Instructor: **Kennedy, Justin**

Subject: **CS**

Catalog & Section: **5800 02**

Course ID: **37894**

Objectives:

Enrollment: **77**

Responses Incl Declines: **20**

Declines: **0**

Instructor Related Questions: Justin Kennedy (15 comments)

Q: What were the strengths of this course and/or this instructor?

1   Compared to other courses, this one was VERY organized and detailed in the syllabus, weekly modules, and expected deliverables.

2   Prof. Kennedy is willing to help me whenever I have trouble in this course. His help is very important for me to achieve my learning goal in this course.

3   Online courses. Easy to access anytime.

4   The time that I get due to it being online. I am able to spend my time more effectively managing things.

5   Well-paced course

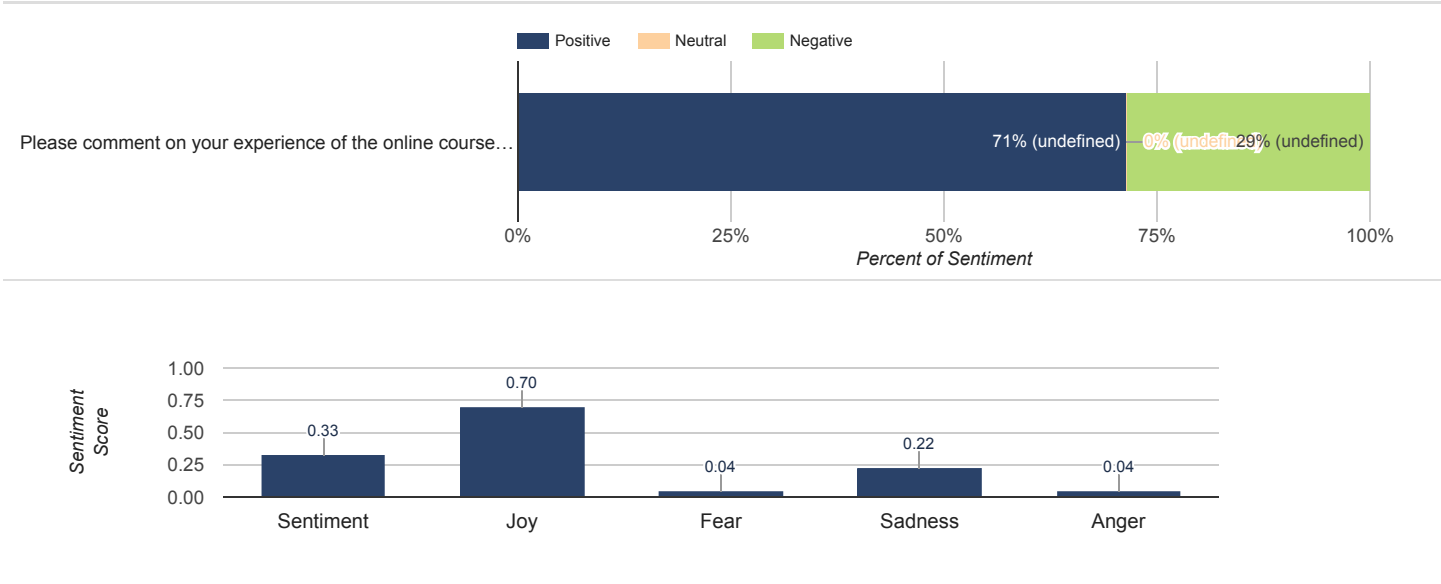### Q: What could the instructor do to make this course better?

1   Provide more PDF content rather than Word based formats. I often had to convert .ppt slides to PDF to interact with them.

2   I think a bit more of live-time interaction with the professor and other students will make this course more interesting.

3   Nothing

4   Maybe create their own material which relate a lot more to the assignments. Kind of felt a disconnect between assignment and materials given.

5   the course was taught in form of recorded videos by another professor. There could have been a proper zoom session by the course's professor for 3-4 hours a week to go over the topics and explain them in a better way.

6   Add more in-person online sessions insetad of only recordings

Q: Please expand on the instructor's strengths and/or areas for improvement in facilitating inclusive learning.

1   I was able to answer all assignments using Python rather than straight Math as other Algo teachers have required. I am most comfortable demonstrating my knowledge and understanding of the material in Python rather than Math proofs. For me, Math proofs are akin to writing in a language I don't speak fluently. I appreciate the ability to use the language and format that enables me to most accurately express my understanding of the material, especially given that the course is a computer science course.

2   I don't think there is much to do.

3   Online course is nice

4   NA

Questions to Assess Students' Online Experience (7 comments)

Q: Please comment on your experience of the online course environment in the open-ended text box.

Please comment on your experience of the online course… 71% (undefined) 0% (undefined) 29% (undefined)

Legend: Positive, Neutral, Negative

X-axis: Percent of Sentiment (0%, 25%, 50%, 75%, 100%)

Sentiment Score bar chart:
- Sentiment: 0.33
- Joy: 0.70
- Fear: 0.04
- Sadness: 0.22
- Anger: 0.04

Q: Please comment on your experience of the online course environment in the open-ended text box.

1   This course was VERY organized which helped me to prioritize both my coursework and my work-work. While I didn't have many interactions with my professor, I did feel as though he was always available. ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

2   I think it is good enough. Nothing too fancy, everything is as expected. ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

3   Good ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

4   Expected the professor's own course content rather than depending on Prof Ravi Sundaram's course. So was disappointed in that aspect. ★ ☆ ☆ ☆

5   easily one of the poorer course preparations I've ever seen. the videos provided does not explain the concepts well enough. Always need to learn from outside sources. ★ ☆ ☆ ☆

6   great ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

7   The online course material was well designed ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Student Self-Assessment of their Effort to Achieve Course Outcomes (6 comments)

Q: What I could have done to make this course better for myself.

1   Not wait until last minute to do the modules

2   Not have to work full time while in school full time. Although, I still did pretty damn good given this.

3   I think I should some Leetcode problems to enhance my understanding on the course materials.

4   Nothing

5   Procrastinate less, as the class was very nicely structured and if I spread out the contents over the week, it was much more simple compared to doing it all in 3 days of the week.

6   NA