



# SOSC 14100 12 - Mind I - Instructor(s): Ryan Lange

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

Number Enrolled: **19**

Number of Responses: **8**

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## 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
how the mind constructs reality
How ambiguous our interpretation of the world truly is but we are not aware of it
A lot about the human mind and our reality
Writing skills
Psychology topics
I learned how to properly connect scientific papers together, while still crafting my own argument.

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

Comments
the lectures switching out with different professors every week kept the material exciting and were overall really educational and well-done. Ryan's discussions were also extremely helpful but unfortunately were after our weekly discussion posts were due, so we weren't really able to apply the information we got from him to our writings.
Really enjoyed lectures and the fact that they are recorded so I can take my time digesting the content as well as consulting it back when needed
The discussion posts were very helpful as well as the in-class discussions
Good discussion
Very great student discussion
Our lectures were always very interesting and were very useful in order for me to understand the papers we would read outside of class. I also felt the discussions were very interesting and helped not only summarize the source material, but give me new ways of understanding the texts.

## Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.29	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	42.86%	42.86%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.00	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	28.57%	42.86%	28.57%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	4.14	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	57.14%	28.57%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.00	4.00	0.00%	14.29%	14.29%	28.57%	42.86%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	3.86	4.00	0.00%	14.29%	14.29%	42.86%	28.57%
My work was evaluated fairly.	4.29	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	42.86%	42.86%
I felt respected in this class.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	28.57%	57.14%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	4.29	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	42.86%	42.86%

## Additional comments about the course:

Comments
Wonderful class, not a strain on my time and finally the focus not being philosophical white men with no regard for other cultures and religions (HBC looking at you), content was really interesting and the readings provide useful skills that can be applied generally at uchicago on top of being interested and the content, regardless of academic interest is actually of use in real life
Good class

## 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
his questions
All the research experiments presented
The discussion posts were very helpful as well as the in-class discussions
Was good
Very good discussion feedback
Dr. Lange lead a very intellectually stimulating conversation in our discussions. He also created a very open environment to help people like myself, who did not have much previous knowledge on the source material, speak out and ask questions in class.

## What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments
i think releasing our grades for the previous discussion post before the next one is due would be extremely helpful. and also changing his office hours to wednesday so we could meet with him before our posts are due and not after.
n/a
Dumb down the concepts very complicated and would get lost sometimes
Nothing
Not much, very good
He could give a little more feedback on our weekly assignments to make sure we can improve the next one.

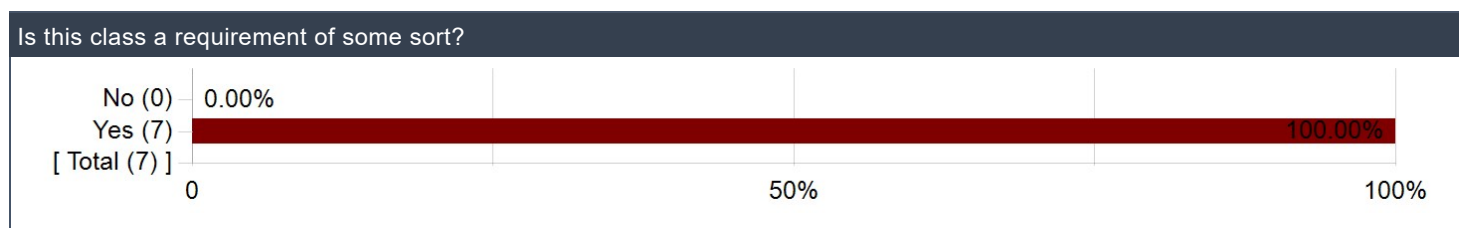
## The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.29	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	42.86%	42.86%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	28.57%	57.14%	0.00%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	28.57%	0.00%	71.43%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.57	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	14.29%	71.43%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	4.57	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	14.29%	71.43%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	4.57	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	14.29%	71.43%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	28.57%	57.14%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	28.57%	57.14%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	28.57%	57.14%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.43	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	14.29%	28.57%	57.14%	0.00%

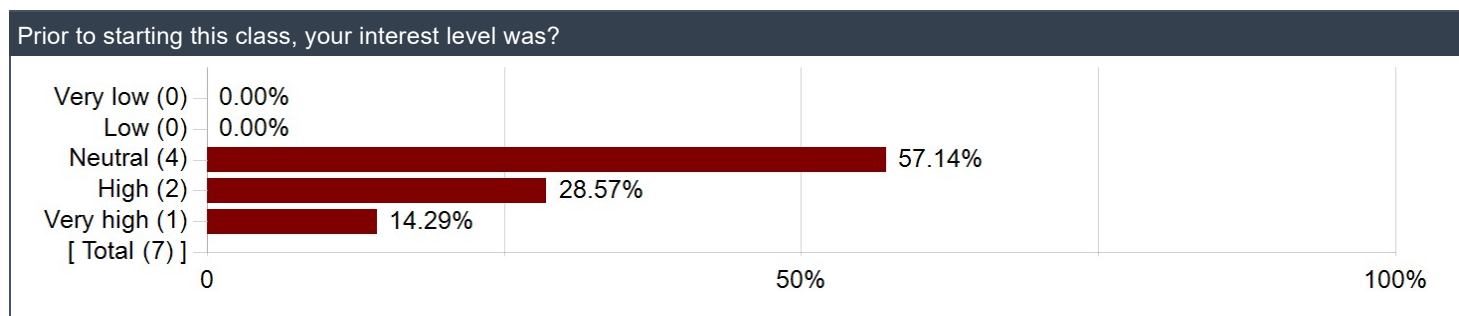
## How much did the following elements of the course contribute to your learning gains?

	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	3.33	3.00	0.00%	0.00%	66.67%	33.33%	0.00%	0.00%

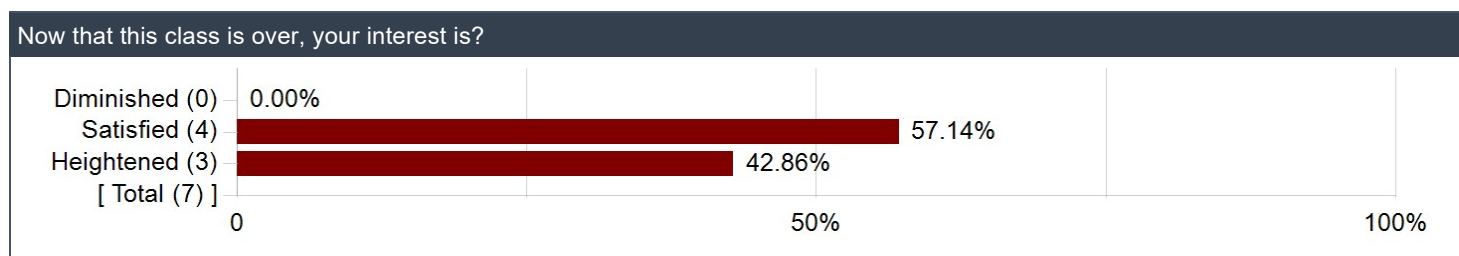
## Is this class a requirement of some sort?



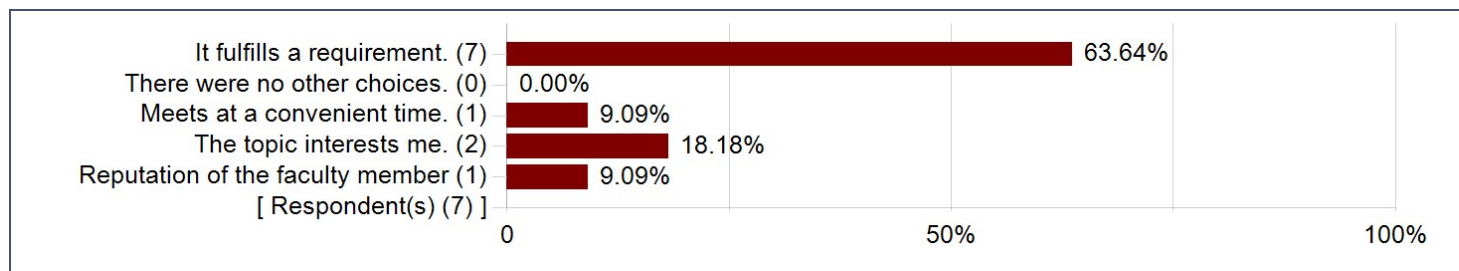
## Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



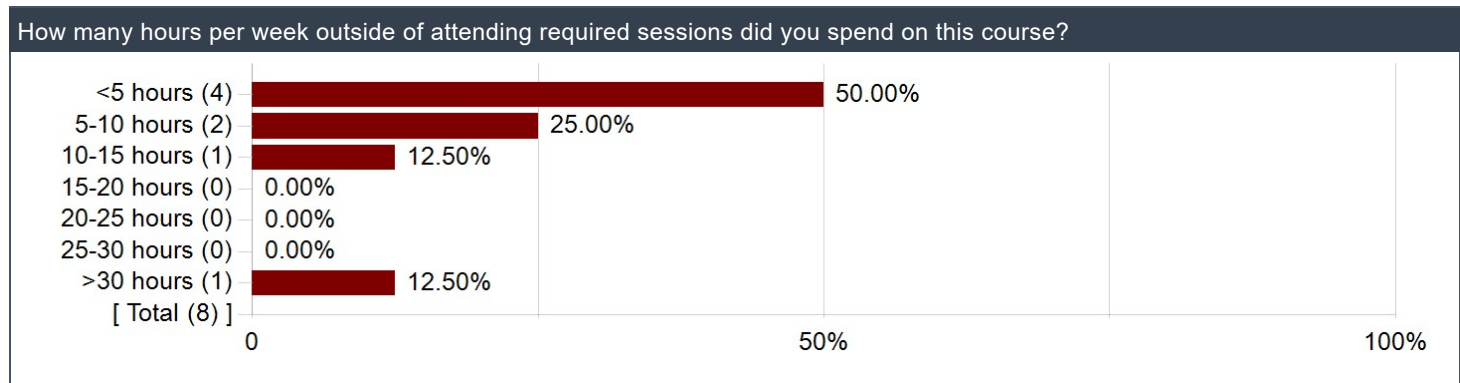
## Now that this class is over, your interest is?



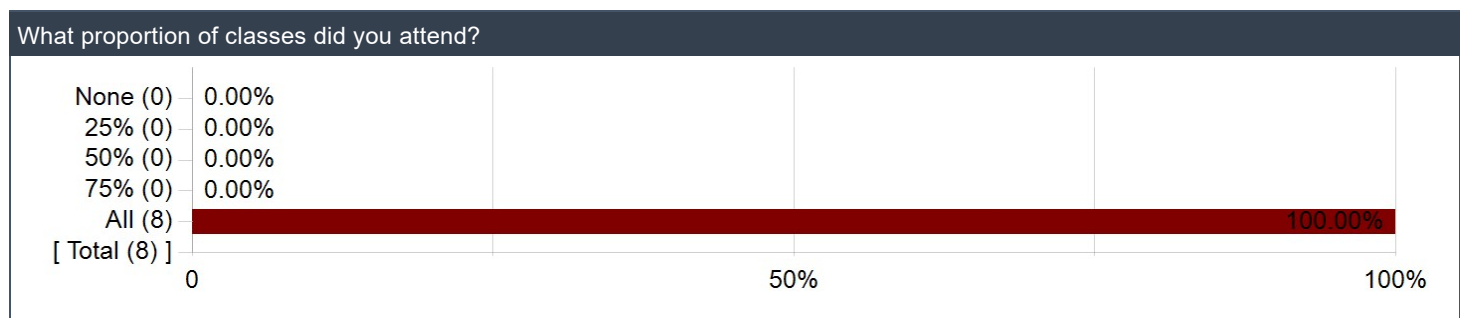
## Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



## 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
The essay prompts were very complex. They were more complex than needed. Harder than other sections
Not a hard class, writing expectations are completely different than humanities writing
Medium
Beginner
I did not have much background on this material, however, I do think it is very manageable even for people with little background on psychology.