|            | All scores out of five:                         | The atmosphere in my recitation was encouraged participation. | My TA<br>Answered<br>questions<br>well. | My TA<br>answered<br>course<br>materials in a<br>clear and<br>understandable<br>way. | My TA<br>had good<br>knowledge<br>of the<br>course<br>material. | My TA<br>was well<br>prepared<br>and well<br>organized. | The quizzes and problem sets were graded fairly. | My<br>TA<br>was<br>helpful<br>during<br>her<br>office<br>hours. | I am<br>generally<br>satisfied<br>with the<br>performance<br>of my TA. | Total |
|------------|---|---|---|--|---|---|--|---|--|-------|
| Fall, 2016 | Econ 122:<br>Introduction<br>to<br>Econometrics | 4.25  | 4.56                                    | N/A  | 4.59  | 4.42  | 4.58   | 4.64  | 4.53   | 4.51  |

## **All Comments (Not Selected):**

## What your TA did best to help you learn the material?

- Go over examples, clarify lecture notes during recitations, sending helpful homework keys and STATA files to explain things well
- Clear explanations of problem sets
- Very thorough during recitation. Asked good questions. Gave good direction on areas to work on your own, and for study strategies in general. Detailed HW solutions very helpful.
- Nothing
- Knew the material better than the professor. Explained it superbly too. Homeworks were graded very quickly and every concept was explained thoroughly. Study guide (equation sheet) and answer key to HW were both immensely helpful.
- Sent out clear solutions to homework problems and answered questions via email.
- Tailoring the Recitation to material not covered well in class or going over further applications of the material.
- Held review sessions for midterms and answered clarifying questions on HW
- She was very helpful with making sense of the intense proofs behind econometrics.
- She has an incredible understanding of the material. She was also very dedicated and made it seem like it was not a burden to ask her questions. One of the best TAs I've ever had.
- Madhulika did a great job of covering more difficult topics in recitations instead of wasting time on easy ones. I felt like I really benefitted from having her go deeper into particular econometrics concepts. I also really appreciated how quickly she graded.

- Great at explaining and breaking things down into more understandable terms and explaining why things are the way they are.
- Go over examples, clarify lecture notes during recitations, sending helpful homework keys and STATA files to explain things well.

## Define any criticism you have of your TA.

- Sometimes struggled to explain advanced concepts simply, largely due to shortcuts that we didn't have the math to use.
- Maybe went a little fast in recitation sometimes. Overall, outstanding TA.
- No criticism. Amazing!!
- No criticisms
- Was too flexible with deadlines for homework...not fair to students who DID submit homework on time
- N/A -- she's great!
- Sometimes she worked very quickly and her handwriting can be a little messy.
- Changed days and times of the recitations at the beginning semester. I could not attend either of them because I had other classes during those times. I have to take this class this semester for my major and could not rearrange my schedule to accommodate the last-minute changes in the recitations. TAs should not be allowed to change the recitations days and times from those that are advertised when you sign up for the course.
- I think that sometimes Madhulika expected us to understand some of the material too quickly. There's a balance to be struck between believing in our abilities and not expecting too much, and occasionally she seemed to veer too much towards the latter.
- None she's actually the best TA I've ever had and I couldn't ask for better.