Evaluation for: Gabriele Simoncini PL 228-1

Course Session:Spring 2011

Evaluation Results

	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00	Tot. Resp.	Q. Avg.	Question
Question1	14	3	0	0	0	17	4.82	The Professor was well prepared for class
Question2	12	4	1	0	0	17	4.65	The course objectives were clearly defined
Question3	14	1	2	0	0	17	4.71	The grading policy was clearly explained
Question4	12	5	0	0	0	17	4.71	The professor communicated the subject matter effectively
Question5	13	4	0	0	0	17	4.76	The professor actively furthers students learning and unsderstanding
Question6	12	4	1	0	0	17	4.65	The teaching materials helped achieve course objectives
Question7	11	5	1	0	0	17	4.59	Overall I would rate this course
Prof.Avg							4.7	

What are the strenghts and weaknesses of the course?

*Strenghts: the subject is really interesting and the course attempts to cover every aspect and many case studies. Showing movies and documentaries was an excellent idea. Weaknesses: I don't think there are any. The course maintaining the promises it makes in the syllabus. We didn't cover all the case studies though, but I think the ones we did were enough and gave excellent knowledge on the genocide subject *No weaknesses for the this course...I just feel as through 3 months is not enough time for the subject Strenghts: Extremely intense and interesting topic. Field trip to Poland (Auschwitz and Birkenaw). A lot of movies shown in class (good for topic)

*I found the course very interesting

*It is so useful because it allows students to know the atrocities that mankind has carried out thorough history

*A definite strength is the teacher! Mr Simoncini is a great asset to this school. I went on the field trip to Poland and I have to say that was very eye opening and one if not the best field trip I have ever been on *Strenghts: makes one more familiar with the world around them Weakness- more homework projects need to be given to help understanding of material instead of just reading

*Strenghts:visual material and the fact this class is not offered anywhere else Weaknesses: so little time to cover a great deal of material

*I think we should have focused more on case studies rather than the introductory part.

*Very few weaknesses, Strenghts: Great prof In depth content Lots of debate and presentations Field trip to Poland

*The course covers a very specific period of time and subject

*Professor was well versed on class material and genuinely interested Supplements (movies/field trip)= strenghts No weaknesses

*The books are good and the movies really helped understanding the topic of the course

*Strenghts: instructor was very knowledgeable, and the course materials were excellent. Weaknesses: Not enough time to finish everything.

*Good way to approach such a heavy subject (movies helped) More class discussion

*The professor really engages and challenges his students! Great course!

What are the strenghts and weaknesses of the Professor?

*Strenghts: He is really well prepared and professional and he is really helpful and willing to make students understand. He even accompanied some of the students to a field trip in Poland. Weaknesses: he didn't show any in this course

*I loved him! By far best teacher at JCU! Very knowledgeable of subject! A lot of experience and made it very interesting! Very helpful to his students

*Simoncini is very helpful and available for his students

*He is excellent in explaining and making things clear

*The professor is intelligent, eager to teach and very willing to help students outside of class.Excellent *Knows what he is talking about Very intelligent Needs to explain information clearer and in a visual way(powerpoint). Says too many facts at once (hard to take notes)

*Knows the subject matter better than anyone I know. Very willing to help. Thank you!

*Sometimes he spent too much time on a single subject

*Great Prof. Extremely intelligent Very cultured Experienced

*The professor is very well prepared and he is able to explain the subject in a very appreciative way. He uses many visual materials to help the students.

*Personally familiar with material Personally invested Genuis Multi- lingual

*Knowledgeable about the topic. He is clear in explaining the topics of the course. Precise, specific in using the language. A great professor

*Great teacher! No weaknesses!

*Dr. Simoncini was very knowledgeable about the subject and was devoted to our complete education.

He was committed to having us engage in the class and think outside of the box

*Good teacher, good explanations, knows the material More class involvement

*Very,very intelligent and great insight that he shares with his students

Any other comments?

*Definitely need more courses like this! As a criminology major it is a shame you only offer 1 course to fulfill law requirements! Field trip should definitely be repeated!

*I enjoyed and learned a lot from the class field trip he put together

*Other interesting classes like this with Professor Simoncini

*This class has made me rethink some of the ways I look at the world. Extremely affecting. Thanks! *Class is interesting!

*I attended the field trip to Krakow, Poland, and benefited greatly from it!

*Best class this semester Incredible field trip to Poland, JCU should 100% endorse this trip for each semester.

*Best class of my classes I am sad it's over

*Great class, great prof!

*Great class

*Keep this course, it's great!