Berkeley

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Project Title: **[ENGINEERING] Fall 2019 Evaluations**

Courses Audience: **823**
Responses Received: **340**
Response Ratio: **41.31%**

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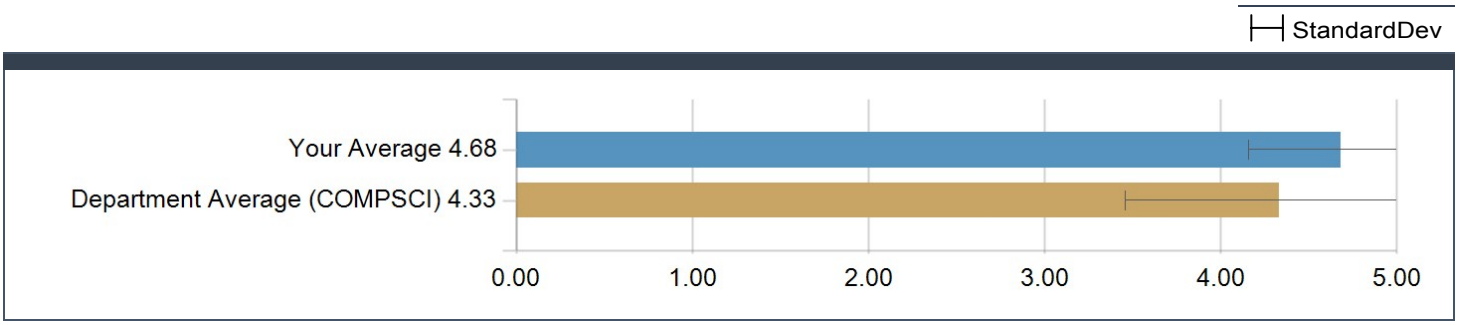
Instructor Ratings

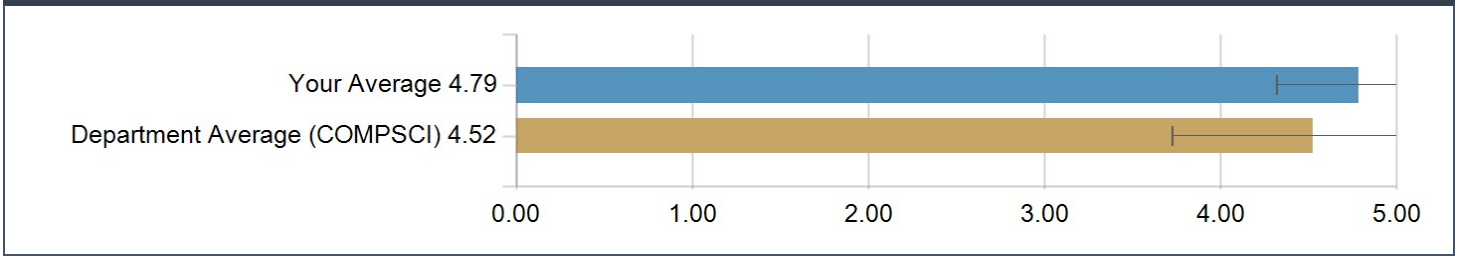
Please rate the GSI's overall teaching effectiveness.



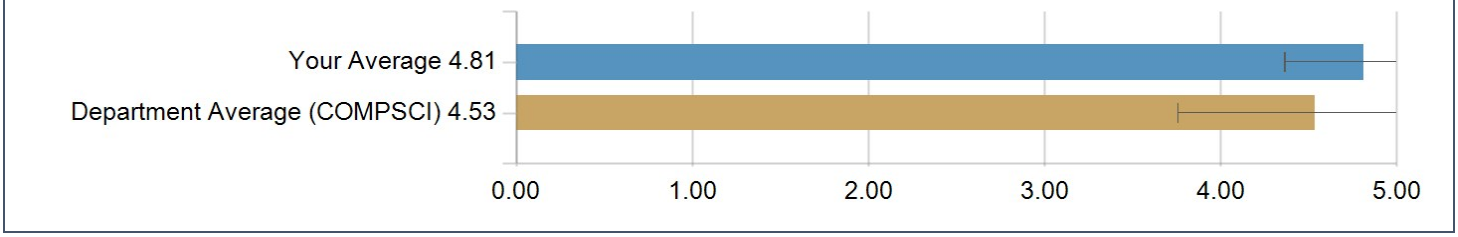
Please rate the GSI's overall teaching effectiveness.		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Least Effective	0	0.00%
2	0	0.00%
3	1	2.63%
4	10	26.32%
5-Most Effective	27	71.05%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		38
Mean		4.68
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.53

GSI Ratings

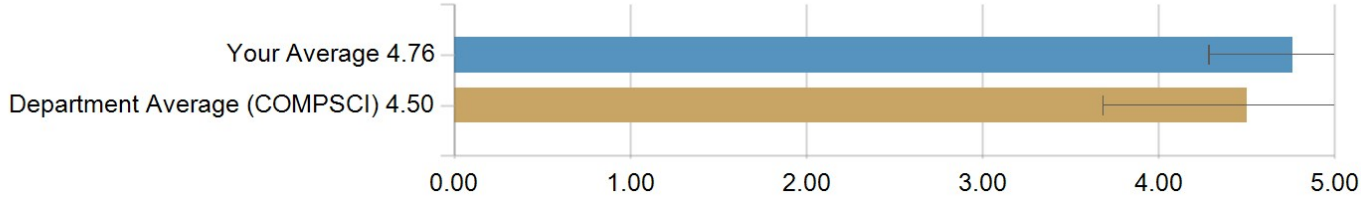
1. Helpful in understanding course material



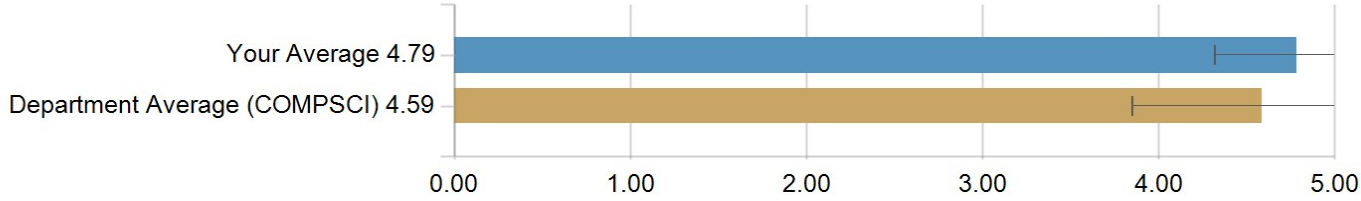
2. Is well prepared



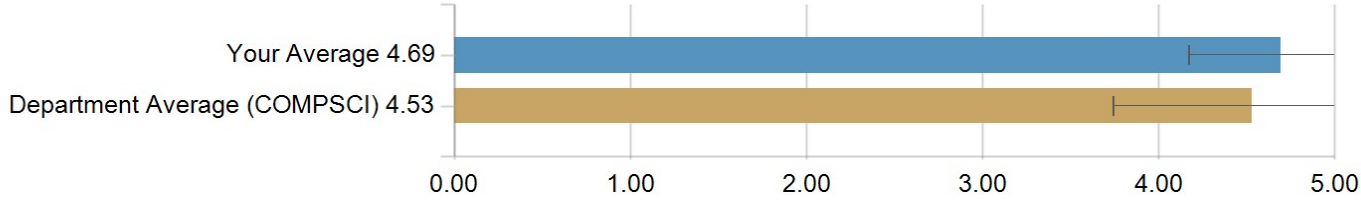
3. Communicates ideas effectively



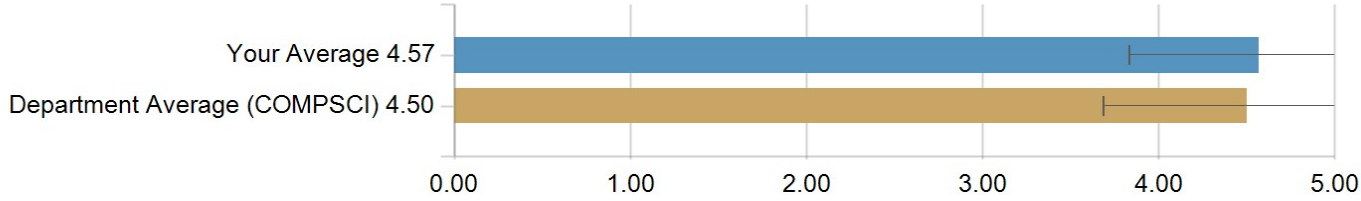
4. Appears to have a good knowledge of the subject matter



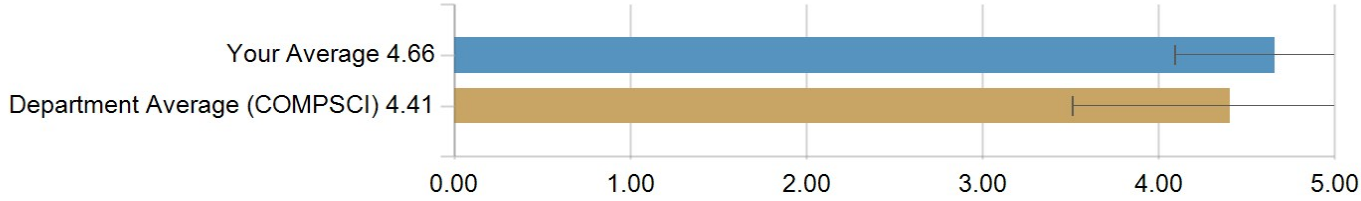
5. Answers questions accurately



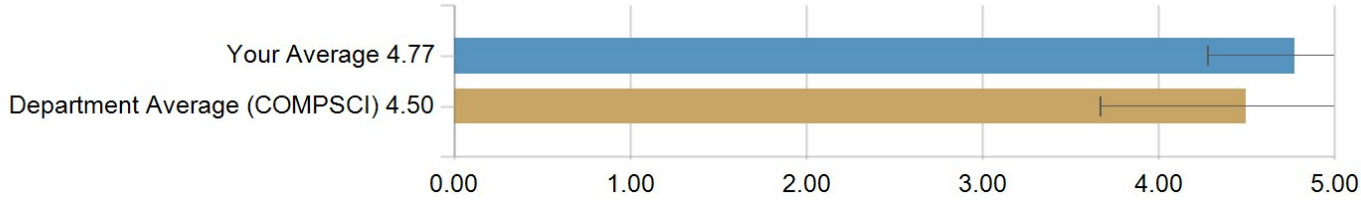
6. Encourages questions and/or classroom discussion



7. Is aware when students are having difficulty



8. Is accessible during office hours



1. Helpful in understanding course material		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	2.38%
Agree	7	16.67%
5-Strongly Agree	34	80.95%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		42
Mean		4.79
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.47

2. Is well prepared		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	2.38%
Agree	6	14.29%
5-Strongly Agree	35	83.33%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		42
Mean		4.81
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.45

3. Communicates ideas effectively		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	2.38%
Agree	8	19.05%
5-Strongly Agree	33	78.57%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		42
Mean		4.76
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.48

4. Appears to have a good knowledge of the subject matter		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	2.38%
Agree	7	16.67%
5-Strongly Agree	34	80.95%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		42
Mean		4.79
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.47

5. Answers questions accurately		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	2.38%
Agree	11	26.19%
5-Strongly Agree	30	71.43%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		42
Mean		4.69
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.52

6. Encourages questions and/or classroom discussion		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	1	2.38%
Neutral	3	7.14%
Agree	9	21.43%
5-Strongly Agree	29	69.05%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		42
Mean		4.57
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.74

7. Is aware when students are having difficulty		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	2	4.88%
Agree	10	24.39%
5-Strongly Agree	29	70.73%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		41
Mean		4.66
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.57

8. Is accessible during office hours		
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	3.23%
Agree	5	16.13%
5-Strongly Agree	25	80.65%
Statistics		Value
Response Count		31
Mean		4.77
Median		5.00
Standard Deviation		0.50

Open Ended Questions

Instructor

Please provide comments or suggestions about the GSI

Comments
Joey understands the material really well and is always happy to answer our questions after sections.
needs to consider explaining the material better for students struggling to keep up
11/10 GSI. Super knowledgeable, very clear, always well prepared, and is great with managing time during section. Nothing bad to say. You're awesome! Even though the discussion room was always really full, I wouldn't go to any other section
Does his best to make sure the entire class understand the concept. Has precise answers to student's questions, and has very good knowledge of the course.
Joey was an excellent TA. He was always well–prepared for discussion section, and also always offered extra help if students had questions about discussion, lecture, or pointers for homework. He was clearly knowledgeable about the subject matter and effectively communicated the course material. One of the most valuable resources of this course.
He is a very great GSI.
Joey is a great TA. He provides detailed solutions to the quizzes and discussion worksheets and explains the material well.
One of my favorite GSI's at Cal. I had a really positive experience in his section. I would have liked to see less mini lecturing and more focus on how to work through problems and decide on which strategies to use.
Joey single handedly made this course an easier journey. His discussion are very useful; I might even say they are more useful than lectures. He was attentive and responsive during class, and explained things well.
Joey is an amazing TA who just really understands the content well and is really good at explaining it.
Awesome TA, the kind of person and instructor I want to become like. He prepares additional review materials after the discussion questions are finished, maximizing students' understanding of materials taught in the last lecture. The only setback might be that his discussion is so popular so you usually have to sit on the ground.
I ran through a few GSIs this semester and it took me 8 weeks to find him. He is a really great GSI, identifies important material and concepts, explaining material clearly. Also, you can tell the class likes him and appreciates his teaching because the room is always packed and maxes out capacity, while the other sections i have attended only average around 5 or 6 students. Highly recommend and get this man a job.
Joey knows how to communicate the material in CS 70 and has been instrumental in my understanding of various topics in the class.
A good discussion teacher.
Joey is a very good TA. I find his sections extremely helpful and really like his way of understanding some concepts. I would definitely recommend him to other students taking 70.