What aspects of the TA's teaching contributed most to your learning?

Comments

Brandon seemed to know what he was doing, and tailored his approach to the strengths / weaknesses of the class

He's super super kind and answered questions promptly over email. He truly tried his best and you can tell that he cares a lot about the students.

Made good comments in class, did a good job of explaining concepts that were unclear in lectures

Brandon is amazing. I've never had a TA who cares as much as Brandon does. He really goes the extra mile trying to help the class out (like with the midterm project and the dreaded phonetics quizzes) and it's great!!! seriously brandon is the best. he also facilitates good/fun discussion sections. and he's super available/helpful outside of class!!! 10/10 brandon is the bomb.com

He was really good at explaining difficult concepts in lecture and reading, and also did so much work to make our midterm easier. Brandon is the best!

His availability outside of class was great, and he was very approachable!

Brandon is so great-- he always responded to messages/ any questions asked. He also went out of this way to make sure that we were well-prepared for all of the assignments.

Extremely open to questions and responded with insightful and timely advice.

Brandon was so willing to help people understand it was almost comical. He is very sweet and one of the best TAs I've had.

Brandon was, as always, amazing. He targeted his teaching very closely to student concerns, made sure we understood what we not-always-clear expectations. Brandon approached every day of class with warmth and needed to, and helped us navigate care!

Brandon was amazing! He helped a lot regarding our midterm project and homework assignments during discussion periods, and was always available outside of the class. I am pretty sure I would have struggled a lot more if it wasn't for Brandon's tips and tricks regarding our assignments.

Brandon was great, always available to help and very insightful with his help. His coordination of the midterm project data was

Brandon was always very willing to explain/re-explain whatever I was confused about in the class

Brandon is an incredible TA. He was always available during discussion and over email and really cared about helping us learn. He provided a lot of resources for us and help when necessary and is overall great!

I loved Brandon! He was always really excited about teaching us during discussion sections and was very approachable, so I felt comfortable asking questions. He also replied to e-mails very quickly with really informative and in-depth responses, which really helped to answer a lot of the questions I had about the material. He's genuinely one of the nicest faculty members I've met on campus, and he was a fantastic TA!

He was really patient and helpful. He usually figured out where we had gotten stuck or confused really guickly and knew how to nudge us back in the right direction. I also really appreciated his timeline's for what things needed to get done for the midterm and around what time we should do it.

What could she/he modify to help you learn more?

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Nothing much, he did a good job

N/A He really tried his best lol.

Clarify the standards of success for the homework more, get grades for at least one homework out before others are due

nothing! brandon for prez 2020

I didn't find section super helpful, but 1v1 he was super helpful

Maybe outline a little more what the homework should actually consist of.

Nothing

Nothing

Nothing! Really great TA

Nothing!

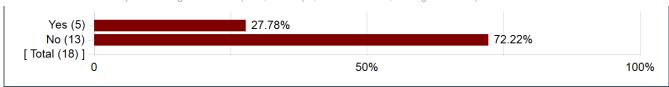


	Mean	Median	N/A	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree
Facilitated discussions that supported your learning.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	33.33%	66.67%
Gave you useful feedback on your work.	4.61	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	5.56%	27.78%	66.67%
Stimulated your interest in the core ideas of the course.	4.61	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	5.56%	27.78%	66.67%
Challenged you to learn.	4.50	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	5.56%	38.89%	55.56%
Helped you succeed in the class.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	5.56%	5.56%	88.89%
Was available and helpful outside of class.	4.83	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	5.56%	5.56%	88.89%
Overall, the TA/CA made a significant contribution to your learning.	4.67	5.00	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	11.11%	11.11%	77.78%

Additional Course Elements

Did this course include special design elements (labs, field trips, extra sessions, writing seminars)?

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How much did the following elements of the course contribute to your learning gains?

	Mean	Median	N/A	No Gain	A Little Gain	Moderate Gain	Good Gain	Great Gain
Laboratory Experience	4.00	4.00	92.86%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	7.14%	0.00%
Field Trips	N/A	N/A	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Library Sessions	N/A	N/A	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Review sessions	5.00	5.00	76.92%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	23.08%
Writing Seminars	N/A	N/A	100.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Other course elements not mentioned above:

Comments brandon's discussion sections were super helpful!! Discussion sections were more useful during the phonology section of the course.

Student Information

Is this class a requirement of some sort?

