



Pacific University
Evaluation System

To:

Lucy Swanson (as private and confidential)

Course Evaluation

Dear Lucy Swanson,

This email contains evaluation results for FREN-102-01 Intro French Lang & Culture 2013F / Fa2013.



Overall indicators

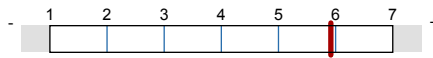
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1. Course ($\alpha = 0.48$)

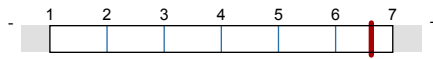
2. Instructor ($\alpha = 0.76$)



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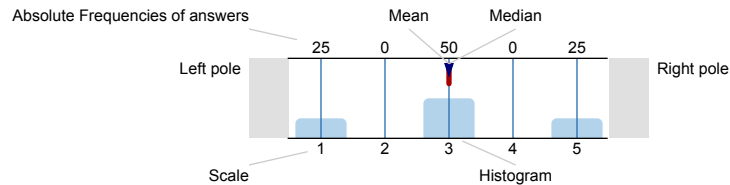


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Survey Results

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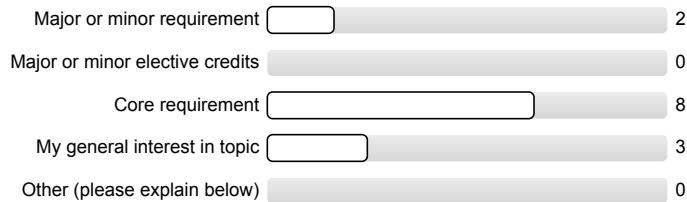
Question text



n=No. of responses
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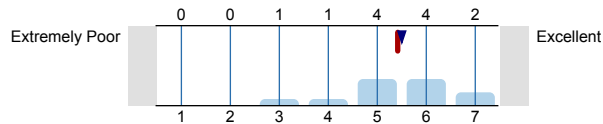
1. Course

1.1) Your primary reason for taking this course was (mark the most appropriate response):



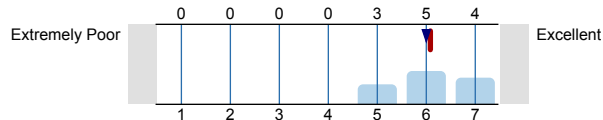
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1.3) Rate your level of effort in this course.



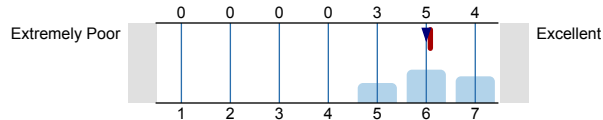
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1.5) Provide an overall rating of the course.



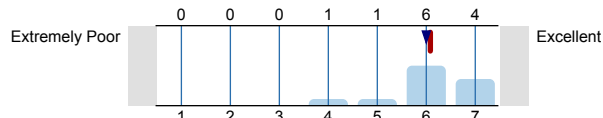
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1.7) Rate the likelihood that you would recommend this course to another student.



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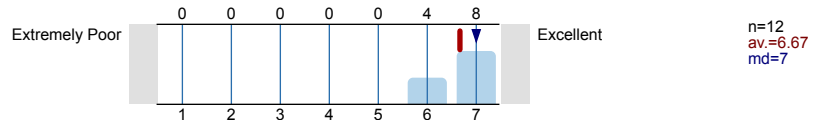
1.9) Rate your increase in skills/understanding as a result of taking this course.



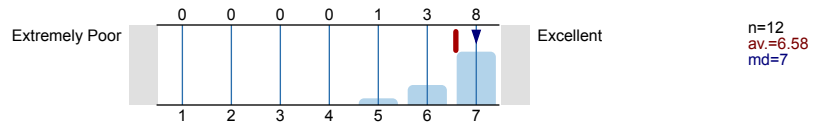
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2. Instructor

2.1) Provide an overall rating of the instructor.



2.3) Rate the likelihood that you would recommend this instructor to another student.







Profile



Subunit: 1 Humanities Division
 Name of the instructor: Lucy Swanson
 Name of the course: FREN-102-01 Intro French Lang & Culture 2013F
 (Name of the survey)

Values used in the profile line: Mean

1. Course

1.3) Rate your level of effort in this course.	Extremely Poor		Excellent	n=12	av.=5.42	md=5.50	dev.=1.16
1.5) Provide an overall rating of the course.	Extremely Poor		Excellent	n=12	av.=6.08	md=6.00	dev.=0.79
1.7) Rate the likelihood that you would recommend this course to another student.	Extremely Poor		Excellent	n=12	av.=6.08	md=6.00	dev.=0.79
1.9) Rate your increase in skills/understanding as a result of taking this course.	Extremely Poor		Excellent	n=12	av.=6.08	md=6.00	dev.=0.90

2. Instructor

2.1) Provide an overall rating of the instructor.	Extremely Poor		Excellent	n=12	av.=6.67	md=7.00	dev.=0.49
2.3) Rate the likelihood that you would recommend this instructor to another student.	Extremely Poor		Excellent	n=12	av.=6.58	md=7.00	dev.=0.67

1. Course

1.2) Other reason for taking course:

I had to take a language for my core requirement, but I chose French because it interests me.

Already studied in high school.

1.4) Level of Effort Explanation:

I could have focused more outside of class on homework & live mocha.

I could of tried harder in class to understand better and get better test scores.

Not a major requirement, just need to pass the class for graduation.

For the majority of the course I could have put much more effort in.

I tried to keep up with everything.

Swanson always pushed me to do my best

I tried hard to understand the material, French is sometimes difficult for me. I think I could have done more to help my grade.

I would often procrastinate or not do the required homework for this class.

There were additional things like LiveMocha that could have been more on top of

Lots of work to do, I tried to do everything. Sometimes just not enough time.

^{1.6)} Overall Rating Explanation:

Course was well structured & well taught, though some elements (like LiveMocha) were rather annoying & unnecessary.

The course load was insane compared to all of my other classes.

Hammered out all the necessities for us to be able to hold a conversation.

Very nice professor. Hard coursework, wish we worked on more written things in class.

good class, really learn a lot

It takes too much time away from other classes if you're a full time student taking upper division courses in other subjects.

For once, I wasn't scared to come to French class! It was a nice environment

I liked the course, French is not always fun but I enjoyed myself in this class.

This course is filled with very useful grammatical information.

Very clearly organized, managed, & presented lessons, homework, & tests aligned smoothly & logically

Great class, lots of work but improves your skills a ton!

^{1.8)} Likelihood Explanation:

What made it for me was having Swanson as my professor & how engaging she was.

It's hard, French isn't for everyone, but it is fun.

I would recommend the course but also say how much homework is involved HUGE time commitment.

It depends on how busy that student is going to be... a good course, but extremely time consuming.

I love French and Swanson makes it fun.

I would recommend French over all other languages.

This class is very helpful if you want to better your French skills.

With this specific professor to fulfill a requirement we get a taste of the language.

Out of all the languages probably the best!

1.10) Skills/understanding Explanation:

I understand & speak French now better than I ever have after 4 years of it.

Of course I still have difficulties, but I have improved dramatically.

I was able to understand the writing aspect as the year went on.

I know and understand more than I came in knowing, but by the end I was overwhelmed.

Any lack of understanding was a failure on my part; Professor Subanson was very good at assisting us in. Well, I did learn a lot.

I have noticeably learned so much this semester.

I got better at reading French and understanding speech.

The professor always made sure that I understood the curriculum.

Two years of French in high school, and I've never had more clarity in my understanding.

Improved all my skills more than I thought it would.

2. Instructor

2.2) Instructor Rating Explanation:

Very well prepared, knowledgeable, and open to students who need help.

Swanson is so incredibly engaging and does her best to accommodate everyone.

She gave good instructions and a lot of partner practice to practice speaking the language.

Very nice & helpful.

very enthusiastic and helpful. Really enjoyed the class and Ms. Swanson.

She tried very hard to make sure we understood when she was speaking French, and she was always willing to explain something to help students.

She is very kind and more than helpful. Certainly the best French teacher I've had.

Prof Swanson was very interactive, she had an effective approach to teaching French.

Lucy Swanson is a top notch professor. She really cares about her students.

Always upbeat, clear in instruction and expectations, has a good sense of humor.

Great instructor! Very enthusiastic and inspiring. Understanding with all situations.

2.4) Recommendation Explanation:

I wish Swanson could teach some of my other classes. Her enthusiasm is fantastic.

Like I said, it's hard but fun at the same time. Good to know a rich culture and how to speak French.

Again, great instructor just the course itself was quite difficult for me.

So helpful, fair tests and grading, wants you to succeed.

Very helpful.

I always recommend this class to future French takers!

Great instructor.

She is a very nice and helpful.

For learning a new language and being at college-level expectations, very best!

One of the best teachers I've had! Made class fun but still learned a lot.

2.5) Please provide any additional comments that you want to make about the course and instructor.

Professor Swanson is an amazingly understanding professor. When I came needing help she did every thing she could to make sure I improved in the course. This is a trait I wish more of my professors had.

Latin should count as a language. I wasn't able to devote my attention to my major classes because I had to squeeze this course into my schedule. Which was very frustrating.

The instructor is amazing. She is extremely helpful and willing to do anything to make sure that you understand the curriculum. She is a very caring professor and helped me very much throughout the course. I would recommend her to everyone.

For fulfilling a temporary position,
~~extremely~~ extremely well prepared and
dedicated.

Thank you for being so understanding and allowing me to do extra work to keep my grades up. Best of luck in your future, you're a great teacher.