Course Experience Survey
Semester 2, 2008
Higher Education

Field of Education: Epidemiology
Code: O61311

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Surveys Completed: 18

SUMMARY

Percentage Agree\(^a\) for Survey Questions

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Good Teaching Scale (GTS) percent agree: 72.4%  GTS Mean: 3.7

For more information about the GTS and the CES can be found at: [http://www.rmit.edu.au/ssc/ces/faq](http://www.rmit.edu.au/ssc/ces/faq)

Overall Satisfaction Index (OSI) percent agree: 83.3%

\(^a\) Percentage agree is the total number of students who "agree" or "strongly agree" as a percentage of total responses

\(^b\) If no additional questions were asked please disregard, results in that case are from students incorrectly completing these items

\(^c\) Items comprising the GTS

Note 1: Reports for survey items for School and Portfolio will be available for comparison purposes at: [http://www.rmit.edu.au/ssc](http://www.rmit.edu.au/ssc)

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1. The learning objectives in this course are clear to me.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 2 (11%)
- Neutral: 4 (22%)
- Agree: 9 (50%)
- Strongly Agree: 4 (22%)

Total: 18
Mean: 4.1

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

7. Assessment tasks in this course require me to demonstrate what I am learning.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 1 (6%)
- Neutral: 2 (11%)
- Agree: 10 (56%)
- Strongly Agree: 5 (28%)

Total: 18
Mean: 4.1

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

2. I am learning what I expected to in this course.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 1 (6%)
- Neutral: 2 (11%)
- Agree: 10 (56%)
- Strongly Agree: 5 (28%)

Total: 18
Mean: 4.1

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

8. The amount of work required in this course is about right.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 2 (11%)
- Neutral: 3 (17%)
- Agree: 8 (47%)
- Strongly Agree: 4 (24%)

Total: 17
Mean: 4.3

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

3. This course is well organized.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 2 (11%)
- Neutral: 2 (11%)
- Agree: 10 (56%)
- Strongly Agree: 2 (11%)

Total: 18
Mean: 4.0

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

9. The teaching staff in this course motivate me to do my best work.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 4 (24%)
- Neutral: 1 (6%)
- Agree: 8 (47%)
- Strongly Agree: 4 (24%)

Total: 17
Mean: 3.7

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

4. The teaching staff are extremely good at explaining things.

- Strongly Disagree: 1 (6%)
- Disagree: 1 (6%)
- Neutral: 1 (6%)
- Agree: 10 (56%)
- Strongly Agree: 5 (28%)

Total: 18
Mean: 4.0

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

10. I enjoy doing the work for this course.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 2 (13%)
- Neutral: 0 (0%)
- Agree: 12 (75%)
- Strongly Agree: 2 (13%)

Total: 16
Mean: 3.9

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

5. The teaching staff normally give me helpful feedback on how I am going in this course.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 3 (19%)
- Neutral: 3 (19%)
- Agree: 10 (63%)
- Strongly Agree: 1 (6%)

Total: 16
Mean: 3.6

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

11. I find the learning resources for this course useful (e.g., notes, handouts, books, readings and audio-visual materials).

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 1 (6%)
- Neutral: 0 (0%)
- Agree: 11 (69%)
- Strongly Agree: 4 (25%)

Total: 16
Mean: 3.9

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

6. This course contributes to my confidence in tackling unfamiliar problems.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 3 (18%)
- Neutral: 2 (12%)
- Agree: 10 (56%)
- Strongly Agree: 2 (12%)

Total: 17
Mean: 3.6

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

12. The web-based (online) materials in this course are effective in assisting my learning.

- Strongly Disagree: 0 (0%)
- Disagree: 2 (13%)
- Neutral: 1 (6%)
- Agree: 8 (47%)
- Strongly Agree: 6 (35%)

Total: 17
Mean*: 4.3

[Bar chart showing percentage distribution across categories]

*Mean calculated excluding "not applicable" scores.
13. There is effective use of other computer-based teaching materials in this course.

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14. The facilities (such as classrooms, lecture theatres, studios, labs, workshops) are adequate for this course.

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15. I feel I can actively participate in my classes.

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Mean: 3.8

16. There is a good balance between theory and practice.

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Mean: 4.0

17. The teaching staff work hard to make this course interesting.

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Mean: 4.1

18. I can see how I’ll be able to use what I am learning in this course in my career.

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19. The staff make a real effort to understand difficulties I might be having with my work.

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20. The staff put a lot of time into commenting on my work.

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21. Overall, I am satisfied with the quality of this course.

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