Course Experience Survey

Course: CSC 370 Section: A01 Instructor: DANIEL GERMAN
Dept/Faculty: Computer Science, Faculty of Engineering Enrolment: 31 Rate of Response: 141.9%

I Instructor's Teaching - Students' Ratings on the Following Statements:

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<td>1. The instructor was prepared for course sessions.</td>
<td>0%</td>
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<td>2. The instructor's explanations of concepts were clear.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>2%</td>
<td>7%</td>
<td>50%</td>
<td>41%</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>4.30</td>
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<td>3. The instructor motivated you to learn in this course.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>0%</td>
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<td>41%</td>
<td>59%</td>
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<td>4. Instructor was available to answer questions or provide assistance.</td>
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<td>0%</td>
<td>7%</td>
<td>41%</td>
<td>52%</td>
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<td>5. Instr. ensured that assign./tests were returned within reasonable time.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>7%</td>
<td>21%</td>
<td>42%</td>
<td>30%</td>
<td>43</td>
<td>3.93</td>
<td>0.90</td>
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<td>6. Instr. was helpful in providing feedback to improve learning in course.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>2%</td>
<td>25%</td>
<td>50%</td>
<td>23%</td>
<td>44</td>
<td>3.91</td>
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<td>7. The instructor demonstrated respect for students and their ideas.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>5%</td>
<td>42%</td>
<td>49%</td>
<td>43</td>
<td>4.35</td>
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<td>8. Overall, the instructor was effective in this course.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>2%</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>43%</td>
<td>55%</td>
<td>44</td>
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<td>9. The course structure, goals and requirements were clear.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>2%</td>
<td>57%</td>
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<td>10. The materials provided for learning the course content were clear.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>7%</td>
<td>17%</td>
<td>43%</td>
<td>33%</td>
<td>42</td>
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<td>11. The assigned work helped your understanding of the course content.</td>
<td>0%</td>
<td>2%</td>
<td>7%</td>
<td>23%</td>
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<td>12. Course provided opportunities to engage with the course material.</td>
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<td>13. The methods of assessment used to evaluate your learning were fair.</td>
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<td>14. The course provided relevant skills and information.</td>
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<td>15. Overall, the course offered an effective learning experience.</td>
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III Statements About The Students:

16. My primary reason for taking the course:
   Number: 6 Interest: 37 Program Requirement: 1 Reputaion of Instructor: 0 Reputaion of Course: 1 Timetable Fit: 0

17. The approximate number of classes or labs that I did not attend:
   Number: 36 < 3: 37 3 - 10: 11 11 - 20: 26 >20: 0 n/a: 0

18. Relative to other courses I have taken at UVic, the workload in this course was:
   Number: 36 Extremely Heavy: 0 Somewhat Heavy: 11 Average: 26 Somewhat Light: 7 Extremely Light: 0

19. The approximate number of hours per week I spent studying for this course outside of class time:
   Number: 2 < 1: 2 1 <= 2: 16 2 <= 5: 24 5 <= 8: 2 8 <= 10: 0 >10: 0

20. As a result of my experience in this course, my interest in the material:
   Number: 31 Decreased: 1 Stayed the same: 12 Increased: 31

IV Additional Statements:

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☐ I was satisfied with this course and have no detailed comments.

What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

Better information online

and/or a more interesting/updated/l better written text book

What are the main strengths of this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

Thank you for your comments!

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Prepared for the lecture.

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

What are the main strengths of this course?

The prof is really nice!

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

Have tutorials for extra help.

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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

- Instructor very knowledgeable on material
- Well designed assignments and exercises

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

What are the main strengths of this course?

- Good Industry related material
- Practical topics

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

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What are the main strengths of this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

Online material and non-mandatory attendance would have been preferred.

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Be a little more clear about what is expected to be handed in on assignments. A couple of times, two different parts of the assignment description would specify different requirements for what is to be handed in.

What are the main strengths of this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

Thank you for your comments!

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Course Experience Survey Comments

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CSE 370
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Section:  
A02

Instructor:  
Daniel German

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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

- He explains new concepts in a clear and concise manner

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

- Go through material more slowly

What are the main strengths of this course?

- Applicable, practical

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

- Very engaging teaching style  
- Gives practical examples of concepts

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

What are the main strengths of this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

Enthusiasm + Knowledge

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

Dr. Germain threats to ‘kick you out’ to stop students texting etc... caused a uncomfortable tense environment

What are the main strengths of this course?

10% participation

mark

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

Dr. Germain needs to be more curious to students

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Section:  
Instructor: *Daniel German*

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- [x] I was satisfied with this course and have no detailed comments.

**What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?**

- Good understanding of the course knowledge, correct himself with email when he provided incorrect information in class.

**Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.**

- Less assignments, and make each assignment worth more marks (instead of 10% / assignment that takes hours to do).

**What are the main strengths of this course?**

- Being relevant to work field / industry

**Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.**

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*Thank you for your comments!

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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

Good at picking interest, good assignments and interest in students learning the material.

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

Have more structure in your notes & explanations & examples in assignments.

What are the main strengths of this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

Explain database structure earlier & queries later.

Thank you for your comments!

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I was satisfied with this course and have no detailed comments.

What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?
- Great understanding of course content
- Good ability to answer questions
- Competent explanations that helped make sense of material

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.
- More overlap between assigned work and lecture material

What are the main strengths of this course?
- Very integrated, not a lot of jumping around.

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.
- Needs a tutorial to help learn SQL
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Section: AU1
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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

enthusiasm and respect for his own lectures/course

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

provide slides online or refer back to textbook or other sources online
it is impossible to capture the detail of a lecture in notes
this makes it hard to study

What are the main strengths of this course?

many opportunities for very practical assignments

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

some quirks of the tmdl database were hard to understand
it might be good if that was explained better

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What strengths did this instructor demonstrate that helped you to learn in this course?

- In class exercises
  - These were very well done. Mini assignments done immediately after learning material helped reinforce knowledge.
  - Examples on computer were also nice.

Please provide specific suggestions as to how the instructor could have helped you learn more effectively.

- Put some notes online.

What are the main strengths of this course?

Please provide specific suggestions as to how this course could be improved.

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课程体验调查反馈

课程：CS 310  
（例如：COM 205）  
部分：A01  
讲师：Dr. German

评论将被提供给讲师，以便在成绩最终确定后，帮助讲师改进教学和课程。您的评论将保持匿名—无需提供个人身份信息。

尽可能使用具体示例或建议。

请在适用时在方框内打“X”。

☐ 我对这门课程感到满意，没有具体的评论。

讲师在学习这门课程中表现出的哪些优势帮助您学习？

请提供具体的建议，说明讲师如何帮助您更有效地学习。

解答样例，提供答案，教员认真解答，更多板书。

这门课程的主要优势是？

请提供具体的建议，说明这门课程如何改进。

谢谢您的评论！

最后修订日期：2012年1月17日

继续在页面背面提供进一步的评论。
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