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Teaching Evaluations Summary

Instructor of Record: Student Evaluations Summary

The course name in the first column links to the full student evaluation. For courses with more than one enrollment section, a separate report is generated for each section.

Course Name	Level	Quarter	# Evals	Would Recommend
SPIS: Summer Program for Incoming Students	Summer Bridge	Summer 2023	--	--
CSE 20: Discrete Mathematics	Undergrad	Summer 2023	4	--
CSE 130: Programming Languages: Principles and Paradigms	Undergrad	Winter 2023	69	80.6 %

UC San Diego computes the percentage of students who recommend an instructor by taking the number of students who respond Strongly Agree or Agree divided by the total number of respondents. **This question was removed from all teaching evaluations starting in Summer 2023.**

SPIS (Summer Program for Incoming Students): This program had no formal evaluation process for instructors. An exit survey was given to the students, which did not ask about the instructors individually.

Selected Narrative Comments

CSE 20: Discrete Mathematics (Summer 2023)

- “The instructor is very passionate about teaching. He always encourage us to ask questions during lecture time or to visit him in office hours.”

CSE 130: Programming Languages: Principles and Paradigms (Winter 2023)

- “Super knowledgeable and good about adjusting material and deadlines to not overwhelm students.”
- “The professor may not have the most engaging voice, but he does put effort into making lecture more engaging with various methods of class interaction.”
- “he's kind and teaches well”

Teaching Assistant: Student Evaluations Summary

The course name in the first column links to the full student evaluation. For courses with more than one enrollment section, a separate report is generated for each section.

Course Name	Level	Quarter	# of Evals	Would Recommend
CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science	Grad	Spring 2023	9	100 %
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Fall 2022	9	100 %
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Fall 2021	32	100 %
CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science	Grad	Spring 2021	4	100 %
CSE 130: Programming Languages: Principles and Paradigms	Undergrad	Winter 2021	12	100 %
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Fall 2020	6	100 %
CSE 135: Online Database Analytics Applications	Undergrad	Summer 2020	8	100 %
CSE 134B: Web Client Languages	Undergrad	Summer 2020	8	100 %
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Spring 2020	21	95.0 %
CSE 101: Design and Analysis of Algorithms	Undergrad	Winter 2020	26	92.3 %
CSE 105: Theory of Computability	Undergrad	Fall 2019	22	77.3 %
CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science	Grad	Spring 2019	4	100 %

UC San Diego computes the percentage of students who recommend a teaching assistant by taking the number of students who respond Strongly Agree or Agree divided by the total number of respondents.

Selected narrative comments:

CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science (Spring 2023)

- “One of the best TAs that I've interacted with! I thought the way you handled questions about homework was perfect for somebody who's looking for some direction but doesn't want too many hints, and I thoroughly enjoyed your office hours because they made me think. Thanks also for timing your office hours so that they'd be useful for homework.”
- “Able to present the material very clearly and concisely. Always came prepared to office hours and was able to answer all of the questions. Definitely the best TA that I've had!”

CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages (Fall 2021)

- “Always very calm and cool, answers questions in a way that is very helpful to students.”

CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science (Spring 2021)

- “Michael was really helpful in office hours, and even provided extra office hours closer to deadlines. Michael is very patient and good at explaining concepts in an understandable manner, with examples. Thanks Michael!”

CSE 135: Online Database Analytics Applications (Summer 2020)

- “Extremely patient and understanding of student's coding problems and figures out really quickly how to solve it.”
- “Really cares about the students and really wants us to learn. He does a good job explaning the concepts and materials.”

CSE 101: Design and Analysis of Algorithms (Winter 2020)

- “Clear, focused discussion section”
- “Had a complete grasp of the material. Instantly answered any question presented in office hours. The most active TA on Piazza I have ever seen.”

CSE 105: Theory of Computability (Fall 2019)

- “He seemed genuinely interested in the material and was very knowledgeable.”
- “Knowledge on the subject and how he is willing to help everyone no matter the time spent on the issue.”
- “Really understood the material and did a great job of explaining the material in a way that promoted effective problem solving strategies.”

Teaching Assistant: Instructor Evaluations Summary

The course name in the first column links to the full instructor evaluation:

Course Name	Level	Quarter	Instructor	Overall Rating
CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science	Grad	Spring 2023	Victor Vianu	Excellent
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Fall 2022	Nadezhda Polikarpova	Excellent
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Fall 2021	Ranjit Jhala	(no evaluation filed)
CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science	Grad	Spring 2021	Victor Vianu	Excellent
CSE 130: Programming Languages: Principles & Paradigms	Undergrad	Winter 2021	Ranjit Jhala	(no evaluation filed)
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Fall 2020	Ranjit Jhala	(no evaluation filed)
CSE 135: Online Database Analytics Applications	Undergrad	Summer 2020	Thomas Powell	(no evaluation filed)
CSE 134B: Web Client Languages	Undergrad	Summer 2020	Thomas Powell	(no evaluation filed)
CSE 230: Principles of Programming Languages	Grad	Spring 2020	Ranjit Jhala	Excellent
CSE 101: Design and Analysis of Algorithms	Undergrad	Winter 2020	Ragesh Jaiswal	Excellent
CSE 105: Theory of Computability	Undergrad	Fall 2019	Shachar Lovett	Excellent
CSE 205A: Logic in Computer Science	Grad	Spring 2019	Victor Vianu	Excellent

Selected narrative comments:

Nadezhda Polikarpova (Principles of Programming Languages, Fall 2022): “Michael knows this course inside out, and he was a huge help with organizing it! Don't know what I would do without him!”

Ranjit Jhala (Principles of Programming Languages, Spring 2020): “Michael was one of the best TAs I have _ever_ had -- he was super attentive in lecture, and online, and in responding to students questions.”

Ragesh Jaiswal (Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Winter 2020): “As a senior most TA, Michael took upon himself to shoulder responsibility of making sure that the course was conducted smoothly.”