



To:

Heide Island (as private and confidential)

## Course Evaluation

Dear Heide Island,

This email contains evaluation results for PSY-452-01 BIOPSY III: Behavior Endocrin 2011S / Sp2011.

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PSY-452-01 BIOPSY III: Behavior Endocrin 2011S (PSY-452-01)  
No. of responses = 9



## Overall indicators

Global Index



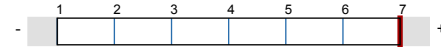
av.=6.67

Course (Alpha = 0.59)



av.=6.33

Instructor

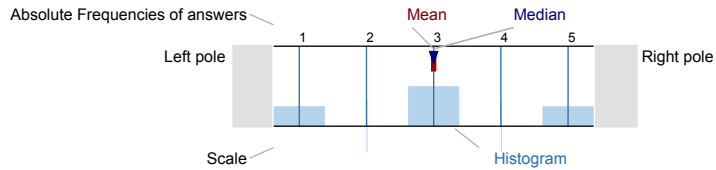


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## Survey Results

Legend

Question text

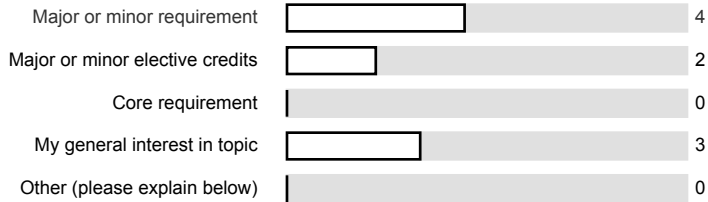


n=Amount  
av.=Mean  
md=Median  
dev.=Std. Dev.  
ab.=Abstention

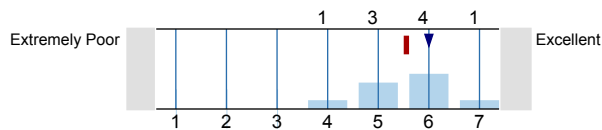
## Course

1.1) Your primary reason for taking this course was (mark the most appropriate response):

n=9



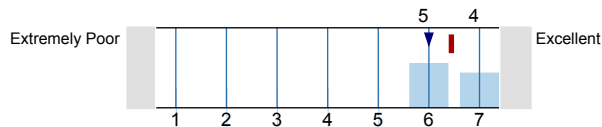
1.3) Rate your level of effort in this course.



n=9

av.=5.56  
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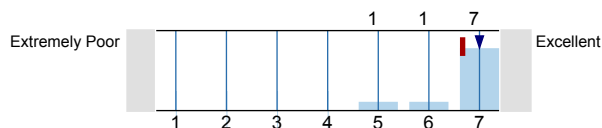
1.5) Provide an overall rating of the course.



n=9

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md=6

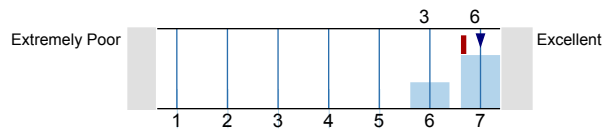
1.7) Rate the likelihood that you would recommend this course to another student.



n=9

av.=6.67  
md=7

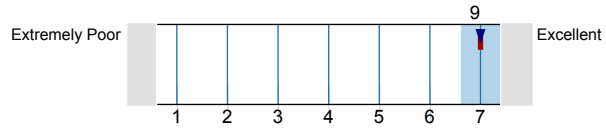
1.9) Rate your increase in skills/understanding as a result of taking this course.



n=9  
av.=6.67  
md=7

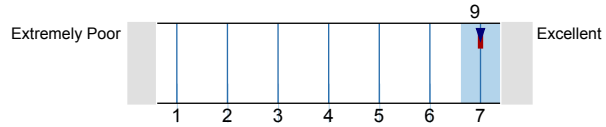
Instructor

2.1) Provide an overall rating of the instructor.



n=9  
av.=7  
md=7

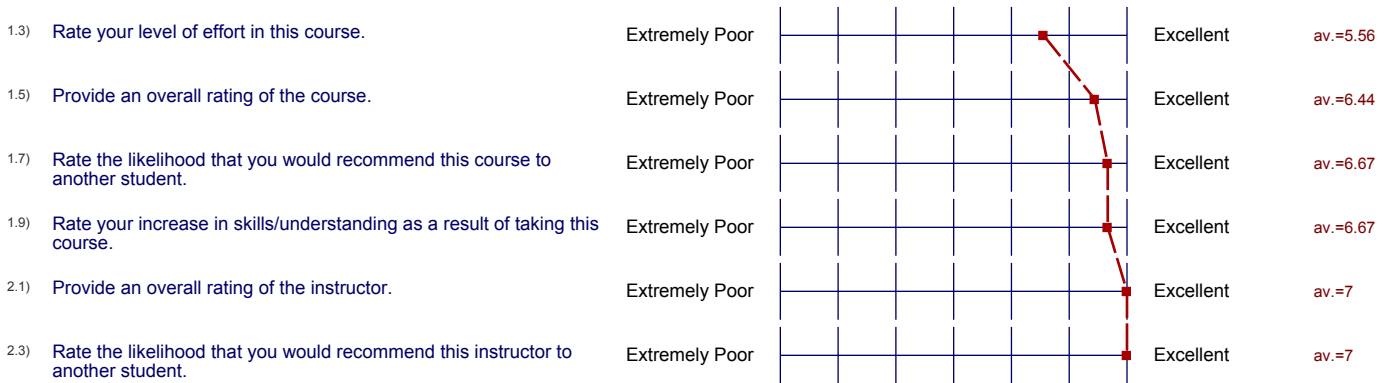
2.3) Rate the likelihood that you would recommend this instructor to another student.



n=9  
av.=7  
md=7

# Profile

Subunit: 1 Social Science Division  
 Name of the instructor: Heide Island  
 Name of the course: PSY-452-01 BIOPSY III: Behavior Endocrin 2011S  
 (Name of the survey)



Comments Report

1.2) Other reason for taking course:

Neuropsych path

1.4) Level of Effort Explanation:

~~Effort~~ Effort was high but ~~not~~ not necessarily reflected by grade

Missed a couple class lectures. Had a rough semester due to personal family issues

~~He~~ was compelled to do better academically than ever ~~before~~,  
still didn't give 110% but a solid 88%

1.6) Overall Rating Explanation:

So interesting!

would have liked more labs.

good & interesting material

1.8) Likelihood Explanation:

understanding going in vs. understanding by end greatly increased  
but the class requires a great deal of effort

We have had a good time discussing issues and relating it to life

Difficult class.

Need a solid understanding of the neuro + endocrine <sup>stuff</sup> to get the most out, but surprisingly <sup>with</sup> all can get most everyday's

#### 1.10) Skills/understanding Explanation:

This class was packed w/ information, more importantly that information was presented in a way that was understandable and not forced

Not perfect, but have a better understanding of how specific hormones can enhance or inhibit body function.

Course material is difficult however it is valuable

#### 2.2) Instructor Rating Explanation:

Keeps the class light-hearted in a serious manner. Probably the most intense prof I've had here, and has an almost computer like knowledge base. Amazing!

This is her game and her enthusiasm is contagious

Heide ~~compels~~ <sup>compels</sup> students with emphasizing her ~~own~~ confidence in us

2.4) Recommendation Explanation:

You'll leave any class you take from here with more info than you thought possible. She brings an energy to the class that is contagious but is still very much business first. <sup>from</sup> understands that life is <sub>hard and a lot</sub>

Heide is a pedagogical wizard

She gives you the necessary tools to succeed. She has wide availability and is willing to offer advice on how to better understand the information. She has passion.

understands the subjects so well, cares about students, pushes us to achieve, approachable by all seeming

2.5) Please provide any additional comments that you want to make about the course and instructor.

very interesting class  
I liked what we learned  
I like Heide as a professor

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I found this course very interesting & mind opening

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The class was great. My only hang up is that we seemed to not get to a lot of direct behavior as a result of our needing to learn basic physiology. Having people come make this easier.



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Potentially moving sexual differentiation & development to  
after male & female sexual behavior chptrs, it made more  
sense personally (millerman & wolfin ~~more~~ less foreign concepts  
after full understanding of penis/testes/vagina/ovaries/~~penis~~struction<sup>de</sup>)

The paper was a fantastic opportunity, <sup>might</sup> wish  
it was due earlier in the semester because  
it allowed a more synthesized view of psychology +  
behavior + endocrinology, exponentially so.