



Rutgers University Student Instructional Rating

Fall 2019

Syrett, Kristen - SYRETTK

Special Topics: Seminar In Language Acquisition - 16:615:660:01

Survey Form: *Standard SIRS

Enrollment: 3

Responses Received: 2

University-wide Instructor Questions

Weight of responses: 1=SD (Strongly Disagree), 2=D (Disagree), 3=N (Neutral), 4=A (Agree), 5=SA (Strongly Agree), Resp=Number of Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	SD	D	N	A	SA	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
The instructor Kristen Syrett was prepared for class and presented the material in an organized manner.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.78
The instructor Kristen Syrett responded effectively to student comments and questions.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.85
The instructor Kristen Syrett generated interest in the course material.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.78
The instructor Kristen Syrett had a positive attitude toward assisting all students in understanding course material.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.81
The instructor Kristen Syrett assigned grades fairly.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.78
The instructional methods of Kristen Syrett encouraged student learning.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.77

Teaching Effectiveness

Weight of responses: 1=P (Poor), 2=F (Fair), 3=A (Average), 4=G (Good), 5=E (Excellent), Resp=Number of Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	P	F	A	G	E	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
I rate the teaching effectiveness of the instructor Kristen Syrett as:	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.78

University-wide Course Questions

Weight of responses: 1=SD (Strongly Disagree), 2=D (Disagree), 3=N (Neutral), 4=A (Agree), 5=SA (Strongly Agree), Resp=Number of Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	SD	D	N	A	SA	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
I learned a great deal in this course.	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	4.88	4.70
I had a strong prior interest in the subject matter and wanted to take this course.	0	0	1	0	1	2	4.00	4.00	4.50	4.41

Course Quality

Weight of responses: 1=P (Poor), 2=F (Fair), 3=A (Average), 4=G (Good), 5=E (Excellent), Resp=Number of Student Responses

Weighted Means: Section, Course, Level, Department

	P	F	A	G	E	Resp	Section	Course	Level	Dept
I rate the overall quality of the course as:	0	0	0	0	2	2	5.00	5.00	5.00	4.81

What do you like best about this course?

These comments are intended for all instructors.

Comments
I liked the structure – read articles, then come in and discuss. I have found this style of course really helpful in both giving a sense of the literature surrounding the topic and in encouraging critical thinking. While reading you have to think – what are the authors really saying? Should they be saying that? Are there holes in the arguments? That kind of reading is really important for people in academia.
I appreciated that the course was discussion-oriented. I also think having the online discussion posts helped facilitate in class discussion.

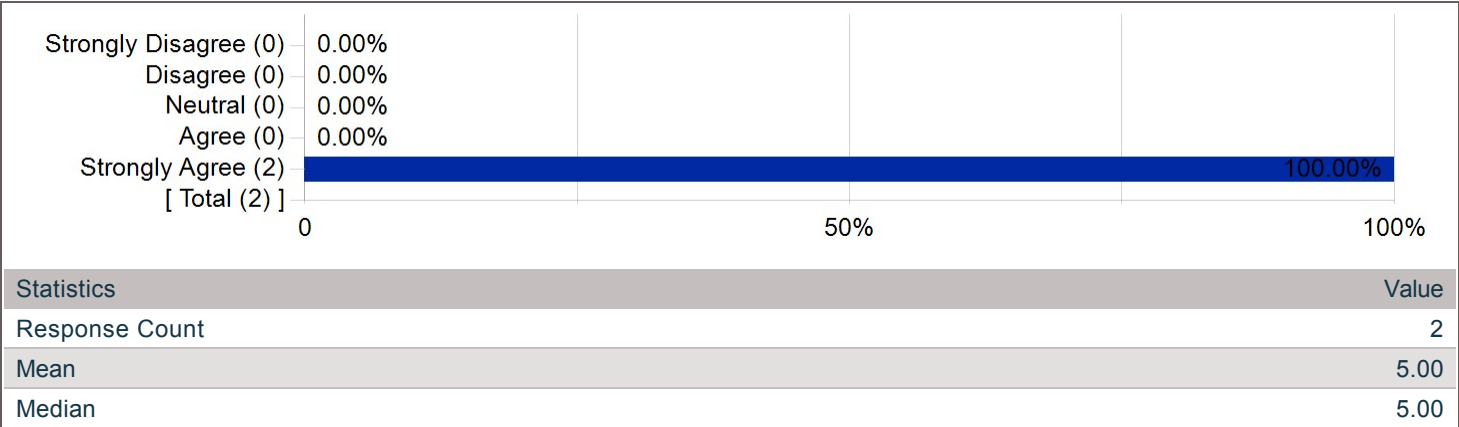
In what ways, if any, has this course or the instructor Kristen Syrett encouraged your intellectual growth and progress?

These comments are unique to the instructor Kristen Syrett.

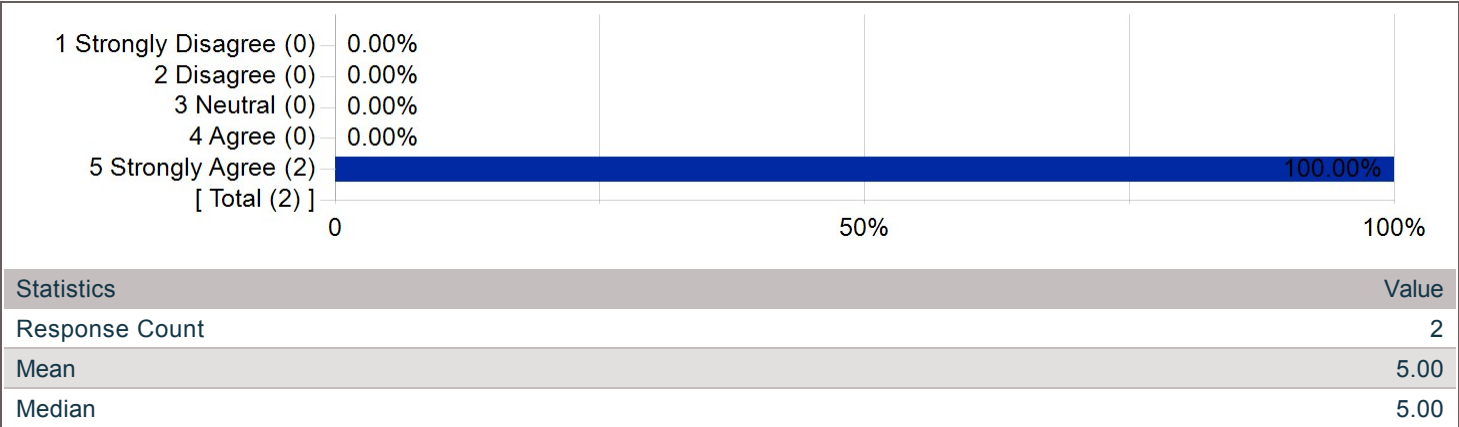
Comments
This was an area I knew nothing about and now I feel like I know a good deal about the subject material. The course has made me want to learn more about the topics we covered.
Kristen always encourages us to really engage with the material and to think critically about what we are reading.

Questions Chosen by Instructor

The course was intellectually stimulating.



The classroom environment supported my learning.



Course participation was encouraged.

