

2015 Spring Report for ENC3250 Professional Writing ENG (Thorold Roberts)

USF Student Assessment of Instruction

Project Audience 24

Responses Received 22

Response Ratio 92%

Subject Details

Name	ENC3250 Professional Writing
Section	521
College	AM
CollegeName	Arts and Sciences USFSM
DepartmentName	English
Term	201501
First Name	Thorold
Last Name	Roberts

Creation Date Fri, May 08, 2015

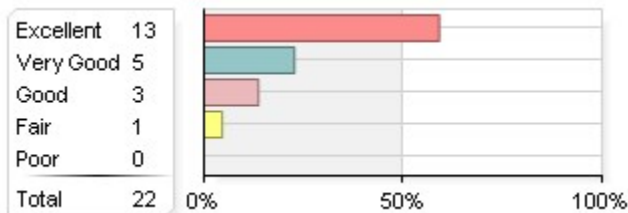
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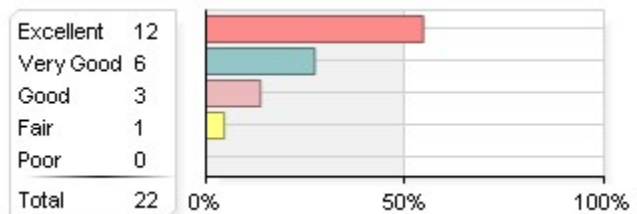
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Mean	4.4
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

1. Description of Course Objectives and Assignments



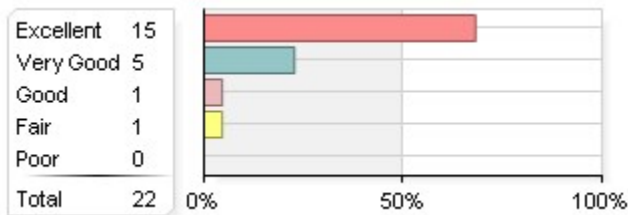
Statistics	Value
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Standard Deviation	+/-0.9

2. Communication of Ideas and Information



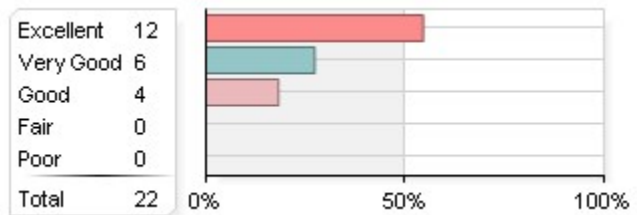
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.3
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.9

3. Expression of Expectations for Performance



Statistics	Value
Mean	4.5
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

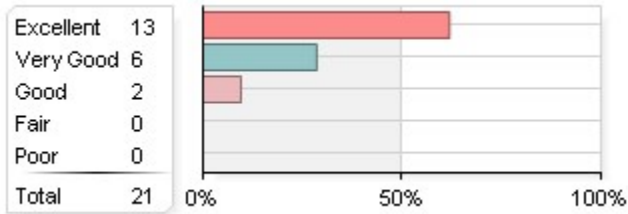
4. Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class



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Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

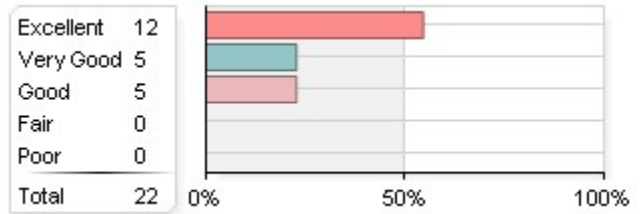
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5. Respect and Concern for Students



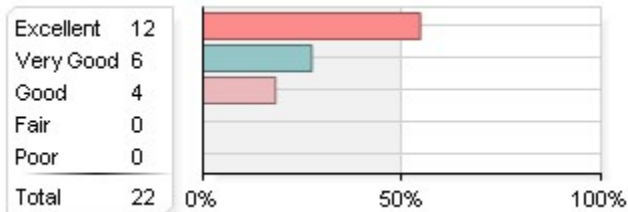
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.5
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.7

6. Stimulation of Interest in the Course



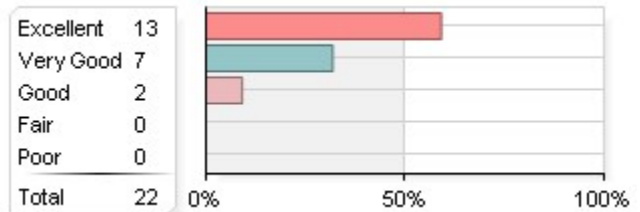
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.3
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

7. Facilitation of Learning



Statistics	Value
Mean	4.4
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

8. Overall Rating of the Instructor

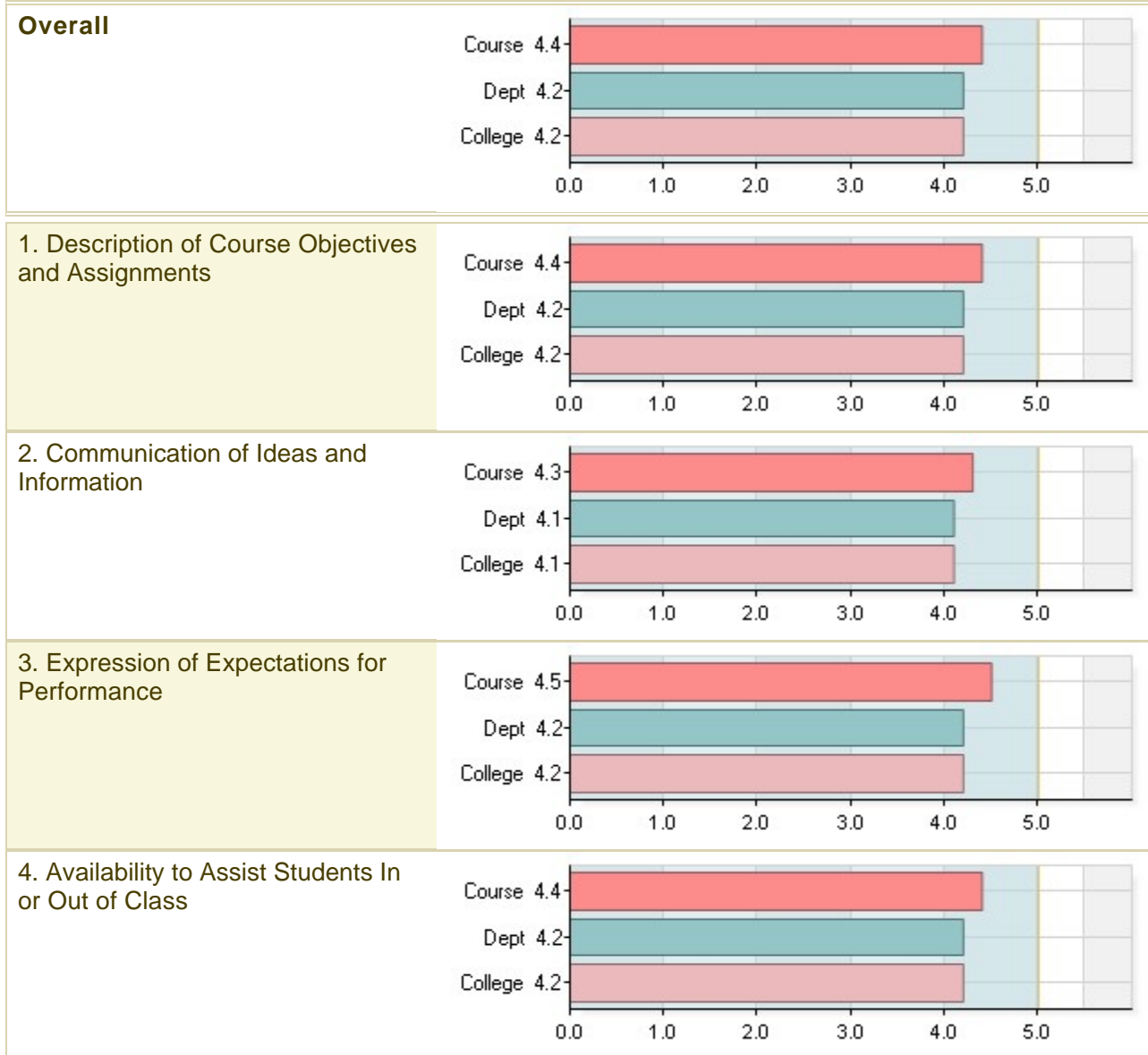


Statistics	Value
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Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.7

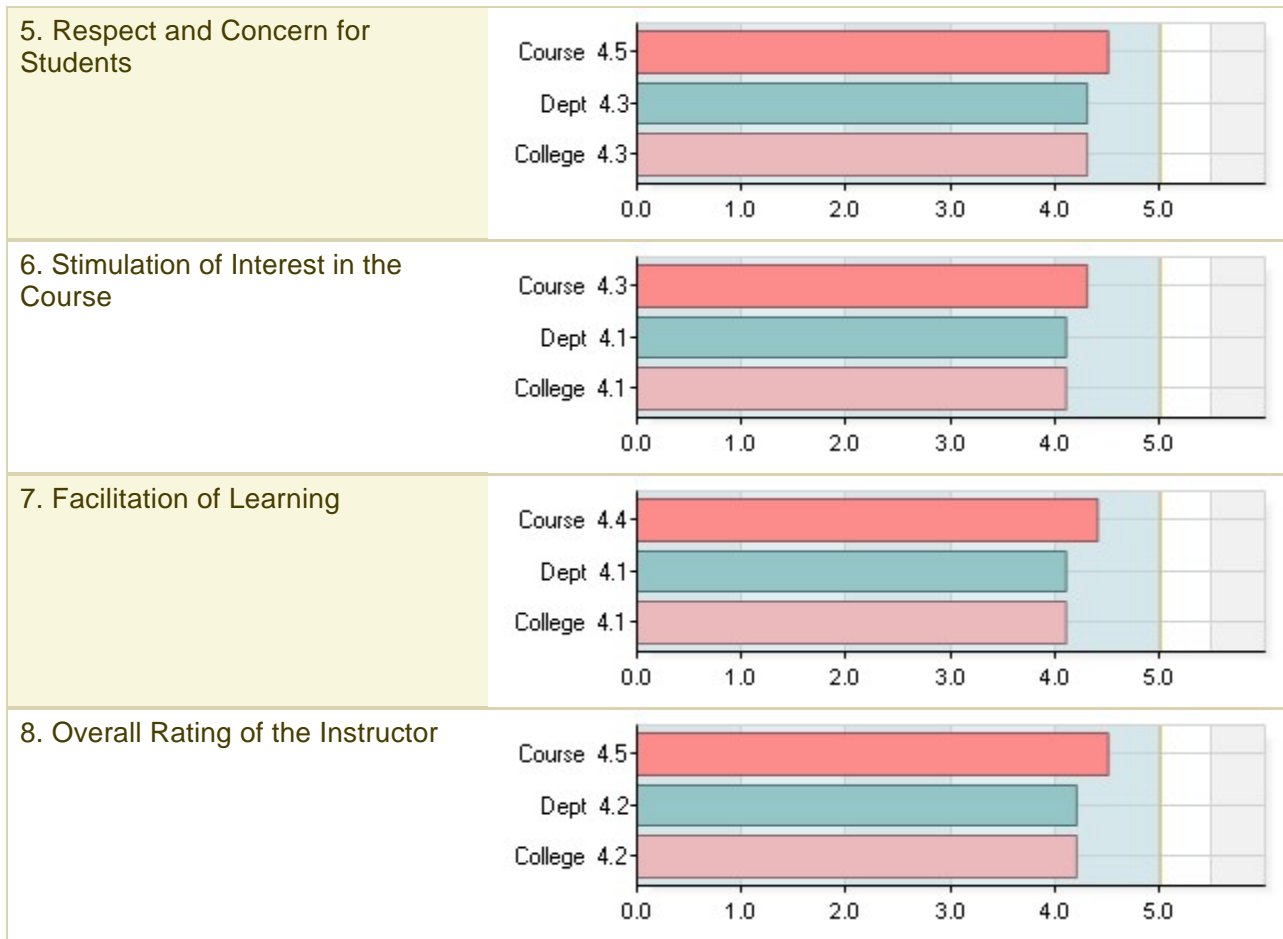
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Section 3. Comments

The following two open-ended questions are responses from your students pertaining to you, and the course.

Please provide any additional comments with respect to **Thorold Roberts**.

Comment
He is a great instructor, very helpful.
Mr. Roberts cares about the students well being and wants the students to learn to the best of their ability. His lectures were easy to listen to.
I rated Professor Roberts as "good". I liked the lectures that were posted online because I felt that I was able to understand his instructions and what was expected of me. I was also able to get a glimpse of the professor's personality, which can be difficult on an online course. I wish that the professor would have utilized canvas instead of other media. My other online courses are better structured and more understandable because they use the "modules" section to outline the work for each week and due dates.
Shows he cares about his students and provides many sources for his assignments.
Was a great teacher, and taught me plenty of things for my future career. Loved the course!
Professor Roberts is perhaps the only professor that I feel have I gotten my money's worth with at USF Sarasota Manatee. He is beyond dedicated to teaching and ensuring the success of his students in his courses and in their future careers. His instruction is valuable and very clear and he is always willing to help.
He gave very clear instructions, everything you needed to know is on the syllabus. His lectures were clear and concise which I appreciated. The only thing I would do differently is make announcements on canvas as to when things are going to be due. Maybe a week before post an announcement saying that project 1 is due, etc. I understand it is our responsibility to check the syllabus for due dates, but sometimes it is nice to have a reminder since students are sometimes really busy and it can slip their mind.
He is a very good professor. He cares about his students and wants them to do well.
He is incredibly knowledgeable about the material he teaches, being that professional writing is such a monumental aspect of his life. Professor Roberts is clear and concise when describing course and assignment objectives, which makes the class easy to understand and keep up with. I recommend him to ever student who needs to take this class.

Please provide any additional comments with respect to ENC3250 Professional Writing.

Comment
Class was very helpful and well orchestrated.
I thought the course was very well laid out. The course was organized and the expectations were clear.
Necessary.
Great course and great professor!
This class really addressed what type of writing projects students will face in the real world!
I really enjoyed the class. I feel much more prepared to deal with being in a professional situation. I was able to update my resume and polish it with lots of feedback. This class has been very helpful and beneficial.
I really enjoyed this course it is taught me a lot about business writing. I feel 100% more confident for when I graduate and go into the business field I will be able to write in a professional manor.
I found this course EXTREMELY beneficial to my future career and life endeavors!

2015 Spring Report for ENC3250 Professional Writing ENG (Thorold Roberts)

USF Student Assessment of Instruction

Project Audience 23

Responses Received 20

Response Ratio 87%

Subject Details

Name	ENC3250 Professional Writing
Section	522
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DepartmentName	English
Term	201501
First Name	Thorold
Last Name	Roberts

Creation Date Fri, May 08, 2015

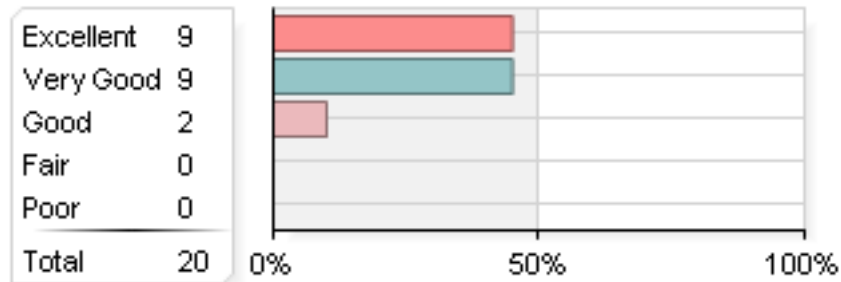
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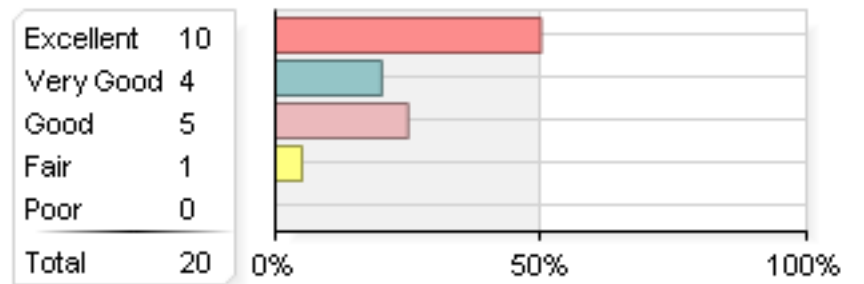
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Mean	4.4
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

1. Description of Course Objectives and Assignments



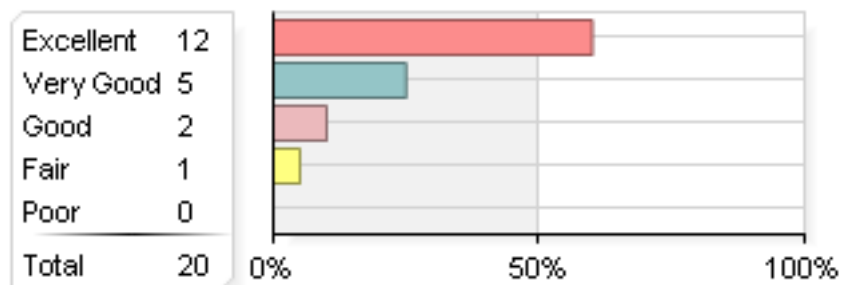
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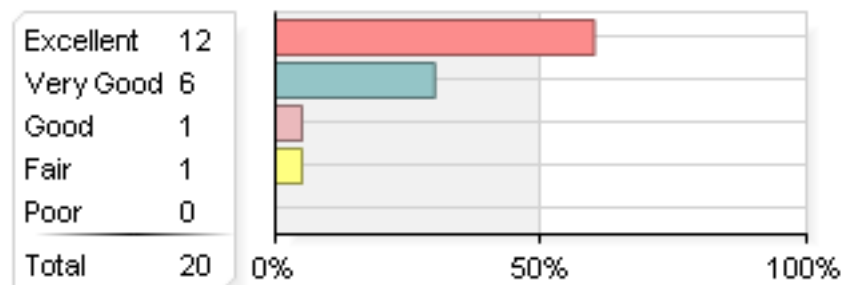
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.4
Median	4.0
Mode	5, 4
Standard Deviation	+/-0.7

Statistics	Value
Mean	4.2
Median	4.5
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-1.0

3. Expression of Expectations for Performance



4. Availability to Assist Students In or Out of Class

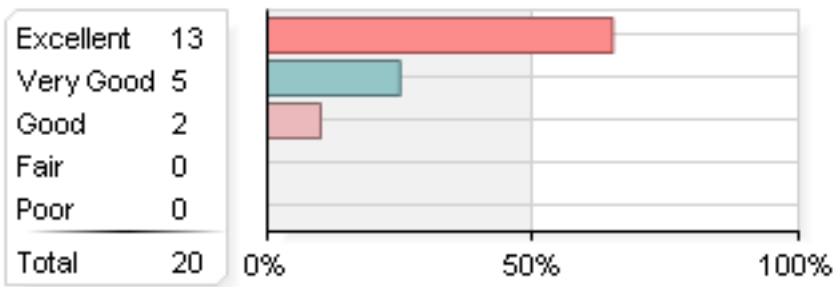


Statistics	Value
Mean	4.4
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.9

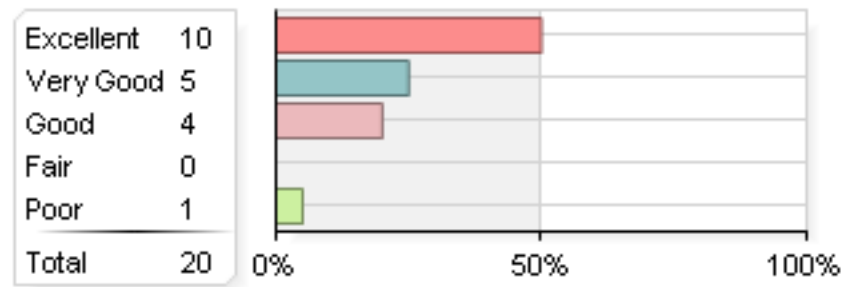
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.5
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

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5. Respect and Concern for Students



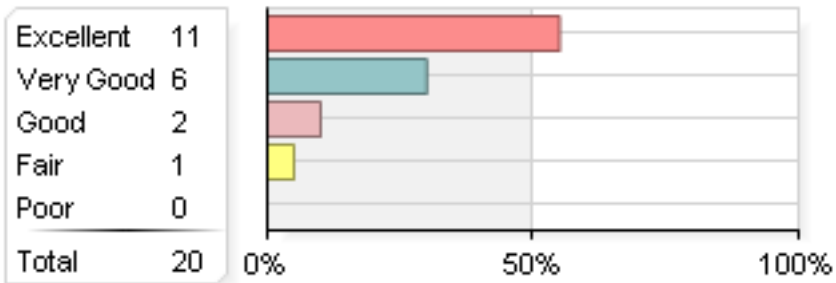
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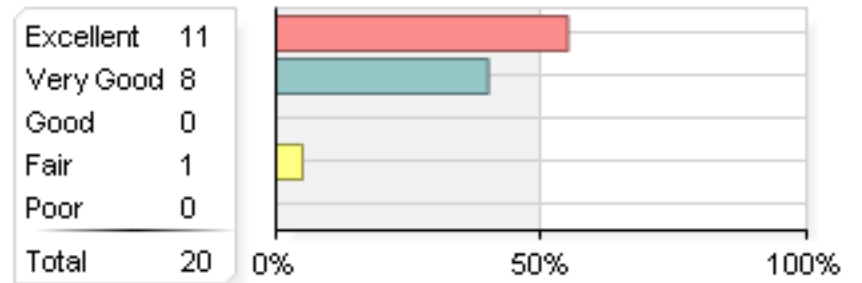
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.6
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.7

Statistics	Value
Mean	4.2
Median	4.5
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-1.1

7. Facilitation of Learning



8. Overall Rating of the Instructor



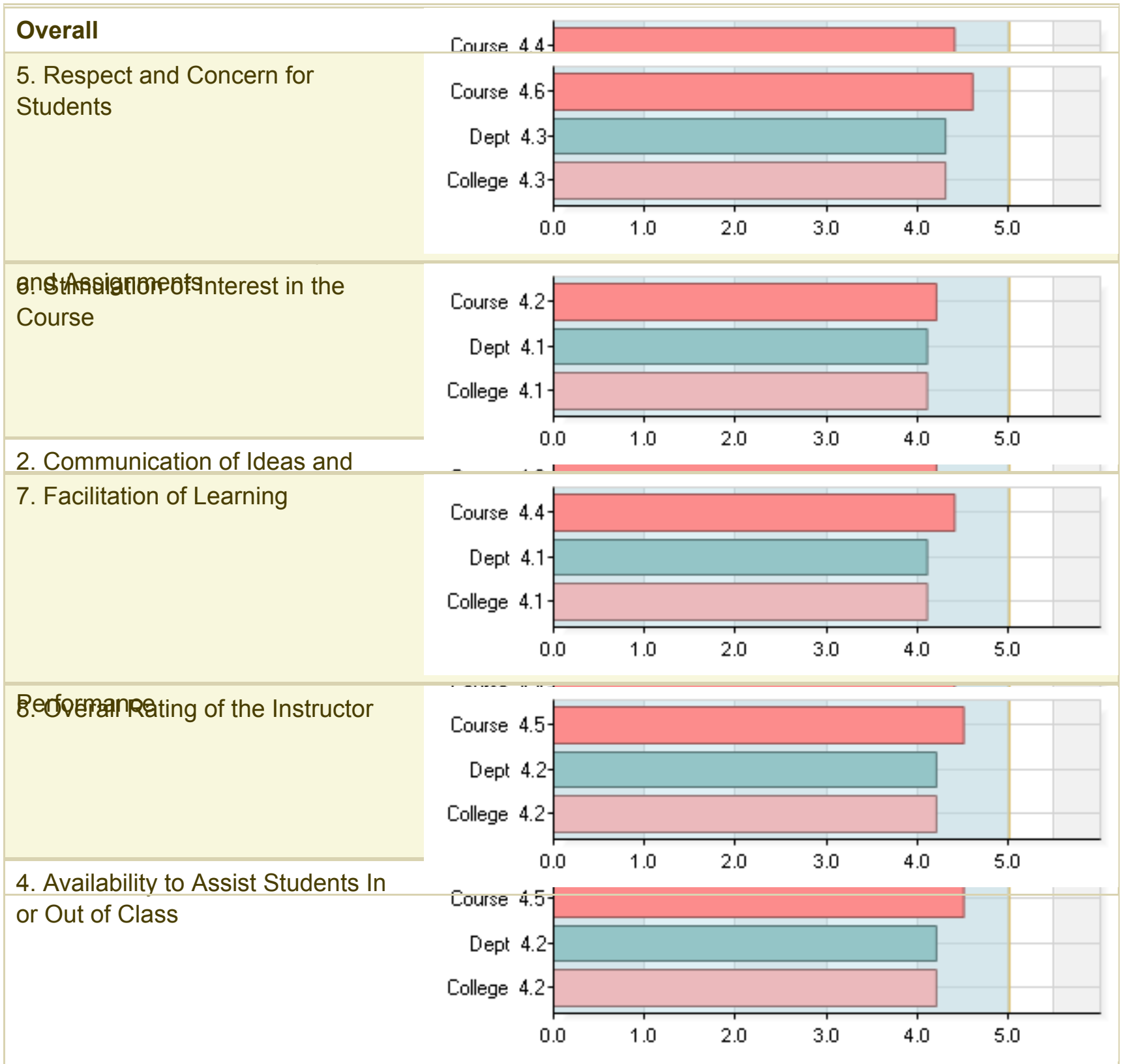
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Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.9

Statistics	Value
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Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

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Section 2, Comparative Section
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Section 3. Comments

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Please provide any additional comments with respect to **Thorold Roberts**.

Comment

Professor Roberts made this course very easy for me, not due to the course requirements or assignments but due to the fact that he was always available for questions and quick to provide answers. This made it easy to continue work on assignments without delay. I thoroughly enjoyed his class and his lectures.

Very good professor. Very clear and easy to understand. Available to resolve or respond questions.

awesome class, learned alot!

Sometimes lectures went off on tangents. With respect to writing, brevity is key, and navigating the syllabus and all documentation for class is a chore. Documents routinely contradict or at the very least omit certain information that other documents may have. Professor reuses so many of the documents and audio and then has to add addendums to correct that information on dates and assignments, it almost shows laziness. Overall in the class I learned the information well through assignments. Just constructive criticism :)

Excellent professor, with proper feedback for a very applicable course.

Very good professor with a well planned out course

I appreciated that Professor Roberts was clear with respect to instructions and expectations in his course. I also liked that he provided sample work to serve as a formatting guide. Professor Roberts has been a breath of fresh air.

Please provide any additional comments with respect to **ENC3250 Professional Writing**.

Comment

This course provided me with additional information and training in professional writing. I will keep all of the lectures and notes for future reference as they will apply for many situations.

The course has the right amount of assignments. I liked that there wasn't a lot of busy work. I used the business plan project to further research a company that I would like to really start. ENC3250 is a course that everyone can benefit from.

2015 Spring Report for ENC4260 Advanced Technical Writing ENG (Thorold Roberts)

USF Student Assessment of Instruction

Project Audience 17

Responses Received 13

Response Ratio 76%

Subject Details

Name	ENC4260 Advanced Technical Writing
Section	521
College	AM
CollegeName	Arts and Sciences USFSM
DepartmentName	English
Term	201501
First Name	Thorold
Last Name	Roberts

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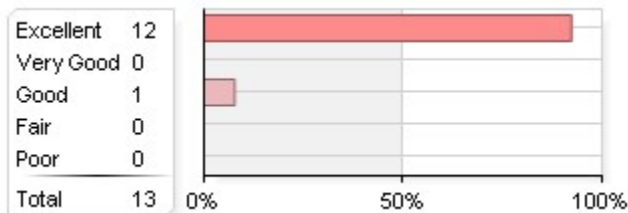
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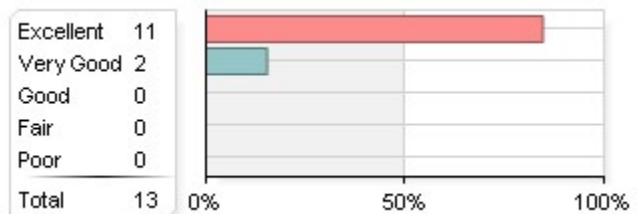
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Mean	4.8
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.5

1. Description of Course Objectives and Assignments



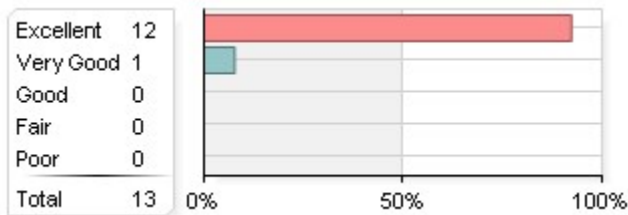
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.8
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Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.6

2. Communication of Ideas and Information



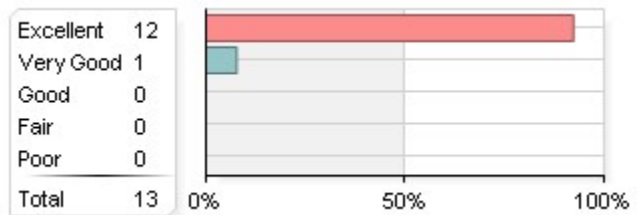
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.8
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.4

3. Expression of Expectations for Performance



Statistics	Value
Mean	4.9
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Standard Deviation	+/-0.3

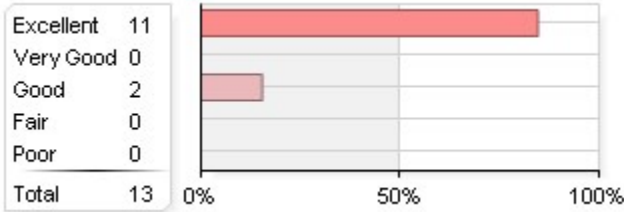
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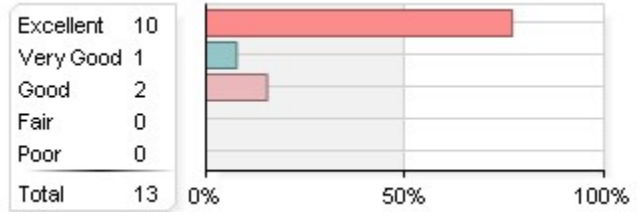
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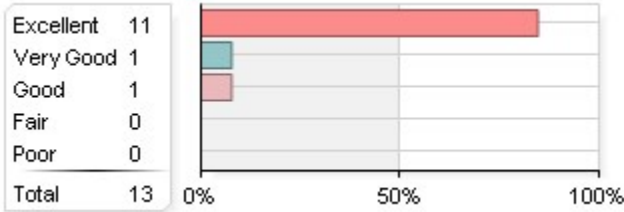
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Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

6. Stimulation of Interest in the Course



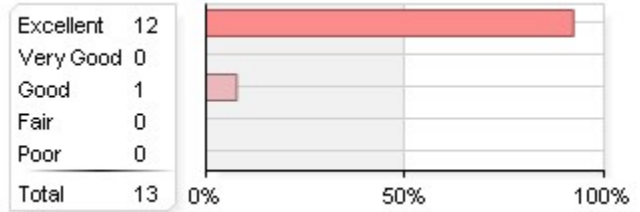
Statistics	Value
Mean	4.6
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.8

7. Facilitation of Learning



Statistics	Value
Mean	4.8
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.6

8. Overall Rating of the Instructor

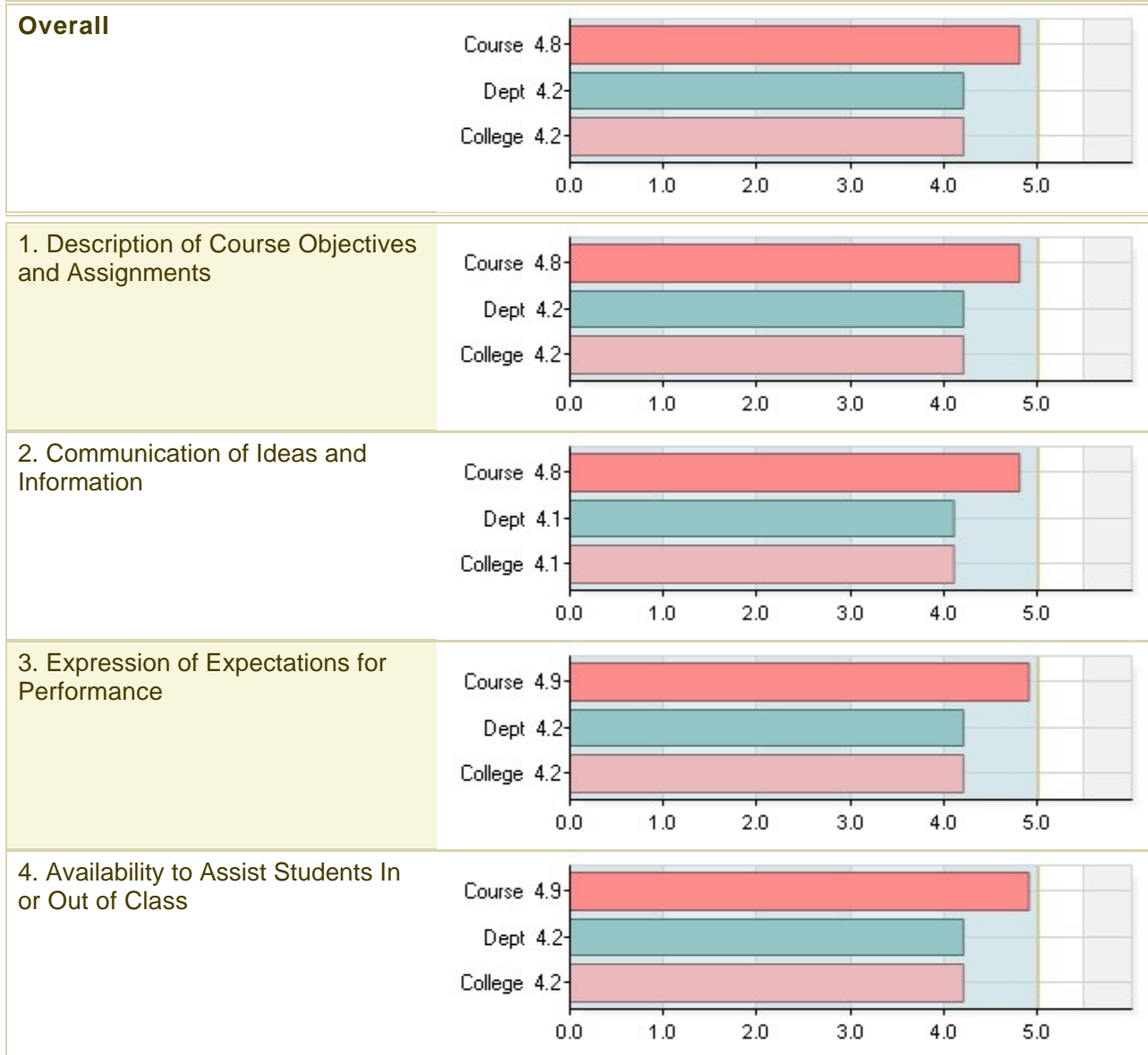


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Mean	4.8
Median	5.0
Mode	5
Standard Deviation	+/-0.6

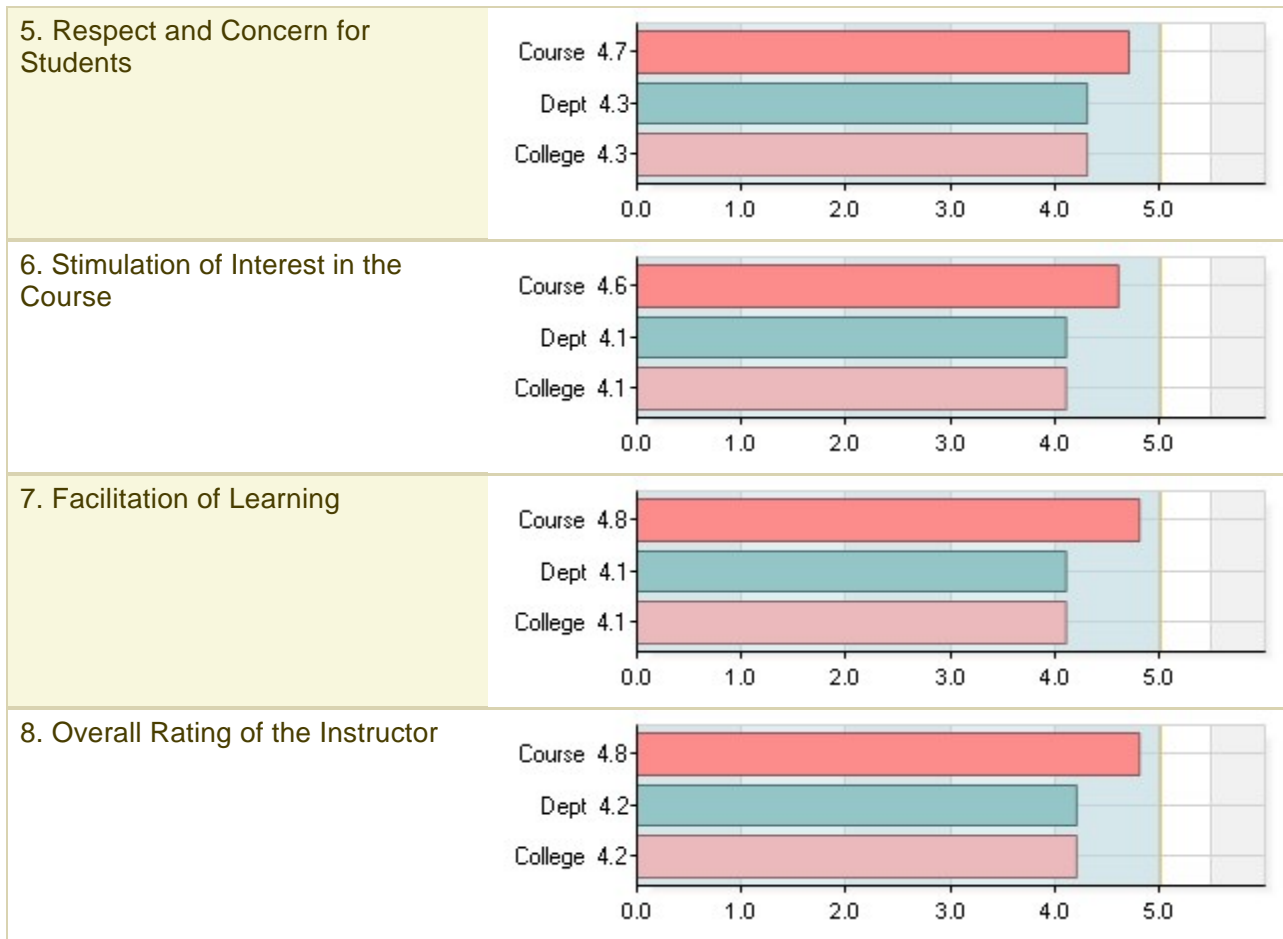
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A very informative a funny teacher. Very helpful and knowledgeable.
Mr. Roberts is an amazing instructor and I enjoy taking his classes.
Mr. Roberts presents many great points in his online class. I have had several of his classes and enjoy the material that was presented. He makes time available if you need any extra help or have questions that are not answered in his thorough presentations.
Very well educated teacher, who is friendly and willing to support his students needs.
I enjoyed being in Professor Roberts class this semester. He's genuinely a great teacher. I like that he was willing to work with you on certain things, especially if you take the time out to explain to him the situation at hand. I appreciated all of the constructive criticism as well.
This professor has a very effective teaching method. He also takes the time to respond to emails promptly.

Please provide any additional comments with respect to ENC4260 Advanced Technical Writing.

Comment
A good class that really helped me sharpen my writing skills.
Great course.
I appreciate the format and material presented. I know that the projects assigned for this class gave many real world situations that are very useful.
I myself am not too fond of writing despite my ability to do so. I much rather delve deep into the confines of a complicated logical loop within a program in C++ or Java, but because some classes are required it cannot be helped. In the end this was doable for me!
Overall, the course was one worth taking. I gained some very useful skills when doing the required assignments. Those of which will be extremely useful for me going forward and in my professional career.
The material provided in this course is a great preparation for a student's career.