

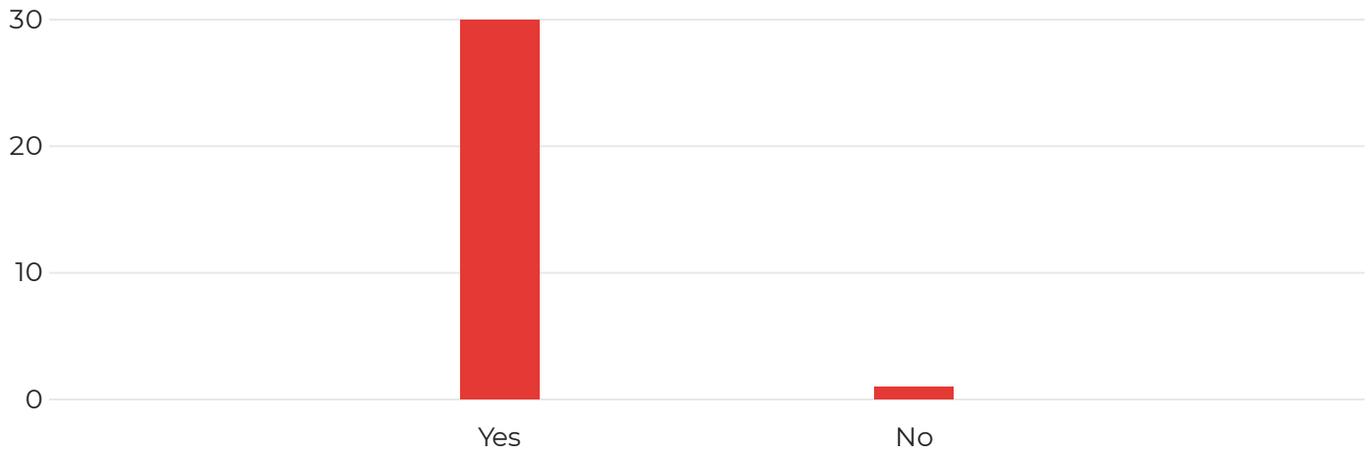
PSY 201L: Introduction to Statistical Methods in Psychology

Spring 2019, Instructor: Gregory Samanez-Larkin, PhD

TAs: Jaime Castellon and Christina Bejjani

Assignment 11: A Bonus Points Survey

Did you feel that the TAs (Christina Bejjani and Jaime Castellon) took your midterm feedback into account and improved the lab sections?



Yes [97%, 30]

Please explain your answer above.

Fit everything into the discussion time

Lab seemed to be more useful for the homework and the slides/pdf that were posted after lab were VERY helpful!

Lab was a lot more helpful following the midterm

I appreciated that we started going over HW. I think that's important.

The TAs have been really helpful and flexible to accommodate the class.

Absolutely! The pacing of lab became much more relaxed after feedback was given, which I really appreciate.

They review assignments in lab

I kind of said it in my previous answer, but I think the TA's made a conscious effort to really take the content we learned in lecture step by step in lab, making me understand the material a lot more in the time that we had on lab days

went slower

They fit the whole lab into the session allotted

Both instructors were great at both halves of the semester.

In lab, I thought the last couple weeks were a lot more productive and I was able to get more out of it. Because the lab was laid out a little differently it gave us the opportunity to go a little bit slower and understand the concepts more.

Christina shortened labs like we had asked and spent more time reviewing JASP concepts.

It didn't get worse

Yes they took the time to ask us how they could improve and showed up on our requests.

They were able to shorten lab sections so we finish and understood what we were supposed to do.

I think that section became a lot more mainstreamed! It was easier to follow along and quickly distinguish between the results and discussion section of the assignment.

They have been asking more questions about what the students are confused on and helping clarify topics

I really appreciated seeing our feedback noted in emails and follow-ups.

N/A

Definitely! This is where I saw the most improvement after the midterm evaluation. Labs were slowly adjusted to be ideal.

good at answering student Qs

Labs ran smoother

We started having less crammed lab sections so that there was more time for questions.

Lab isn't as packed now

ABSOLUTELY. Christina emailed us page long emails with the ways that they would improve upon the lab sections based on our feedback. It was amazing.

Personally, I feel like our lab is rushed and we are just told the answers and not really explained the significance of the lab example and how it truly ties into class. There is a disconnect.

TA sent an email specifically addressing concerns

Felt less jam packed

Still don't remember but my TA is amazing and she always tries her best to present the material in a way that's easy to understand and to answer questions that people have! If I didn't attend lab and review the slides afterward I don't think I would be doing well on the assignments or have an A in this course.

What I said before - they made them less dense and more interactive which was great.

In response to the prompt, "Why are you taking this course?", you wrote the following: "[Field-whycourse]" Has this course fulfilled those reasons?

Yes, it has also been extremely helpful for my thesis.

Yes even though the course didn't really involve much math.

yes!

Yes, and it has helped me to gain a better understanding of research, advertising, etc.

Yes, it's been a great experience.

Absolutely! This has easily been one of the best classes I've taken, and I feel substantially more prepared to contribute/interpret psychological research now than I did before.

Yes

Yes, for sure. I think this class has given me a wonderful foundation of stat. I think it was practical, realistic, and extremely worth while to focus on how to interpret data through JASP rather than focusing on how to crunch numbers (which nobody really ever does anymore due to the technology we have) I ended up getting a lot more out of this course than I initially thought I would!

agree

Yes

Yes, it definitely has.

Yes, I also find that this course has been really beneficial for me in every day life. When I read articles that have data in them, I am a lot more curious about it.

Yes. I have fulfilled my psychology requirement and come to really enjoy statistics.

Yes definitely. I also really do though feel as though I learned a lot, and that my professor cared about me learning, which was so, incredibly refreshing. Duke profs, and probably college profs in general, are not like this. One of the best classes I've had a Duke

Yes

Yes! I have learned so much this semester. I began working in a research lab this semester as well, and I was able to apply what I've learned in class to the research I was conducting!

Yes, this course was phenomenal! I certainly became more confident in using the software JASP to conduct a variety of statistical analyses.

Yes

Yes.

Yes :)

Definitely! I've learned a lot during the semester and I have started to apply what I learned to different classes (Social Psychology) and real-life situations (winning arguments).

yes

100% and also taught me more useful skills than I thought

I think so!

Yup

This class has 100% exceeded my expectations for what it would provide for me. It has become my favorite class that I've ever taken at Duke thus far. It made me gain confidence in my statistics ability and made me love psychology even more.

Yes

Yes definitely, took a true stats course, learned stats conceptually, had a good time

Yes

Yes; I have to analyze a data set in a few hours from my actual lab so I'm very grateful that I was required to take this course again.

Yes! It's also encouraged me to think deeply about human behavior and decision making.

In response to the prompt, "Briefly describe your goals for taking this course", you wrote the following: "[Field-goalscourse]" Have you fulfilled those goals by taking this course?

Yes, I absolutely have!

Yes, I definitely learned how to read and understand a scientific research experiment based on statistics.

yes!

Partially; I think I will need to synthesize this material a bit more at this point, but I've definitely learned a lot in this introductory course.

Definitely.

Absolutely! I answered this in the last question, but I really do feel that this course provided me with real-world analytical skills.

Yes

Yes! I think this course did a great job at practically applying statistics to psychology. I really like how we focused on figuring out what test to run based on specific situations, and using that knowledge to apply data in JASP.

agree

yes

Yes, now when I watch presentations in other psych classes that uses statistical data, I have a much better understanding of how they produced those studies and I can interpret their results with a much more experienced perspective.

Yes, Dr. Samanez-Larkin and the TAs have helped a substantial amount in understanding how to interpret data and when to use it.

Yes. I have been able to use my statistics skills to read journal articles more carefully and understand them more fully. I also have become skeptical of data used in advertisements.

You betcha

I hope so. I am in the A range so hopefully I do good on the exam.

Yes! I can read academic studies and makes sense of the result section now!

I was once again able to fulfill these goals! I think that the structure of the course enabled us to be presented with a data set and consider what analysis would be most beneficial.

Yes

Yes.

Yes, completely

Yes. I feel a lot more confident reading papers and understanding what was once arbitrary statistics.

yes

100% I plan on using the skills I've learned this summer in my internship and I've already used stats to analyze group project data this semester.

I think so, for this too!

Yup

Absolutely. This was easily fulfilled during this class.

I have 75% mastered these goals, I need to grasp a firmer understanding of particular concepts, like ANOVA and then I believe I will fulfill my goal.

Yes; I think the assignments do a good job of showing how we can apply stats to real life scenarios (giving past students' anecdotes in internships for example), plus I feel like Jasp is user friendly enough that it'll be able to stay with me

Yes

Almost; I'm confident in my ability to analyze the data using the software but not without it so I think I could have done better in that area.

Yes, although I think it's fulfilled it from more of a psychological and practical standpoint and less so of a neuroscience one.

In response to the prompt, "What grade do you hope to achieve in this course? Consider the lowest score at which you would feel satisfied", you chose the following: $\{e://Field/grade\}$. Knowing that this was your grade goal, are you currently satisfied with your grade in the class?

