



PORT 10300 1, PORT 10300 1 - Beginning Elementary Portuguese III - Instructor(s) - Juliano Saccomani

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

Number Enrolled: **5**

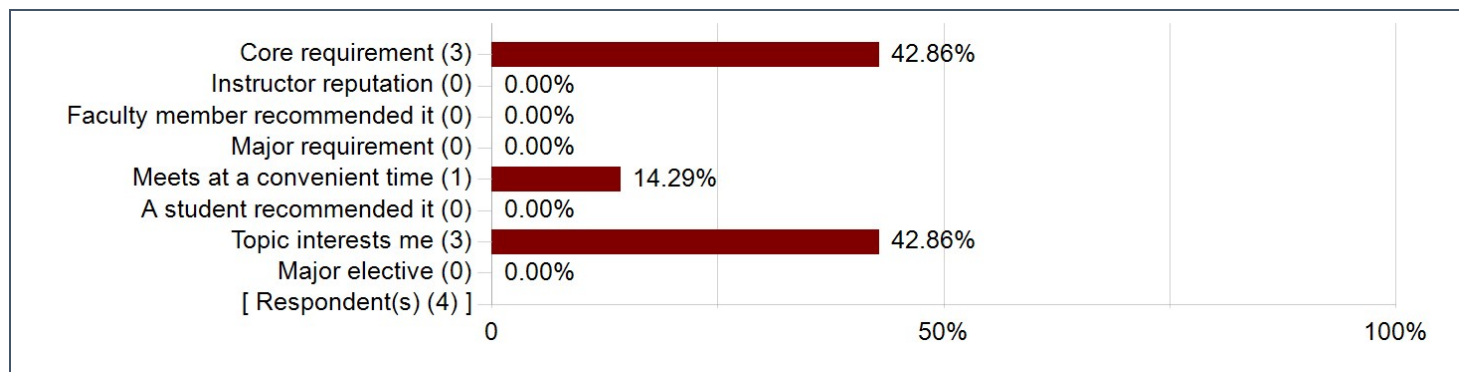
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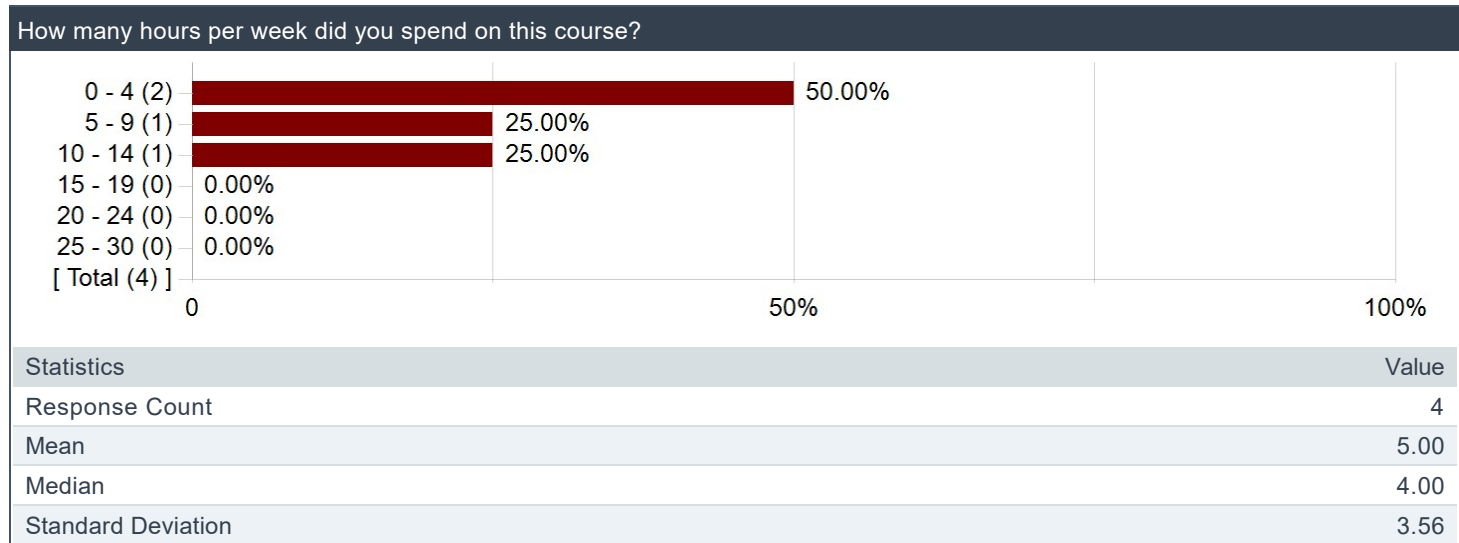
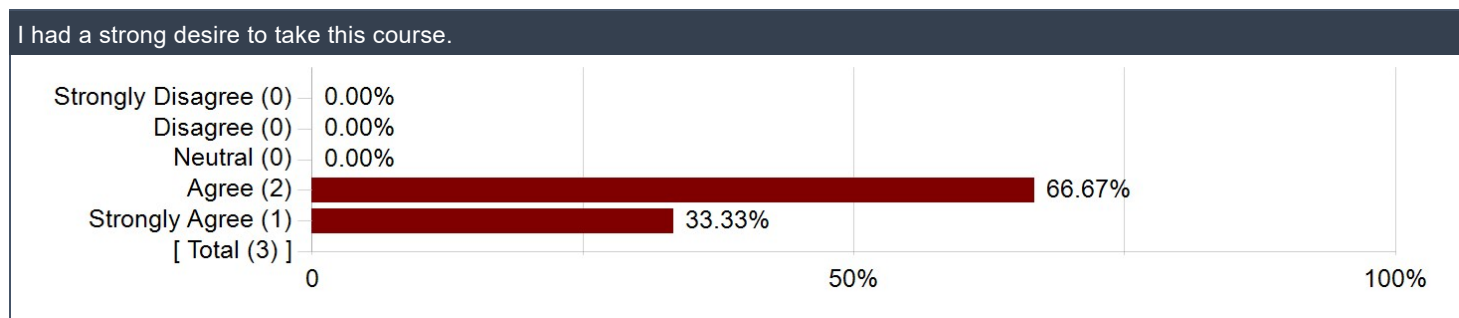
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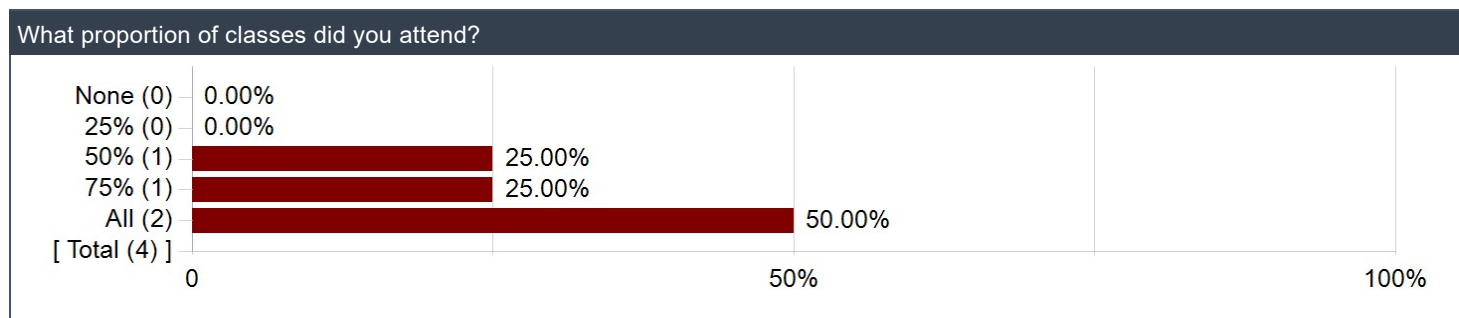
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



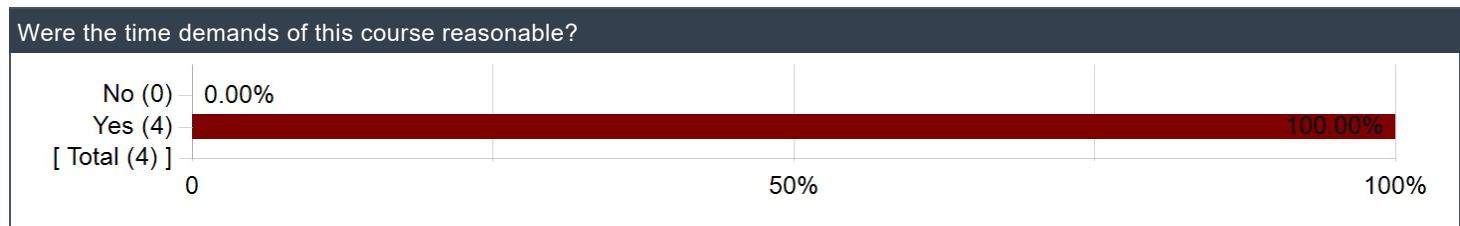
I had a strong desire to take this course.



What proportion of classes did you attend?



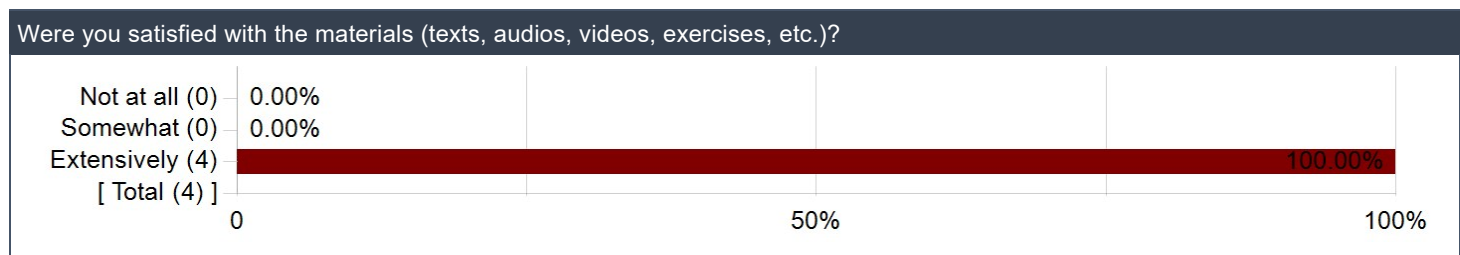
Were the time demands of this course reasonable?



Rate the extent to which different aspects of the language were stressed:

	Mean	Median	Not At All	A Little	Some	A Lot	Extremely	Vigorously
Speaking	4.25	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	75.00%	25.00%
Reading	3.50	3.50	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%
Writing	3.50	3.50	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%
Grammar	3.75	3.50	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	25.00%	25.00%
Vocabulary	3.00	3.00	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%
Listening	3.75	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	0.00%	50.00%	25.00%

Were you satisfied with the materials (texts, audios, videos, exercises, etc.)?



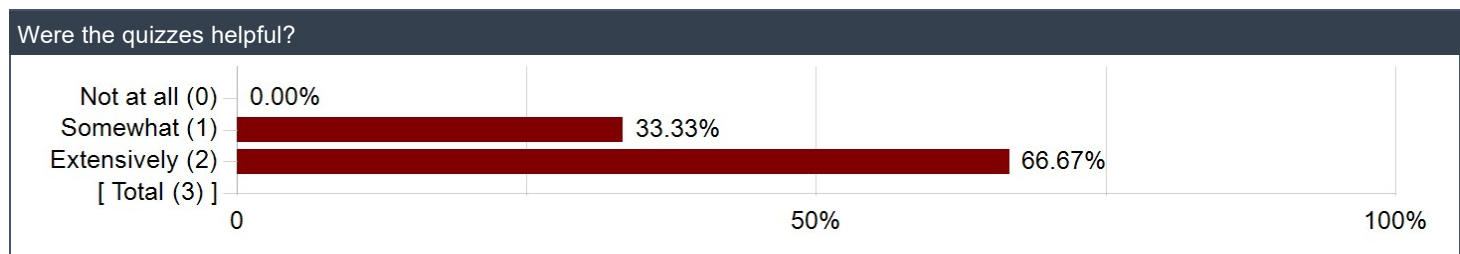
Please explain:

Comments
All the materials are great, except the listenings on Canvas. They are pretty much useless.

What did you learn about culture through language?

Comments
We always related what we learned to some form of Brazilian culture, which was always useful in learning meaningfully.

Were the quizzes helpful?



How helpful were the various types of homework?

	Mean	Median	Not At All	Somewhat	Very	N/A
Reading	2.50	2.50	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Listening	2.25	2.50	25.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Writing	3.00	3.00	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%
Speaking	2.75	3.00	0.00%	25.00%	75.00%	0.00%

If Discussion Board/Blog Tools were used in your course, how useful did you find them?

Comments
Blogs were a great tool to practice our writing skills in a variety of topics that were interesting.

How useful did you find the required out of class aural/oral activities (e.g. cultural activities, conversational practice, activities of your choice, films, etc.)?

Comments
They were very useful because everyone spoke Portuguese, and practice to speak and listen was very good.

Other comments:

Comments
This is was my favorite course at UChicago.

The Instructor

Select one option for each statement (1 lowest - 5 highest):

	Mean	Median	1- Lowest	2	3	4	5- Highest
Rate your instructor's organizational skills	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Rate your instructor's ability to convey the subtleties of the language	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Rate your instructor's ability to encourage class conversation and participation in this language	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Rate your instructor's availability outside of class and willingness to help	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Rate feedback on assignments and exams	4.75	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	75.00%

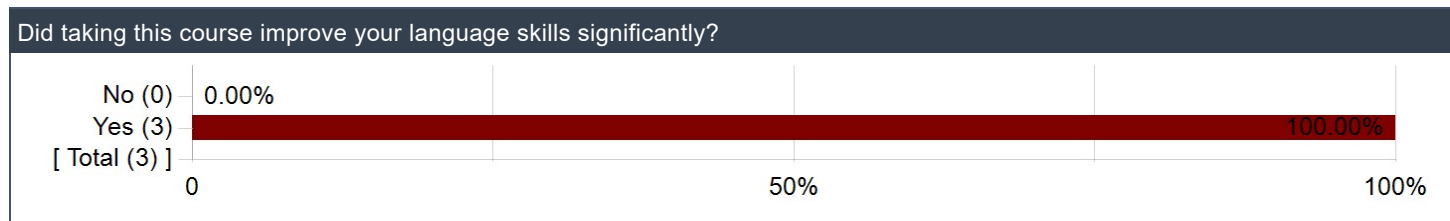
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No (0)	0.00%
Yes (4)	100.00%
[Total (4)]	
0	50% 100%

Please explain:

Comments
The instructor is one of the best instructors here.
Great professor, very reasonable!
Juliano is amazing, his dedication to making the class as fun as possible is great, creating a great bond between the students. This way, attempting to speak Portuguese is very easy, as no one feels embarrassed from making mistakes or trying to speak. This class is a lot of fun and because of it, learning is very easy.

Did taking this course improve your language skills significantly?



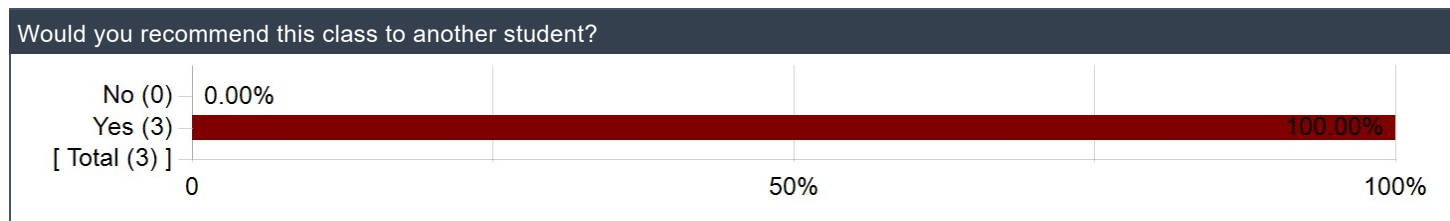
How would you improve this course?

Comments
I would remove the listenings on Canvas, but other than that the class is great.

In what way?

Comments
I now am able to understand pretty much anything in Portuguese that is not academic or very high level, and can comfortably have conversations with native speakers as long as their accent is not too heavy or not much slang is used.

Would you recommend this class to another student?



Why?

Comments
If you want to learn Portuguese, you can be confident if you put in a decent amount of effort into actually learning you will come out of this class feeling very confident in your Portuguese skills, and the class was always my favorite to go to.