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Summary of Online Teaching Evaluations

Students at UAlbany are encouraged to complete online course evaluations at the end of each semester. The following statistics are taken from these online evaluations. The first table aggregates my course ratings across all four sections of my courses, weighting each section by the number of students who completed online course evaluations. The second table reports course ratings for each of my four sections of courses separately.

Overall Course Ratings

Total students:	149 students
Sample size	(N = 48)
<u>Survey Item</u>	<u>Avg. Rating*</u>
1. Was well-prepared for class [†]	4.9
2. Communicated course content in ways you understood [†]	4.7
3. Stimulated your interest in course material [†]	4.5
4. Challenged you intellectually [†]	4.4
5. Was receptive to students' ideas and viewpoints [†]	4.7
6. Was available outside class to discuss course matters [†]	4.8
7. Held you to high standards of performance [†]	4.6
8. INSTRUCTOR, overall[‡]	4.6
9. COURSE, overall [‡]	4.2

*: Mean rating across each section weighted by sample size.

[†]: 1 = Almost Never; 2 = Seldom; 3 = As Often as Not; 4 = Very Often; 5 = Almost Always

[‡]: 1 = Poor; 2 = Fair; 3 = Average; 4 = Good; 5 = Excellent

Course Ratings by Section

Term:	Summer 2015	Fall 2015	Fall 2017	Fall 2017
Course:	Labor Economics	Interm. Macro	Interm. Macro	Interm. Macro
Class size:	13 students	49 students	46 students	41 students
Sample size	(N = 5)	(N = 16)	(N = 16)	(N = 11)
<u>Survey Item</u>	<u>Avg. Rating</u>	<u>Avg. Rating</u>	<u>Avg. Rating</u>	<u>Avg. Rating</u>
1. Was well-prepared for class [†]	5.0	4.9	4.8	5.0
2. Communicated course content in ways you understood [†]	5.0	4.4	4.7	4.8
3. Stimulated your interest in course material [†]	4.8	4.1	4.7	4.6
4. Challenged you intellectually [†]	4.8	4.3	4.3	4.7
5. Was receptive to students' ideas and viewpoints [†]	5.0	4.5	4.8	4.6
6. Was available outside class to discuss course matters [†]	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
7. Held you to high standards of performance [†]	4.8	4.5	4.4	4.8
8. INSTRUCTOR, overall[‡]	5.0	4.3	4.7	4.5
9. COURSE, overall [‡]	4.6	3.9	4.3	4.2

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