

Summary of Teaching Evaluations

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Please see below for an overview of teaching evaluations for past courses. No course evaluations were given for International Relations Honor Sequence with Erica Gould. Full evaluations available upon request.

Introduction to International Relations (w/ Michael Tomz)

	Summer 2016	Summer 2017	Summer 2018
How much did you learn from this instructor?	4.2 (3.8)	4.2 (3.6)	4.4 (3.5)
Overall, how effective was the instruction you received from this instructor?	4.2 (3.4)	4.5 (4.0)	4.6 (3.9)
<i>1 = Poor, 5 = Excellent</i>	<i>School Means in Parentheses</i>		

Selected Comments:

- Lindsay was incredible in her wealth of knowledge. Not only in how much she knew, but the organized, professional, and genuine way she engaged us with the material provided the best section experience I have ever had.
- Lindsay was always professional and immense help to any student that asked. Whether in office hours or after class, she was always willing to address questions we might have, and give us genuine, helpful, and critical feedback.
- The feedback given by Lindsay also allowed me to refine my skills and knowledge. Whether it was with response papers to class readings or papers, they helped me see areas in which I could improve.
- Lindsay was very good at mapping out what we learned in lecture in a visual way and discussing theoretical ideas in the larger real-world context.

Introduction to International Relations (w/ James Fearon)

	Fall 2015	Fall 2016
How much did you learn from this instructor?	4.7 (3.7)	5.0 (3.8)
Overall, how effective was the instruction you received from this instructor?	4.8 (4.0)	5.0 (4.0)
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Selected Comments:

- Lindsay is a great teacher and takes time to explain things thoroughly and with a sense of humor. I appreciate how she gives the professor's point of view presented in lecture and then also argues against it so we have a well-rounded idea of the different viewpoints in IR theory.

- Lindsay was a large part of the reason why I understood all of the concepts so well. She was very good at helping us understand the lecture and the connections between the lectures and the readings and the current world.
- Lindsay has extreme patience in clarifying material, creates helpful worksheets to teach us the material, engages the class, keeps her TA website updated with notes and information from section, makes herself readily available to use to go over the material, and helps to clarify the Professor's arguments.
- Lindsay is always super organized and prepared for section. She's also very approachable and I feel very comfortable going to her with questions or concerns. I've learned a lot in section because she always explains everything very clearly and in a very thorough manner.

War & Peace in American Foreign Policy (w/ Kenneth Schultz)

	Spring 2015	Spring 2016
Was well prepared for section	4.9 (4.6)	
Presented material clearly	4.8 (4.4)	
Helped develop students' thinking skills in this discipline	4.9 (4.4)	
Provided helpful comments on assignments, papers, exams	5.0 (4.3)	
Gave explanations appropriate to students' level of understanding	4.9 (4.4)	
Was an effective discussion, review, or lab leader	4.7 (4.4)	
Answers questions clearly and concisely	4.9 (4.4)	
Available for consultation outside of class	4.9 (4.5)	
Overall teaching effectiveness	4.9 (4.4)	
Overall, how effective was the instruction you received from this TA?		4.6 (4.1)
How much did you learn from this TA?		4.7 (3.9)
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Selected Comments:

- Lindsay is extremely passionate about the subject and it shows in her lectures. She is knowledgeable and teaches the subject in a very organized, easy to understand way. She is patient, respectful, and always makes everyone included in discussion.
- Fantastic section leader overall. Especially in this class covering topics I am really not that knowledgeable about, Lindsay made learning and asking questions seamless. She gave me great suggestions and was always willing to give me advice on how to improve.
- Lindsay is the most dedicated and best prepared T.A. I have ever had at Stanford. I have taken WIM [Writing in Major] for my three other majors, and no one ever provided me with as much helpful feedback as her. She is wonderful in every respect.
- Lindsay reinforced course material in a concise way. She helped me understand how various parts of the course, such as theory and case studies, fit together.