Report Comments

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

Comments
Skills on how to write research papers on spatial analysis helped out the most.
1. How to apply spatial analysis into a research analysis. 2. How to formulate a research paper. 3. How to conduct a difference in difference analysis and manipulate LODES dataset.
How to do spatial analysis and how to do research in this field.
I learned about the process of writing a research paper.

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

Comments
The lectures went over useful tips on how to do spatial analysis as well as writing research papers in general. The assignments helped me keep in track on the process of writing the research paper.
The lectures are helpful to develop a strong research paper. Helps guide you to avoid common mistakes and misconception of writing a research paper.
The lectures very helpful that it introduces specifically on how to do research, how to write a research paper, and relevant methods. Office hours are also helpful as you can receive specific comments and suggestions.

Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.40	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	60.00%	40.00%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%
My work was evaluated fairly.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%
I felt respected in this class.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%

Additional comments about the course:

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After winter quarter SSI, this class focuses on how to formulate a research argument. Great opportunity to build off of previous work done in the past two quarters.

I would recommend this course to:

	No	Yes
Highly-motivated and well-prepared students	0.00%	100.00%
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?

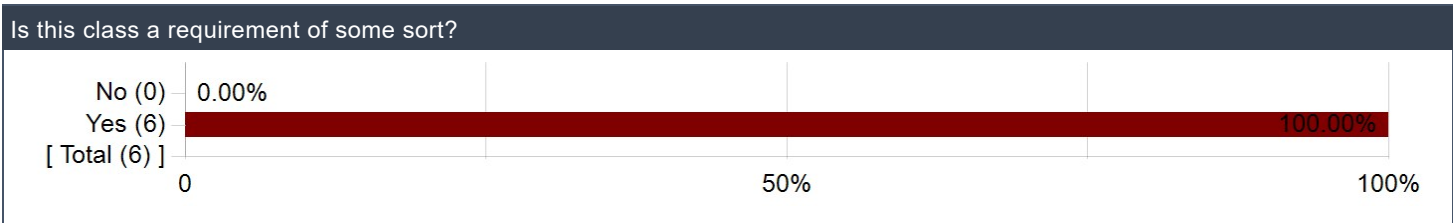| Comments |
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| Professor Lin's comments on assignments and office hours helped in write the paper accurately and well. |
| Labs for Spatial analysis assignment. |
| I like how professor Lin uses specific examples to illustrate how to do a good research and how to write a good research report. Professor Lin has also been very patient in office hours. |

What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments
I think that the lectures could be made more interesting or engaging to absorb the topics more effectively.
Engage class discussion.

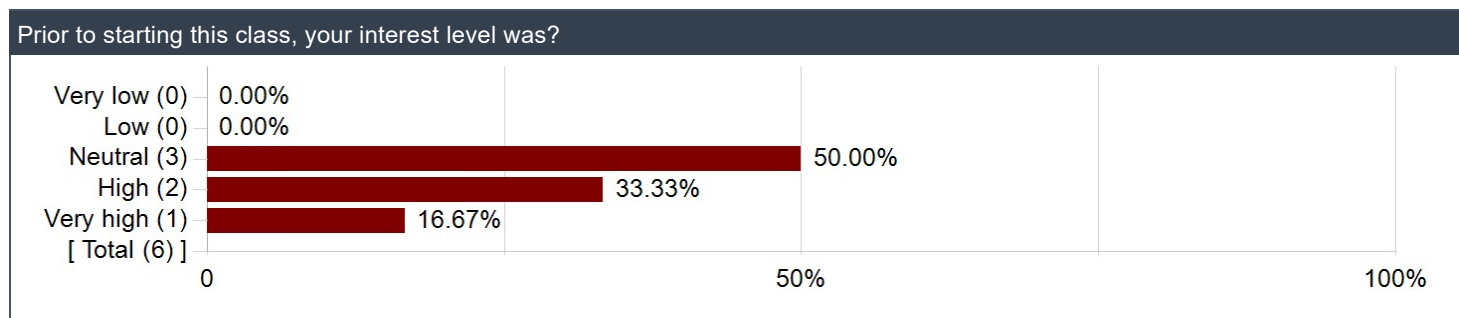## The Instructor . . .

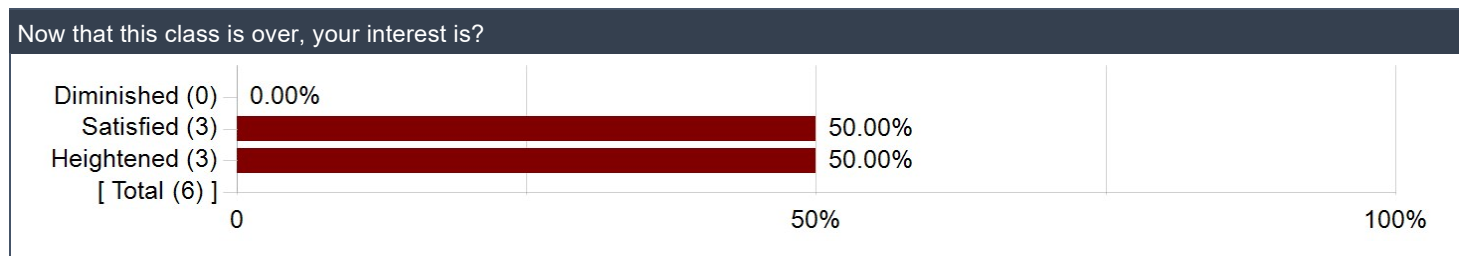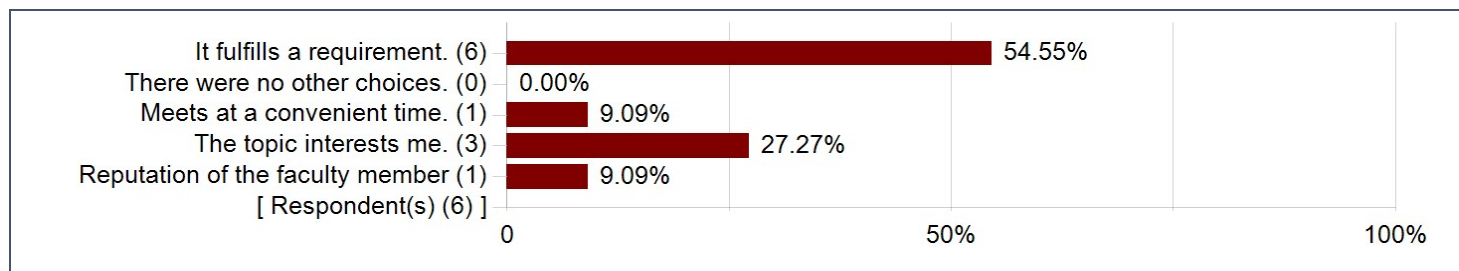|	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.20	5.00	0.00%	20.00%	0.00%	20.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	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.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	40.00%	60.00%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	80.00%	20.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	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%

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No (0) — 0.00%
Yes (6) — 100.00%
[Total (6)]

0   50%   100%

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Very low (0) — 0.00%
Low (0) — 0.00%
Neutral (3) — 50.00%
High (2) — 33.33%
Very high (1) — 16.67%
[Total (6)]

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Diminished (0) — 0.00%
Satisfied (3) — 50.00%
Heightened (3) — 50.00%
[Total (6)]

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

It fulfills a requirement. (6) — 54.55%
There were no other choices. (0) — 0.00%
Meets at a convenient time. (1) — 9.09%
The topic interests me. (3) — 27.27%
Reputation of the faculty member (1) — 9.09%
[Respondent(s) (6)]

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

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<5 hours (1) — 16.67%
5-10 hours (2) — 33.33%
10-15 hours (2) — 33.33%
15-20 hours (0) — 0.00%
20-25 hours (1) — 16.67%
25-30 hours (0) — 0.00%
>30 hours (0) — 0.00%
[Total (6)]

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None (0)	0.00%
25% (0)	0.00%
50% (0)	0.00%
75% (1)	16.67%
All (5)	83.33%
[Total (6)]	

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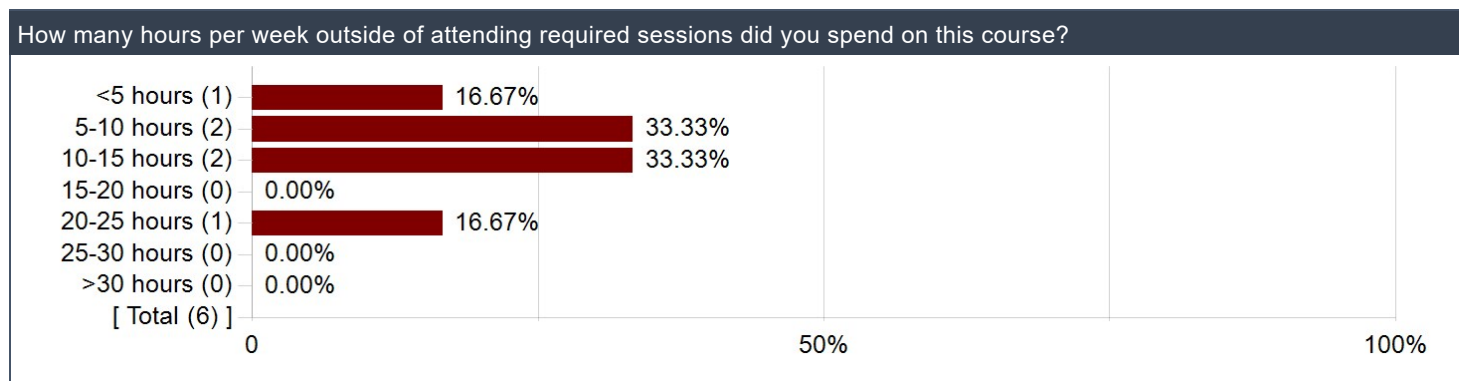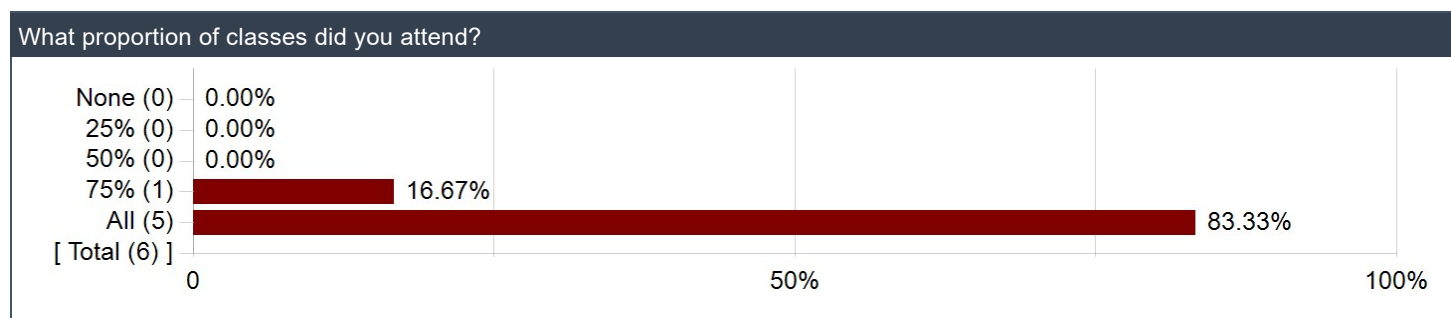
Please comment on the level of difficulty of the course relative to your background and experience.

Comments
There is difficulty in incorporating R code into the analysis part of the paper. The paper itself must be about 20 pages, so may be difficulty in writing as well.
Compared to SSI2, there is less work. Take this quarter to strengthen your spatial analysis skills. It's worth it.