

CERGE COURSE EVALUATION (Instructor)

Name of Course: Public Economics

Avg - average value on 1-5 scale

Name of Instructor: Jollife Dean

StDv - standard deviation

Number of ev. forms: 5

N - number of valid answers

The statements were evaluated using a scale ranging from 5 (strong AGREEMENT) to 1 (strong DISAGREEMENT).

Lectures	Avg	StDv	N
1	4.20	0.98	5
2	4.60	0.49	5
Avg of 1 to 5	4.48	0.66	5

Questions:

- 1 The lectures stimulated intellectual curiosity and independent thinking.
- 2 The lectures clearly presented the subject matter.
- 3 The lectures presented material that could not have been learned just as easily from the readings.
- 4 The lectures were at a level of difficulty that I could follow.
- 5 The lectures were challenging and were stimulating rather than a waste of time.

Readings	Avg	StDv	N
Avg of 1 to 3	4.00	0.99	5

Questions:

- 1 The readings were helpful in learning the course's concepts and techniques.
- 2 The readings presented material that was at the frontier of the literature.
- 3 The readings were at a level of difficulty that I could follow.

Exercises, Problem Sets, Papers, etc.	Avg	StDv	N
Avg of 1 to 2	4.20	1.17	5

Questions:

- 1 The written work for this course helped my understanding of the basic concepts.
- 2 The written work challenged me to think rather than being simply busy work.

Instructor	Avg	StDv	N
1	4.80	0.40	5
2	5.00	0.00	5
Avg of 1 to 7	4.71	0.43	5

Questions:

- 1 The instructor clearly understood the material presented
- 2 The instructor was organized and prepared for class
- 3 The instructor was able to raise challenging questions and stimulate interest in the material
- 4 The instructor was interested in and able to stimulate broad student participation
- 5 The instructor was able to clarify difficult material
- 6 The instructor was responsive to student difficulties, comments and criticisms
- 7 The instructor expected a high level of academic excellence on the part of students

Overall	Avg	StDv	N
1	4.60	0.49	5
2	4.20	0.75	5
Avg of 1 to 5	4.40	0.66	5

Questions:

- 1 This was an excellent course
- 2 This course challenged me to do the very best I could.
- 3 This course contributed a great deal to my development as an economist
- 4 This course gave me ideas that I may pursue in the future as a part of my research
- 5 I would take another course from this instructor provided the subject matter was of interest to me