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Student IA Evaluation for Chih-Hsuan Kao Department of Economics

ECON 4 - Financial Accounting (Willoughby, Michael Gene) Fall 2017

> Number of Evaluations Submitted: 35 Number of Students Enrolled: 215

1. The Instructional Assistant graded fairly and consistently.

26 (76.5%): Strongly Agree

4 (11.8%): Agree

1 (2.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 3 (8.8%): Not Applicable 1: [No Response]

2. I went to the Instructional Assistant's office hours.

26 (76.5%): Yes 6 (17.6%): No

2 (5.9%): Not Applicable 1: [No Response]

3. The Instructional Assistant's assistance during office hours was well-informed, clearly presented and valuable.

23 (65.7%): Strongly Agree

5 (14.3%): Agree

1 (2.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 6 (17.1%): Not Applicable

4. In general, material covered during office hours was beneficial and helpful in my overall understanding of the course.

25 (71.4%): Strongly Agree

6 (17.1%): Agree

4 (11.4%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

5. I went to the Instructional Assistant's discussion sections.

14 (41.2%): Yes 6 (17.6%): No

14 (41.2%): Not Applicable 1: [No Response]

6. The Instructional Assistant came prepared and well organized to lead discussion sections.

16 (45.7%): Strongly Agree

4 (11.4%): Agree

1 (2.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 14 (40.0%): Not Applicable

7. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately at discussion sections.

17 (48.6%): Strongly Agree

1 (2.9%): Agree

2 (5.7%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 15 (42.9%): Not Applicable

8. In general, discussion sections enhanced my understanding of the course material.

21 (60.0%): Strongly Agree

3 (8.6%): Agree

8 (22.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

1 (2.9%): Disagree

2 (5.7%): Strongly Disagree

9. I went to the Instructional Assistant's midterm exam review session(s).

17 (48.6%): Yes 7 (20.0%): No

11 (31.4%): Not Applicable

10. The Instructional Assistant came prepared and well organized to exam reviews.

14 (40.0%): Strongly Agree

4 (11.4%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 17 (48.6%): Not Applicable

11. The Instructional Assistant presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately at exam reviews.

15 (44.1%): Strongly Agree

3 (8.8%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 16 (47.1%): Not Applicable 1: [No Response]

12. In general, exam reviews enhanced my understanding of the course material.

19 (55.9%): Strongly Agree

5 (14.7%): Agree

8 (23.5%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

2 (5.9%): Strongly Disagree 1: [No Response]

13. The Instructional Assistant was approachable, courteous and showed interest and concern for students' learning and understanding.

30 (85.7%): Strongly Agree

4 (11.4%): Agree

1 (2.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

14. I would recommend this Instructional Assistant to other students.

29 (82.9%): Strongly Agree

5 (14.3%): Agree

1 (2.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

15. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation?

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- Best TA I've ever had; going to office hours was genuinely helpful, and the amount of preparation she put into holding office hours was visibly apparent.
- Carolyn is extremely helpful and patient, especially the extra practice helps a lot:) She explains everything clearly than professor...
- Carolyn is the best TA that I have ever seen in my life. She is always ready to help the professor during every lecture just like taking care of the writing on the board and controlling the computer. She clearly knows what she is doing. Also, she is very friendly to everyone, always smiling and answering every question in very specific details.
- · Caroyln is very nice and responsible.
- · Help me a lot at her office hour
- No doubt in my mind, Carolyn is DEFINITELY the GREATEST IA/TA I have ever had at UCSD and I'm no first year. I honestly wish I could choose "super duper strongly agree" as an option because she was that amazing. No disrespect to the professor, but Prof. Willoughby's teaching "style" didn't really fit my learning and was little too fast/unclear for me; fortunately, I could look forward to Carolyn's office hours to clear up any confusion. I really liked her pace and attention to detail she used during her office hours, I mean I even learned things I didn't even know that I didn't know. I greatly appreciate the resources she provided on the material she went over that day because it was seriously helpful to look back on and study, like seriously helpful! Not only was Carolyn a super star in office hours, but she was even super helpful during lecture by writing things up on the board that the professor spoke about without even being asked; I'm a visual learner so If I can see what's going on or being discussed, I get a much better understanding. I believe Carolyn went over and beyond as an IA, she responded to emails quickly and even held extra office hours over the break and a final review. If I could give Carolyn a rating out of 10 in regards to her ability as an IA, it would be like a 12/10. She's that good. I remember when I was studying with my friends, they thought I was genius or something, but I was like "no, I just went to office hours." Haha, thanks for being a very helpful and awesome IA! Happy holidays and Happy New Year!
- OMG Carolyn is the reason why I am having a composite score of A! She is super nice and knows the material so well. I go to her office hour every week and honestly speaking I think she teaches better than the professor. She is so nice and adorable! Highly recommend her as TA. She has put a lot more effort required to be the TA of this course.
- She is a very helpful IA in class. I've never been to her office hours but she definitely knows what she is doing.
- She is very approachable

- She's an amazing lead TA. Even though this class has no real discussion sections, her office hours are more packed than discussion sections (even for DOC/Polisci/HILD discussion) and she handles them very well. She's clear, prepared, and comes to each office hour knowing what she wants to discuss. Highly recommend her, she's amazing. Super organized.
- the Instructional Assistant made learning in the class, better she was a valuable person for the class.
- Your last office hours cleared everything up for me. Very informative and very kind. Thank you so much!!

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