ 6

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- ◊ 10-12

How many class (or section) sessions did you attend?

- ◊ All

Class?

- ◊ Junior

Major?

- ◊ Declared

Your Major? (List All)

- ◊ economics

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- ◊ Yes

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- ◊ 4-6

How many class (or section) sessions did you attend?

- ◊ Fewer than half

Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

Major?

- ◊ Undeclared

Your Major? (List All)

- ◊ Data Science, Economics

Is this course required or strongly suggested for your major or intended major?

- ◊ Yes

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Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

Major?

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- ◊ 10-12

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- ◊ All

Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

Major?

- ◊ Undeclared

Your Major? (List All)

- ◊ Economics

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Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

Major?

- ◊ Undeclared

Your Major? (List All)

- ◊ Environmental Economics and Policy

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- ◊ 4-6

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- ◊ More than half

Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

Major?

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Your Major? (List All)

- ◊ Economics and Business

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- ◊ 13-15

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Class?

- ◊ Sophomore

Major?

- ◊ Undeclared

Your Major? (List All)

- ◊ Intended Business Administration/Economics and Data Science

Is this course required or strongly suggested for your major or intended major?

- ◊ Yes