

# HUMA 16200 11 - Media Aesthetics: Image, Text, Sound III - Instructor(s) - Gabriel Ellis

Project Title: College Course Feedback - Spring 2024

Number Enrolled: 16
Number of Responses: 7

#### **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

I loved this class, the readings are super interesting, and analyzing contemporary music with the perspectives we learn is fun.

The most important thing I learned was probably how music affects language and the other way around as well. I did not take it into consideration too much, but now I am more aware of it.

How to analyze and interpret complicated writings + vastly improved the organization and clarity of my writing.

Formal music analysis and writing.

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

#### Comments

The class was always intellectually stimulating. Essays were fun to write.

The writing seminars helped me learn how to better my writing a bit.

Lectures and discussions helped me better understand the readings and topics.

Discussions-based class. Made me engage with the readings

## Please respond to the following:

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
This course challenged me intellectually.	4.33	4.50	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	33.33%	50.00%
I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
I understood the standards for success on assignments.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
My work was evaluated fairly.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
I felt respected in this class.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%
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

Take it, it's great.

N/A

Professor Ellis is very personable and encouraging. He does his best to include everyone in discussions and giving equal weight to all perspectives.

n/a

#### 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

He put in a lot of effort designing classes for us, helped us understand the readings with canvas announcements pre-reading.

Probably how engaging he was with the students.

Hearing his interpretations about the reading and feedback on my papers.

Gabriel have a strong understanding of the class material. He is open to opinions and discussions and even arguments against the readings assigned, something that really allowed us to speak our minds and form original thoughts.

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

#### Comments

Not much.

Nothing that I can think of.

Maybe putting the more daunting reading after a few simpler/more relatable texts.

n/a

#### The Instructor . . .

	Mean	Median	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	N/A
Organized the course clearly.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Challenged you to learn.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Helped you gain significant learning from the course content.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Motivated you to think independently.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%
Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%

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

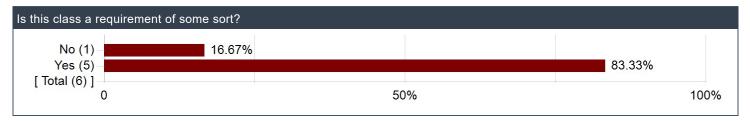
	Mean	Median	No Gain	A Little Gain	Moderate Gain	Good Gain	Great Gain	N/A
Laboratory Experience	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Field Trips	4.00	4.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	20.00%	0.00%	80.00%
Library Sessions	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Review Sessions	N/A	N/A	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%
Writing Seminars	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	16.67%	83.33%	0.00%

#### Other course elements not mentioned above:

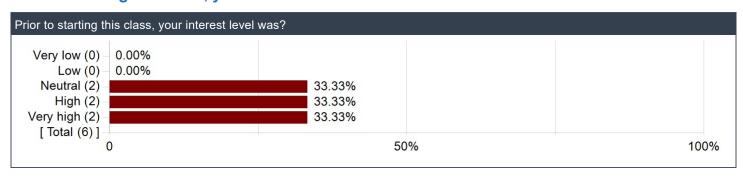
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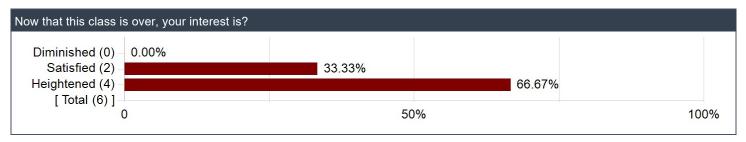
## Is this class a requirement of some sort?



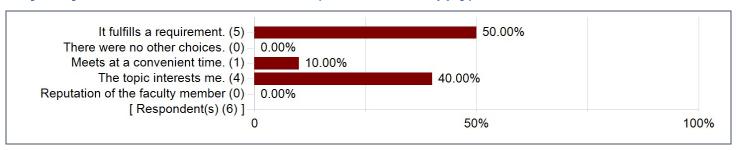
## Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



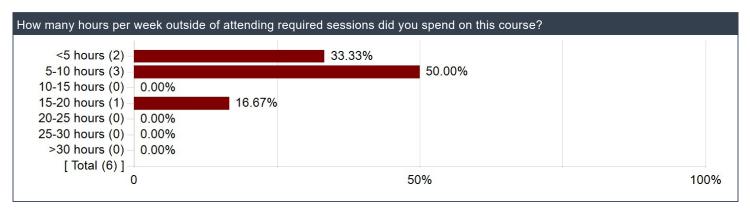
## Now that this class is over, your interest is?



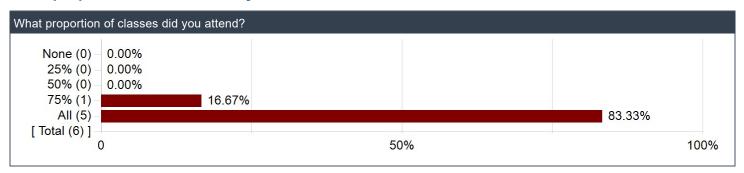
## Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



# 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 Not hard, just use your brain and put in the work and you will learn. It was not too difficult, but still challenging. I came from a musical background. However, please note it's not needed since it's not a music class.