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Student Evaluation of Teaching (SET) for Wendy Wagner UC San Diego

POLI 142P - Crisis Areas in World Politics (Wagner, Wendy) Summer Session 1 2023

> Number of Evaluations Submitted: 4 Number of Students Enrolled: 12

1. What was/were your reason(s) for taking this course?

4 (100.0%): Major/Program Requirement

0 (0.0%): Minor

0 (0.0%): College General Education

0 (0.0%): Elective 0 (0.0%): Interest

0 (0.0%): American History and Institutions (AHI) Requirement

0 (0.0%): Undergraduate Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Requirement (DEI)

Requirement

2. How often did you attend class and/or engage with course materials?

3 (75.0%): Always 1 (25.0%): Usually 0 (0.0%): Sometimes 0 (0.0%): Seldom 0 (0.0%): Never

3. Hours per week of work outside of class

0 (0.0%): 0 4 (100.0%): 1-5 0 (0.0%): 6-10

0 (0.0%): More than 10

4. Expected grade in the course

2 (50.0%): A 2 (50.0%): B 0 (0.0%): C 0 (0.0%): D 0 (0.0%): F 0 (0.0%): P 0 (0.0%): NP

5. Class sessions helped me understand the course content.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

6. Assignments (reading, homework, projects, etc) helped me understand the course content.

2 (50.0%): Strongly Agree

2 (50.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

7. Exams and other assessments (essays, projects, etc) were a fair measure of course learning outcomes.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

8. I received timely and helpful feedback in this course.

2 (50.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

1 (25.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

9. The course developed my understanding and skills for the subject.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

10. The course was intellectually stimulating and engaging.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

11. The instructor effectively communicated course goals, learning outcomes, and expectations.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

12. There were sufficient opportunities for me to get help when needed via offered opportunities (e.g. during established office hours, discussion, etc).

2 (50.0%): Strongly Agree

2 (50.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

13. The instructor incorporated teaching methods that helped me learn.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

14. The instructor arrived on time to class sessions and office hours.

4 (100.0%): Strongly Agree

0 (0.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

15. The instructor created a welcoming and supportive learning environment that valued and supported equity, diversity, and inclusion.

3 (75.0%): Strongly Agree

1 (25.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

16. The instructor explained what constituted cheating in this course and emphasized the importance of academic integrity.

2 (50.0%): Strongly Agree

2 (50.0%): Agree

0 (0.0%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree

0 (0.0%): Disagree

0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

- 17. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that created or interfered with a welcoming and supportive learning environment that valued and supported equity, diversity and inclusion.
- I really enjoyed the discussions we had in class and it felt really inclusive as well as a supportive environment from the professor. It wasn't about who is right or wrong, but more about if we were understanding and could utilize what we learn to apply it in different career paths we might want to take.
- Overall, a welcoming environment allowed everyone to provide an opinion and incorporate it into the lesson without prejudice.
- The instructor was always professional and while talking about controversial topics.

- 18. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that particularly helped you to learn the material and/or develop your own critical perspectives on the material.
- Breaking down the concepts and theories as well as tying them in with real world issues helps understand how to look at conflicts in the world.
- The instructor always clarified any questions regarding the materials.
- The way in which the material was taught facilitated the understanding. I absolutely loved the articles and videos required for homework they allowed for a deeper understanding of the course. Simply the Professor demonstrated an expertise of the course, which allowed me to learn and ask questions.
- 19. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that helped you to feel engaged with the course material or that encouraged you to feel that you could succeed in the course.
- I think the choice to choose what type of assignment we could do for our mid-term is really beneficial to learning the topics that were discussed in class, mainly because it allowed us to see how we could display what we learned in a format that we were comfortable with. At times professors choose one way to do a mid-term or a final, and I think letting students choose helps with the learning process.
- The instructor would leave a space for discussion that would go beyond the course materials.
- The professor was amazing in providing time to ask questions and email Also the assignments were explained very well therefore there was no confusion on the expectation. Honestly, the midterm and final have been fun completing.
- 20. Please describe any specific aspects of the course and/or teaching practices that your instructor used that were less helpful for your learning. Optionally you may offer constructive suggestions that might improve their effectiveness.
- I would suggest her to implement in her assignments the standard MLA format.
- 21. Is there anything else you would like to share about your experience in the course?
- Great professor, hope she comes back to teach more!
- I highly enjoyed the course. I would have loved to have it in the regular sessions and more of her classes.
- This course and the instructor surpassed my expectations.

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