

Summer Session Instructor and Course Evaluation for David, Kyle Ellison HISTORY 70A LEC A (26610), Summer I 2020

Responses: 18/19 (94.74%)

Please mark the appropriate rating.

If you have no opinion on the question asked or if it does not apply, please mark "Not Applicable."

1. The course instructor shows enthusiasm for and is interested in the subject.

15	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
2	8	Value: 8
0	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
1	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.56	Mean	
9.00	Median	
1.38	Std Dev	

2. The course instructor stimulates your interest in the subject.

12	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
3	8	Value: 8
1	7	Value: 7
1	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
1	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.11	Mean	
9.00	Median	
1.91	Std Dev	

3. The course instructor meets stated objectives of the course.

14	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
3	8	Value: 8
0	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
1	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.61	Mean	
9.00	Median	
0.95	Std Dev	

4. The course instructor is accessible and responsive.

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17	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
0	8	Value: 8
0	7	Value: 7
1	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.83	Mean	
9.00	Median	
0.69	Std Dev	

5. The course instructor creates an open and fair learning environment.

16	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
1	8	Value: 8
0	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
1	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.72	Mean	
9.00	Median	
0.93	Std Dev	

6. The course instructor encourages students to think in this course.

15	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
2	8	Value: 8
1	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.78	Mean	
9.00	Median	
0.53	Std Dev	

7. The course instructor's presentations and explanations of concepts were clear.

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2	8	Value: 8
1	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
3	Not Applicable	No Value
8.73	Mean	
9.00	Median	
0.57	Std Dev	

8. Assignments and exams covered important aspects of the course.

15	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
0	8	Value: 8
2	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
1	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.39	Mean	
9.00	Median	
1.67	Std Dev	

9. What overall evaluation would you give this instructor?

15	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
1	8	Value: 8
1	7	Value: 7
0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
1	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
0	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.61	Mean	
9.00	Median	
1.01	Std Dev	

10. What overall evaluation would you give this course?

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14	9 (Excellent)	Value: 9
2	8	Value: 8
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0	6 (Good)	Value: 6
0	5	Value: 5
0	4	Value: 4
1	3 (Fair)	Value: 3
0	2	Value: 2
0	1 (Barely Satisfactory)	Value: 1
0	0 (Unsatisfactory)	Value: 0
0	Not Applicable	No Value
8.44	Mean	
9.00	Median	
1.42	Std Dev	

11. How helpful were the textbooks and/or readings to your overall learning experience?

- 13 Very
- 3 Adequately
- 1 Somewhat
- 0 Not at all
- 0 No comment

12. How challenging was this course?

- 4 Very
- 12 Adequately
- 1 Somewhat
- 0 Not at all
- 0 No comment

Please comment on the following areas and be as specific as possible.

13. What are the instructor's teaching strengths?

- - His organizational skill: he used the Canvas page effectively to maximize our learning experiences - Accessibility: he seemed to enjoy communicating with each and every one of us, which made this remote learning even more joyous
- Even with small assignments, the instructor gives careful, insightful and informative comments after grading. Those comments are very helpful and shows how much attention the instructor pays for his students.
- He's incredibly accessible despite having to change his teaching style due to this being a remote course. I felt like I could approach him with questions, concerns, and problems and trust that he'll try to help. He provided me with extra material for issues and concepts that I found interesting that might have been outside of the materials covered in this course.
- He makes sure everything you read is used and that you stay on top of it. He is nice and responds fast
- I really enjoyed how Mr. David gives a reflection on every work! It is super helpful for me to know what should I do next time to become better.
- Provides helpful feedback and responds right away. Instructor also has a well structured outline to follow on the canvas page for online learning.
- Providing a class with structure to accommodate for the virtual classes.
- Strengths were the comments posted on the assignments submitted.
- the instructor is hands-on, even with providing comments for each quiz, discussion, and assignment submitted. He explains what worked and what did not, which is very helpful.

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- The instructor is very knowledgeable about the subject. He patiently hears what his students have to say and sincerely contributes to the conversation therefore creating a good experience for the student. He gives thorough instructions. The material he provides is interesting and necessary! He provides detailed feedback on assignments
- The instructor makes clear what he expects of us and always provides feedback on all of our assignments.
- The instructor provides textbooks that help students learn about the topic in this course. He is also explicit about what he expects for each assignment, so students understand how to complete the assignment.
- The things he assigned were not only very relevant to the course, but also very interesting and all helped build a big picture of what the course asks for. He also gives very clear feedback and very clear on what he expects out of us.
- 5 blank answer(s).

14. How can this instructor improve as a teacher?

- He could provide more office hours.
- His grading for essays took me as a shock as his grades for discussion seem relatively accurate but the essay score was not correlated and seemed harder. It gave me whiplash thinking I did good because my discussion post were all As and my essay was a C.... I was confued
- I'm not sure if I can think of anything.
- I think that I would have liked some videos or some interactive class session like a zoom meeting as a review for midterm or the final. I think it would help to have those review sections or even maybe a review sheet since there is so much material covered in such a short amount of time. It would be nice to have a wrap up or review for the tests.
- N/A
- NA
- none! He is excellent.
- The instructor can continue his enthusiasm in the course and engaging with students during discussion.
- The instructor can improve by being more present besides optional zoom calls. Prerecorded lectures would be great to have.
- 9 blank answer(s).

15. Any other comments about this course?

- I do enjoy this course and learn so much in this course.
- I really enjoyed the topic for this course!
- I really enjoyed this course!
- I thoroughly enjoyed it. Thank you!
- The course is interesting, but the readings are a bit long for the given period of time, which, at times, can raise a lot of pressure.
- The course was mainly a "self-teach." There were too many assignments for only 5 weeks and too much reading. I read for hours daily and still was behind. I cannot learn well just by reading thus did not have a good understanding of concepts.
- The volume of reading was intensive
- This course was great! I enjoyed learning about the history of China and the opportunity I had to work with other students via the discussion forum.
- 10 blank answer(s).

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16. How much academic dishonesty seemed to occur in this course? If applicable, please describe the type of academic dishonesty that occurred (not the particular students involved).
1.
 - 1** A lot
 - 0** Some
 - 0** A little
 - 14** None I could discern
 2. Examples:
 - 18 blank answer(s).
17. What school do you normally attend?
- 17** UCI
 - 0** Other UC Campus
 - 0** Other College or University
 - 0** Community College
 - 0** UCI Extension
 - 0** High School
 - 0** Not Applicable
18. What is the PRIMARY reason you enrolled in Summer Session?
- 14** To accelerate progress toward my degree
 - 0** To enroll in a course impacted during Fall, Winter or Spring
 - 0** To retake a course
 - 3** For personal development or professional enrichment
19. What is your preference for the time of day to take Summer classes?
- 2** Early morning
 - 7** Late morning
 - 3** Early afternoon
 - 0** Late afternoon
 - 1** Evening
 - 4** No preference
20. What is your preference for the frequency of meetings for a Summer class?
- 0** 5 times/week
 - 1** 4 times/week
 - 3** 3 times/week
 - 5** 2 times/week
 - 3** Once a week
 - 5** No preference
21. How did you find out about UCI Summer Session?
- 1** Academic Advisor
 - 2** Summer Session Banner
 - 0** Summer Session Booth on Ring Road
 - 0** Summer Session Facebook
 - 0** Summer Session Flyer
 - 1** Summer Session Website
 - 7** Campus Email
 - 0** Placement Testing Brochure
 - 6** Word of mouth
22. What courses would you like to see offered in the Summer here at UCI?
- Course on historical essay writing

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- History and philosophy related courses
 - I'm not sure.
 - I would like to see more sections offered for biology and physics.
 - Korean 2A-2C and upper divisions
 - language classes for the GE category.
 - More art and humanities course offered during summer session
 - More Chinese studies and East Asian studies classes
 - NA
 - Russian language courses (foreign languages in general offered in the summer 10-week session)
 - 8 blank answer(s).
23. UCI Summer Session seeks to create meaningful new Summer Special Programs (a set of courses outside of the regular academic curriculum). What Program would you like to see offered in the Summer here at UCI?
- course that focuses on a specific philosophy
 - I can't think of anything really.
 - N/A
 - NA
 - Perhaps a program for pre-med or pre-law students.
 - work-experience related courses
 - 12 blank answer(s).