Office of Institutional Research
Spring 2013 - St. John’s Student Course Evaluations

Overview:

-The report starts with a graph representing overall indicators, which are the average scores of various questions on the course evaluation.

-Section A: “Course Organization and Planning” (questions 1-3)
-Section B: “Communication” (questions 4-6)
-Section C: “Faculty-Student Interaction” (questions 7-9)
-Section D: “Assignments, Exams, and Grading” (questions 10-14)
-Section E: “Instructional Methods” (questions 15-16)
-Section F: “Course Outcomes” (questions 17-19)
-Section G: “Student Effort and Involvement” (questions 20-22)
-Section H: “Course Difficulty, Work Load, and Pace” (questions 23-25)
-Section I: “Overall Evaluation” (question 26)

-Each question is then individually assessed using the following scales. Appropriate comparative results are also shown. The percentages next to the name of the college/unit represent the response rate.

-The following are the value labels for the aggregated results pertaining to each question:

Value Labels

Questions 1-22:

5 = Strongly Agree
4 = Agree
3 = Somewhat Agree
2 = Disagree
1 = Strongly Disagree

Question 23 - Course Difficulty:

5 = Very Difficult
4 = Difficult
3 = About Right
2 = Easy
1 = Very Easy

Question 24 - Course Pace:

5 = Very Fast
4 = Fast
3 = Just about right
2 = Slow
1 = Very Slow
Question 25 - Study Hours:

5 = 8 or more hours  
4 = 6 to 7  
3 = 4 to 5  
2 = 2 to 3  
1 = Under 1 hour

Question 26 - Overall Evaluation:

5 = Excellent  
4 = Good  
3 = Fair  
2 = Poor  
1 = Very Poor

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GR College of Pharmacy (60%)
No. of responses = 145

Overall indicators

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Survey Results

A. Course Organization and Planning

1. The course goals, objectives, and grading procedures were clearly explained.
   - Strongly Agree: 87%
   - Strongly Disagree: 13%
   - n=143
   - av=4.75
   - dev=0.66
   - ab=2

2. Lectures and other class activities were well organized.
   - Strongly Agree: 73%
   - Strongly Disagree: 27%
   - n=145
   - av=4.74
   - dev=0.55

3. The instructor was regularly punctual and regularly kept the class for the full class time.
   - Strongly Agree: 86%
   - Strongly Disagree: 14%
   - n=144
   - av=4.81
   - dev=0.64
   - ab=1

B. Communication
4. The instructor's presentations were clear and understandable.

5. The instructor adequately explained abstract or complex materials so that I understood it.

6. The instructor conveyed interest and enthusiasm in the subject matter.

C. Faculty-Student Interaction

7. The instructor encouraged student discussion and participation.

8. The instructor satisfactorily answered students’ questions.

9. The instructor was accessible to students during office hours and by email.

D. Assignments, Exams, and Grading

10. The instructor asked questions on the course material.

11. Students were tested on material covered in the course.

12. The instructor returned students’ work in a reasonable amount of time.

13. The instructor provided sufficient feedback on tests and papers.
14. Tests, papers, and other assignments were graded fairly.

E. Instructional Methods

15. The instructor made appropriate use of technology in teaching.

16. Students were actively involved in class discussion, group work, and other classroom activities.

F. Course Outcomes

17. This course has increased my understanding of the subject matter.

18. This course increased my ability to think independently and critically.

19. I would recommend this instructor to other students.

G. Student Effort and Involvement

20. I attended class regularly.

21. I read the assignments and was well prepared for every class.

22. I spent a sufficient amount of time on assignments and research papers.
H. Course Difficulty, Work Load, and Pace

23. For my preparation and ability, this course was

24. For me, the pace at which the course materials were covered was

25. In a typical 7-day week, how many hours did you spend preparing for this course (studying, reading, doing homework or other academic activities)?

I. Overall Evaluation

26. Rate the quality of this course as it contributed to your learning:

K. Student Information

30. For you, this course is

31. Your class level:

32. Your sex:

33. What grade do you expect for this course?

07/08/2013  
Class Climate evaluation
### A. Course Organization and Planning

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E. Instructional Methods

15. The instructor made appropriate use of technology in teaching.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   141 | av.=4.71 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.59

16. Students were actively involved in class discussion, group work, and other classroom activities.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   140 | av.=4.69 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.61

F. Course Outcomes

17. This course has increased my understanding of the subject matter.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   143 | av.=4.69 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.64

18. This course increased my ability to think independently and critically.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   144 | av.=4.69 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.65

19. I would recommend this instructor to other students.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   140 | av.=4.73 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.62

G. Student Effort and Involvement

20. I attended class regularly.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   145 | av.=4.84 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.40

21. I read the assignments and was well prepared for every class.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   142 | av.=4.65 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.55

22. I spent a sufficient amount of time on assignments and research papers.
   Strongly Agree | Strongly Disagree
   140 | av.=4.64 | md=5.00 | dev.=0.52

H. Course Difficulty, Work Load, and Pace

23. For my preparation and ability, this course was
   Very Difficult | Very Easy
   145 | av.=3.16 | md=3.00 | dev.=0.70

24. For me, the pace at which the course materials were covered was
   Very Fast | Very Slow
   145 | av.=3.14 | md=3.00 | dev.=0.42

25. In a typical 7-day week, how many hours did you spend preparing for this course (studying, reading, doing homework or other academic activities)?
   8 or more hours | Under 1 hour
   144 | av=2.87 | md=3.00 | dev=1.11

I. Overall Evaluation

26. Rate the quality of this course as it contributed to your learning:
   Excellent | Very Poor
   144 | av.=4.35 | md=5.00 | dev=0.76

K. Student Information

33. What grade do you expect for this course?
   A | Below C
   140 | av=7.38 | md=8.00 | dev=0.96
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Average (av.) and Deviation (dev.) values are provided for each category.
### A. Course Organization and Planning

1. The course goals, objectives, and grading procedures were clearly explained.
   - n=143  av.=4.75  md=5.00  dev.=0.60
   - n=3585 av.=4.41 md=5.00 dev.=0.69

2. Lectures and other class activities were well organized.
   - n=145  av.=4.74  md=5.00  dev.=0.55
   - n=3578 av.=4.34 md=5.00 dev.=0.96

3. The instructor was regularly punctual and regularly kept the class for the full class time.
   - n=144  av.=4.81  md=5.00  dev.=0.40
   - n=3557 av.=4.59 md=5.00 dev.=0.74

### B. Communication

4. The instructor's presentations were clear and understandable.
   - n=141  av.=4.70  md=5.00  dev.=0.64
   - n=3548 av.=4.39 md=5.00 dev.=0.92

5. The instructor adequately explained abstract or complex materials so that I understood it.
   - n=139  av.=4.73  md=5.00  dev.=0.57
   - n=3558 av.=4.39 md=5.00 dev.=0.93

6. The instructor conveyed interest and enthusiasm in the subject matter.
   - n=140  av.=4.77  md=5.00  dev.=0.57
   - n=3574 av.=4.59 md=5.00 dev.=0.78

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   - n=140  av.=4.74  md=5.00  dev.=0.55
   - n=3454 av.=4.51 md=5.00 dev.=0.82

### D. Assignments, Exams, and Grading

10. The instructor asked questions on the course material.
    - n=135  av.=4.79  md=5.00  dev.=0.44
    - n=3439 av.=4.50 md=5.00 dev.=0.77

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    - n=134  av.=4.77  md=5.00  dev.=0.53
    - n=3188 av.=4.47 md=5.00 dev.=0.96

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    - n=133  av.=4.74  md=5.00  dev.=0.62
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