

SPAN 20300 2, SPAN 20300 2 - Language, History, and Culture III - Instructor(s): Veronica Moraga Guerra

Project Title: College Course Feedback - Winter 2024

Number Enrolled: 6
Number of Responses: 5

Report Comments

Opinions expressed in these evaluations are those of students enrolled in the specific course and do not represent the University.

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What are the most important things that you learned in this course? Please reflect on the knowledge and skills you gained.

Comments

Amazin class, such a pleasure to study in this environment. I have learned so many things.

I learned important grammatical tenses, I practiced having conversations with native speakers, I learned a lot about cultural and social problems relevant to current day.

I learned more about the subjunctive tense and the correct ways to use it. Also, I learned more about Latin American culture, how to discuss discrimination and immigration, and how to express my thoughts and ideas in the subjunctive.

Describe how aspects of this course (lectures, discussions, labs, assignments, etc.) contributed to your learning.

Comments

Good balance between the various aspects of language learning. Material was interesting.

Lectures helped me grasp technical use of grammar and the proper uses of verb tenses. Discussions allowed me to practice speaking Spanish with very difficult and important topics. Assignments helped reenforce all of this learning.

Attending class every day was extremely beneficial because it clarified and reinforced a lot of concepts. The assignments were beneficial as well for practice and the building of skills. The discussion posts allowed us to research related topics and practice using the new grammar concepts we learned.

Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.25	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%	25.00%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.25	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%	25.00%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	3.75	4.00	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	50.00%	25.00%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.25	5.00	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	4.00	5.00	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%
My work was evaluated fairly.	3.75	4.50	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%
I felt respected in this class.	4.00	5.00	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	4.50	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	75.00%

Additional comments about the course:

Comments

I do not feel as though I was graded fairly, and I felt specifically targeted by my professor.

Professor Veronica is an excellent professor who's very kind and helpful. Her teaching and explanations improved my learning and I have improved my Spanish a lot through this course.

I would recommend this course to:

	No	Yes
Highly-motivated and well-prepared students	25.00%	75.00%
Anyone interested in the topic	33.33%	66.67%

Thinking about your time in the class, what aspect of the instructor's teaching contributed most to your learning?

Comments

Professor Moraga's lectures and facilitation of participation/discussion contributed the most to my learning.

The class activities where we would fill in the blanks with our groups and review our answers with her were helpful. It allowed us to practice the new grammar and vocabulary we learned in class through additional activities.

What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments

N/A – everything was great!

More time with the class activities and explanation would be more helpful because sometimes it felt rushed and we moved on without me understanding the answer.

The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.25	5.00	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	4.50	4.50	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.25	4.50	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.25	4.50	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	4.75	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	75.00%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	4.50	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	75.00%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.50	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	75.00%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.00	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	4.00	4.50	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.25	5.00	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%	0.00%

How much did the following elements of the course contribute to your learning gains?

	Mean	Median	No Gain	A Little Gain	Moderate Gain	Good Gain	Great Gain	N/A
Laboratory Experience	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Field Trips	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Library Sessions	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Review Sessions	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Writing Seminars	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%

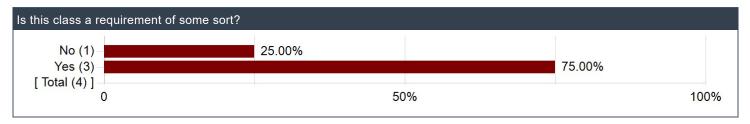
Other course elements not mentioned above:

Comments

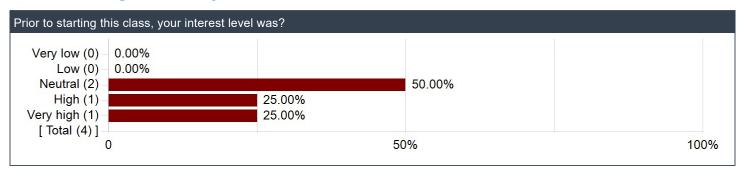
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TalkAbroad Projects

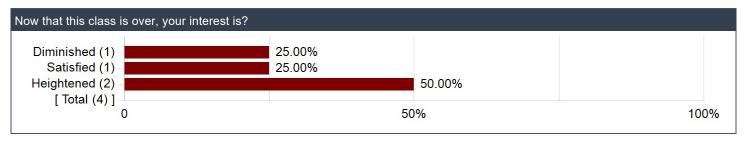
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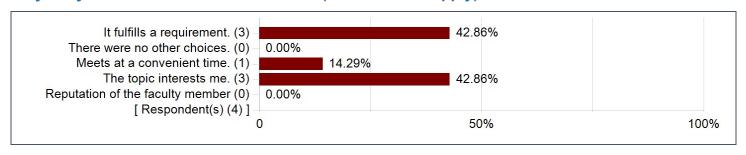
Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



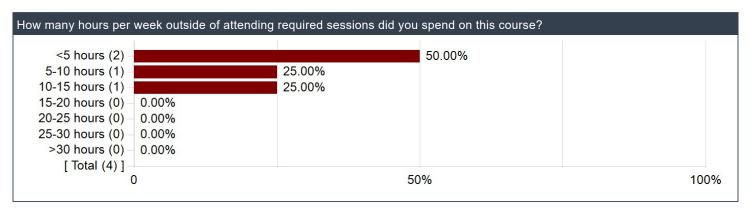
Now that this class is over, your interest is?



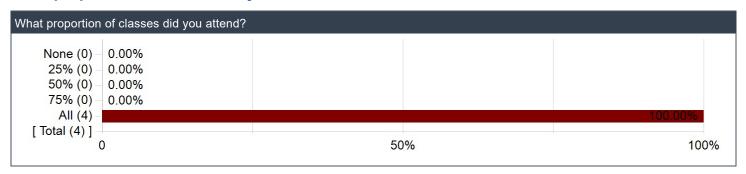
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



How many hours per week outside of attending required sessions did you spend on this course?



What proportion of classes did you attend?



Please comment on the level of difficulty of the course relative to your background and experience.

Comments
Medium difficulty
Fairly Difficult
I am not a heritage learner of Spanish and this course was fair. The structure is the same as the entire 200s sequence and it's fair if you study the textbook.