



SOSC 14200 3 - Mind II - Instructor(s): Alysson Light

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

Number Enrolled: **19**

Number of Responses: **9**

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, March 28, 2024**

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

| Comments |
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| Different biological, psychological, and social phenomena |
| Building on last quarter where we talked about how the mind constructs reality, this quarter we really dove into the mechanisms of how the mind functions. |
| I have learned how to be more detailed in my writing and include more information from our weekly readings and texts. |
| Different levels of analysis and how they contribute to phenomena with the mind alongside human behavior |
| My writing improved and we studied interesting content on more biological aspects of the mind and how it relates to behavior. |
| I learned a lot about the intersection of neuroscience, psychology, and sociology. |

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

| Comments |
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| Lectures were recorded but crucial to go to, immensely helped my learning |
| the lectures and the readings are fascinating, but without weekly discussion classes I don't think I would've been able to understand the material as clear as I did. |
| I believe discussions helped me to understand lectures and readings in detail. |
| Discussion was very helpful and understand the weeks reading and lecture |
| The lectures were interesting, but the discussion sections helped me to fully understand content and have interesting discussion to explore further what we were learning. |
| Lectures and reading provided important course material that we could discuss and dive in deeper during the discussion sections |

Please respond to the following:

| | Mean | Median | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly Agree |
|--|------|--------|-------------------|----------|---------|--------|----------------|
| This course challenged me intellectually. | 4.33 | 4.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 66.67% | 33.33% |
| I understood the purpose of this course and what I was expected to gain from it. | 4.56 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 22.22% | 66.67% |
| I understood the standards for success on assignments. | 4.00 | 4.00 | 0.00% | 11.11% | 11.11% | 44.44% | 33.33% |
| Class time enhanced my ability to succeed in graded assignments. | 4.44 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 33.33% | 55.56% |
| I received feedback on my performance that helped me improve my subsequent work. | 4.44 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 11.11% | 0.00% | 22.22% | 66.67% |
| My work was evaluated fairly. | 4.44 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 11.11% | 0.00% | 22.22% | 66.67% |
| I felt respected in this class. | 4.67 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 11.11% | 77.78% |
| Overall, this was an excellent course. | 4.44 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 11.11% | 0.00% | 22.22% | 66.67% |

Additional comments about the course:

| Comments |
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| Love the professor! |

I would recommend this course to:

| | No | Yes |
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| Highly-motivated and well-prepared students | 11.11% | 88.89% |
| 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 |
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| Patience, kindness. She was super positive and great to learn from. |
| the professor guides us through the material as a class if we are having a hard time of comprehending the question or the material. |
| I think the ability to be able to have discussions in class helped me to learn what our readings were about. |
| she was great at leading class discussions and helping us understand the weekly material better |
| I enjoyed the classes in which she would break up into groups to foster a larger variety of interpretations to the reading |
| Professor Light made coming to office hours easy and was always open to a conversation and giving us feedback when asked. She is supportive in our learning and understands the content well so we can explore it with her guidance. |
| She is very encouraging about participating, I feel comfortable saying something I'm not 100% sure is correct as she would not judge me but rather correct me in a supportive and educational manner |

What could the instructor modify to help you learn more?

| Comments |
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| I believe the professor could provide feedback that can help and be more detailed in what she expects from the student. |
| n/a |

The Instructor . . .

| | Mean | Median | Strongly Disagree | Disagree | Neutral | Agree | Strongly Agree | N/A |
|--|------|--------|-------------------|----------|---------|--------|----------------|--------|
| Organized the course clearly. | 4.67 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 33.33% | 66.67% | 0.00% |
| Presented lectures that enhanced your understanding. | 4.63 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 33.33% | 55.56% | 11.11% |
| Facilitated discussions that were engaging and useful. | 4.78 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 22.22% | 77.78% | 0.00% |
| Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course. | 4.56 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 11.11% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 77.78% | 0.00% |
| Challenged you to learn. | 4.67 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 11.11% | 77.78% | 0.00% |
| Helped you gain significant learning from the course content. | 4.67 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 11.11% | 77.78% | 0.00% |
| Was available and helpful outside of class. | 4.67 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 11.11% | 77.78% | 0.00% |
| Motivated you to think independently. | 4.67 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 11.11% | 77.78% | 0.00% |
| Worked to create an inclusive and welcoming learning environment. | 4.78 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 0.00% | 88.89% | 0.00% |
| Overall, this instructor made a significant contribution to your learning. | 4.78 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 11.11% | 0.00% | 88.89% | 0.00% |

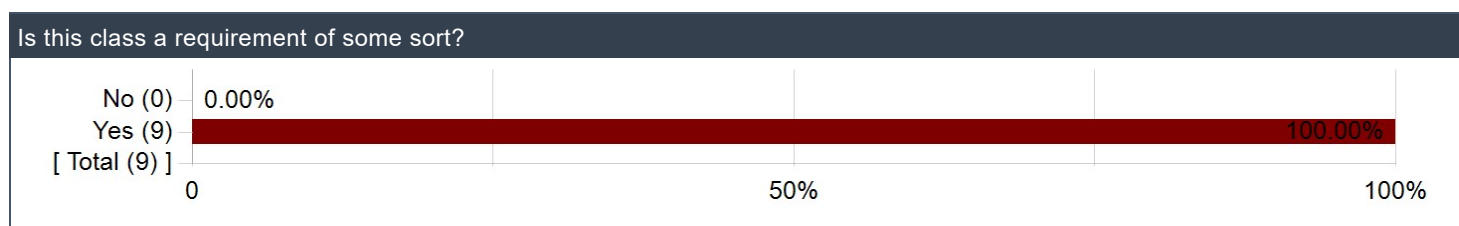
Please include the name of the TA/CA/Intern you are evaluating. What aspects of the TA's teaching contributed most to your learning? What could the TA modify to help you learn more? Please include any additional feedback for the TA/CA/Intern.

| Comments |
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| Emma Adler helped me with understanding what was needed to improve my writing. She also took a lot of time to help me with this. |

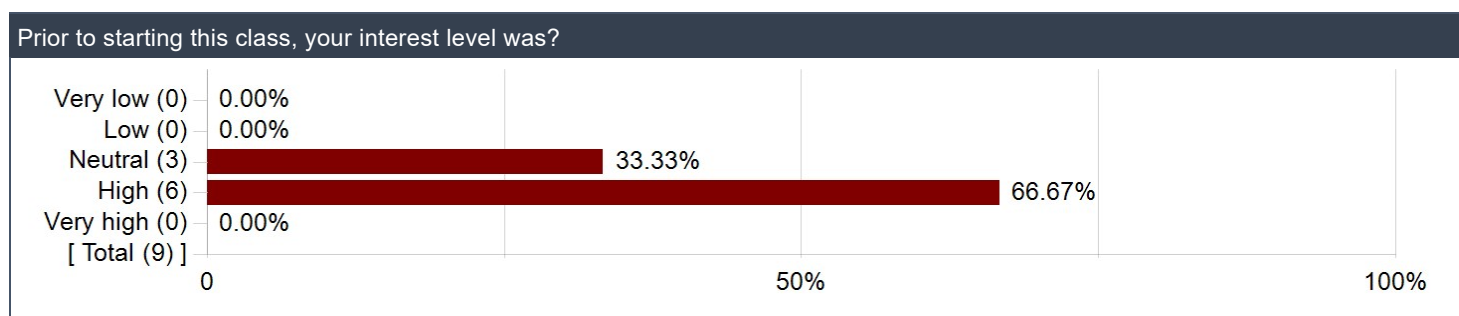
The TA/CA or Intern. . .

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| Facilitated discussions that supported your learning. | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 100.00% | 0.00% |
| Gave you useful feedback on your work. | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 100.00% | 0.00% |
| Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the class. | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 100.00% | 0.00% |
| Challenged you to learn. | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 100.00% | 0.00% |
| Helped you succeed in the class. | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 100.00% | 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. | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 100.00% | 0.00% |

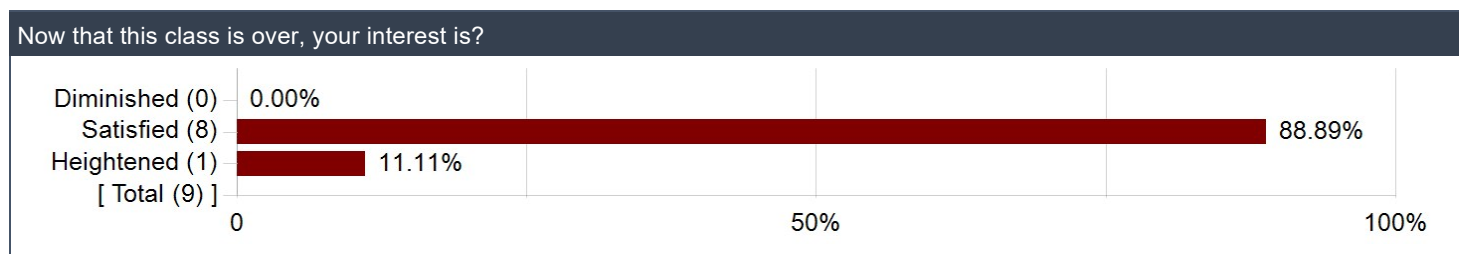
Is this class a requirement of some sort?



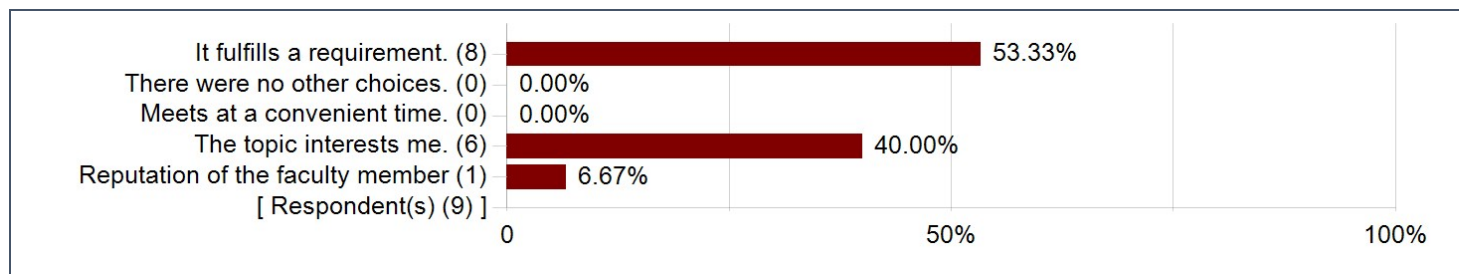
Prior to starting this class, your interest level was?



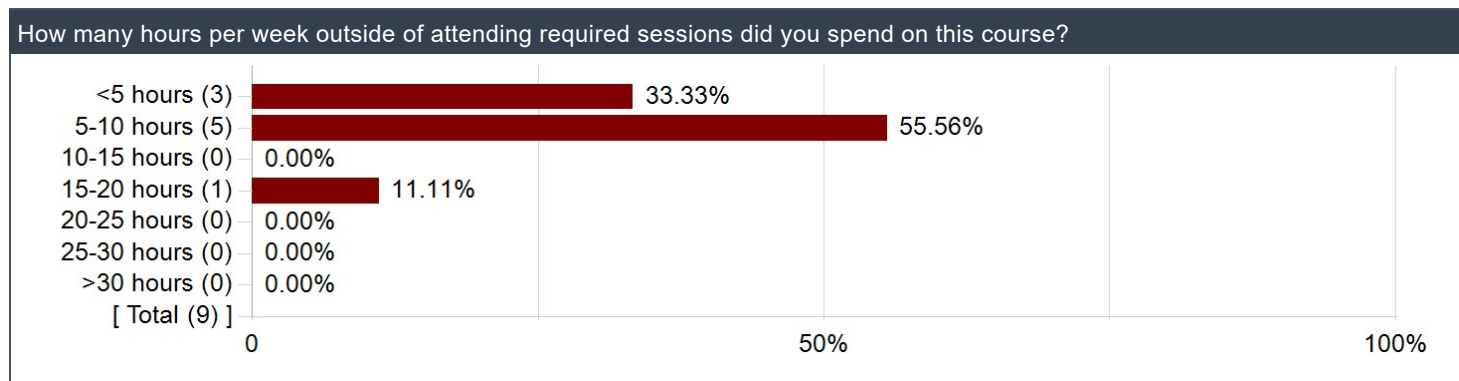
Now that this class is over, your interest is?



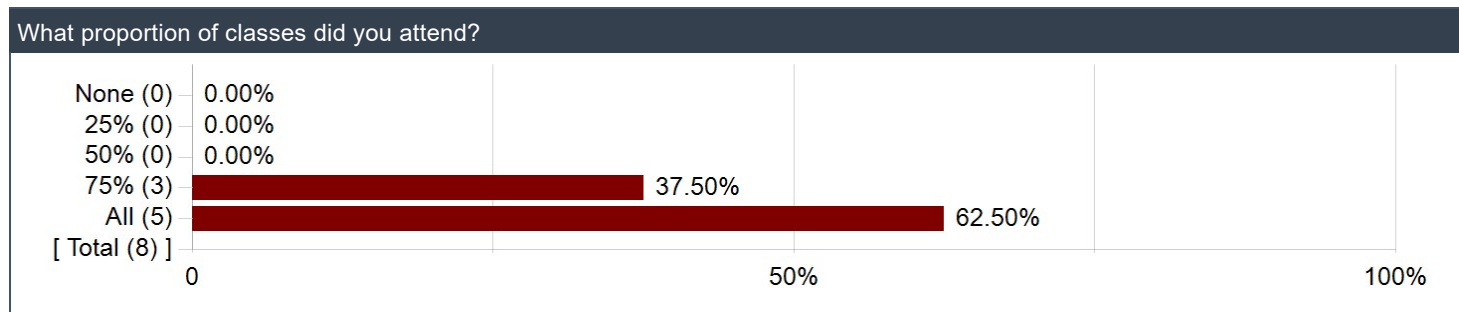
Why did you choose to take this course? (Select all that apply)



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 |
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| No background in psych. Loved this class |
| this quarter has definitely been challenging since we're dealing with the biological mechanism in neuroscience |
| Good for anyone needing a SOSC |