



Bharadwaj, Vivek (COMPSCI C267 LEC 001 APP OF PARALLEL COM (EVAL FOR GSI)) - Spring 2022

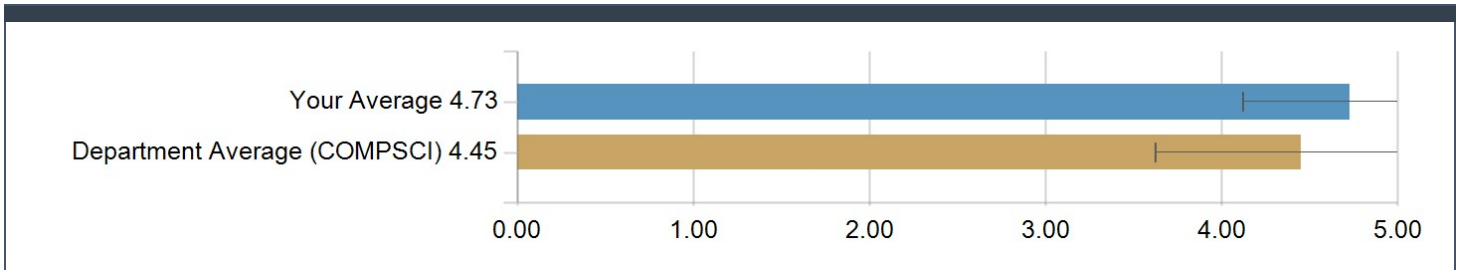
Project Title: **[ENGINEERING]** Spring 2022 Evaluations

Courses Audience: **175**
Responses Received: **69**
Response Ratio: **39.43%**

Instructor Ratings

Please rate the GSI's overall teaching effectiveness.

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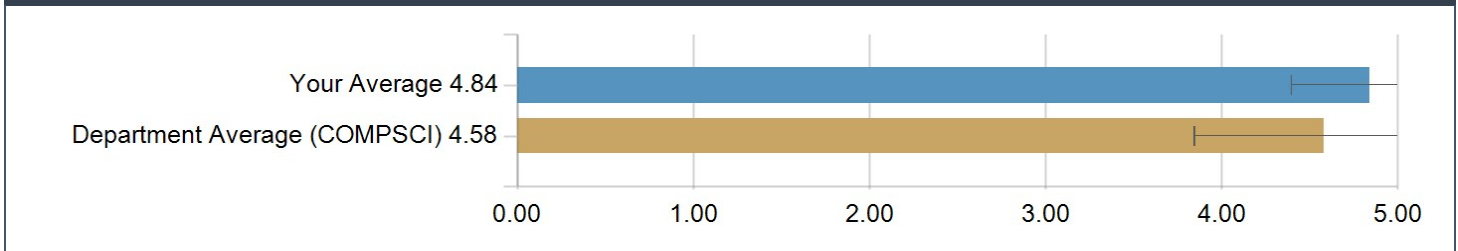


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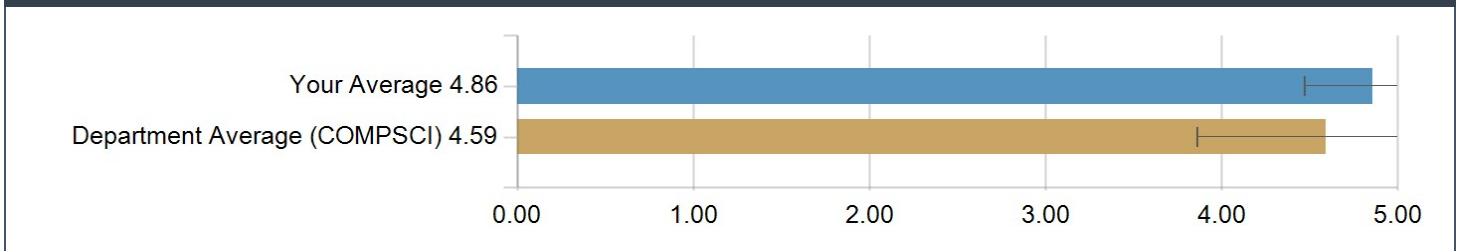
Options	Count	Percentage
1-Least Effective	0	0.00%
2	1	1.69%
3	2	3.39%
4	9	15.25%
5-Most Effective	47	79.66%
Statistics	Value	
Response Count	59	
Mean	4.73	
Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	0.61	

GSI Ratings

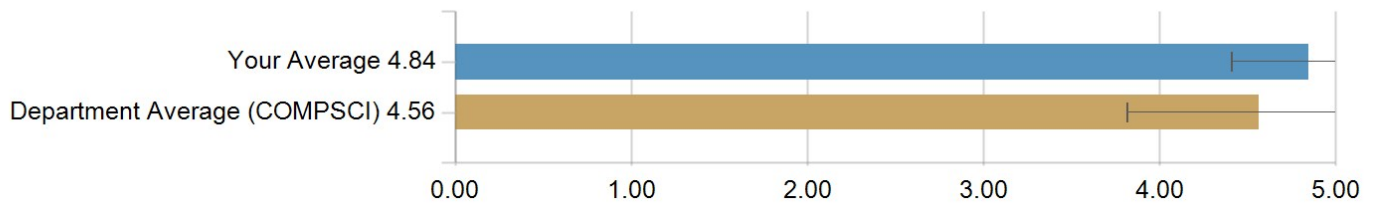
1. Helpful in understanding course material



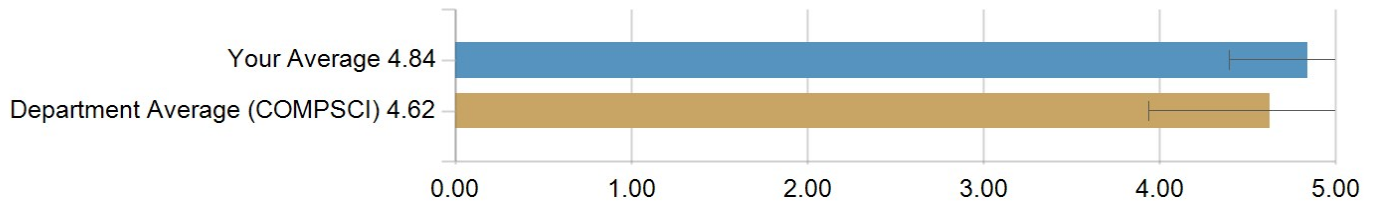
2. Is well prepared



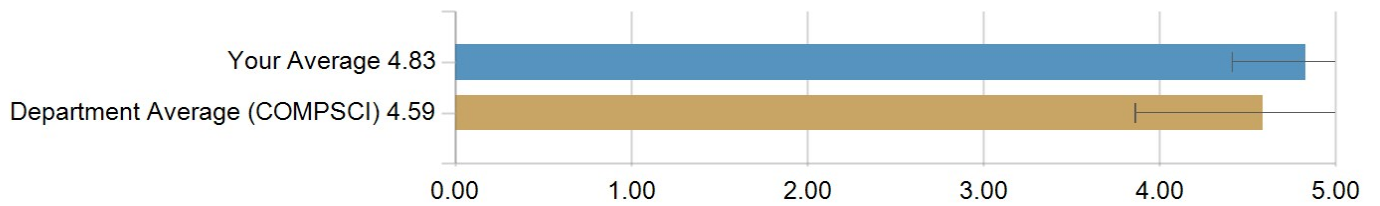
3. Communicates ideas effectively



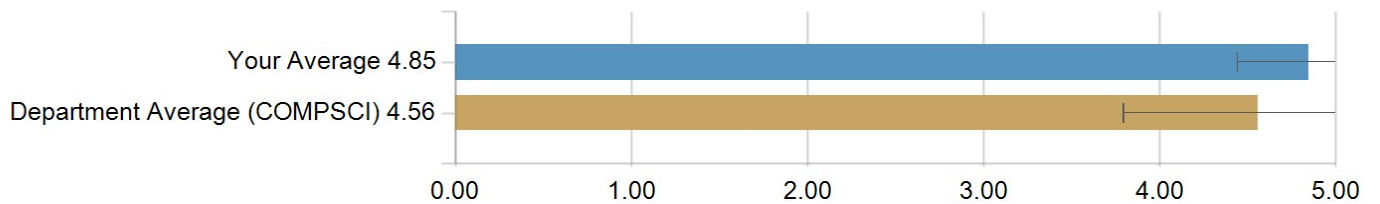
4. Appears to have a good knowledge of the subject matter



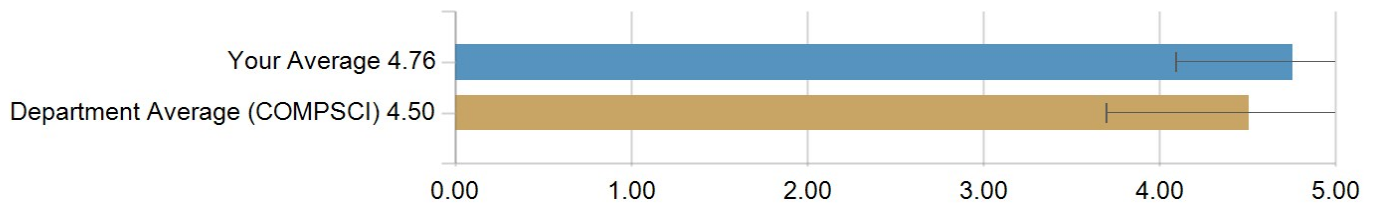
5. Answers questions accurately



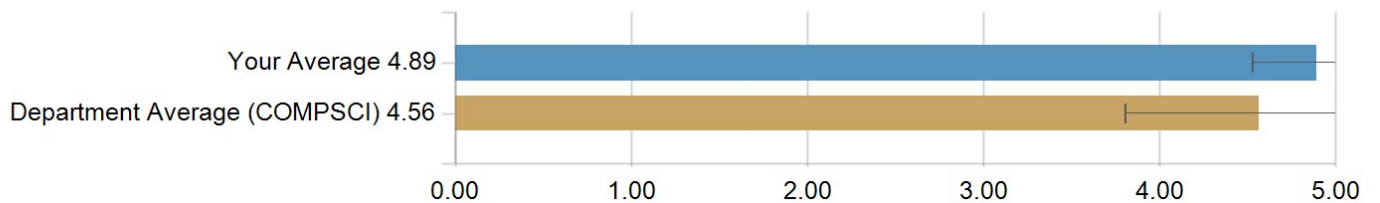
6. Encourages questions and/or classroom discussion



7. Is aware when students are having difficulty



8. Is accessible during office hours



1. Helpful in understanding course material			2. Is well prepared		
Options	Count	Percentage	Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%	1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%	Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	2	3.17%	Neutral	1	1.56%
Agree	6	9.52%	Agree	7	10.94%
5-Strongly Agree	55	87.30%	5-Strongly Agree	56	87.50%
Statistics	Value		Statistics	Value	
Response Count	63		Response Count	64	
Mean	4.84		Mean	4.86	
Median	5.00		Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	0.45		Standard Deviation	0.39	
3. Communicates ideas effectively			4. Appears to have a good knowledge of the subject matter		
Options	Count	Percentage	Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%	1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%	Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	2	3.13%	Neutral	2	3.17%
Agree	6	9.38%	Agree	6	9.52%
5-Strongly Agree	56	87.50%	5-Strongly Agree	55	87.30%
Statistics	Value		Statistics	Value	
Response Count	64		Response Count	63	
Mean	4.84		Mean	4.84	
Median	5.00		Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	0.44		Standard Deviation	0.45	
5. Answers questions accurately			6. Encourages questions and/or classroom discussion		
Options	Count	Percentage	Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%	1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%	Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	1	1.56%	Neutral	1	1.69%
Agree	9	14.06%	Agree	7	11.86%
5-Strongly Agree	54	84.38%	5-Strongly Agree	51	86.44%
Statistics	Value		Statistics	Value	
Response Count	64		Response Count	59	
Mean	4.83		Mean	4.85	
Median	5.00		Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	0.42		Standard Deviation	0.41	

7. Is aware when students are having difficulty			8. Is accessible during office hours		
Options	Count	Percentage	Options	Count	Percentage
1-Strongly Disagree	1	1.61%	1-Strongly Disagree	0	0.00%
Disagree	0	0.00%	Disagree	0	0.00%
Neutral	2	3.23%	Neutral	1	1.79%
Agree	7	11.29%	Agree	4	7.14%
5-Strongly Agree	52	83.87%	5-Strongly Agree	51	91.07%
Statistics		Value	Statistics		Value
Response Count	62		Response Count	56	
Mean	4.76		Mean	4.89	
Median	5.00		Median	5.00	
Standard Deviation	0.67		Standard Deviation	0.37	

Open Ended Questions

Instructor

Please provide comments or suggestions about the GSI

Comments

Vivek was incredibly helpful in understanding course content and core concepts. He was always able to help us through any questions that came up and was very effective at teaching discussions.

Vivek was extremely helpful over Piazza, which is where all my interactions with him occurred. When we had homework questions in the middle of the week and didn't have access to office hours, Vivek would answer our questions both quickly and thoroughly, which allowed us to stay afloat while we were drowning. Super appreciate his availability as well as his attention to detail.

Thanks for all your help on piazza!

Vivek is incredibly helpful and patient. He is the reasons I survived these crazy homework. He always try to explain in detail and give the encouragement we need for these assignments. He is awesome and super helpful and I am really grateful I took this class with him.

Best TA in the class, and probably the best TA during my Master degree at UC Berkeley

Amazing GSI, well organised, ansswering all question efficiently, being understanding and helpful.

I like how active Vivek is on Piazza.

I really appreciate the things Vivek has done in length to help students individually. He has been very patient from the beginning of the semester when helping with me create IRIS account and was very nice about it even when I was the one who blundered. He made sure to go through every student during office hour even though we sometimes go overtime.

He always responds in piazza very quickly.

Great job!

You did an outstanding job, Vivek. I was particularly impressed with your answers on Piazza, both in terms of their quality and their promptness.

The way Vivek runs this course puts many _undergrad_ classes to shame, honestly. When I came into this class, I figured that it would be run about the same as the smaller, low-budget EE/CS upper divs where support would be incredibly limited and unresolved follow ups would pile up on Piazza but boy was I wrong, and I think this was, in large part, due to Vivek's management of the course. Vivek was always extremely responsive both on email and on Piazza and was great at communicating to students. He also did a much better job than many undergrad course staffs of answering Piazza questions quickly. If I just saw this course's Piazza and didn't see the course number, I probably would have mistaken it for a lower division class or a well-maintained, pedagogy-focused upper div class.

Of course, Vivek's contributions to the course do not stop there. His two recitations were easily the best ones out of all of them and he did a really great job laying out the floor plan for how to tackle the homework assignments. Additionally, in OH he was also extremely helpful. I understand that grad students usually have way more important priorities than teaching and so I am especially grateful to Vivek for running such a tight ship and making the quality of the course as high as it was.

Extremely helpful in office hours and on Piazza.

Very accessible and responsive during OH and Piazza. Knows how to debug and figure out problems in hw pretty quickly and is very quick with logistics.

Thanks for all the response and feedback on the piazza.

Vivek is the most helpful GSI I have encountered at Berkeley, I hope he teaches this course in the future as a faculty member. His OH are full of insights and he is always available to answer questions!

excellent TA. answered all questions on Piazza, extremely knowledgeable and patient, great at reducing concepts and explaining them to students

Hands down the best TA I've ever had. Always prepared during sections and answered many Piazza questions very quickly and in much detail.