**CIS 410 Computer Networks - Students Comments**

**Spring 2017:**

Please comment on the strengths and weaknesses of the instructor. Would you take another course from this instructor?

* Dr. Gurajala has been an excellent educator. I can not think of a flaw. 10/10, I would take another course.
* It has been a pleasure having Ms. Gurajala. She is extremely helpful and I learned a lot from this class. Keep on doing what you’re already doing.
* If I were not a senior I would love to take another class from this instructor.
* Strengths include clarity, competence and approachability.
* Fantastic. Maybe don’t rush through slides so much, but I love your teaching style. Also, you don’t have to be as forgiving as you have been (I don’t mind because I slightly benefitted) otherwise awesome.
* I would take another course with her. She knew and demonstrated the material very well.

Please comment on course content, requirements or any other aspect of the course

* The rubric for the course was relevant and necessary for computer science education. It was well paced and informative
* I found it very helpful that we spent time reviewing material before exams and that quizzes and homework’s were related to exams. Also I believe we should also have a lab day along with the extra credit.
* The course was fantastic. I actually understood almost everything.
* There is lot of content in the course to remember

**Spring 2018:**

Please comment on the strengths and weaknesses of the instructor. Would you take another course from this instructor?

* Yes!
* Yes.
* I would take another course with the instructor. I feel as though we moved a bit too fast in this particular course.
* For me she is the best in the CIS department. She explained everything clear and evaluates her class fairly.
* Yes, I would. Included helpful worksheets and presented material in a very organized and clear manner. Open to questions and willing to explain or elaborate on background information
* She is very good, sometimes talks really fast which makes it hard to stay with her, partially due to classes being canceled and needing to pick up pace
* The professor would talk too fast sometimes and would be hard to follow. Otherwise, the course wasn't bad and I will be taking more classes with the professor
* Great professor, I don’t have any opinions. I would take another course from this instructor
* Dr. Gurajala is good at breaking down diagrams and explaining things through picture. On the other hand she often goes over things very fast at times.

Please comment on course content, requirements or any other aspect of the course

* Review the day before a test or a quiz would have greatly impacted my grade. Felt like there was stuff I had never seen before.
* Personally, I think the course should focus a lot more on network security. I wish we had more time for it.
* Would have liked labs with my wireshark instead of geni maybe
* The course was fine, but some of the binary was confusing
* There was a good amount of work in the class. Sometimes a little too much at a time but it was manageable.
* The course content is very thorough and feel as though I understand networks much better than when I started the course

**Spring 2019:**

Please comment on course content, requirements or any other aspect of the course

* It was an important course, but I found that I had issues retaining information.
* It was fine
* Awesome stuff as always
* The online applications necessary are complete trash
* Need to do more with GENI in class before lab, stop having quizzes on material not covered yet. Homework material needs to be before the test.
* Emphasis on an renewing GENI slice is key, an early lab for GENI may be helpful
* I felt homework never reflected what to study for a test. Handing back homework only a couple of days, sometimes never, before exams is a very flawed we used that homework to study as well
* The snow days earlier in the semester forced of the pace of the course to increase. I found it was hard to get through all of the material without rushing.
* Felt rushed, could have been due to class cancellations at the beginning of the semester.

Please comment on the strengths and weaknesses of the instructor. Would you take another course from this instructor?

* She is very competent and structures the class well. Sometimes presentations felt too dense to retain everything.
* She went through material too quickly
* Looking forward to next semester
* If every student messes something up, it is not the students fault, it is yours
* Personally, Dr. Gurajala is my favorite professor in the department and I enjoy taking her class a lot. With that being said, I feel like she should have slowed down a lot during teaching this course. Flying through the slides doesn’t work for me, I might as well have never showed up to the lecture
* Yes I’d take another class from her
* Good Understanding of The Subject
* Sometimes note taking is a little difficult because of the speed you go through the slides, but I think that’s due to canceled classes at the beginning of the semester
* I thoroughly enjoy courses with Dr. Gurajala. She is a very fair and understanding. Occasionally, it was difficult to learn by example is because of the pace we had to go. I would love to take another course with her.
* Dr. G is an amazing professor, who is super caring and is always there to help