



MUSI 10400 1 - Introduction to Music: Analysis and Criticism - Instructor(s): Jacob Reed

Project Title: **College Course Feedback - Autumn 2023**

Number Enrolled: **15**

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.

Creation Date: **Friday, February 2, 2024**

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

Comments
Music analysis and critique.
I learned how to think critically about different aspects of music, especially the more technical aspects of music as well as how artists uses things like genre, lyrics, sound, and more to convey meaning through song.

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

Comments
The discussions are helpful.
I really enjoyed being able to go see music live as well as being able to listen to all different kinds of music. We also were able to read lots of informative work to supplement our discussions.

Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	2.75	3.00	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	3.00	3.50	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	3.25	3.50	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	3.00	3.50	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	3.50	4.00	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	25.00%
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.	3.75	4.50	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	3.00	3.00	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%

Additional comments about the course:

Comments
The professor is extremely passionate and creative at designing the topics. The discussion led by the professor is never boring.
The class was engaging, which was wonderful, but at times it was difficult, especially for people who do not have a background in music.

I would recommend this course to:

	No	Yes
Highly-motivated and well-prepared students	50.00%	50.00%
Anyone interested in the topic	50.00%	50.00%

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

Comments
The discussion led by the professor.
I really appreciated how the instructor dedicated separate units to specific elements of music analysis to allow us to build our skills over time.

What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments
The professor is perfect.
The instructor could perhaps encourage students to engage with the music they already like more so that students can meaningfully apply what they learn.

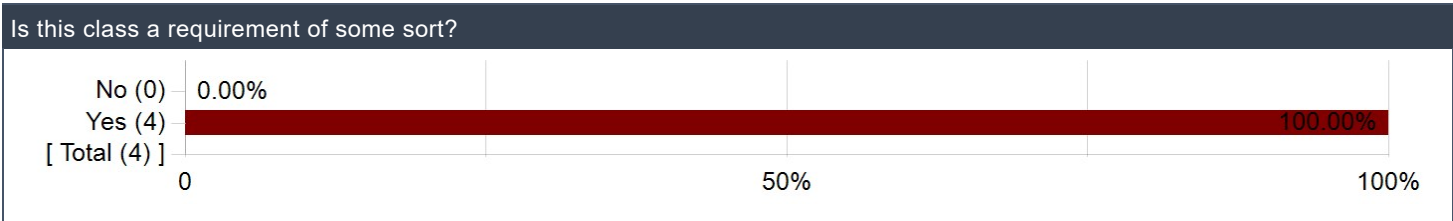
The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	3.50	4.00	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	25.00%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	3.25	3.50	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	3.00	3.50	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	3.00	3.00	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	2.75	3.00	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%	50.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	3.00	3.00	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	3.50	4.00	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	25.00%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	3.75	4.50	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	3.75	4.50	25.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	50.00%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	3.25	3.50	25.00%	0.00%	25.00%	25.00%	25.00%	0.00%

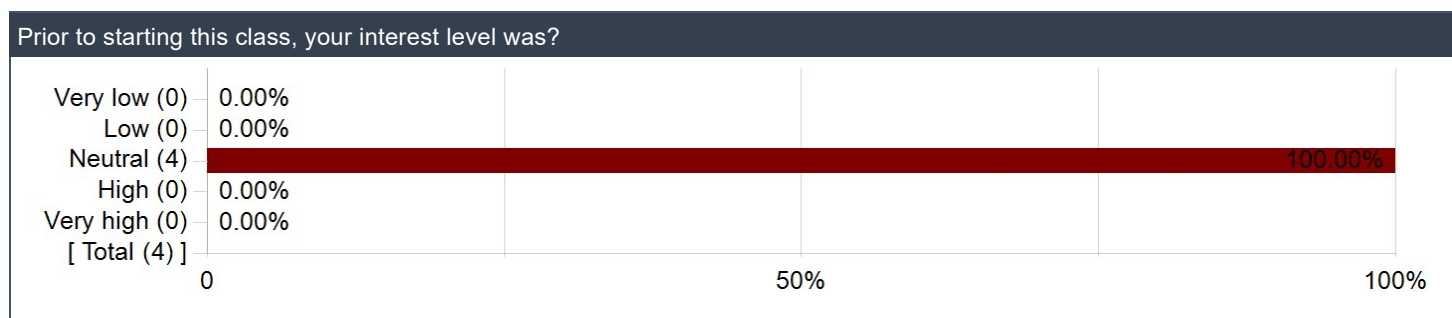
How much did the following elements of the course contribute to your learning gains?

	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	4.00	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%
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%

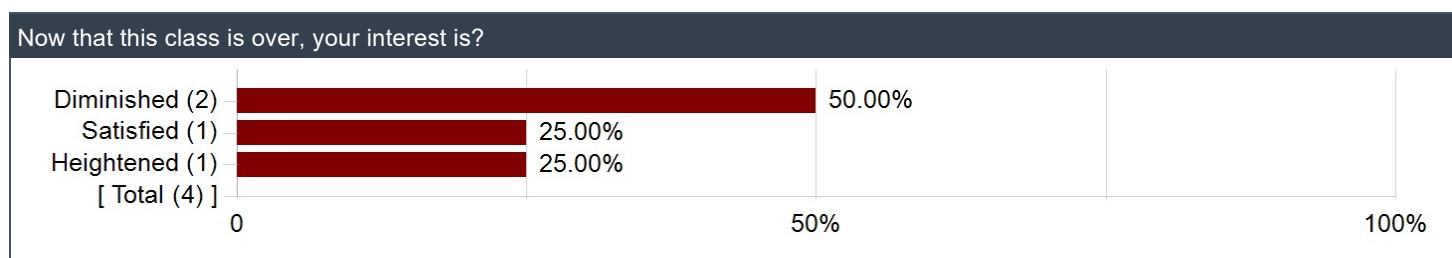
Is this class a requirement of some sort?



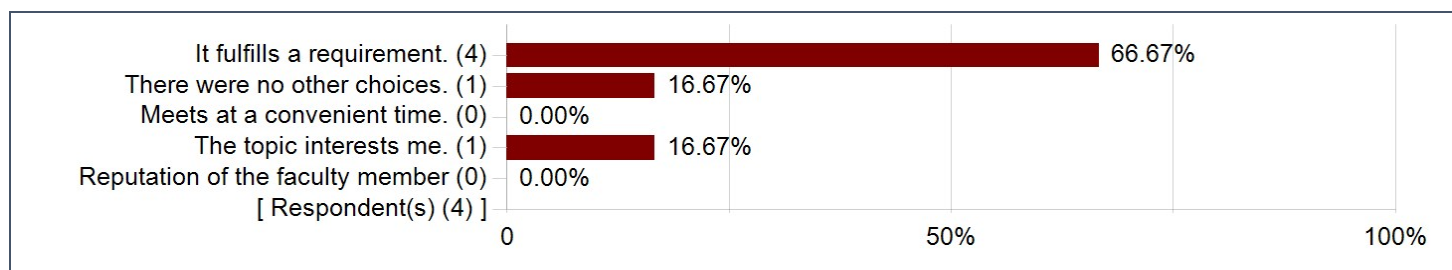
Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



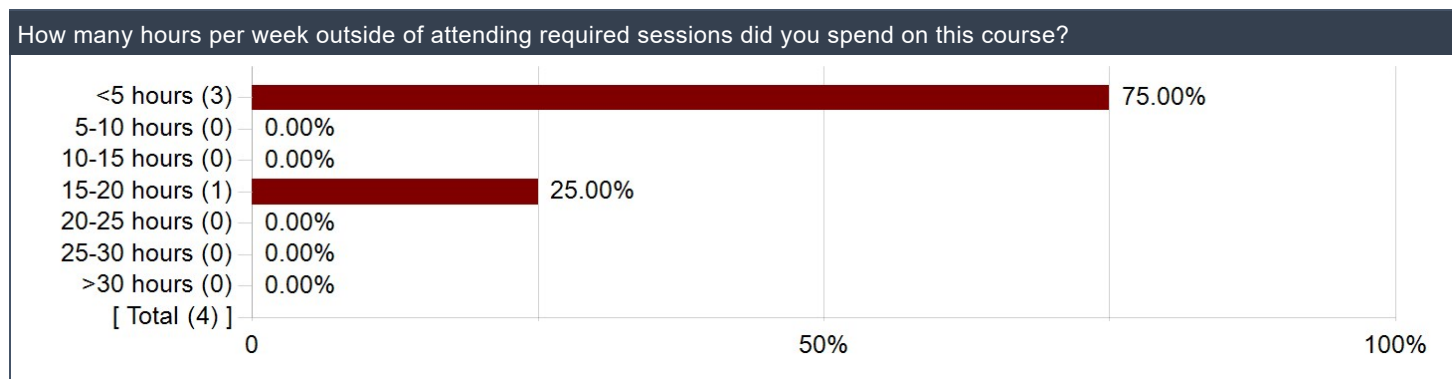
Now that this class is over, your interest is?



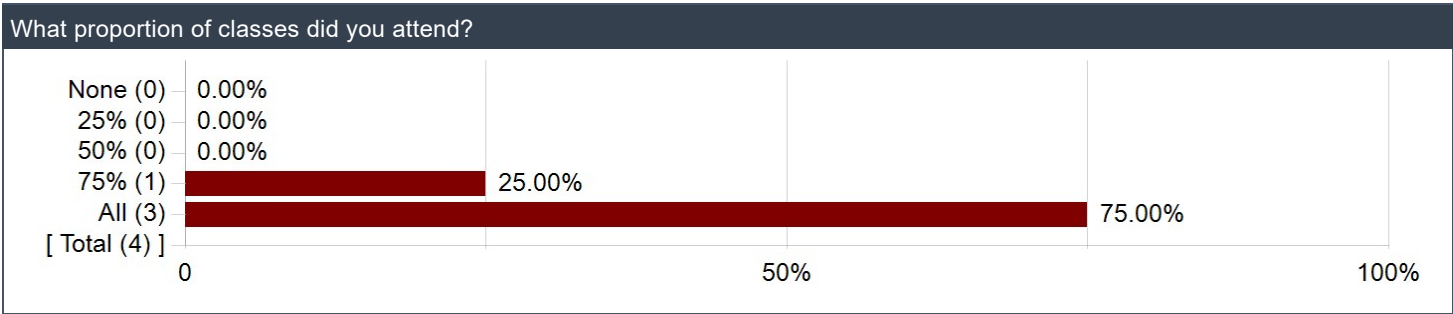
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



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
super easy intro music class– good if you're interested in music
Challenging.