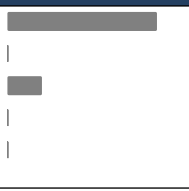



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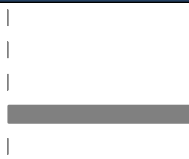

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Instructor: Russell Schutt *
Response Rate: 16/23 (69.57 %)

1 - What is your major area of study?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Sociology	(1)	13	81.25%					
Criminal Justice	(2)	0	0.00%					
Social Psychology	(3)	3	18.75%					
Other	(4)	0	0.00%					
Undeclared, special student, other college, combination	(5)	0	0.00%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				1.38	0.81	1.00		



2 - How many credits had you completed before this semester (not including current semester credits)?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
First Year (0-23 credits)	(1)	0	0.00%					
Sophomore (24-53 credits)	(2)	0	0.00%					
Junior (54-83 credits)	(3)	0	0.00%					
Senior (84 or more credits)	(4)	16	100.00%					
Graduate	(5)	0	0.00%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				4.00	0.00	4.00		

3 - How would you describe this teacher's mastery of the specific subject matter of this course?

Response Option		Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	
Poor		(1)	0	0.00%	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>	
Below average		(2)	0	0.00%		
Average		(3)	0	0.00%		
Good		(4)	2	12.50%		
Outstanding		(5)	14	87.50%		
Response Rate		16/23 (69.57%)				

4 - How do you rate this instructor in terms of her/his ability to convey viewpoints and perspectives so that they are clear and precise?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	1	6.25%					
Good	(4)	3	18.75%					
Outstanding	(5)	12	75.00%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				4.69	0.60	5.00		

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5 - How effective is the instructor in creating a class atmosphere that is open to participation?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	2	12.50%					
Good	(4)	3	18.75%					
Outstanding	(5)	11	68.75%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean		STD		Median
16/23 (69.57%)				4.56		0.73		5.00

6 - Judging from the overall course plan and the individual lectures, how do you rate this instructor's preparations for class?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	1	6.25%					
Good	(4)	1	6.25%					
Outstanding	(5)	14	87.50%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean		STD		Median
16/23 (69.57%)				4.81		0.54		5.00

7 - How would you rate the level of difficulty of the subject matter of this course?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Low	(1)	1	6.25%					
Below Average	(2)	1	6.25%					
Average	(3)	8	50.00%					
Above Average	(4)	6	37.50%					
Very High	(5)	0	0.00%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean		STD		Median
16/23 (69.57%)				3.19		0.83		3.00

8 - The amount of reading was:

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
About Right	(1)	16	100.00%					
Very Heavy	(2)	0	0.00%					
Too Light	(3)	0	0.00%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean		STD		Median
16/23 (69.57%)				1.00		0.00		1.00

9 - The general quality of reading was:

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	2	12.50%					
Good	(4)	6	37.50%					
Outstanding	(5)	8	50.00%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean		STD		Median
16/23 (69.57%)				4.38		0.72		4.50

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10 - How would you rate this teacher in terms of fairness of her or his grading practices?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	1	6.25%					
Good	(4)	5	31.25%					
Outstanding	(5)	10	62.50%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				4.56	0.63	5.00		

11 - Overall, how would you evaluate this course?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	0	0.00%					
Good	(4)	6	37.50%					
Outstanding	(5)	10	62.50%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				4.63	0.50	5.00		

12 - Overall, how would you evaluate the instructor?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Poor	(1)	0	0.00%					
Below Average	(2)	0	0.00%					
Average	(3)	0	0.00%					
Good	(4)	2	12.50%					
Outstanding	(5)	14	87.50%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				4.88	0.34	5.00		

13 - Overall, how much do you feel you have learned in this course?

Response Option	Weight	Frequency	Percent	Percent Responses	Means			
Very Little	(1)	0	0.00%					
Less Than Average Amount	(2)	0	0.00%					
An Average Amount	(3)	2	12.50%					
A Good Amount	(4)	8	50.00%					
An Outstanding Amount	(5)	6	37.50%					
				0 25 50 100	Question			
Response Rate				Mean	STD	Median		
16/23 (69.57%)				4.25	0.68	4.00		

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14 - How would you describe the instructor's mastery of the specific matter of this course?

Response Rate 13/23 (56.52%)

- Amazing-- He clearly knows what he's talking about
- Prof. Schute uses knowledge that he gained in the field to teach us with, and that is very valuable
- good
- Very knowledgeable!
- He is knowledgeable on the material.
- Effective
- By far one of the best sociology courses I have taken. This professor is brilliant.
- good
- excellent & very diverse class examples
- I love my major because of Professor like Professor Schutt. They care. Not only care for their students, but what they practice and teach. His passion and research follows through with his teaching of the course.
- He knows his stuff
- Outstanding
- Mastered

15 - How do you rate this instructor's ability to convey viewpoints and perspectives clearly?

Response Rate 12/23 (52.17%)

- He gets the point across really clearly
- He's very good at breaking things down and explaining things clearly
- 10/10
- Good, but sometimes a little unorganized.
- 9 out 10
- Outstanding
- good
- somewhat clear
- Amazing! His powerpoint slides flow and were easily understood and helpful to understand the assign readings better. Most of all to help convey critical questions.
- He did a great job
- Outstanding
- Outstanding

16 - Is the atmosphere in the class such that you feel free to participate?

Response Rate 14/23 (60.87%)

- Yes, I always feel free to participate in this class
- It always feels like an environment open to the opinions of others
- yes
- Yes we were encouraged to participate
- Yes, to an extent. Wish more students participated.
- Yes
- Yes
- good
- somewhat
- Yes
- YES!! ALWAYS!! The professor would throw in jokes out and help us make at ease and participate. It is our senior seminar class and we are already feeling the stress, but Professor always came in on time with great attitude ready to teach.
- Yes.. it was a very safe and good learning environment
- yes
- Yes

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17 - Judging from the overall course plan and the individual lectures, would you say this teacher was always well prepared, usually well prepared, often unprepared, always unprepared?

Response Rate 14/23 (60.87%)

- always super prepared
- well prepped
- always well prepared
- Always well prepared
- usually well prepared.
- Well preparerd
- Always well prepared
- well prepared
- always prepared
- Always well prepared
- ALWAYS WELL PREPARED AND SOME MORE! THANK YOU !!
- Always prepared
- always well prepared
- always well prepared

18 - How successful is the instructor in stimulating your interest in the subject matter?

Response Rate 13/23 (56.52%)

- Very! He's very passionate about the subject which sparks my interest in the class discussion
- very good!
- great- cold called(don't like it in general, but it was fine in this class)
- The material stimulated my interest more than the instructor, which is unfortunate because outside of this class he studies and writes about really interesting material.
- Very successful
- Outstanding
- good
- very much
- Very successful
- Really Good! There is more to sociology to follow through. It is more complex and it is why i love it.
- He was very successful
- successful
- Very successfully

19 - The amount of reading was: too heavy, about right, too light?

Response Rate 14/23 (60.87%)

- about right
- it was fine
- about right
- A bit heavy
- perfect
- About right
- Perfect
- about right
- about right
- About right
- JUST ABOUT RIGHT! we were able to focus more on the class reading book because we had just about right amount of reading.
- About right
- about right
- right

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20 - The general quality of the reading assignments was: average, above average, below average.

Response Rate 14/23 (60.87%)

- above average
- average
- average
- Above average
- above average
- Average
- Above average
- average
- above average, really enjoyed the Christakis book
- Above average
- Above Average
- Above average
- above average
- Outstanding

21 - How would you rate this instructor on fairness?

Response Rate 14/23 (60.87%)

- Very Fair
- very fair
- 9/10
- very fair
- very fair
- 9 out of 10
- Very fair
- good
- very fair
- Very good
- REALLY FAIR! Professor always is there to help. You know you can go and talk to him and he will help in any way he can. We all struggle in school and have more responsibilities. If we need help on the assignments, he would help. It is just the matter of asking and being respectful as he always is with us.
- Very fair
- very fair
- Fair

22 - What is your overall assessment of the course?

Response Rate 13/23 (56.52%)

- Loved it. Would recommend to anybody
- it was a great class to be a part of!
- Look at society in a different way
- I enjoyed it very much, would recommend it to others!
- good
- Great
- The best sociology course offered at Umass Boston.
- good
- I enjoyed this course very much, 9/10
- I really enjoyed the class. My classmates and the Professor. We were able to express our ideas and explore them. Heck he challenge us to do so!
- Great course and I thoroughly enjoyed it
- good
- Great course would definitely recommend

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23 - What did you like best about the course?

Response Rate	12/23 (52.17%)
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- Professor Schutt was the best part. He was super energetic and engaging. He made sure the class was always fun and informative. I really liked the readings too!
- Prof Schute's personality and passion on the subject made it enjoyable to be in class
- presentations(my classmates ideas on Christakis's Blueprint sparked my mind) even though I HATE presentations. i get extremely nervous. When i presented, it was fun because the class was interesting in my reason vs emotion presentation.
- the multiple 2 page essays throughout the course on different concepts we had covered.
- Discussions
- Such an amazing way to look at sociology
- The book was very interesting and I really enjoyed the subject matter. My favorite class exercise was the class debate
- Professor and teaching assistant were helpful in regards to questions asked
- THE BOOK! BLUEPRINT! IT IS FASCINATING AND I could relate, we all could. It gives us a different understanding of the society we live in. Of course the Professor too. He introduce us to the book and other ideas.
- Everything. The social suite is such an important concept and how culture and Gene's affect our evolution was so interesting to learn about.
- Interactions
- The instructor and material were both amazing

24 - How can this course be improved?

Response Rate	11/23 (47.83%)
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- N/A
- I dont think it needs any improvements, he's doing a great job
- nothing to be improved on
- allow for more discussion in class.
- More time
- It was perfect
- More in class activities
- N/A
- More time haha. mmmm THE course was good, i like it thank you Professor. We got through our presentations.
- I think it's perfect the way it is
- None