Report Comments

Opinions expressed in these evaluations are those of students enrolled in the specific course and do not represent the University.

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

Comments
I learned a lot more about scientific disciplines this quarter and how they relate to the main ideas we have been covering so far in self
One of the most important things I learned in this class is the importance of perspective and the extent to which ideologies can rule over societies in certain ways.
Kuhn (sciences), Metzl (protest psychosis), Anthropocene (climate change), Said (orientalism) and alternate views on feminist theory
the interactions between individual and society
The otherization of marginalized groups
How ideas have been/are formed
The scientific process and feminism through a social science lens
Contemporary Social Sciences. Dicourses and Institutional Racism. Orientalism and Kuhn

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

Comments
discussions are great and Professor Beal does an amazing job guiding us in the right direction and giving us good background on what we're going to discuss before we do
During discussions, I was able to see different perspectives of my peers which provided a new way of thinking which I hadn't thought of before.
Professor Beal is great, she is particularly good at managing and guiding discussions , while I think the presentations were overall a nice to have, we definitely didn;t need them to take up the entire class and could instead have been limited to 15–20 minutes since it felt like whatever was assigned for presentation days was mostly only read by those presenting
really enjoyed the mini lectures and the short responses really helped me understand the material better
The class discussions we had were helpful in clearing up confusing parts of weekly readings and made difficult texts much more accessible.
Readings were very enriching, discussions helped us flesh out the ideas in the reading more and connect it to other readings we've done
Discussions were always engaging and helpful
Discussion based learning is the best way to learn topics and grow from it.

Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.62	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	38.46%	61.54%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.69	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	30.77%	69.23%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	4.38	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	23.08%	15.38%	61.54%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.46	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	7.69%	38.46%	53.85%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	4.62	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	38.46%	61.54%
My work was evaluated fairly.	4.62	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	38.46%	61.54%
I felt respected in this class.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%
Overall, this was an excellent course.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%

Additional comments about the course:

Comments
I love professor Beal and Self!
Amazing course and great content
The professor was very fair and amicable. Expectations were generally clear or easily made clear by asking questions. The professor gave a reasonable course load and was very understanding with any emergencies, sickness, or mishaps.
This course is great and I highly recommend taking it with Professor Beal!
Beale is the most caring and kindest professor out as I'm sad to leave her after a year of experience. This quarters readings had a real exciting high with Metzl but Kuhn was quite the condense text to read. Honestly don't know how you wouldn't consider learning with Beale as you're invited to contribute your interests and grow from conversation

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
She is so sweet and you can tell is very engaged in and interested in the topic, also so kind and willing to speak with you outside of class... I highly recommend you do this!
Apart from Professor Beal's willingness to answer any questions, I also really appreciated the page numbers that corresponded to the topic or questions we were discussing. I felt like adding textual evidence provided an additional resource to expand my learning.
her guiding discussions
i think the mini–lectures, but also offering great points off of students' discussions
She asks open–ended questions for full group discussions, fosters small group discussions, she's very intentional with the time in class
The questions she asked were very thought–provoking and helped us understand the readings more
Prof. Beal is super passionate about this subject, and she makes the discussions really engaging
Her curiosity In The subject matter and thoughts of the students. Also her care for us is tied to that as well.
In class discussion questions

What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

Comments
Nothing!
Not much
everything felt great
nothing
Nothing much
n/a
I think it's hard to really get the most of Beale with the normal design of the core. Like a field trip of some sort in the class or even something as simple as meeting outside would do wonders of changing the atmosphere of the classroom. It might be a bit demanding, but I think there are ways that I like my other SOSC classes that you can potentially do here.Even like actual professors talking is wonderful.

The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.77	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	23.08%	76.92%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	30.77%	61.54%	7.69%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.75	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	75.00%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.58	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	41.67%	58.33%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	4.58	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	8.33%	25.00%	66.67%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.58	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	8.33%	25.00%	66.67%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.75	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	25.00%	75.00%	0.00%

Please include the name of the TA/CA/Intern you are evaluating. What aspects of the TA's teaching contributed most to your learning? What could the TA modify to help you learn more? Please include any additional feedback for the TA/CA/Intern.

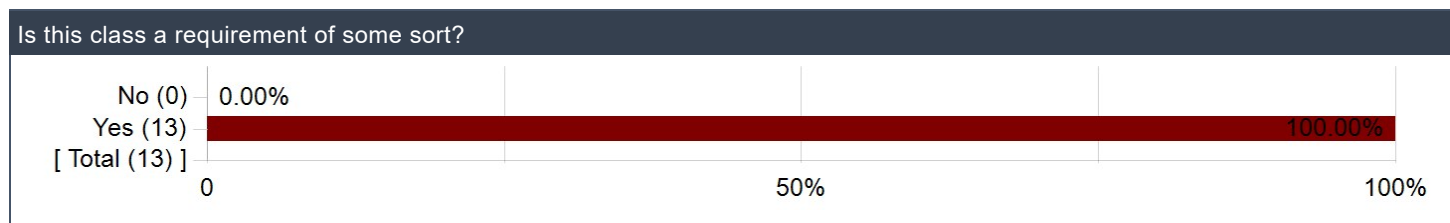| Comments |
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| AnneMarie Catania – she is amazing and so willing to move around her schedule for you, meet with her!! |
| Annemarie Catania |

The TA/CA or Intern. . .

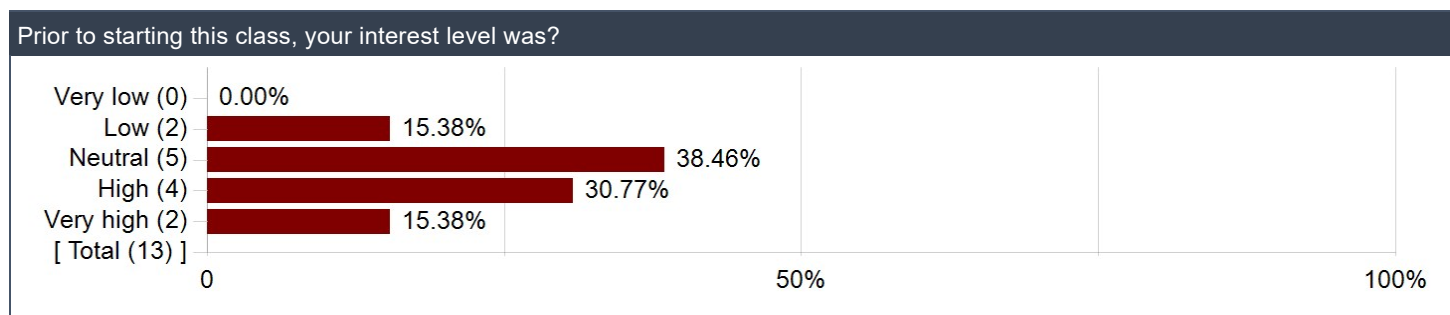|	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Facilitated discussions that supported your learning.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%
Gave you useful feedback on your work.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	66.67%	33.33%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the class.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%
Challenged you to learn.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%
Helped you succeed in the class.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	5.00	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%
Overall, this individual made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%	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	3.20	3.50	10.00%	20.00%	20.00%	40.00%	10.00%	0.00%

Is this class a requirement of some sort?

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No (0)     0.00%
Yes (13)                                                        100.00%
[ Total (13) ]
           0                        50%                        100%
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Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?

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Very low (0)    0.00%
Low (2)         15.38%
Neutral (5)     38.46%
High (4)        30.77%
Very high (2)   15.38%
[ Total (13) ]
                0              50%             100%
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Diminished (0)    0.00%
Satisfied (7)     53.85%
Heightened (6)    46.15%
[ Total (13) ]
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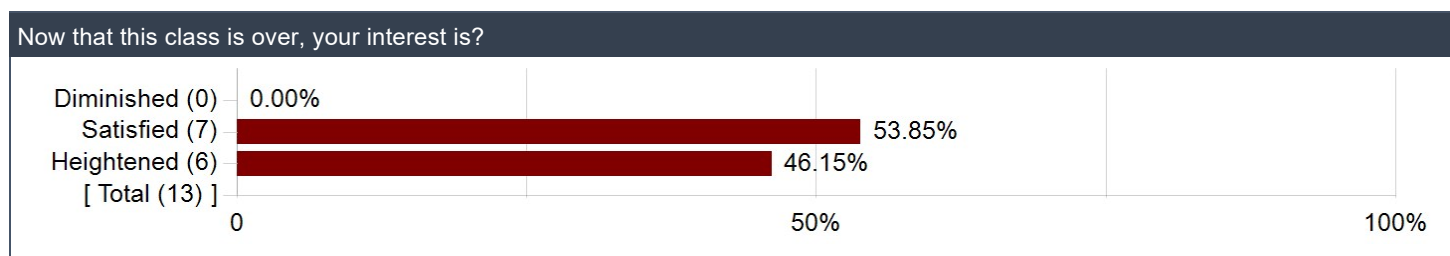
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)
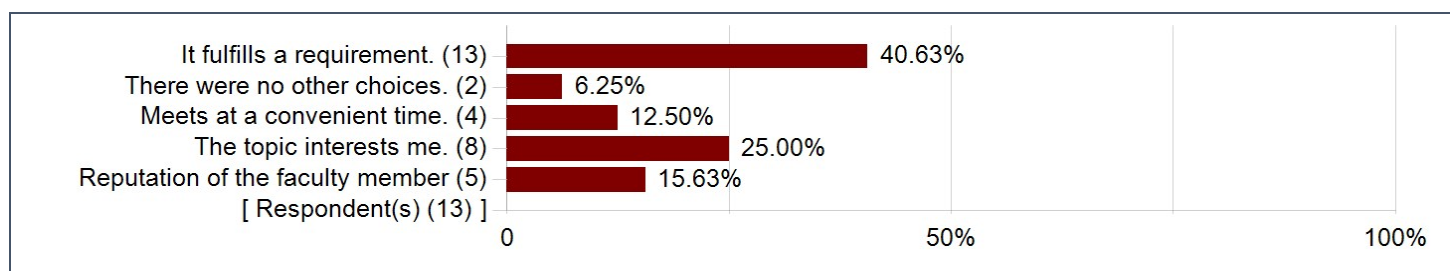
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It fulfills a requirement. (13)          40.63%
There were no other choices. (2)    6.25%
Meets at a convenient time. (4)     12.50%
The topic interests me. (8)         25.00%
Reputation of the faculty member (5)  15.63%
[ Respondent(s) (13) ]
                                    0          50%          100%
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How many hours per week outside of attending required sessions did you spend on this course?

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<5 hours (3)	23.08%
5-10 hours (9)	69.23%
10-15 hours (1)	7.69%
15-20 hours (0)	0.00%
20-25 hours (0)	0.00%
25-30 hours (0)	0.00%
>30 hours (0)	0.00%
[Total (13)]	

What proportion of classes did you attend?

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None (0)	0.00%
25% (0)	0.00%
50% (0)	0.00%
75% (3)	23.08%
All (10)	76.92%
[Total (13)]	
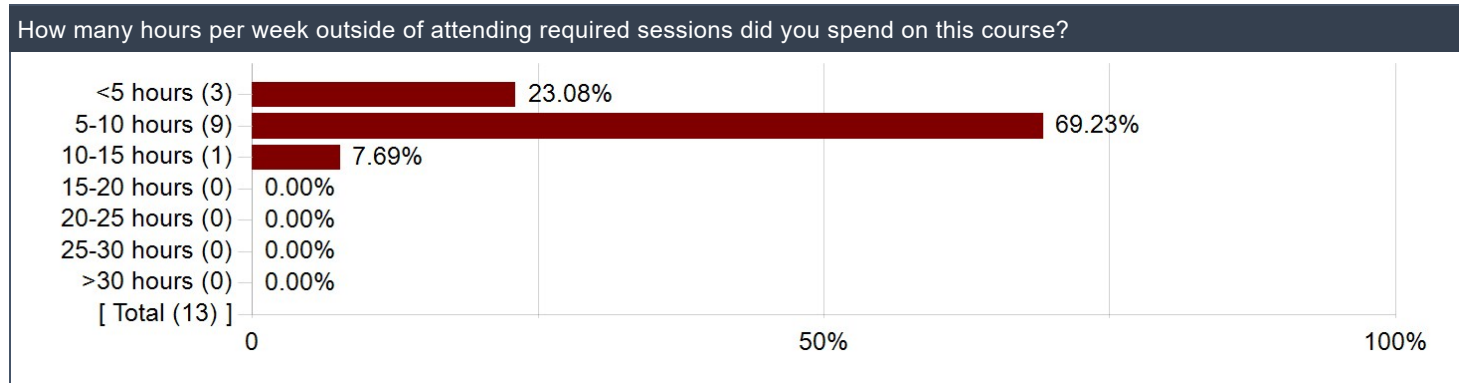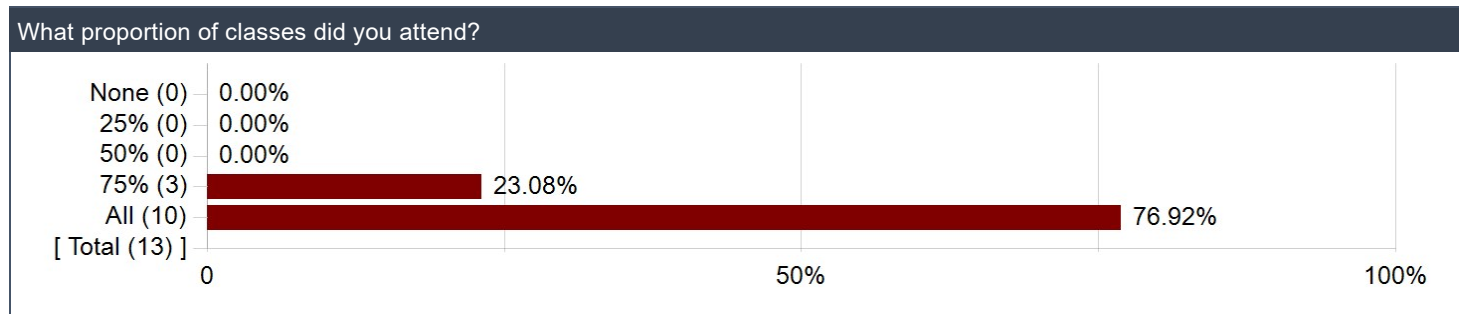
Please comment on the level of difficulty of the course relative to your background and experience.

Comments
Very manegeable with Professor Beal
If you put in the effort to read and talk to professor beal in OH to discuss your ideas, it should not be difficult
pretty difficult
The course was not overly difficult as the professor did not grade too harsh and gave good, detailed feedback on essays and short writing assignments. Occasionally prompts would be confusing but the professor would take time to discuss them and address questions in class.
Pretty manageable as a second year
A little harder than my previous section, as we had more work and there was a writing seminar (also the readings were a bit harder), but loved the class
Beale is highly understanding and passionate. It would be a mistake to pass this by