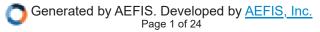
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🛱 Spring 2021 - College Station / 💄 Espenshade, Duncan
Survey: TAMU-College Station Student Course Evaluation (End-of-Term)

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Survey	Term	Start Date	End Date	Students	Responses	Response Rate
TAMU-College Station Student Cours e Evaluation (End-of-Term)	Spring 2021 - College St ation	2020-12-22	2021-06-04	18	5	28%

Questions	POLS 209 906 Espenshade, Duncan				
	Avg	StDev	Median	Mode	
Begin this course evaluation by reflecting on your own level of engagement and participation in the course. What por tion of the class preparation activities (e.g., readings, online modules, videos) and assignments did you complete?	3.2	0.75	3	4,3	
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = <50% 4 = >90% Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer					
Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood wh at was expected of me.	2.4	0.49	2	2	
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = No, I did not understand what was expected of me. 3 = Yes, I understood what was expected of me. Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer					



Questions			209 906 de, Duncan	
This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.	3.8	0.4	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = This course did not help me learn the concepts or skills. 4 = This course definitely helped me learn the concepts or				
skills.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I engaged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.	3.4	0.8	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Never 4 = Frequently				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Please rate the organization of this course.	3.4	0.49	3	3
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Not at all organized 4 = Very well organized				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I learned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.	4.75	0.43	5	5
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = Strongly disagree 6 = Not Applicable				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat	4.2	1.17	5	5
boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessions) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, revie w of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).				
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = No feedback was provided. 6 = Feedback provided was extremely helpful.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.	4.4	0.8	5	5
Scale (1 - 5) 1 = Strongly disagree 5 = Strongly agree				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Questions	POLS 209 906 Espenshade, Duncan			
The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.	2.6	0.8	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not contribute 3 = Contributed a lot Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				
The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.	2.6	0.8	3	3
<b>Scale (1 - 3) 1 =</b> Did not encourage <b>3 =</b> Frequently encouraged <b>Type:</b> Instructor Multi-Choice				

Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood what was expected of me.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 906

• The instructions for the homework assignments were often confusing and unclear.

Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessi ons) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, review of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions). Type: Comments

POLS 209 906

• The feedback was sometimes limited due to the size of the course, which isn't the instructor or TA's fault

The instructor fostered an effective learning environment. Type: Comments





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• He was always super kind and willing to help you. Super intelligent and cared about the students really understanding the concepts.



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Survey	Term	Start Date	End Date	Students	Respo	nses Res	ponse Rate	
TAMU-College Station Student Cours e Evaluation (End-of-Term)	Spring 2021 - College St ation	2020-12-22	2021-06-04	18	8		44%	
Questions							209 907 de, Duncan	
					Avg	StDev	Median	Mode
Begin this course evaluation by reflectin tion of the class preparation activities (					3.63	0.48	4	4
<b>Scale (1 - 4) 1 =</b> <50% <b>4 =</b> >90% <b>Type:</b> Multi-Choice, Single Answer								
Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood wh at was expected of me.							3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = No, I did not understand wh Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	at was expected of me. <b>3 =</b> Yes,	I understood what w	vas expected of me.					



Questions			209 907 de, Duncan	
This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.	3.75	0.43	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = This course did not help me learn the concepts or skills. 4 = This course definitely helped me learn the concepts or				
skills.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I engaged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.	3.63	0.48	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Never 4 = Frequently				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Please rate the organization of this course.	3.63	0.48	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Not at all organized 4 = Very well organized				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I learned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.	4.4	0.8	5	5
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = Strongly disagree 6 = Not Applicable				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat	4.38	1.32	4	6,3
boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessions) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, revie w of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).				
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = No feedback was provided. 6 = Feedback provided was extremely helpful.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.	3.88	1.45	4.5	5
Scale (1 - 5) 1 = Strongly disagree 5 = Strongly agree				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Questions			209 907 de, Duncan	
The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.	2.5	0.71	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not contribute 3 = Contributed a lot				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				
The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.	2.75	0.43	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not encourage 3 = Frequently encouraged				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessi ons) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, review of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions). Type: Comments

POLS 209 907

• TA's feedback sometimes was not helpful



### 🛱 Fall 2021 - College Station / 💄 Espenshade, Duncan

Survey	Term	Start Date	End Date	Students	Respo	onses Res	ponse Rate	
TAMU-College Station Student Cours e Evaluation (End-of-Term)	Fall 2021 - College Stati on	2021-08-22	2021-12-21	19	5		26%	
Questions							209 900 de, Duncan	
					Avg	StDev	Median	Mode
Begin this course evaluation by reflectin tion of the class preparation activities (			-		3.8	0.4	4	4
<b>Scale (1 - 4) 1 =</b> <50% <b>4 =</b> >90% <b>Type:</b> Multi-Choice, Single Answer								
Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood wh at was expected of me.							3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = No, I did not understand wh Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	at was expected of me. <b>3 =</b> Yes	, I understood what w	vas expected of me.					



Questions			209 900 de, Duncan	
This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.  Scale (1 - 4) 1 = This course did not help me learn the concepts or skills. 4 = This course definitely helped me learn the concepts or skills.  Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	4		4	4
In this course, I engaged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.  Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Never 4 = Frequently  Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	3.8	0.4	4	4
Please rate the organization of this course.  Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Not at all organized 4 = Very well organized  Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	3.8	0.4	4	4
In this course, I learned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.  Scale (1 - 6) 1 = Strongly disagree 6 = Not Applicable  Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	4.6	0.49	5	5
Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessions) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, revie w of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions). Scale (1 - 6) 1 = No feedback was provided. 6 = Feedback provided was extremely helpful.	5	0.89	5	4,6
<b>Type:</b> Multi-Choice, Single Answer The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.	4.8	0.4	5	5
Scale (1 - 5) 1 = Strongly disagree 5 = Strongly agree Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Questions	POLS 209 900 Espenshade, Duncan				
The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.	2.8	0.4	3	3	
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not contribute 3 = Contributed a lot					
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice					
The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.	2.6	0.49	3	3	
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not encourage 3 = Frequently encouraged					
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice					
The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.         Type: Comments         POLS 209 900					
<ul> <li>This TA has an unmatched level of respect for student encouragement for success and pr</li> <li>Lispenshade, D</li> <li>uncan</li> </ul>	ovision of help t	o get you there.			

### The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.

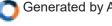
Type: Comments

POLS 209 900

**E**spenshade, D

• Frequent encouragement of students in general and every student even those with lower grades seemed to have a strong sense of the TAs care for suc cess of each student

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Survey	Term	Start Date End Date Students Response		erm Start Date End Date		Responses Respons		Responses Response R		
TAMU-College Station Student Cours e Evaluation (End-of-Term)	Fall 2021 - College Stati on	2021-08-22	2021-12-21	19	6		32%			
Questions							209 902 de, Duncan			
					Avg	StDev	Median	Mode		
Begin this course evaluation by reflecting tion of the class preparation activities (					3.83	0.37	4	4		
<b>Scale (1 - 4) 1 =</b> <50% <b>4 =</b> >90% <b>Type:</b> Multi-Choice, Single Answer										
Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood wh at was expected of me.					2.83	0.37	3	3		
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = No, I did not understand wh Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	at was expected of me. <b>3 =</b> Yes	, I understood what w	vas expected of me.							



Questions	POLS 209 902 Espenshade, Duncan			
This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.	3.5	0.76	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = This course did not help me learn the concepts or skills. 4 = This course definitely helped me learn the concepts or				
skills.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I engaged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.	3.67	0.47	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Never 4 = Frequently				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Please rate the organization of this course.	3.17	0.37	3	3
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Not at all organized 4 = Very well organized				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I learned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.	4.33	0.75	4.5	5
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = Strongly disagree 6 = Not Applicable				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat	5	1.15	5.5	6
boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessions) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, revie w of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).				
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = No feedback was provided. 6 = Feedback provided was extremely helpful.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.	4.83	0.37	5	5
Scale (1 - 5) 1 = Strongly disagree 5 = Strongly agree				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Questions	POLS 209 902 Espenshade, Duncan			
The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.	3		3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not contribute 3 = Contributed a lot Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				
The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.	2.67	0.47	3	3
<b>Scale (1 - 3) 1 =</b> Did not encourage <b>3 =</b> Frequently encouraged <b>Type:</b> Instructor Multi-Choice				

Begin this course evaluation by reflecting on your own level of engagement and participation in the course. What portion of the class preparation activities (e.g., readings, online modules, videos) and assignments did you complete?

Type: Comments

POLS 209 902

I didn't do the textbook readings, but I completed everything else. Because there were no exams, I didn't feel it necessary.

#### Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood what was expected of me.

Type: Comments

#### POLS 209 902

• Sometimes there was a difference between what was on the slides/handouts my TA had for what was expected on assignments and what was listed o n Canvas for expectations of assignments.

This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 902	Lecture and lab definitely helped me.
<b>In this course, I enga</b> <b>Type:</b> Comments	aged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.
POLS 209 902	Through coding I did.
Please rate the organ Type: Comments	nization of this course.
POLS 209 902	Again, there was sometimes a disconnect on expectations.
In this course, I learn Type: Comments	ned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.
POLS 209 902	In lab between variables I did.

Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessi ons) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, review of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).

Type: Comments



#### The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 902

• Was so amazing, really happy to have him as my TA

Espenshade, D uncan Duncan was a GREAT TA!

#### The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 902

• Always extremely helpful, made time to help when he could despite his busy schedule.

Espenshade, D uncan

The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.

Type: Comments

#### POLS 209 902

• Made sure you always had the tools to understand the assignment, and explained as best he could without giving the answer.

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Survey	Term	Start Date	End Date	Students	Respo	nses Resj	ponse Rate	
TAMU-College Station Student Cours e Evaluation (End-of-Term)	Spring 2022 - College St ation	2021-12-24	2022-06-03	13	4		31%	
Questions							209 908 de, Duncan	
					Avg	StDev	Median	Mode
Begin this course evaluation by reflecting on your own level of engagement and participation in the course. What por tion of the class preparation activities (e.g., readings, online modules, videos) and assignments did you complete?					3	0.71	3	3
<b>Scale (1 - 4) 1 =</b> <50% <b>4 =</b> >90% <b>Type:</b> Multi-Choice, Single Answer								
Based on what the instructor(s) comm at was expected of me.	unicated, and the information	n provided in the co	ourse syllabus, I unde	erstood wh	3		3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = No, I did not understand wh Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	at was expected of me. <b>3 =</b> Yes	, I understood what v	vas expected of me.					



Questions	POLS 209 908 Espenshade, Duncan			
This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.	3	0.71	3	3
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = This course did not help me learn the concepts or skills. 4 = This course definitely helped me learn the concepts or				
skills.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I engaged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.	3.25	0.83	3.5	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Never 4 = Frequently				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Please rate the organization of this course.	3.75	0.43	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Not at all organized 4 = Very well organized				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I learned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.	4.67	0.47	5	5
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = Strongly disagree 6 = Not Applicable				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat	5	0.71	5	5
boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessions) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, revie w of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).				
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = No feedback was provided. 6 = Feedback provided was extremely helpful.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.	4.5	0.87	5	5
Scale (1 - 5) 1 = Strongly disagree 5 = Strongly agree				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Questions	POLS 209 908 Espenshade, Duncan			
The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.	2.75	0.43	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not contribute 3 = Contributed a lot				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				
The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.	2.75	0.43	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not encourage 3 = Frequently encouraged				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Begin this course evaluation by reflecting on your own level of engagement and participation in the course. What portion of the class preparation activities (e.g., readings, online modules, videos) and assignments did you complete?

Type: Comments

POLS 209 908

• Towards the end, I began to fall behind on reading. However, I attended every lecture, all but one of the labs, and completed every assignment.

#### Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood what was expected of me.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 908

• Everything was laid out in an understandable fashion. The fact that the schedule was available from day 1 was very helpful.

This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes.

Type: Comments



POLS 209 908	• I feel like I learned everything necessary for the writing assignments and problem sets. However, it feels like a lot of stuff that we went over which was n't used on the assignments aren't things I'm going to remember. I think having completion assignments every week to go over what we learned would have been a good incentive to try and really learn everything.
In this course, I enga Type: Comments	aged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.
POLS 209 908	• This class required frequent problem solving, working with my peers, and research.
Please rate the organ Type: Comments	nization of this course.
POLS 209 908	• All lectures, assignments, and expected readings were on the syllabus. Lectures were emailed out prior to class and the videos were posted soon after ward. Canvas had all the resources cleanly available. This class really could not have been better organized in my opinion.
In this course, I learn Type: Comments	ned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.

• It mostly depended on what you did your writing assignment over. The lectures were largely theoretical and focused on how to research. There wasn't re ally a chance to evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.



Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessi ons) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, review of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).

Type: Comments

#### POLS 209 908

• The TA's gave feedback on each assignment. It wasn't very in-depth but it was enough to know what you did right or wrong and they would usually elabo rate on mistakes in lecture.

#### The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 908

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Espenshade, D

• He was very good at explaining lecture concepts in additional detail with examples. Not many people interacted in his lab but that was due more to low attendance than his teaching ability. I don't think I would have passed this course if I didn't have him as my TA.

#### The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 908

• He really succeeded in giving me the understanding I needed to succeed in this course.

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Survey	Term	Start Date	End Date	Students	Respo	Responses Response Rat		
TAMU-College Station Student Cours e Evaluation (End-of-Term)	Spring 2022 - College St ation	2021-12-24	2022-06-03	18	7	39%		
Questions	ons Espenshade, Duncan							
					Avg	StDev	Median	Mode
Begin this course evaluation by reflecting on your own level of engagement and participation in the course. What por tion of the class preparation activities (e.g., readings, online modules, videos) and assignments did you complete?					3	0.93	3	2,4
<b>Scale (1 - 4) 1 =</b> <50% <b>4 =</b> >90% <b>Type:</b> Multi-Choice, Single Answer								
Based on what the instructor(s) communicated, and the information provided in the course syllabus, I understood wh at was expected of me.					2.71	0.45	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = No, I did not understand wh Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer	at was expected of me. <b>3 =</b> Yes,	I understood what w	as expected of me.					



Questions	POLS 209 909 Espenshade, Duncan			
This course helped me learn concepts or skills as stated in course objectives/outcomes. Scale (1 - 4) 1 = This course did not help me learn the concepts or skills. 4 = This course definitely helped me learn the concepts or	3	0.93	3	2,4
skills.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I engaged in critical thinking and/or problem solving.	3.71	0.7	4	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Never 4 = Frequently				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Please rate the organization of this course.	3.14	0.83	3	4
Scale (1 - 4) 1 = Not at all organized 4 = Very well organized				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
In this course, I learned to critically evaluate diverse ideas and perspectives.	4	0.76	4	4
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = Strongly disagree 6 = Not Applicable				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessions) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, revie w of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions).	4.71	1.28	5	6
Scale (1 - 6) 1 = No feedback was provided. 6 = Feedback provided was extremely helpful.				
Type: Multi-Choice, Single Answer				
The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.	4.29	0.7	4	5,4
Scale (1 - 5) 1 = Strongly disagree 5 = Strongly agree				
Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Questions	POLS 209 909 Espenshade, Duncan			
The instructor's teaching methods contributed to my learning.	2.71	0.45	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not contribute 3 = Contributed a lot Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				
The instructor encouraged students to take responsibility for their own learning.	2.71	0.45	3	3
Scale (1 - 3) 1 = Did not encourage 3 = Frequently encouraged Type: Instructor Multi-Choice				

Feedback in this course helped me learn. Please note, feedback can be either informal (e.g., in class discussion, chat boards, think-pair-share, office hour discussions, help sessi ons) or formal (e.g., written or clinical assessments, review of exams, peer reviews, clicker questions). Type: Comments

POLS 209 909

• Feedback provided was typically slightly disorganized and hard to understand. Feedback on assignments was digitally written and was sometimes com pletely illegible.

#### The instructor fostered an effective learning environment.

Type: Comments

POLS 209 909

Espenshade, D uncan • Duncan is the best TA I have ever had. He asked us constantly for feedback and made clear that he felt disconnected from the student due to the amou nt of time he has been a TA for this course. Of course, this was not the case, for he was more helpful in the long run than Dr. Horz due to the structure of the course leaning heavily on the grading by the TA.



