

Instructor: Z LIAO
 Course: CMPT 469
 Semester: 15-3

COURSE AND INSTRUCTOR EVALUATION

BACKGROUND	Frequency Distribution					Valid Responses	No Resp.			
	Weight:	4	3	2	1			0		
1. What is your cumulative grade point average? 1) 3.5 or over 2) 3.0 to 3.49 3) 2.5 to 2.99 4) 2.0 to 2.49 5) below 2.0		2 29%	3 43%	1 14%	1 14%	0 0%	3.18	7	0	
2. Why did you take this course? 1) It was compulsory 2) I am interested in the course 3) No alternative course available 4) It looked like an easy credit 5) Other reasons		0 0%	5 83%	1 17%	0 0%	0 0%		6	1	
GENERAL										
3. How often did you attend the lectures/seminars?	always	6 86%	1 14%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	hardly ever	3.86	7	0
4. The course prerequisites were	essential	2 29%	1 14%	2 29%	1 14%	1 14%	not essential	2.29	7	0
5. The overall level of difficulty for the course was	too easy	0 0%	1 14%	6 86%	0 0%	0 0%	too difficult	2.14	7	0
6. The amount of work required for the course was	too little	0 0%	1 14%	6 86%	0 0%	0 0%	too much	2.14	7	0
7. How valuable was the course content?	very	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	not very	4.00	7	0
8. The course text or supplementary material was	relevant	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	irrelevant	4.00	7	0
	A	B	C	D	F					
9. I would rate this course as		7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%		4.00	7	0

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10. The assignments and lecture/seminar were	well related	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	unrelated	4.00	7	0
11. The exams and assignments were on the whole	fair	6 86%	1 14%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	unfair	3.86	7	0
12. The marking scheme was on the whole	fair	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	unfair	4.00	7	0
INSTRUCTOR AND LECTURES/SEMINARS										
13. How informative were the lectures/seminars?	informative	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	uninformative	4.00	7	0
14. The instructor's organization and preparation were	excellent	6 86%	0 0%	0 0%	1 14%	0 0%	poor	3.57	7	0
15. The instructor's ability to communicate material was	excellent	4 57%	2 29%	1 14%	0 0%	0 0%	poor	3.43	7	0
16. The instructor's interest in the course content appeared to be	high	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	low	4.00	7	0
17. The instructor's feedback on my work was	adequate	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	inadequate	4.00	7	0
18. Questions during class were	encouraged	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	discouraged	4.00	7	0
19. Was the instructor reasonably accessible for extra help?	available	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	never available	4.00	7	0
20. Was the instructor responsive to suggestions or complaints?	very	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	not at all	4.00	7	0
21. Overall, the instructor's attitude towards students was	excellent	7 100%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	poor	4.00	7	0
		A	B	C	D	F				
22. I would rate the instructor's teaching ability as		6 86%	1 14%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%		3.86	7	0

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Instructor Evaluation

Instructor's Name: Zicheng Liao

Course: CMPT 469 – Fall Semester (1157)

1. What do you consider to be the strongest and weakest features of the instructor, as a teacher?

- Very well done for your first teaching course. I do like the part you simplify the 2D application into 1D examples like the gradient domain editing histogram. Good luck!!
- He seems a little nervous at the beginning of the semester but calmed down and became more skilled later.
Strongest – informative and inspiring
- The course was very interesting and covered up-to-date material. Dr. Liao assigned us to read present, recent research papers from leading research groups which I found very useful! The homework assignments were also very useful for understanding the course material. Dr. Liao was enthusiastic and inspiring
- Instructor is very knowledgeable but he should really improve his English.

2. What do you consider to be the strongest and weakest features of the course?

- The course is interesting but I think we should spend more time on the data based approach algorithm and discuss each algorithm in-depth.

3. Any other comments or suggestions?

- Interesting course and good experience
- Actually it is the 5th course I have taken that talks about the FFT and the 3rd course that talks about the SIFT algorithm