



## Student Perceptions of Teaching survey (SPOTs)

SIPA - ECONOMIC-2

Fall 2019

Instructor: Hiriscau, Andra M

Total Enrolled: 55

Class Number: 86344

Course: ECO 2013 U05

Title: Principles Macroeco

Completed Forms: 45

### Course Structure

|   |  | Excellent |     | Very Good |     | Good |     | Fair |    | Total |      |
|---|--|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|------|-----|------|----|-------|------|
| 1 | Description of course objectives and assignments         | 28        | 62% | 7         | 16% | 7    | 16% | 3    | 7% | 45    | 100% |
| 2 | Expression of expectations for performance in this class | 23        | 51% | 14        | 31% | 5    | 11% | 3    | 7% | 45    | 100% |
| 3 | Description of grading policies in the course syllabus   | 26        | 58% | 8         | 18% | 9    | 20% | 2    | 4% | 45    | 100% |

### Learning Support

|    |  | Excellent |     | Very Good |     | Good |     | Fair |     | Poor |    | Total |      |
|----|--|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|----|-------|------|
| 4  | Consistency in following the course syllabus | 28        | 62% | 10        | 22% | 7    | 16% | 0    | 0%  | 0    | 0% | 45    | 100% |
| 5  | Preparation for class                        | 23        | 51% | 9         | 20% | 10   | 22% | 2    | 4%  | 1    | 2% | 45    | 100% |
| 6  | Use and management of class time             | 23        | 51% | 12        | 27% | 7    | 16% | 2    | 4%  | 1    | 2% | 45    | 100% |
| 7  | Knowledge of course content                  | 24        | 53% | 12        | 27% | 7    | 16% | 2    | 4%  | 0    | 0% | 45    | 100% |
| 8  | Communication of ideas and information       | 21        | 47% | 10        | 22% | 4    | 9%  | 6    | 13% | 4    | 9% | 45    | 100% |
| 9  | Stimulation of interest in course            | 22        | 49% | 10        | 22% | 7    | 16% | 5    | 11% | 1    | 2% | 45    | 100% |
| 10 | Facilitation of learning                     | 22        | 49% | 10        | 22% | 8    | 18% | 4    | 9%  | 1    | 2% | 45    | 100% |
| 11 | Provide feedback about your performance      | 23        | 51% | 9         | 20% | 7    | 16% | 5    | 11% | 1    | 2% | 45    | 100% |

### Student-Instructor Interaction

|    |  | Excellent |     | Very Good |     | Good |     | Fair |    | Poor |    | Total |      |
|----|--|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|------|-----|------|----|------|----|-------|------|
| 12 | Availability to assist students in or out of class | 29        | 64% | 7         | 16% | 6    | 13% | 2    | 4% | 1    | 2% | 45    | 100% |
| 13 | Respect and concern for students                   | 29        | 64% | 12        | 27% | 4    | 9%  | 0    | 0% | 0    | 0% | 45    | 100% |
| 14 | Fairness of instructor                             | 32        | 71% | 10        | 22% | 3    | 7%  | 0    | 0% | 0    | 0% | 45    | 100% |
| 15 | Overall assessment of instructor                   | 26        | 58% | 8         | 18% | 9    | 20% | 2    | 4% | 0    | 0% | 45    | 100% |

|    |   | A         |     | B         |     | C      |      | Total  |      |                  |    |       |      |
|----|---|-----------|-----|-----------|-----|--------|------|--------|------|------------------|----|-------|------|
| 17 | What grade do you expect to receive in this course? | 11        | 24% | 22        | 49% | 12     | 27%  | 45     | 100% |                  |    |       |      |
|    |   | Yes       |     | No        |     | Total  |      |        |      |                  |    |       |      |
| 18 | Is this course required for your program?           | 40        | 89% | 5         | 11% | 45     | 100% |        |      |                  |    |       |      |
|    |   | Freshman  |     | Sophomore |     | Junior |      | Senior |      | Graduate Student |    | Total |      |
| 19 | What is your class level?                           | 27        | 60% | 12        | 27% | 4      | 9%   | 1      | 2%   | 1                | 2% | 45    | 100% |
|    |   | 3.0 - 4.0 |     | 2.0 - 2.9 |     | N/A    |      | Total  |      |                  |    |       |      |
| 20 | What is your current GPA?                           | 35        | 78% | 5         | 11% | 5      | 11%  | 45     | 100% |                  |    |       |      |



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## Comments

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| Comments   |
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| Great professor! Always willing to help her students.  |
| Great teacher overall  |
| Great teacher very caring!   |
| Great teacher. Explains content well, very helpful. Complex content therefore sometimes difficult to understand.   |
| Hiriscau is a great Professor. She makes the class very interactive so you won't lose interest. She sends email reminders for exams and goes in depth during class on how to complete assignments.   |
| I like the way she explains lectures.  |
| More clarification   |
| Overall I thought she was a good professor.  |
| Professor very kind, but not the best at explaining macroeconomic concepts--very confusing and difficult to follow.  |
| She is a great professor that cares about her students and making sure that we all learn the material and do our absolute best.  |
| She is a really great professor who cares about her students and she is very knowledgeable.  |
| She is one of the nicest professors I ever had.  |
| She is very nice and expects a lot of her students. The class could be a bit more engaging but she is a very good professor overall.   |
| She's a really good teacher It's just her preparation doesn't always match the test in my opinion.   |
| Test are kind of hard  |
| The professor knew her content however the classroom was not engaging because everything that was taught in class could also be found in the powerpoints. So every thing was repeated several times. |
| Very fair and great instructor overall   |
| Very good professor  |
| excellent professor  |
| talk a bit louder, and not just read powerpoint and keep class entertaining.   |