

Lester Lusher (TA)**160B****Section 0A****FALL 2012**

Enrollment % responding	67 64%	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	N	% Agree	% Disagree	Score
1. The TA presents material in a clear and organized manner.		33	10	0	0	0	43	100%	0%	
2. The TA speaks audibly and communicates effectively.		31	11	1	0	0	43	98%	0%	
3. The TA stimulates discussions in sections.		29	7	7	0	0	43	84%	0%	
4. The TA is responsive to questions.		35	5	3	0	0	43	93%	0%	
5. The TA is punctual for sections and office hours.		36	3	1	0	1	41	95%	2%	
6. The TA is available and helpful to students during office hours.		28	6	1	0	0	35	97%	0%	
7. The TA is responsive to difficulties students have in understanding the materials.		33	5	3	0	0	41	93%	0%	
8. The grading was fair and timely.		33	8	2	0	0	43	95%	0%	
9. The discussion section was a good educational experience.		35	6	2	0	0	43	95%	0%	4.8
10. Overall, the TA did a good job in this course.		35	8	0	0	0	43	100%	0%	4.8

COMMENTS

“Excellent job!”

“Probably the best TA I’ve had at Davis thus far. Keep up the great work. Really shows that he wants students to learn the material.”

“Lester did an amazing job at explaining the course material. Each session class was insightful and pertained to what we talked about in class. I would also like to add that his command and love for the subject was great. I wish he was my T.A. for other classes. He was very clear and enthusiastic.”

“Lester was great at accommodating time / resources for his students. Overall a great TA. During section sometimes he would go on tangents. He doesn’t give incentive for students to go to section (sad face) He says in [sic] not mandatory.”

“Presented material in an organized fashion. Communicated well and simplified confusing problems. My suggestion is to go over some of the next chapter prior to text [sic]. (Had lab on Thursday, overlapping material Fri, and test on Monday.)”

“I think that Lester is a fantastic TA who did a great job of explaining and reviewing material. He does a great job of bringing enthusiasm and keeping me interested and engaged. I can tell that he is very prepared and knowledgeable and would recommend him to anyone.”

“Lester was really helpful, especially by making time to talk about things not directly related to 160B (e.g. graduate studies, research). He also presented class material well & in a clear manner.”

“Explains the material fast and concise.”

“Might be more clear [sic].”

“Lester, you are an awesome TA. You know the material really well and are able to teach it in a clear manner. Also, thank you for your help in office hours, and always being open to questions. Please teach more econ classes. ☺ “

“It was an alright session, would have liked more clearer [sic] writing or typed out notes but he did a good job.”

“Pretty elaborate.”

“One of the best TA I ever had.”

“Great session. Thanks.”

“He is so nice TA [sic].”

“This TA is the best TA I have met in UCD. Everything he had presented was cleared [sic] and in a [sic] organized way. He managed the time well to talk [sic] everything he wanted to teach in the short 50 minutes [sic] section. Good job! I will take his section again if there will be a chance.”

“Lester was an enthusiastic TA. Going to discussion was helpful because he went through important topics more thoroughly.”

“Lester was actually the best econ TA I have had thus far. Very clear, helpful & enthusiastic. I went to almost every session and found them very helpful.”

“Was helpful during office hours, very dedicated, even helped teach some game theory.”

“Lester did a great job with the TA sessions. Everything was delivered clearly and he took time to explain areas that were not clear to the students. Also, he was always helpful at office hours and responded quickly to any emails that we sent. Overall one of the best TA’s that I’ve ever had here at Davis. Great knowledge of Econ that helped me out greatly.”

“Very clear & funny sometimes!”

“Mr. Lusher should be more available during OH and by email. Also, promote class discussions during T.A. sections.”

“Lester: Good job w/ the R sections. I felt more comfortable w/ the material following your discussions. Thank you for detailing the midterm study material prior to each midterm. Very helpful. Also sample problems similar to the HW’s were a great way to help me learn ... and not just complete the HW’s. Good organization of discussions -> Thank you [sic] writing on the overhead!”