

OID/Evaluation of Instruction Program
CLASS SUMMARY FOR: SYNACTC TYPLGY&UNIV

2012 SPRING
Form B

Instructor: KOROTKOVA, N. ID: 203932154
Department: LING
Course: SYNACTC TYPLGY&UNIV 127 ID: 253459201
Type: DIS 001A
Enrollment: 19

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1. Year in School	2. UCLA GPA	3. Expected Grade	4. Requirement Fulfilled
# valid responses: 12	# valid responses: 12	# valid responses: 12	# valid responses: 11
Freshman: 0.00 %	Below 2.0: 0.00 %	A: 50.00 %	Major: 72.73 %
Sophomore: 25.00 %	2.0 - 2.49: 0.00 %	B: 25.00 %	Related Field: 27.27 %
Junior: 41.67 %	2.5 - 2.99: 16.67 %	C: 8.33 %	G.E.: 0.00 %
Senior: 33.33 %	3.0 - 3.49: 41.67 %	D: 0.00 %	None: 0.00 %
Graduate: 0.00 %	3.5 +: 33.33 %	F: 0.00 %	
Other: 0.00 %	Not Established 8.33 %	P: 0.00 %	
		NP: 0.00 %	
		?: 16.67 %	

Questions	Not			Low				Medium				High		No	Rsp			Std
	Appl	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Rsp	Rsp	Mean	Mdn	Dev			
5. The T.A. was knowledgeable about the material.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	8	0	12	8.25	9.00	1.3			
6. The T.A. was concerned about student learning.	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	5	2	0	12	7.25	8.00	1.5			
7. Section presentations were well prepared and organized.	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	2	4	1	0	12	6.50	7.00	1.9			
8. The T.A. expanded on course ideas.	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	5	2	0	12	7.17	8.00	1.7			
9. Students felt welcome in seeking help.	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	4	3	0	12	7.25	8.00	1.8			
10. The teaching assistant had good communication skills.	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	5	3	1	0	12	6.92	7.00	1.5			
11. Value of the sections justified time and effort.	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	5	2	0	0	12	5.75	7.00	2.3			
12. Your overall rating of the T.A.	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	3	5	0	0	12	6.42	7.00	2.0			
13. Nonstandard Question.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.00	0.00	0.0			
14. Nonstandard Question.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.00	0.00	0.0			
15. Nonstandard Question.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.00	0.00	0.0			
16. Nonstandard Question.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.00	0.00	0.0			
17. Nonstandard Question.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.00	0.00	0.0			
18. Nonstandard Question.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0.00	0.00	0.0			

Course Characteristics	Not Appl	Low	Medium	High	#No Resp	#Val Resp
19. Difficulty (Relative to Other Courses)	0	3	6	2	1	11
20. Workload/Pace Was	0	0	11	0	1	11
21. Integration of Section with Course was	0	1	8	2	1	11
22. Texts, Required Readings	2	0	7	2	1	11
23. Homework Assignments	0	0	9	2	1	11
24. Graded Materials, Examinations	2	1	7	1	1	11
25. Lecture Presentations	1	0	8	2	1	11
26. Class Discussions	0	2	8	1	1	11

PLEASE IDENTIFY WHAT YOU PERCEIVE TO BE THE REAL STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES OF THIS TEACHING ASSISTANT AND COURSE.

Strengths: - Very knowledgeable
- very helpful
- always provides full answer when students ask questions

Weaknesses: None

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- great with email!
- discussion was a waste of time, but that was cause the class had no exams and everything taught could have been learned from reading wikipedia

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The T.A. makes students feel free to ask questions, but I expected things that are helpful for homeworks more.

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Students were uncomfortable with having to submit their homework by pasting a PDF of it to a message board online (and then the entire class would get an email saying you did, and everyone could see each everyone else's work). This was especially problematic ~~is~~ for the assignment where we all worked on the same ~~&~~ sentences from the same languages. No one wanted to post first. I also think much too much class time was taken up by writing examples on the board. Why not use ^{Section} powerpoint? ~~TA~~ TA was patient and approachable.

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Strength: Natasha was always very well prepared about any topic

Weaknesses: it took a lot of time to get my assignments graded, so that it was hard for me to improve because I didn't know what I did good or bad in the previous assignment.

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There are times when Natasha sounds a little quiet, so she's often hard to hear. She was also a little late in answering a few emails, but other than these times she was very prompt.

A lot of time in section seemed to be devoted to writing examples on the board. I think it might help if she came early and wrote them it would be helpful. But I did enjoy Natasha as a TA.

(also, I didn't evaluate the prof, b/c I wasn't there that day, but I REALLY liked him. He ~~seem~~ has been infinitely more animated and interesting compared to other profs. I think the early time contributed to poor attendance.)

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Freshman: 0.00 %	Below 2.0: 0.00 %	A: 42.86 %	Major: 100.00 %
Sophomore: 28.57 %	2.0 - 2.49: 0.00 %	B: 0.00 %	Related Field: 0.00 %
Junior: 42.86 %	2.5 - 2.99: 28.57 %	C: 0.00 %	G.E.: 0.00 %
Senior: 28.57 %	3.0 - 3.49: 42.86 %	D: 0.00 %	None: 0.00 %
Graduate: 0.00 %	3.5 +: 28.57 %	F: 0.00 %	
Other: 0.00 %	Not Established 0.00 %	P: 0.00 %	
		NP: 57.14 %	
		?:	

Questions	Not Appl	Low	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	High	No Rsp	Rsp	Mean	Mdn	Std Dev
5. The T.A. was knowledgeable about the material.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	7	8.43	9.00	0.8	
6. The T.A. was concerned about student learning.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	4	0	7	8.14	9.00	1.2	
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9. Students felt welcome in seeking help.	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	7	7.14	9.00	3.0		
10. The teaching assistant had good communication skills.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	2	0	7	7.43	7.00	1.3		
11. Value of the sections justified time and effort.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	1	6	7.67	7.50	1.2		
12. Your overall rating of the T.A.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	3	0	7	7.86	8.00	1.2	
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I think it would have been better if there was much more integration between discussion & lecture because I felt that there was a bit of disconnect.

Also section would have been better if it was much more interactive

Thank you for Everything ☺

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Natalia speaks very quietly. It is difficult to hear, even with such a small class.

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Knows very well the material and expands the ideas.

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Natalia was very helpful when it comes to ~~asking~~^{answering} questions regarding class material. She gave great feedbacks on assignments about what I could improve on next assignment. Very interactive and nice. I think she will become a great proffesor if she is pursuing career in teaching."

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It would have been helpful to receive some readings on typological issues on other languages.

I feel that I was not really well-prepared to know what was expected on the homework assignments.

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Natasha has always made it clear that if we have questions about the course, or anything else for that matter, that one may communicate with her via office hour/email/appointment. Having done a wide variety of typological work herself, she is able to provide relevant and super insightful discussion.

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I greatly appreciated how friendly and open you were; it's nice having a TA you can approach. Have an awesome summer! 😊

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