



Student IA Evaluation for Alexander Felix Haken
Department of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering

MAE 148 - Intro to Autonomous Vehicles (Silberman, Jack)
Summer Session II 2024

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 16
Number of Students Enrolled: 25

1. The Instructional Assistant was well organized and prepared for class.

14 (87.5%): Strongly Agree
2 (12.5%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

2. The Instructional Assistant consistently arrived at lecture, section/lab, office hours and exams on time.

13 (81.3%): Strongly Agree
3 (18.8%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

3. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

13 (81.3%): Strongly Agree
3 (18.8%): Agree
0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%): Disagree
0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

4. The Instructional Assistant helped develop my thinking skills on the subject.

12 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
4 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

5. Feedback from the Instructional Assistant on assignments, exams and/or papers was helpful and constructive.

12 (75.0%):	Strongly Agree
4 (25.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

6. The Instructional Assistant's explanations were appropriate, being neither too complicated nor too simple.

11 (68.8%):	Strongly Agree
5 (31.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable

7. The Instructional Assistant answered questions clearly and effectively, helping students to make connections among the course readings, assignments, and lectures.

12 (80.0%):	Strongly Agree
3 (20.0%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

8. The Instructional Assistant was genuinely interested in and enthusiastic about teaching.

13 (86.7%):	Strongly Agree
2 (13.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

9. The Instructional Assistant was accessible to students outside of class (office hours, e-mail, etc.).

13 (86.7%):	Strongly Agree
2 (13.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

10. The Instructional Assistant effectively connected the section/lab exercises with the material covered in lecture.

11 (73.3%):	Strongly Agree
3 (20.0%):	Agree
1 (6.7%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Not Applicable
1:	[No Response]

11. In terms of communication skills, did the Instructional Assistant demonstrate any of the following? (check all that apply)

13 (100.0%):	No issues
0 (0.0%):	Too quiet
0 (0.0%):	Too loud
0 (0.0%):	Too fast
0 (0.0%):	Too slow
0 (0.0%):	Poor grammar and/or English language skills
0 (0.0%):	Used filler words such as "um"
0 (0.0%):	Other (please describe)

12. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

15 (93.8%):	Strongly Agree
1 (6.3%):	Agree
0 (0.0%):	Neither Agree Nor Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Disagree
0 (0.0%):	Strongly Disagree

13. Please describe this person's greatest strengths as a Instructional Assistant.
Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community

- Best TA I met too.
- Enthusiastic and knowledgeable on subject which made me excited to learn more.

14. Please describe this person's greatest weaknesses as a Instructional Assistant.
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[No Responses]

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?
Please keep your comments constructive and professional, abiding by the Principles of Community

- Alex definitely carried most of the students in the class, which is a large reason why we as students were able to get through the tough concepts. I am very grateful for the effort he put towards helping us out and would certainly recommend him highly as a tutor.
- Amazing Ta. Extremely knowledgeable about the class and engineering topics, very friendly and respectful. Very caring for students and accessible outside of class time.
- Best TA I met too.

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