



HIST 13600 2 - America in World Civilization II - Instructor(s): Corbin Page

Project Title: **College Course Feedback - Winter 2024**

Number Enrolled: **19**

Number of Responses: **7**

Report Comments

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

Creation Date: **Thursday, March 28, 2024**

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

Comments
American history How to write historical papers
We mainly focused on the evolution of American social norms in regard to sex, race, and labor during the 19th century. Much of the skills we applied in this course were identical to the skills we applied during the Fall Quarter of this sequence. Obviously, the knowledge we obtained was different due to the different time period.
I learned a lot more about the system of slavery in American and the American civil war than I knew before.
Foundations of American history
How to read primary history texts and focus on content and language rather than historical context.

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

Comments
Mainly the comments I received on my papers. It enabled me to work on my writing organizational skills so I could improve on them for the following paper.
Class discussion were always helpful for getting a better understanding of the readings.
Our class discussions led by Professor Page were extremely helpful in grasping readings and key moments in foundational American history.
Discussions were helpful, and professor Page was great at answering questions. Essay feedback also helped me to improve my writing.

Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.17	4.50	0.00%	16.67%	0.00%	33.33%	50.00%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	4.00	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	33.33%	33.33%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.00	4.50	0.00%	16.67%	16.67%	16.67%	50.00%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%
My work was evaluated fairly.	4.50	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	16.67%	66.67%
I felt respected in this class.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	4.50	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	16.67%	66.67%

Additional comments about the course:

Comments
N/A
I think there was too much reading for each day of class. It was always a struggle to get through it all, and even when I did we pretty much never had the time necessary to discuss it all during class. Also, I wish we spent more time on topics other than slavery, the civil war, women's rights, and gilded-age manufacturing. These are all of course very interest and important parts of American History, and I understand that they require a lot of depth. However, there was very little (or no) material included about the persecution of indigenous people, the gold rush/Chinese immigration, the Mexican-American war, or US Imperialism (such as in The Philippines and Hawaii). I felt like inclusion of any/all of these topics into the course material would have facilitated a more well-rounded understanding of this period of American History.

I would recommend this course to:

	No	Yes
Highly-motivated and well-prepared students	16.67%	83.33%
Anyone interested in the topic	0.00%	100.00%

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

Comments
Their cordiality and approachability when it comes to asking questions and asking for feedback.
Professor Page has a great ability to simultaneously contribute his own knowledge while encouraging us to discuss the material with each other and share our own thoughts/conclusions.
Professor Page was great at responding to student comments and overall facilitating enriching discussions. Office hours were very helpful for fine-tuning my essay topics.

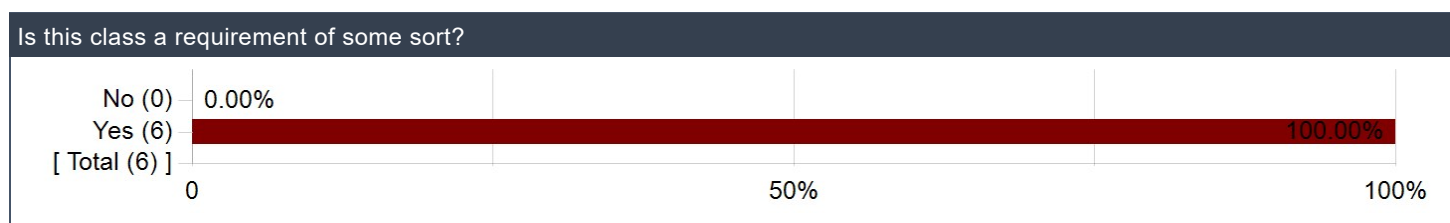
What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments
wayyyy too much reading, too much to the extent where not doing any readings becomes more practical then doing the reading
Nothing comes to mind
Nothing, any issues I had with the course were with how it is structured overall. Professor Page is great!

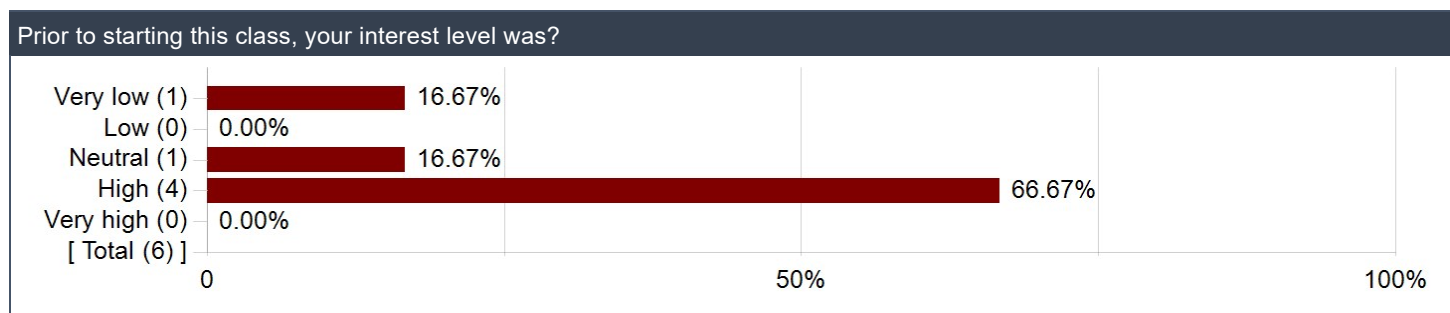
The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.40	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	20.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	4.25	4.50	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	20.00%	40.00%	20.00%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.40	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	20.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%	0.00%

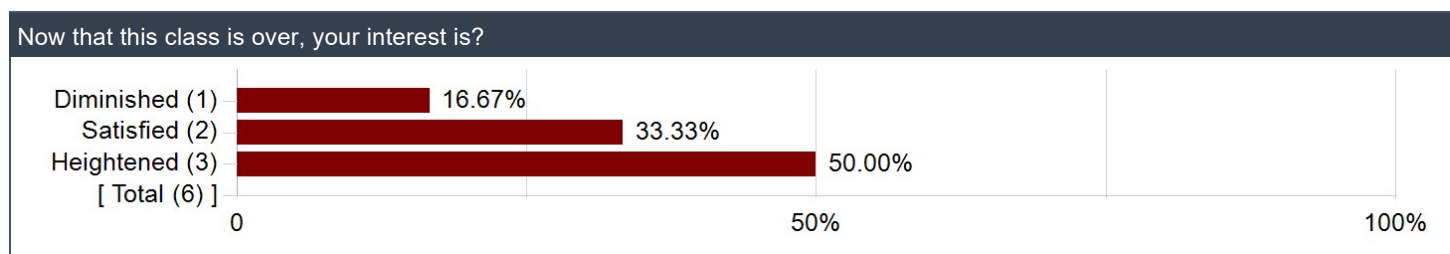
Is this class a requirement of some sort?



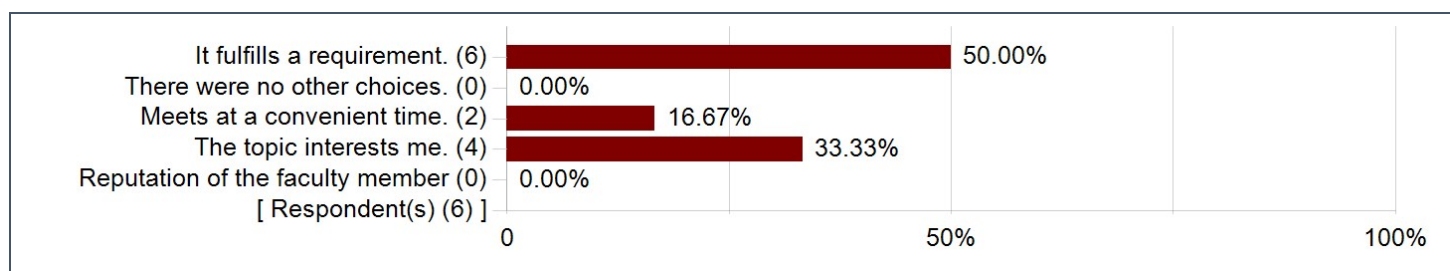
Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



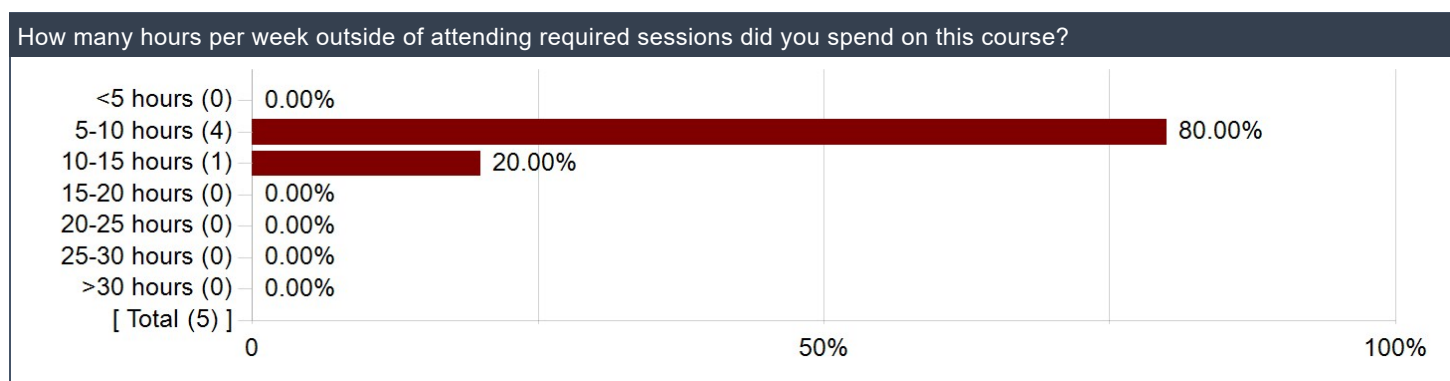
Now that this class is over, your interest is?



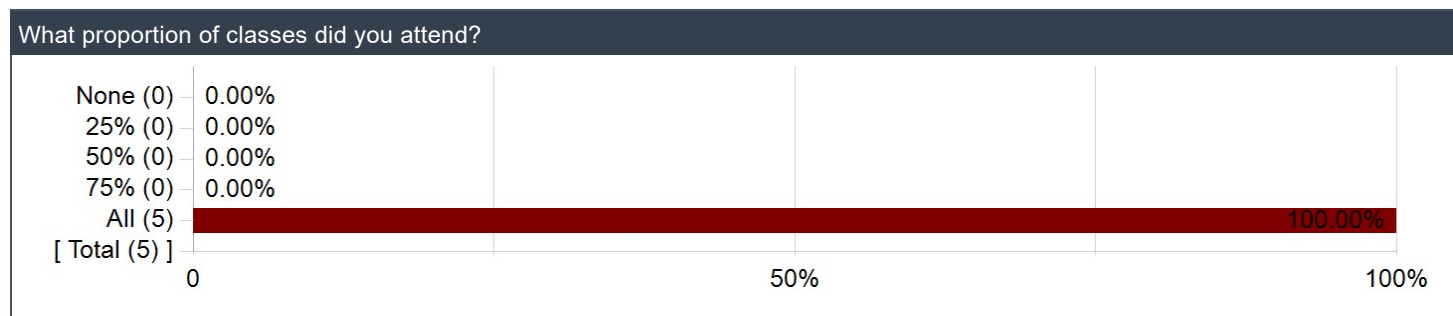
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



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
Simple but lots of reading
Fairly rigorous
The sheer amount of reading was the only thing that made the class feel difficult at times.
Readings were very interesting, and the class was not overly daunting. I would definitely recommend taking it with Professor Page. He's great!!