Clemson University
202401 Spring 2024 TA Evaluations

Course:	BIOL-3161-004: Human Physiology Lab (Malagon): 202401-BIOL-3161-004-11190-TA-Malagon
Instructor:	Daniel Malagon *
Response Rate:	18/18 (100.00 %)

1 - This TA displayed an adequate knowledge of the material presented.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	2	11.11%
Strongly Agree	(5)	16	88.89%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.89, University 4.61, College 4.63, Department 4.79

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.89	0.32	5.00	4810	4.61	0.75	5.00	3422	4.63	0.75	5.00	2200	4.79	0.56	5.00

2 - This TA was well prepared with lecture material for every class session.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	2	11.11%
Strongly Agree	(5)	16	88.89%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.89, University 4.57, College 4.62, Department 4.80

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.89	0.32	5.00	4799	4.57	0.80	5.00	3414	4.62	0.77	5.00	2197	4.80	0.53	5.00

3 - For in-class activities, this TA provided clear directions and helped students focus on the important concepts being illustrated.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	2	11.11%
Strongly Agree	(5)	16	88.89%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.89, University 4.45, College 4.48, Department 4.70

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.89	0.32	5.00	4800	4.45	0.94	5.00	3417	4.48	0.93	5.00	2195	4.70	0.67	5.00

4 - This TA was enthusiastic about the subject.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	4	22.22%
Strongly Agree	(5)	14	77.78%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.78, University 4.44, College 4.47, Department 4.69

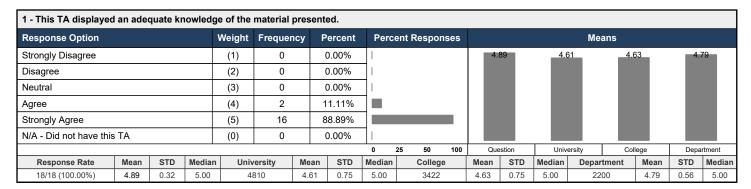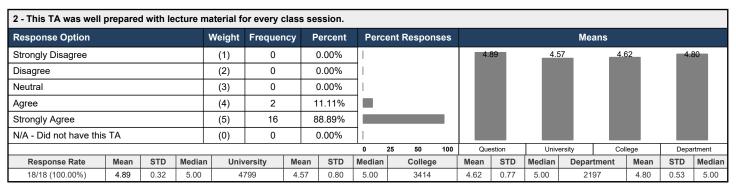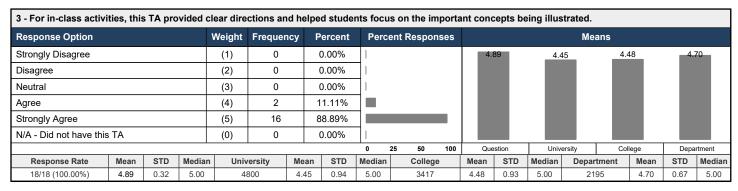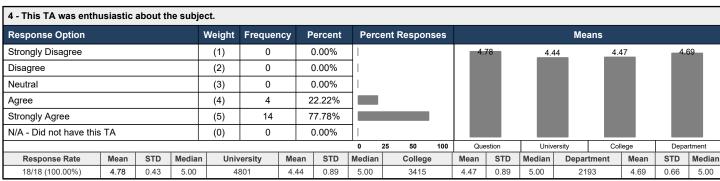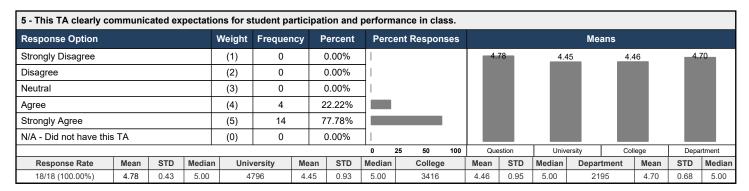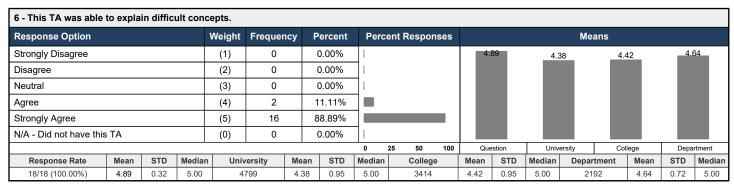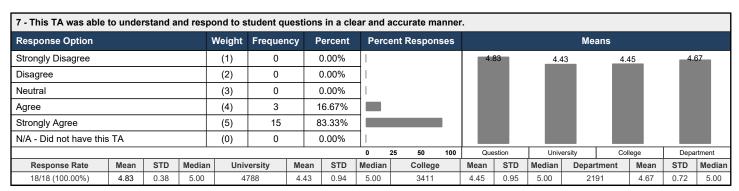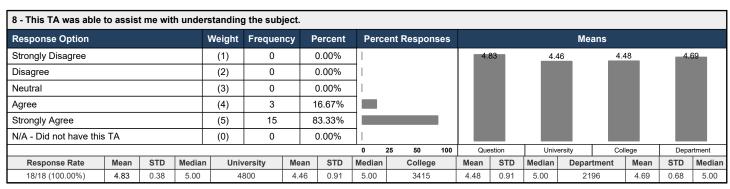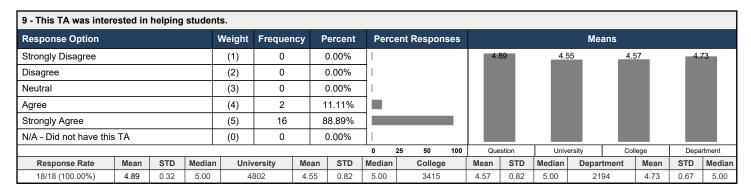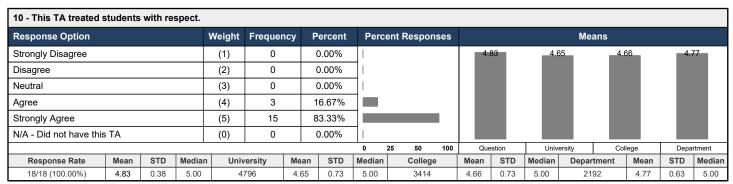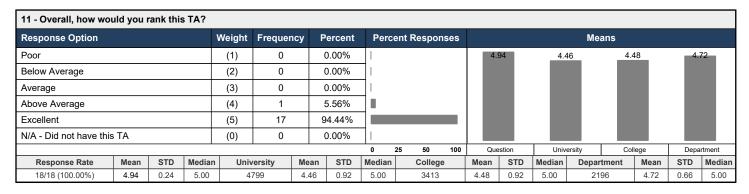| Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.78	0.43	5.00	4801	4.44	0.89	5.00	3415	4.47	0.89	5.00	2193	4.69	0.66	5.00

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5 - This TA clearly communicated expectations for student participation and performance in class.

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Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	4	22.22%
Strongly Agree	(5)	14	77.78%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.78, University 4.45, College 4.46, Department 4.70

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.78	0.43	5.00	4796	4.45	0.93	5.00	3416	4.46	0.95	5.00	2195	4.70	0.68	5.00

6 - This TA was able to explain difficult concepts.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	2	11.11%
Strongly Agree	(5)	16	88.89%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.89, University 4.38, College 4.42, Department 4.64

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.89	0.32	5.00	4799	4.38	0.95	5.00	3414	4.42	0.95	5.00	2192	4.64	0.72	5.00

7 - This TA was able to understand and respond to student questions in a clear and accurate manner.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	3	16.67%
Strongly Agree	(5)	15	83.33%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.83, University 4.43, College 4.45, Department 4.67

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.83	0.38	5.00	4788	4.43	0.94	5.00	3411	4.45	0.95	5.00	2191	4.67	0.72	5.00

8 - This TA was able to assist me with understanding the subject.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%
Agree	(4)	3	16.67%
Strongly Agree	(5)	15	83.33%
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%

Means: Question 4.83, University 4.46, College 4.48, Department 4.69

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.83	0.38	5.00	4800	4.46	0.91	5.00	3415	4.48	0.91	5.00	2196	4.69	0.68	5.00

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9 - This TA was interested in helping students.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%		
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%		
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%		
Agree	(4)	2	11.11%		
Strongly Agree	(5)	16	88.89%		
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%		

Means: Question 4.89, University 4.55, College 4.57, Department 4.73

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.89	0.32	5.00	4802	4.55	0.82	5.00	3415	4.57	0.82	5.00	2194	4.73	0.67	5.00

10 - This TA treated students with respect.

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Strongly Disagree	(1)	0	0.00%		
Disagree	(2)	0	0.00%		
Neutral	(3)	0	0.00%		
Agree	(4)	3	16.67%		
Strongly Agree	(5)	15	83.33%		
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%		

Means: Question 4.83, University 4.65, College 4.66, Department 4.77

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.83	0.38	5.00	4796	4.65	0.73	5.00	3414	4.66	0.73	5.00	2192	4.77	0.63	5.00

11 - Overall, how would you rank this TA?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%		
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%		
Average	(3)	0	0.00%		
Above Average	(4)	1	5.56%		
Excellent	(5)	17	94.44%		
N/A - Did not have this TA	(0)	0	0.00%		

Means: Question 4.94, University 4.46, College 4.48, Department 4.72

Response Rate	Mean	STD	Median	University	Mean	STD	Median	College	Mean	STD	Median	Department	Mean	STD	Median
18/18 (100.00%)	4.94	0.24	5.00	4799	4.46	0.92	5.00	3413	4.48	0.92	5.00	2196	4.72	0.66	5.00

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12 - What suggestions do you have to improve this TA's ability to teach?	
Response Rate	13/18 (72.22%)

• Nothing I can think of.

• N/A

• N/a

• Just keep doing what you're doing.

• N/A

• I do not see any need for improvement. His teaching style and helpfulness during lab exercises is remarkable.

• n/a

• More availability for questions when a lab report is due!

• Daniel is an outstanding TA. I would say the only thing to improve is to allow students more time to copy down the slides when he presents since the student version is missing the info that is on the TA slides.

• maybe it would be helpful to have a brief demo of the experiments before we all start the lab. only for the harder ones. overall, Daniel was wonderful and had a great attitude. He is always willing to help.

• I would suggest maybe adding a little more to the overview of the procedure to make sure everyone knows what is happening and the more difficult procedures are explained.

• None that I can think of!

• Nothing, I think Daniel does a wonderful job at explaining the concepts in a timely manner that allows us to move on to the lab work and leaves time for us to ask him plenty of questions.

13 - What do you consider to be this TA's greatest strength?	
Response Rate	17/18 (94.44%)

• He is always willing to explain concepts in one million different ways; whatever it takes for us to understand.

• His kindness and enthusiasm. He instantly makes you feel comfortable and never makes you feel dumb asking questions. He is so helpful!

• Straight to the point, pretty much always had the answers to questions, very personable.

• Enthusiastic

• Daniel did an excellent job at explaining the material and helping if there were any questions.

• Daniel is very approachable and always willing to help. I felt like I could always come to him with a question no matter how simple or complex it was and he would be able to find me an answer.

• Clear communication about expectations and explaining the material well.

• Interaction with students and explanation of difficult topics

• Explaining difficult concepts as well as making sure there is an overall understanding among his students

• He is really good at being invested in the subject. He has a great understanding and wants to be sure that we understand what is being taught. He is extremely willing to help at any given point.

• His friendliness and willingness to work with students.

• Daniel truly cares about the success of his students and is very honest about the work that is required of us.

• He's really great at offering help when students seem confused and I always knew he would answer my questions well.

• His greatest strengths is his enthusiasm and willingness to help the students.

• He is very clear with expectations and wants everyone to succeed.

• He is great at responding to questions and helping the students in and out of the lab. I would have loved to have had him as a TA for other labs and I feel like I have learned a lot from him.

• He was extremely personable!

14 - What do you consider to be this TA's greatest weakness?	
Response Rate	12/18 (66.67%)

• None

• N/A

• n/a

• None

• N/A

• N/A

• N/A

• Availability

• Nothing I can think of

• I honestly can't think of one Daniel was really great and I would love to have him as a TA again.

• His greatest weakness is probably the way he grades. It can be a little unforgiving.

• None!

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15 - Additional Comments for this TA, if any:	
Response Rate	7/18 (38.89%)

- He is always considerate and willing to help in any way he can. One of my favorite TAs.

- you are amazing, best TA I have had thus far.

- You're very good at explaining the labs and answering questions.

- Overall a great TA!

- I had a really enjoyable lab experience with you as my TA Daniel.

- none

- Really respectful guy who is willing to help. I would take him again.