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Spring Quarter 23-24 / Student Course Evaluation (End of Term) / Anonymous Survey

Course Assignments: 874 / Survey Participants: 17657

Schedule: 5/29/2024 to 6/9/2024

Results Available: 6/21/2024



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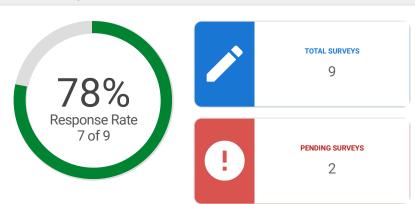
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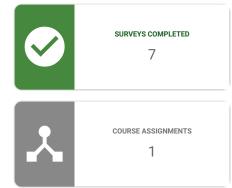
Department: Judaic Studies

Course Section: JWST 224 900 Judaism and Christianity

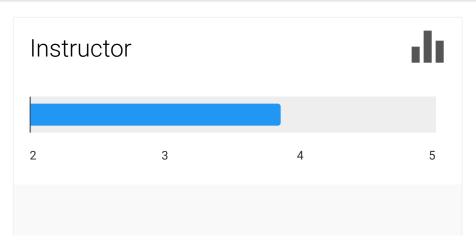
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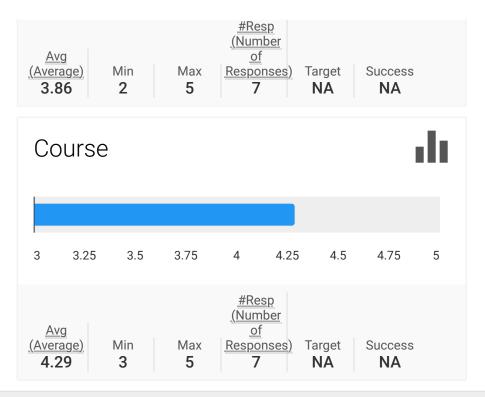
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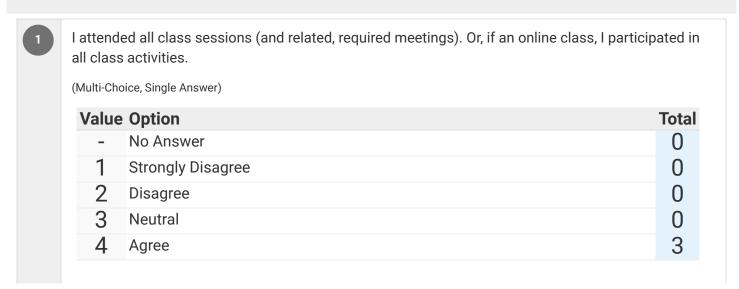


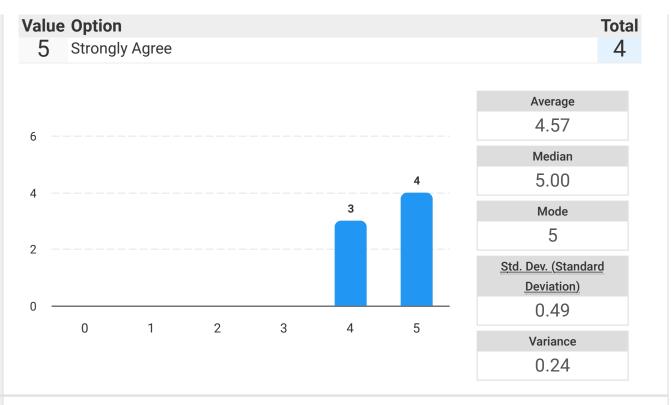
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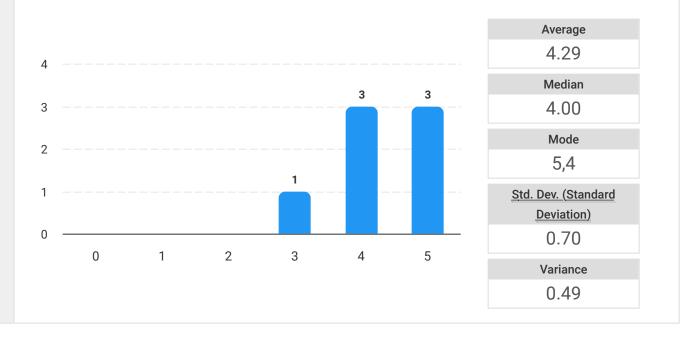
About Yourself





I gave my best effort in this class.

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3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	3
5	Strongly Agree	3



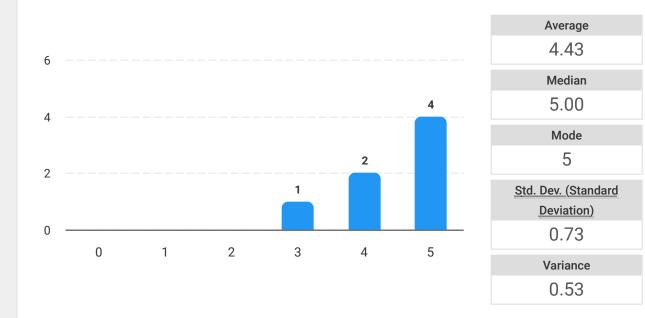
About the Course



The course materials (assigned readings, multi-media material, textbook) directly contributed to my learning.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

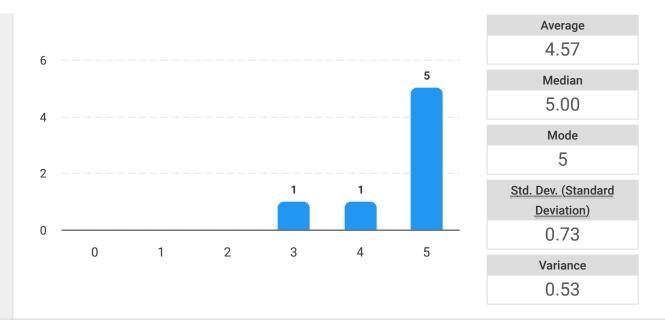
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5	Strongly Agree	4



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The content in this course exposed me to ideas, skills, or ways of thinking that are meaningful.

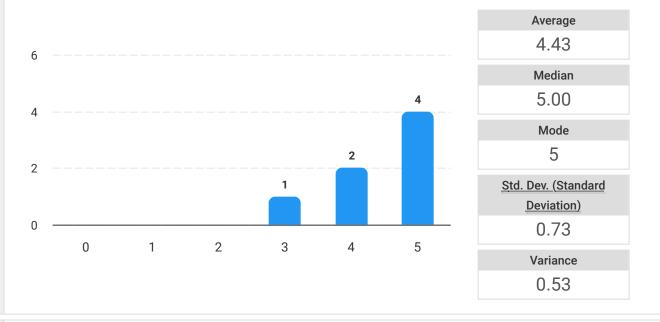
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The work required in this course was appropriate.

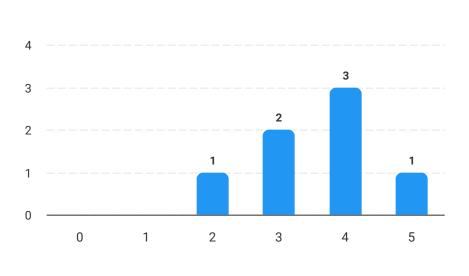
(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

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3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	4



Grading is clear and tied to key learning objectives.

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1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	1
3	Neutral	2
4	Agree	3
5	Strongly Agree	1

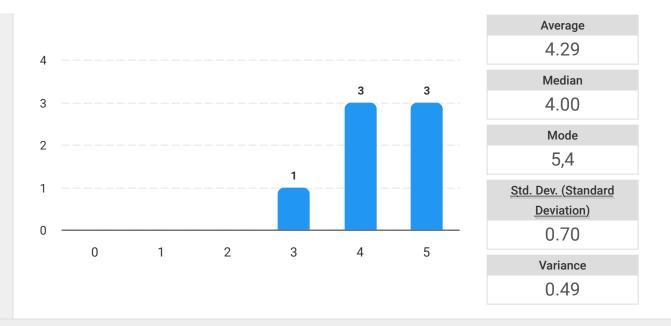


Average
3.57
Median
4.00
Mode
4
Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation)
0.90
Variance
0.82

7 Overall, I learned a lot in this course.



Value	Option	Total
-	No Answer	0
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	3
5	Strongly Agree	3



Open-Ended



What were the most beneficial aspects of this course? (Please be specific)

(Text/Memo)

- Being able to have discussions with classmates using the online discussion boards.
- I LOVED all the videos we watched in this course. I almost wish there were more assigned.
- Generally, the pre-recorded lectures were useful for understanding the class material.
- The most beneficial aspect of this course, to me, was the discussion board post responses and the Phillip Cary lectures we had to watch. I felt I learned a lot both from other people in the course as well as in the lectures we were required to watch.
- Hearing my peers perspectives and being able to compare them to my own and learning from that.



discussion being able



What are your suggestions for improving this course? (Please be specific)

(Text/Memo)

- None
- Maybe add a group project?
- The instructor sent an unnecessary amount of convoluted emails, and nothing about the way that she grades is particularly clear. Every time a student asked a question, she sent a very long email that very rarely answered the question. Any time a technical difficulty arose, she told us to ask ITG for help, rather than handling it herself, even though the issue was always something she could have easily fixed herself. She is not rude, and it seems that, in theory, she wants to be helpful, but she in practice she is not very helpful, and she makes everything much more complicated than it needs to be. I also think that refusing to open the materials for the week until Tuesday (rather than even Monday) is unfair to students who have other responsibilities and cannot necessary abide by her strict weekly schedule- the point of an online asynchronous class is that it is at least partially asynchronous. She seems to be out of touch with the reality of students lives. All this to say, the course would be greatly improved if the instructor made her grading criteria clear, abided by the structure of an asynchronous class, actually made an effort to help students, and proofread her emails to that they actually conveyed information concisely and effectively.
- NA
- The biggest difficulty for me in this course was the fact that I thought it inhibited the Jewish perspective and historical significance of the spring and growth of Christianity. Because the professor is not Jewish, the course was taught very much from the Christian perspective, with Jewish students attempting to "fill in the gaps" where questions arose. I understand that Christianity did spring from Judaism, but it is so essential for students to learn Jewish thought and practice as it is related to early Christianity, and even modern Christianity (if possible), so that the we don't further create antisemitic thoughts around the question of whether Christianity did or did not come from Judaism. I wish there was more Jewish perspective as well as Jewish text learning as well as an exploration into the Jewish messiah, not only a discussion around Jesus. I was nevertheless fascinated by my learnings of Christianity, but not at the stunt of Jewish context learning in relation, that should be balanced.



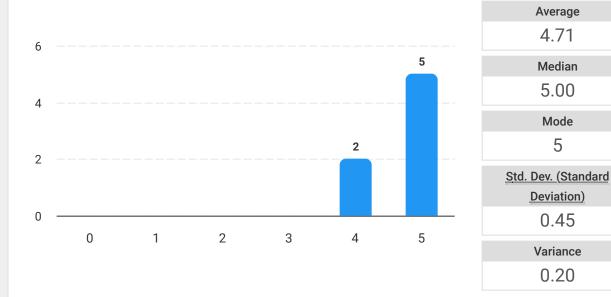
About the Instructor



The instructor generally showed up on time. Or, if an online class, the instructor made course materials available in a timely manner.

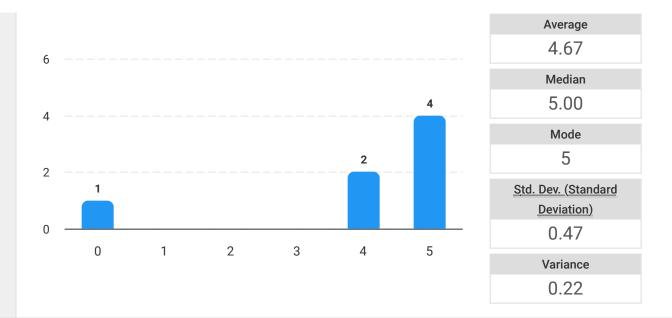
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1	Strongly Disagree	0
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3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	5



The instructor attended all scheduled classes. Or, if an online class, the instructor actively participated in class activities.

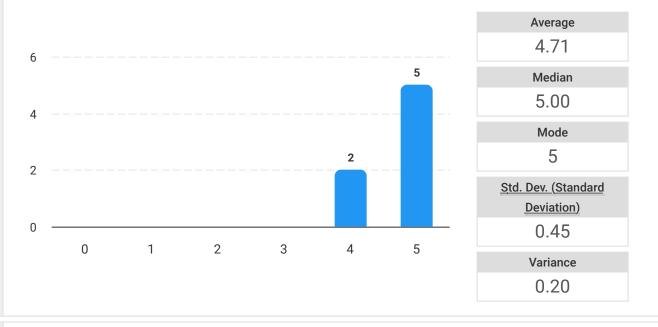
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The instructor was well prepared for each class. Or, if an online class, the instructor was well prepared to teach the course.

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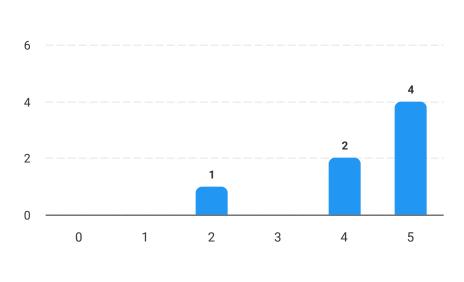
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The instructor was helpful when asked for assistance.

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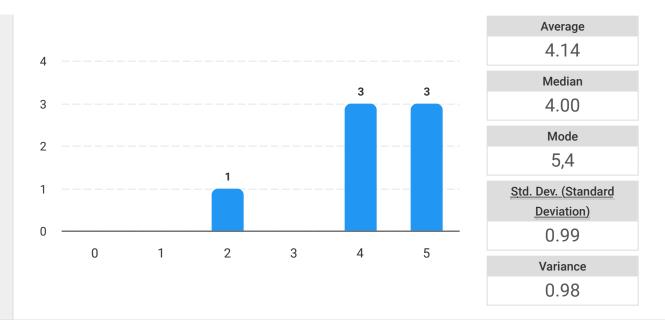
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Average
4.29
Median
5.00
Mode
5
Std. Dev. (Standard
Deviation)
1.03
Variance
1.06
1.00

The instructor communicated ideas and information clearly and effectively.

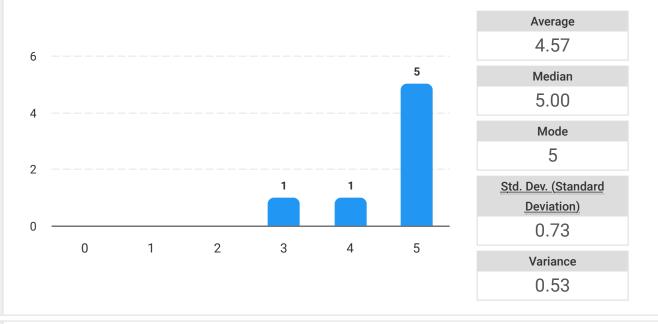
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The instructor treated students with respect.

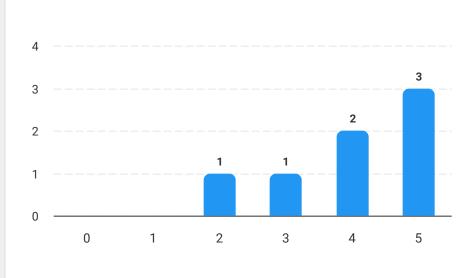
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The instructor provided timely feedback on my work. 16

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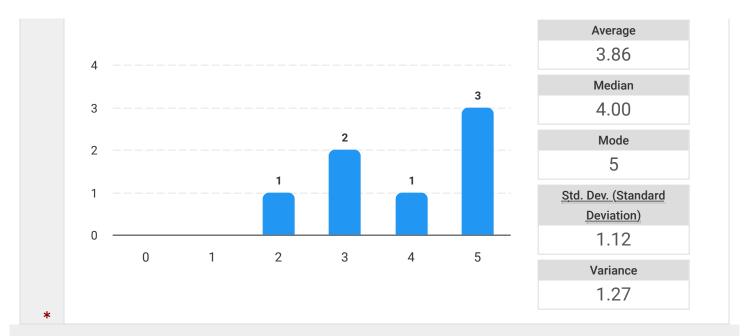
Average
4.00
Median
4.00
Mode
5
Std. Dev. (Standard
Deviation)
1.07
Variance
1.14

Overall, I would recommend this instructor.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Instructor

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Additional Questions

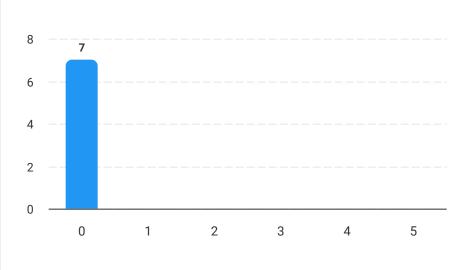
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18 I found the online course environment easy to navigate. (Multi-Choice, Single Answer) **Value Option Total** 0 No Answer 0 Strongly Disagree 0 Disagree 1 Neutral 2 Agree Strongly Agree Average 4.43 6 Median 5.00 Mode 5 2 2 Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation) 0.73 0 1 2 3 4 5 Variance 0.53

The lab for this course contributed significantly to my learning.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Value Option		Total
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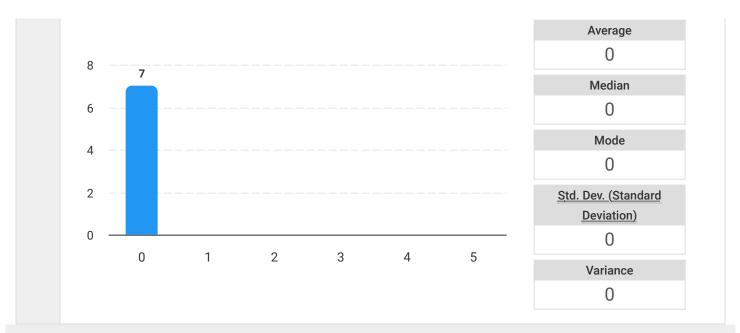


Average
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Median
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Mode
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Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation)
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Variance
0

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1	Strongly Disagree	0
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4	Agree	0
5	Strongly Agree	0



Course Learning Outcomes



Please rate your perceived extent of the performance or understanding of the following course objectives according to the scale provided.

(CLO Placeholder - Student)

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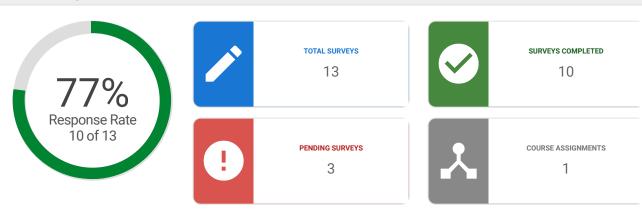
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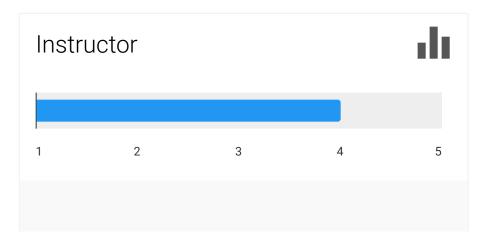
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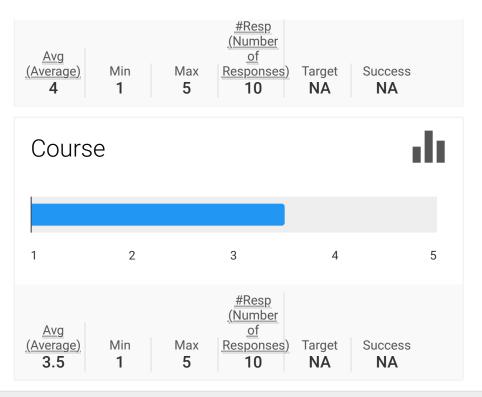
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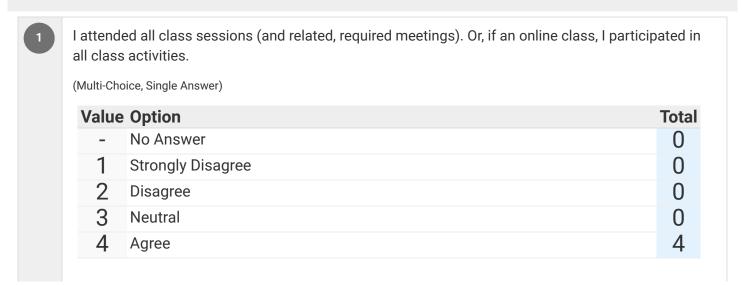


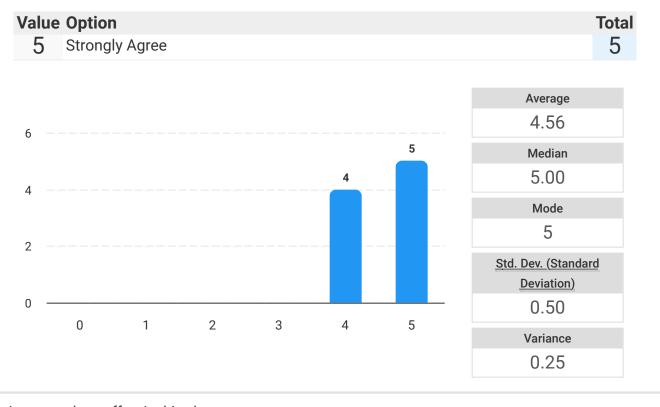
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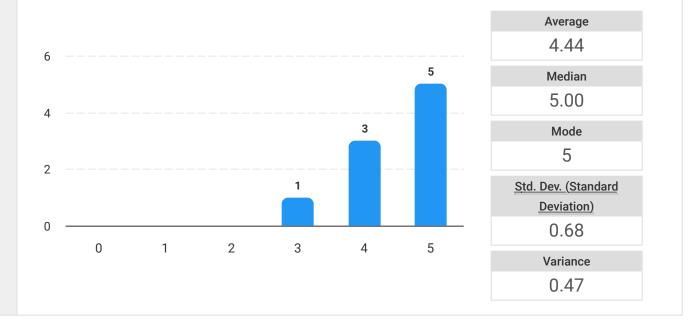
About Yourself





I gave my best effort in this class.

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4	Agree	3
5	Strongly Agree	5



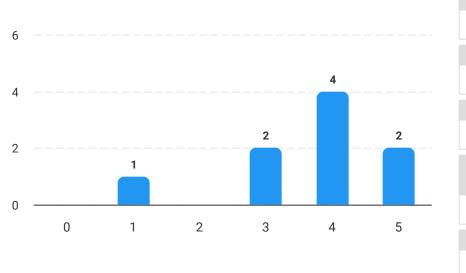
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The course materials (assigned readings, multi-media material, textbook) directly contributed to my learning.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

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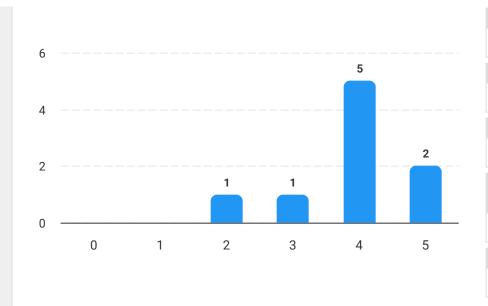


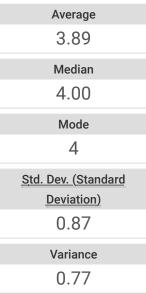
Average
3.67
Median
4.00
4.00
Mode
4
Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation) 1.15
Variance
1.33

4

The content in this course exposed me to ideas, skills, or ways of thinking that are meaningful.

Value	Value Option	
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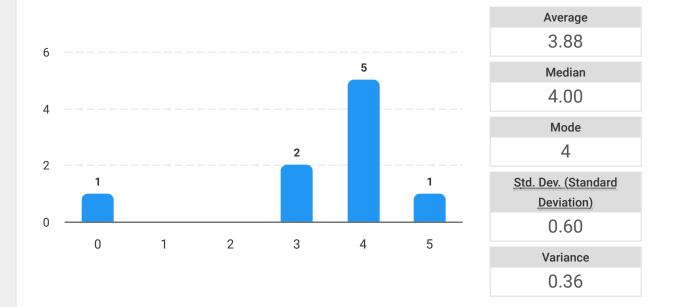




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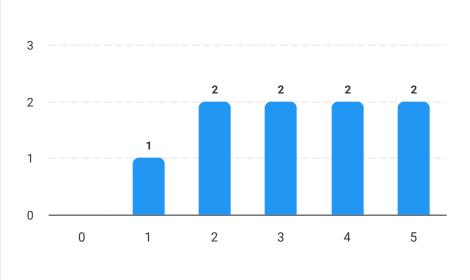
(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

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4	Agree	5
5	Strongly Agree	1



Grading is clear and tied to key learning objectives.

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2	Disagree	2
3	Neutral	2
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	2



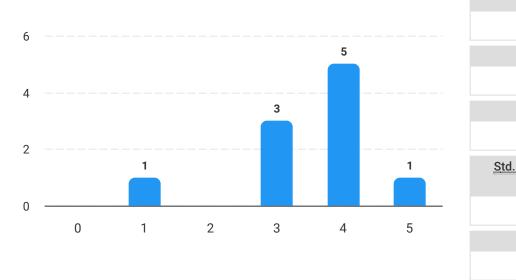
Average
3.22
Median
3.00
Mode
5,4,2,3
Std. Dev. (Standard
Deviation)
1.31
Variance
1.73

7 Overall, I learned a lot in this course.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

1 Course

Value	Value Option	
-	No Answer	0
1	Strongly Disagree	1
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	3
4	Agree	5
5	Strongly Agree	1



3.50
Median
4.00
Mode
4
Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation) 1.02
Variance
1.05

Average

Open-Ended



What were the most beneficial aspects of this course? (Please be specific)

(Text/Memo)

- The professor means well, and our discussion boards helped me recognize that I am not alone in my dissatisfaction of this course.
- N/A
- the video lectures that explain hard thigns
- Being able to have an open discussion about religion
- I found the discussion board sections of this class incredibly insightful!
- The discussion board conversations were amazing!
- I enjoyed the professors lectures on the material.
- The lectures were most helpful as they were well thought out

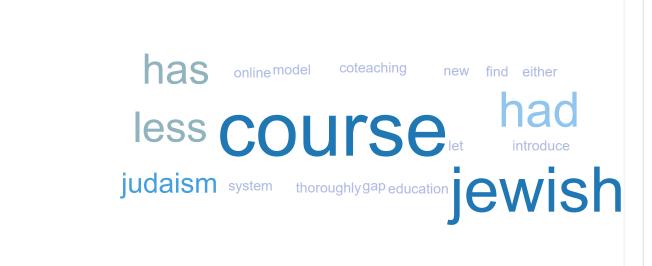


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What are your suggestions for improving this course? (Please be specific)

(Text/Memo)

- 1. 2. Either find a new professor for this course, or introduce a co-teaching model in the online system. This professor has (frequently) let us know that she is not thoroughly educated on Jewish education, so why is she teaching a course on Judaism? As a result of this knowledge gap, we have had entirely Christian-oriented content, under the facade of Judeo-Christian values. It has misrepresented Jewish ideas to students with no prior knowledge on the matter, and the Jewish educated student were picking up the slack. 3. Have discussion board questions revised. The discussion boards are our only method of class interaction. Over time, the prompts have had less and less to do with a given week's course content, and 2 of our prompts were nearly verbatim. Many of us lost interest in participating (which, considering our Professor's harsh grading, means a lot), and the discussions themselves prove this. 2. Either find a new professor for this course, or introduce a co-teaching model in the online system. This professor has (frequently) let us know that she is not thoroughly educated on Jewish education, so why is she teaching a course on Judaism? As a result of this knowledge gap, we have had entirely Christian-oriented content, under the facade of Judeo-Christian values. It has misrepresented Jewish ideas to students with no prior knowledge on the matter, and the Jewish educated student were picking up the slack. 3. Have discussion board questions revised. The discussion boards are our only method of class interaction. Over time, the prompts have had less and less to do with a given week's course content, and 2 of our prompts were nearly verbatim. Many of us lost interest in participating (which, considering our Professor's harsh grading, means a lot), and the discussions themselves prove this.
- Group Projects would be nice
- Focus on the similarities and differences of the religions rather than focus on historical situations in which Christianity spawned. Also a timeline with the evolution of Judaism and Christianity and properly provide context would be helpful
- My only suggestion for this class would be more active meetings or lessons but I understand that because this was an asynchronous class that this is not possible.
- Not using course reserves would make things so much better because I had so much difficulty trying to use it.
- Since the reading was so heavy, I would suggest going more in depth about the reading during lectures.
- More clear instructions of journals



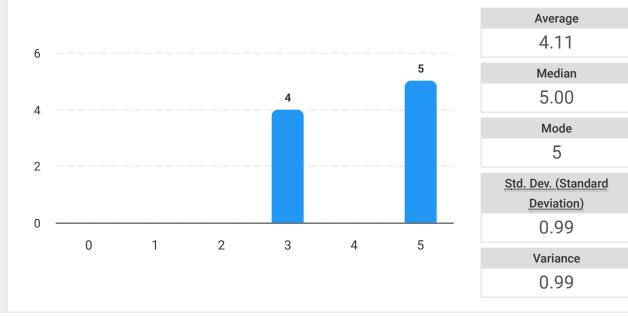
About the Instructor



The instructor generally showed up on time. Or, if an online class, the instructor made course materials available in a timely manner.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

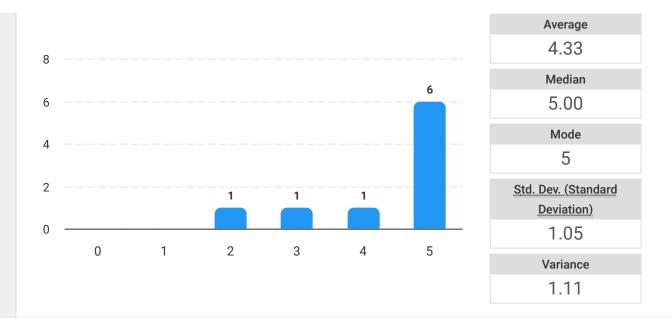
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1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	4
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5	Strongly Agree	5



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The instructor attended all scheduled classes. Or, if an online class, the instructor actively participated in class activities.

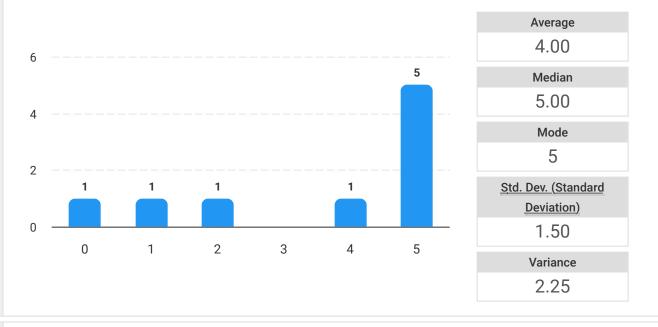
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5	Strongly Agree	6



The instructor was well prepared for each class. Or, if an online class, the instructor was well prepared to teach the course.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

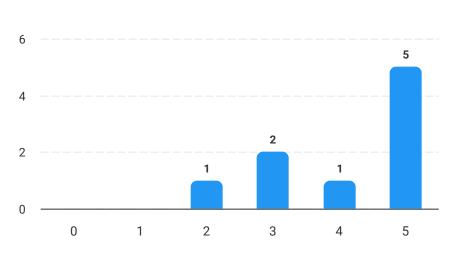
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5	Strongly Agree	5



The instructor was helpful when asked for assistance.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

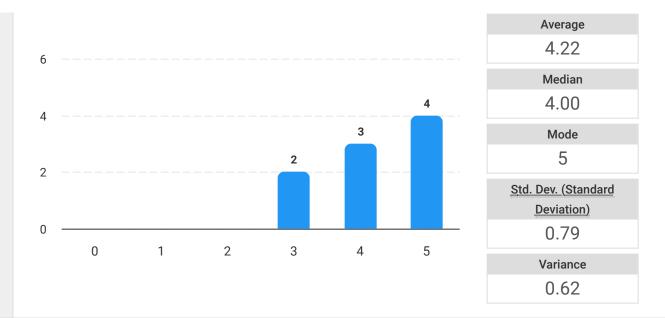
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5	Strongly Agree	5



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Median
5.00
Mode
5
Std. Dev. (Standard Deviation)
1.10
Variance
1.21

The instructor communicated ideas and information clearly and effectively.

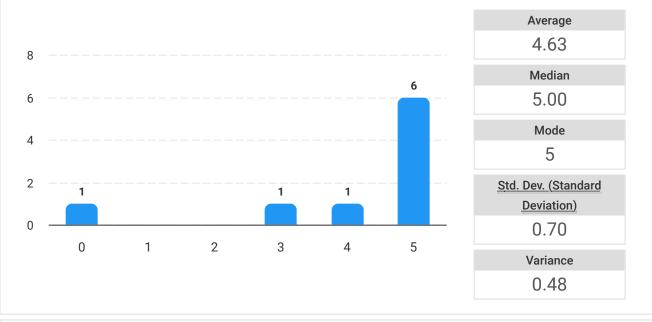
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5	Strongly Agree	4



The instructor treated students with respect.

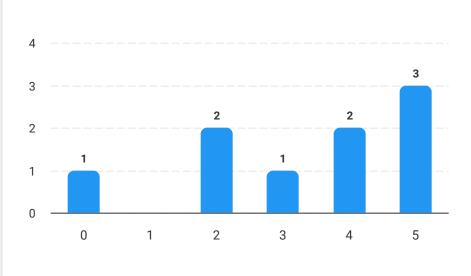
(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Value Option		Total
-	No Answer	1
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	1
5	Strongly Agree	6



The instructor provided timely feedback on my work. 16

Value	Value Option	
-	No Answer	1
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	2
3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	2
5	Strongly Agree	3



Average 3.75
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Overall, I would recommend this instructor.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

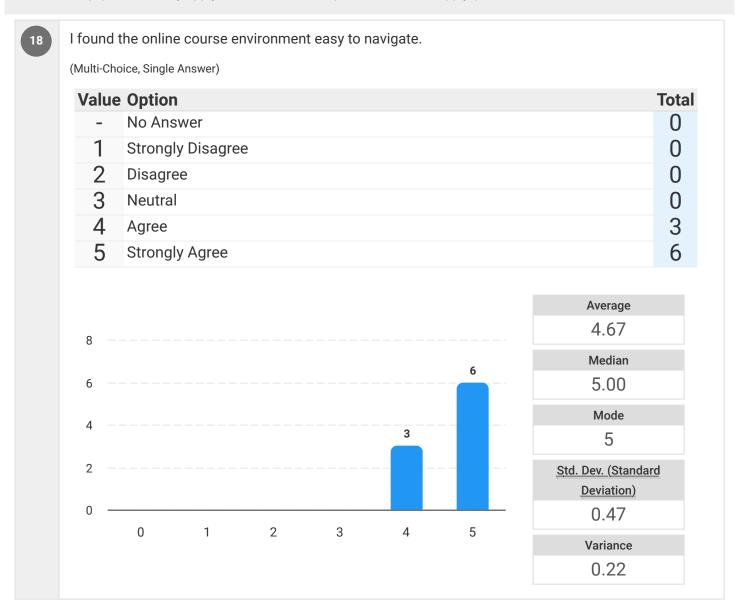
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Value	Value Option	
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1	Strongly Disagree	1
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	1
4	Agree	4
5	Strongly Agree	4



Additional Questions

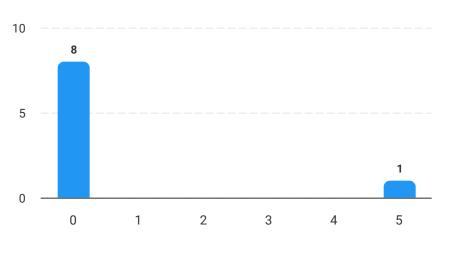
The following questions may apply to this course. If a question does not apply, please select "No Answer."



The lab for this course contributed significantly to my learning.

(Multi-Choice, Single Answer)

Value	Value Option	
-	No Answer	8
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	0
5	Strongly Agree	1

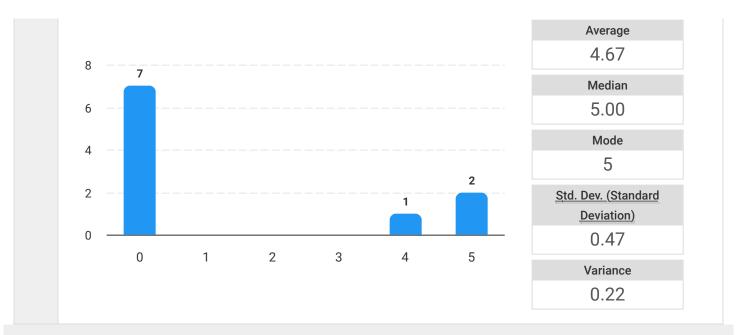


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The recitation for this course contributed significantly to my learning.

Value Option		Total
-	No Answer	7
1	Strongly Disagree	0
2	Disagree	0
3	Neutral	0
4	Agree	1
5	Strongly Agree	2



Course Learning Outcomes



Please rate your perceived extent of the performance or understanding of the following course objectives according to the scale provided.

(CLO Placeholder - Student)

Student Comments...

I found the discussion board sections of this class incredibly insightful!

The discussion board conversations were amazing!

I enjoyed the professors lectures on the material.

I LOVED all the videos we watched in this course. I almost wish there were more assigned.