



CMST 14400 4 - Film and the Moving Image - Instructor(s) - Cooper Long

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

Number Enrolled: **18**

Number of Responses: **11**

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, July 11, 2024**

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

Comments
How to analyze film elements
I learned about different types of film and how it incorporates different techniques into videos.
I learned about what goes into making a film and the important elements that filmmakers incorporate into their films. I also learned how to watch movies for specific elements.
concepts related to film
I learned about film topics including narrative, editing, directing, sound, etc.
How the moving image first started, different narrative structures in films, the importance of editing/framing, animation, video games

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

Comments
in class discussions were great
Discussions were great
Discussions were interesting and engaging. The reading assignments helped understand class material and prepare for discussions.
The screenings provided great examples of the in-class material and the discussion provided a better understanding of our readings as well as the films. The readings helped provide information on the important elements and the movies themselves.
i really liked the film screenings we watched each week as well as many of the supplemental readings. they weren't too long and were generally interesting
The in class discussions and group activities were very helpful
The lectures were predominantly discussion based, which allowed you to hear different perspectives surrounding the course content. The screenings were helpful opportunities to apply what we learned in the readings and in class while we were watching the selected films.

Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.27	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	18.18%	36.36%	45.45%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.64	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	36.36%	63.64%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	4.64	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	36.36%	63.64%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.73	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	27.27%	72.73%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	4.55	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	45.45%	54.55%
My work was evaluated fairly.	4.45	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	36.36%	54.55%
I felt respected in this class.	4.73	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	27.27%	72.73%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	4.64	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	18.18%	72.73%

Additional comments about the course:

Comments
was very fun if you had the right mindset
I loved it. Cooper is GOATED. Discussions were very interesting.
Good course! Very chill, and the readings/screenings are very interesting. Bonus if you like movies!

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
was great at facilitating discussion
Professor Long was a great facilitator of class discussions! I enjoyed how he often directed the conversation while also giving students space to take the discussion in different directions.
His willingness to let students lead class discussions and the encouragement of students to speak.
The instructor was very engaging and fun to interact with, which is great for a discussion based class.
I think that the instructor did a good job encouraging class participation and group discussion.
He was super nice and enthusiastic!
The in-class group activities did very well to engage the class with the lecture topics.
Posing questions to the class & creating a list/mind map on the whiteboard, showing movie clips in class, reviewing the readings/screenings during class

What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments
N/A
I think that the instructor could have done a better job allowing a more equal distribution of student voices in discussion.
I would be curious to hear more about the specific area of his expertise in film. Also he could help to make the discussions go deeper rather than always switching gears to the next topic before we get to go deep.
N/A
A few more movie clips, and maybe some more prepared questions for class discussion?

The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.82	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	18.18%	81.82%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	4.60	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	18.18%	63.64%	9.09%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.73	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	9.09%	81.82%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.82	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	18.18%	81.82%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	4.55	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	27.27%	63.64%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	4.64	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	36.36%	63.64%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.80	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	80.00%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.64	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	18.18%	72.73%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	4.91	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	90.91%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.91	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	9.09%	90.91%	0.00%

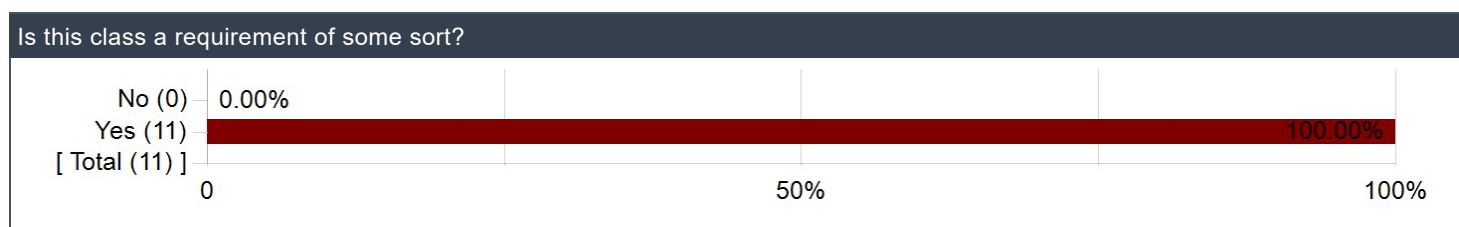
How much did the following elements of the course contribute to your learning gains?

	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	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%
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%

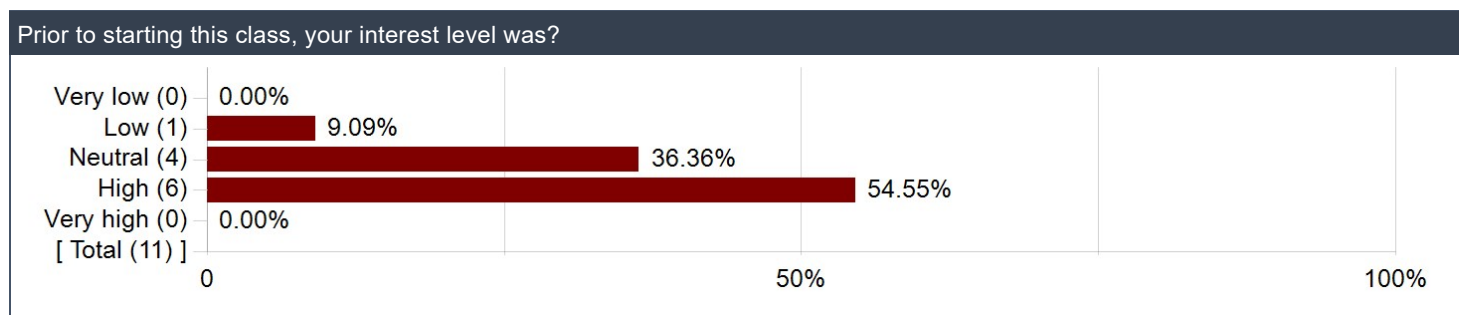
Other course elements not mentioned above:

Comments
movie screenings were good
Screenings were fun
We had course screenings every Tuesday where we watched films related to the course study.

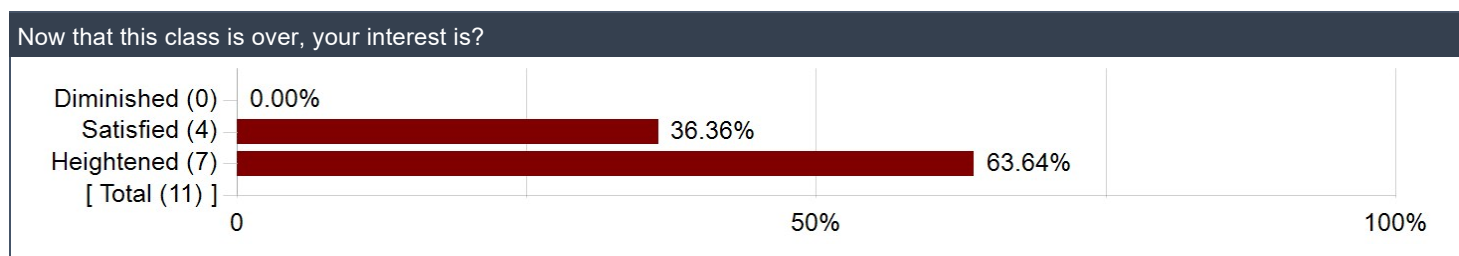
Is this class a requirement of some sort?



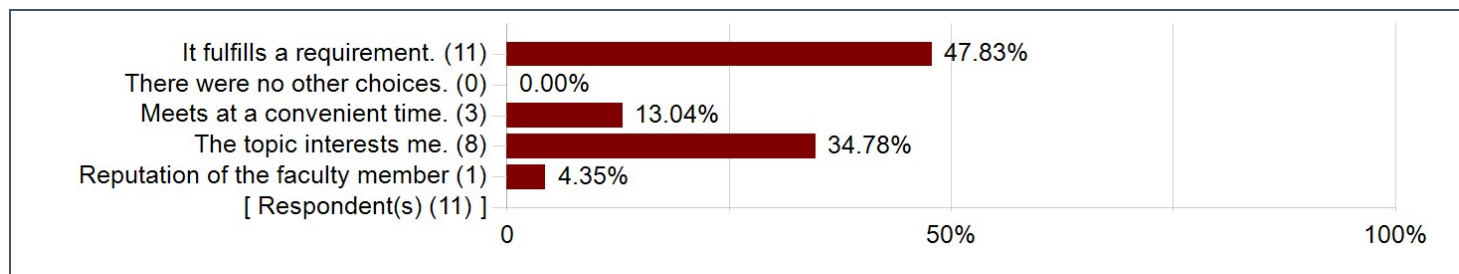
Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



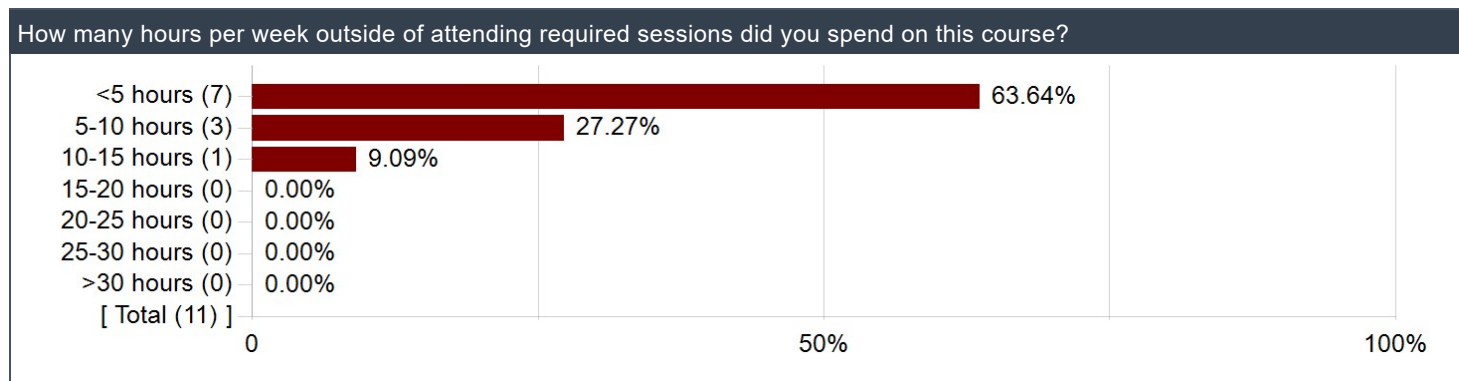
Now that this class is over, your interest is?



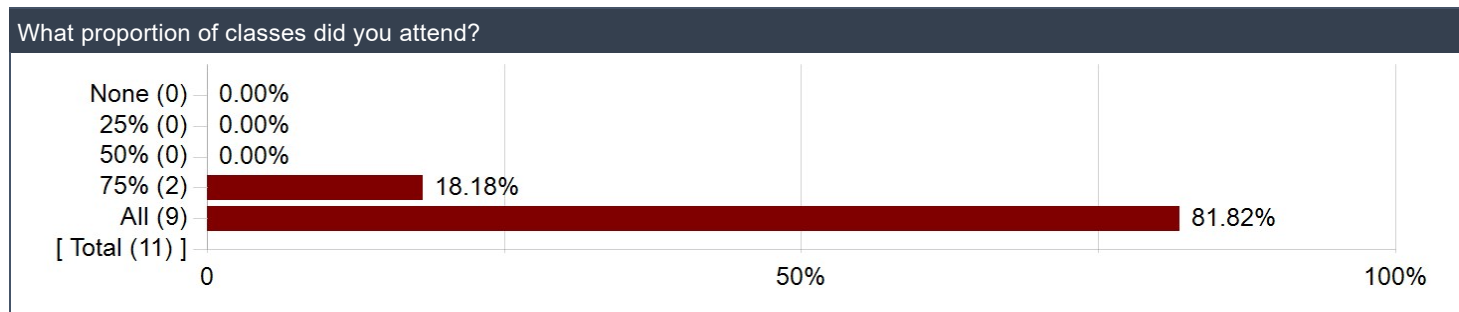
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



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
was great for beginners
I loved it. Perfect difficulty. Please take for art core; Cooper is great.
The writing assignments were not extremely difficult. However, the screenings were a fair sized time commitment.
fairly easy
Not difficult. had no prior experience.
Not a difficult course, regardless of background. Even if you haven't watched many films and don't know anything about film criticism, you'll pick it up along the way.