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## Evaluation Results

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#### Social Sciences TA Evaluation

Responses: 148 / 427 (34.66%)

Window: 11/24/19 12:00am - 12/8/19 11:45pm

Assigned to: ECON 15A LEC A: PROB & STATS ECON I (62025)

Term: Fall 2019

## ATTENDANCE

How often did you attend discussion sections?

<b>9</b>	Never	No value
<b>3</b>	Once	No value
<b>3</b>	2 - 3 times	No value
<b>2</b>	4 - 5 times	No value
<b>12</b>	6 - 7 times	No value
<b>17</b>	8 times	No value
<b>94</b>	More than 8 times	No value

How often did you meet with the T.A., outside of the section time, to discuss the course material?

<b>57</b>	Never	No value
<b>17</b>	Once	No value
<b>24</b>	2 - 3 times	No value
<b>7</b>	4 - 5 times	No value
<b>7</b>	6 - 7 times	No value
<b>8</b>	8 times	No value
<b>20</b>	More than 8 times	No value

## PRESENTATION

T.A. was competent in course material:

<b>9</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>2</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>3</b>	2	No value
<b>1</b>	3	No value
<b>30</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>20</b>	5	No value
<b>30</b>	6	No value
<b>48</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

T.A. was able to make presentations clearly:

<b>10</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>1</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>3</b>	2	No value
<b>2</b>	3	No value
<b>27</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>21</b>	5	No value
<b>27</b>	6	No value
<b>51</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

T.A. was responsive to students:

<b>9</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>1</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>1</b>	2	No value
<b>1</b>	3	No value
<b>29</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>21</b>	5	No value
<b>23</b>	6	No value
<b>57</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

T.A. was able to integrate the lecture and discussion material:

<b>10</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>1</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>1</b>	2	No value
<b>3</b>	3	No value
<b>31</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>19</b>	5	No value
<b>26</b>	6	No value
<b>51</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

T.A. was present and on time for discussion sections/office hours:

<b>12</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>1</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>1</b>	2	No value
<b>1</b>	3	No value

<b>25</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>15</b>	5	No value
<b>29</b>	6	No value
<b>58</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

The discussion sections were useful to the success of the course:

<b>10</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>1</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>1</b>	2	No value
<b>2</b>	3	No value
<b>28</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>17</b>	5	No value
<b>26</b>	6	No value
<b>57</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

I would expect another course with this T.A. to be:

<b>10</b>	0 (N/A or Unsure)	No value
<b>1</b>	1 (Among Worst)	No value
<b>2</b>	2	No value
<b>2</b>	3	No value
<b>31</b>	4 (OK or Average)	No value
<b>15</b>	5	No value
<b>27</b>	6	No value
<b>51</b>	7 (Among Best)	No value

## EFFECTIVENESS

Rate your T.A.'s general teaching effectiveness:

<b>2</b>	Poor	No value
<b>0</b>	Inadequate	No value
<b>5</b>	Less than adequate	No value
<b>35</b>	Adequate	No value
<b>31</b>	More than adequate	No value
<b>25</b>	Very good	No value

45	Excellent	No value
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## COMMENTS

What were the strongest points of the TA in discussion section or office hours?

- Clear
- Clearly knew the material, covered the tests well, responds quickly,
- Cover material in the exam that wasn't provided during lecture
- Explains the material really well and uses clear example. Prepares well for tests.
- Good
- Good
- Good
- He does well.
- He is a good teacher and will explain the examples to us patiently.
- He is an excellent TA!
- He knew how to handle the material well and work with students when questions were asked.
- He knew what he was talking about and explained things very well. I honestly learned a lot in discussion sections.
- He knows the required knowledge to pass and directly translates what topics we need to focus on.
- He taught the material better than the professor. Managed to teach 3 classes worth of material in one discussion every week.
- He the GOAT ta. Carried my grade.
- He was able to go through things that other TA's couldn't. Being able to explain what the professor explained during class is not an easy task, but Parush was able to do it effectively and not waste a single minute in discussions.
- He was really helpful and knew his stuff
- He was very nice and very helpful to me with understanding the course material. He was able to answer many of my questions.
- Helpful
- Helpful

- Hi
- His practice problems
- His teachings were very clear, and that really helped me in the exams. He would discuss the sample exams and take all the key topics first, which made me understand better.
- How to solve the sample test.
- Knew content very well and was able to teach the course even better than professor!
- Knew subject
- Knew what he was talking about
- Loved the way he explained everything!
- Parush was an effective communicator who answered questions precisely and located the sources of my confusion in order to help me study and understand the material more efficiently. Parush was highly responsive via email when setting up Office Hours, in SST, outside of his regularly-scheduled hours to accommodate my schedule. Parush appeared to have a dedication to helping students understand the material. His enthusiasm encouraged my learning and success.
- TA can go through all the information clearly and explain quickly.
- TA did a great job to make us understand the professor's words.
- The TA explained concepts that would be useful for the exams.
- The explanation is very clear
- The man knew the material better than the professor!
- This TA is the only reason i have not failed my statistics class. He explains the material much better than the lecturer. God bless
- Very effective at summarizing the week's topics and simplifying them through explanation and demonstration of examples.
- Very helpful, interactive and good at his work
- Would take the time show examines in details and answer questions that students had.
- You are the reason why I am not failing this class. Your ability to break down concepts and explain it simply is amazing. I am always looking forward to discussions because you are able to simplify the lectures into information we need to study for the upcoming test.
- attitude

- be available to understand questions
- clear sample answer
- discuss the previous samples
- give answers for samples
- good
- good
- he explains the confused and obscure points that were discussed in lecture clearly in the discussion.
- he's kind and smart
- i feel like he was very assertive which was nice and always had multiple ways of approaching a topic. he always had a presentation ready of what he would like to teach in the class. he understood the concepts of stats well in comparison to other teaching assistants. when emailed he would respond extremely quickly. and made sure that if he would mess up in discussion he made sure to send out an email with corrections. if i succeed in this course, the ta was very effective in helping me succeed
- making notes.
- na
- nah
- no very useful
- nothing
- patient
- quick to get to the point and easier to understand than the professor
- showing is the equations and how to use them
- teach sample questions
- unsure
- very good
- went through steps of problems very clearly and concise
- 86 blank answers

Do you have any recommendations for your TA that would help that person be a more effective TA in the future?

- nothing





- You're awesome dude.
- email more and have more contact with students.
- give us more sample practice.
- good
- good
- he's great enough
- his accent might made it hard for me to understand
- keep killing it! lectures were hard to understand but you made things better
- more correctly
- n/a
- n/a
- na
- nah
- no
- no
- no
- no
- no
- no
- no
- no
- no comments
- none
- nope
- nope
- please slow down the speech, some time TA talk too fast
- talk more for the materials
- unsure
- 95 blank answers